



## 2021 Pinot Grigio

*El Dorado*

*Barlow's 2021 Pinot Grigio is a dry, well-balanced wine with zesty flavors of Green Apple, Pear and Stone Fruit leading to a crisp finish lifted by a refreshing twinkle of acidity and notes of citrus.*

### **2021 Harvest Report El Dorado**

The 2021 growing season in El Dorado County kicked off with great promise that had vintners excited about quality. The region experienced no spring frosts, and bud break and flowering occurred at the normal times despite warmer temperatures.

Summer weather was warm-to-hot, with warm temperatures persisting into the night. This had vintners preparing for an early harvest during July and August. Yield was down about 15% overall. Vintner's report fantastic fruit quality with beautiful color extraction, deep flavors, and great balance. White varieties are tasting particularly good with good pH and acid profiles. As if scripted, right around the time the last grapes came in, a late October storm brought much needed rain to the area and set hopes for a wet winter ahead.

## VINTAGE STATISTICS

BLEND	100% Pinot Grigio
HARVEST DATE	August, 2021
BOTTLING	January, 2022
ALCOHOL	12%
PRODUCTION	242 cases
RELEASE DATE	April, 2022