



2021

Pinot Noir  
SLH

**VINEYARD** Smith & Lindley Vineyard, Santa Lucia Highlands  
The 2021 CRU Winery SLH Pinot Noir was sourced from the Smith & Lindley vineyard in the Santa Lucia Highlands. The vineyard is strongly influenced by the Pacific Ocean with foggy mornings and cool windy afternoons that provide a long, cool growing season ideal for Pinot Noir.

WINE ANALYSIS

Total Acid	6.4 g/l	Varietal	100% Pinot Noir
RS	.4 g/l	Appellation	Santa Lucia Highlands
pH	3.67	Aging Process	10 Months French Oak
Finished Alcohol	14.1%		

APPELLATION DETAIL

Santa Lucia Highlands



TASTING NOTES

This lovely wine is a tribute to the Santa Lucia Highlands featuring both the earthy and fruit flavors that this region is so well known for. It opens with dark cherry, plum and raspberry with beautifully balanced structure. It finishes with a hint of vanilla and clove on the long finish.

The well-balanced earth and fruit in this wine make it ideal for pairing with foods with layers of flavors. Enjoy it with grilled salmon topped with rice pilaf and grilled vegetables.

HISTORY OF ACCLAIM

Vintage 2020 - Not produced

*To uphold our strict quality standards, we did not produce our SLH Pinot Noir in 2020 due to the potential risk of smoke influence from nearby wildfires.*

Vintage 2019 - 92 Points, Wine Enthusiast

Vintage 2018 - 91 Points, Wine Enthusiast

Vintage 2017 - 92 Points, Wine Enthusiast

SUGGESTED RETAIL PRICE

\$25

