

VARIETAL 100% Pinot Noir

COOPERAGE  $10 \; \mathrm{months}, \; 20 \% \; \mathrm{New}$ French oak

ALCOHOL 14.8%

PRODUCTION 2,212 Cases

SRP \$29

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## **GEHRICKE**

Sonoma Coast - Pinot Noir Sonoma, California

"Bright cherry, dark cocoa powder and espresso aromas dominate the nose of this Pinot. The palate brings flavors of raspberry coulis, spiced fig compote and dark chocolate with whispers of violets that echo across the darker, spicier flavors of the finish." — Tom R. Capo

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## **Vintage Notes**

With abundant early-season rain followed by excellent spring and summer weather, the beginning of the 2022 growing season in Sonoma was near ideal. An intense heat wave followed by cool rains in September quickened the pace of ripening but allowed the fruit to reach its fullest potential before being carefully pulled off the vine. The early harvest produced grapes with complex, fruit-forward flavors and balanced acidity.

## **Food Pairings**

Pair this lighter-style Pinot Noir with creamy cheeses such as Brie or Camembert. This wine also pairs exceptionally well with a wood-fired pepperoni pizza or smoky barbecue pork ribs.