



2013 La Pitchoune Pinot Noir - Sonoma Coast

The underlying theme of producing Pinot noir that is not typically 'California' in style, has prevailed once again. Created to harness the best of its older brother, the 2012 vintage, this wine strives to tie old-world to new-world. Aromas of petrol, tar, tobacco, red fruits and baking spices rise from the glass. Delineated flavors of ripe raspberry, cranberry and blood orange are interlaced with juniper berry, black tea, smoked meats and soft chewy tannins. Although this wine is remarkably approachable and drinks exceptionally well right now, it will only get better over the next 10-15 years.

Vineyard Source:	English Hill, Holder, DeVoto
Clone:	Dijon clones 115, 667, 777
Multiple Dates:	Between 9-2-13 and 10-1-13
Harvest Brix:	23.8° Brix average
Barrel Aged:	11 months
Barrel Breakdown:	100% French Oak 25% new, 25% used once, 50% used for 4 previous vintages
Bottling Date:	August 7th, 2014
Production:	385 cases
Alcohol:	14.1%
pH:	3.65
TA:	5.8 g/L

