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## 2013 SOBERANES VINEYARD PINOT NOIR santa lucia highlands

#### WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Our 2013 Soberanes Vineyard Pinot Noir from the Santa Lucia Highlands typifies the intensity and depth of the cool, yet arid Santa Lucia Highlands. This wine has a brilliant red-rose color with blue highlights and a nose of pomegranate, violet and the perfume of chaparral. It has a rich attack and displays elegance and concentration while seamlessly weaving together elements of fruit, flowers and earth. This is a luscious wine, brilliantly constructed from one of the most unique vineyards in the Santa Lucia Highlands.

#### NOTES FROM THE VINEYARD

Soberanes Vineyard is situated in the heart of the Santa Lucia Highlands bench. It is a surprisingly cool and arid region due to the prevailing north-eastern winds. 2013 was an uneventful year until the late summer months, when an unusually clear and warm weather pattern established itself. This brought on early maturity allowing us to harvest over two weeks sooner than in 2012.

### HARVEST DATE: September 6 - 7, 2013

**ALCOHOL:** 13.4%

BARREL AGING: 36% new; 14 months sur lies

BARRELS: 100% French Oak

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