



Rudi Wiest
SELECTIONS

Vintage: 2011
Estate: Becker
Region: Pfalz
Name: Estate Pinot Noir
Varietal: Pinot Noir
Ripeness: QbA
Style: Dry
Acidity: 5.9 gm/l
Alcohol: 13.5%
Residual Sugar: 0.3 gm/l
Soil Type: Loess, Marl, Chalk and Clay
Cases Imported: 2,000
Closure: Stelvin
UPC: 7 679463 051008

Estate: Becker produces some of Germany's finest Pinot Noir. This is due in large part to the chalky limestone soils that form the foundation of most of the Becker vineyards. Becker's Grosses Gewächs has been selected as the best Pinot Noir in Germany by 'Gault Millau', Germany's top wine guide. The vineyards are planted in 40% Pinot Noir.

Tasting Note: Some of the fruit for this Estate Pinot Noir is from the estates top Grosses Gewächs vineyards. The chalky limestone yields supple flavors of black cherry fruit, baked rhubarb, and blueberry on palate. There's a velvety finesse, which yields to aromatic violets and lavender, freshly picked tarragon, cola and bitter dark chocolate. A real crowd pleaser!

