

## CARTAGENA

## **PINOT NOIR**

BY CASA MARIN



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GRAPE VARIETY
APPELLATION

100% Pinot Noir San Antonio Valley

**WINEMAKERS** Felipe Marin and Maria Luz Marin

**PEAK DRINKING**To drink now, but excellent for aging up to 8 years according to your

personal taste.

**TASTING NOTES** 

**COLOR** Deep bright violet and red

**NOSE** On the nose intense red fruits. As soon as the wine opens up, notes of

rose pedals are appearing.

PALATE On the palate it is light and fresh with a lively acidity which gives the

wine more depth.

VITICULTURE

Age of the vines Yield per hectare 13 years

Yieia per Soil 5 tons per hectare Loamy sand soil.

Climate

Coastal climate, 4km away from the Pacific Ocean with average temperatures of 15°C. In summer temperatures are not higher than 27°C. Cold mornings with cloudy days are normal Frost and morning.

27°C. Cold mornings with cloudy days are normal. Frost and morning mists occur in spring and early summer. No rain during growing season. Grapes are handpicked during the last week of March with the idea to

make a blend that would show bright fruits with a sense of freshness on

the palate.

VINIFICATION

Harvest Method

Grapes are manually sorted by hand, leaving behind unwanted green materials. Fruit resulted very clean. No crushing, just de-stemming. The most is cold macerated before fermentation for 3 days. Wine is fermented with commercial yeast at 18-24°C for 12 days, with three manual punch downs per day. Before fermentation is completed the wine is transferred by gravity into the French Oak barrels where the lees are stirred for one month. The MLF is spontaneous. 100% of the wine is kept in Oak for 10 months, no new oak is used. No acid or fining additions.

**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS** 

 ALCOHOL
 RESIDUAL SUGAR
 PH
 TOTAL ACIDITY

 14%
 2,24g/l
 3,45
 5,89g/l

RECOGNITIONS

LA CAV 90 pts ROBER PARKER 90 pts

SUGESTIONS

Serving temperature Ageing potential Food pairing Serve at 12°C.

Drink young or age up to 8 years.

A great summer red! Also delicious with wild Chilean salmon from the Lake District or any other fatty fish. If you love Italian food, then this wine is a great match with Italian pasta and pizza. For meat lovers, we suggest white meat such as chicken or pork.

