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SMART BUY!

"Forward and deep..."

Center of Effort Wines
Pinot Noir Edna Valley Estate 2011

Deep ruby color; deep, berry/cherry aromas with spice and vanilla notes; complex, ripe cherry flavors with spice and oak notes; silky texture; good structure and balance; long finish. Forward, deep Pinot with great texture.

170 cases made \$45 Score: 92

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About Our Tastings

We taste wine in flights of usually no more than 12 wines. All tasting unless otherwise noted is done blind by the Editor.

The tasting coordinator (who does not taste) arranges and bags all wines, which are then scored and comments recorded before bags are removed. Our tastings are done under controlled, consistent conditions.

Here is **PinotReport's** 100-point scale:

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| 96-100 | SUPERIOR; it doesn't get better. |
| 90-95 | OUTSTANDING; approaching the best |
| 86-89 | ABOVE AVERAGE; a good Pinot. |
| 80-85 | AVERAGE; OK if it's all you have. |
| 60-79 | BELOW AVERAGE; not recommended. |
| 50-59 | UNDRINKABLE. |