### L'ACADIE VINEYARDS

## **Small Lot**

## 2021 Elegante Unoaked Red

# **Organic and Vegan**

## **Wine Specifications**

Geographic Region: Annapolis Valley, Nova Scotia Blend: 51% Marechal Foch, 49% L'Acadie blanc

Certified Organic by Pro-Cert

Alcohol: 11.0%

Residual sugar: 1.5 g/l (dry)

Aging: will age like similar dry unoaked elegant reds – drink within 18 months to enjoy the delicate fruit

aromas

#### Winemaker Notes

This dry elegant red wine has aromas of dried strawberry and floral with soft tannins. A very versatile wine for food pairing options. Serve slightly chilled for best enjoyment.

The bright berry and soft textural appeal of Elegante is owed to late picks of ripe organic Marechal Foch grapes from Falmouth and Estate L'Acadie blanc. Both with skin contact for tannin extraction. Careful tasting trials of all blend components determined the blend with L'Acadie blanc rounding tannins and contributing texture and tropical notes. Aged for a winter in stainless steel, no oaking, and bottled in the spring, finished dry.

Our winemaking has been vegan since 2010 and viticulture since 2017. We are certified to the European Biocyclic Vegan Standard, the first in North America. Vegan from soil to glass!