

2021 Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot Noir

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Tasting notes |

The 2021 Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot Noir offers aromas of ripe cherry and subtle cranberry, with hints of spice. The palate is rich and full-bodied, featuring deep plum and boysenberry flavors, all supported by a long, soft finish. A superb example of Pinot Noir from the Highlands!

Winemaking notes |

Our Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot Noir is a blend of grapes selected from some of the finest vineyards in the Santa Lucia Highlands, a small strip of benchland renowned as one of the world's top Pinot Noir regions. Bernardus has focused on this AVA for many years and has been fortunate to source exceptional Pinot from this outstanding region since 2002. At Bernardus, all our Pinot Noir grapes are hand-picked, sorted, and fermented in small, individual fermenters. The wines are then aged in the finest French oak barrels and tanks until just before blending and bottling.

Winemaker | Jim McCabe

Cooperage | Aged for 7 months in 100% French oak barrels

Production | 10,100 Cases

ABV | 14.1%

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