



2024 Pinot Noir, Soberanes Vineyard Santa Lucia Highlands

Winemaker's Tasting Notes

The 2024 Soberanes Pinot Noir is a refined expression from one of the top vineyards in the Santa Lucia Highlands. It offers a smooth, velvety texture, with aromas of ripe cherry, red currant, and a hint of rose petal, all gracefully complemented by a touch of subtle French oak from barrel aging. Lush yet vibrant, the wine strikes a perfect balance of richness and freshness.

VINEYARD & HARVEST INFORMATION

<i>Vineyard</i>	Located next to Gary's Vineyard in the Santa Lucia Highlands, the Soberanes Vineyard is a joint venture between the Pisoni and Franscioni Families. The site features tightly spaced vines and is planted to 33 acres of Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Syrah. The Pisoni Clone (LaTâche) is the exclusive Pinot Noir clone selection for this vineyard. Constantly in pursuit of the finest wine-growing quality.
<i>Vineyard Manager</i>	Mark Pisoni
<i>Vineyard Elevation</i>	300 feet above sea level
<i>Exposure/Row Direction</i>	Northwest - Southeast
<i>Soil</i>	Granite- laden/Sandy Loam
<i>Block/Clone</i>	Pisoni Clone
<i>Harvested</i>	September 17th, 2024

WINEMAKING INFORMATION

<i>Blend</i>	100% Pinot Noir
<i>Fermentation</i>	4-day cold soak, 8 days on skin. 50 hL Taransaud French oak tank.
<i>Alcohol by Volume</i>	14.8%
<i>pH</i>	3.7
<i>Cooperage</i>	50% new French oak barrels
<i>Barrel Aging</i>	12 months
<i>Release Date:</i>	Spring 2026
<i>Production</i>	225 cases
<i>Winemaker</i>	Patrick and Cole Krutz



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