



# TWOMEY

## 2019 SOBERANES VINEYARD PINOT NOIR SANTA LUCIA HIGHLANDS

### TASTING NOTES

#### APPEARANCE

Ruby

#### AROMAS

Alpine strawberry, potpourri, sandalwood with a hint of graphite

#### PALATE

Energetic with notes of white pepper, raspberry coulis and coriander

#### MOUTHFEEL & FINISH

Supple layered tannins lend a powerful yet balanced structure

### NOTES FROM THE VINEYARD

The 2019 vintage was the second year in a row of temperate and even growing seasons in the Santa Lucia Highlands, producing compelling, complex and balanced wines from the exceptional Soberanes Vineyard. With healthy winter rainfall, the vines were able to build strong canopy architecture as the season progressed through a cool, early spring and into a mild summer marked by a consistent fog presence. Budbreak, flowering and veraison all tracked slightly later than a typical season, allowing for gradual and even ripening with exceptional flavor and tannin development. As harvest approached, warm and windy days helped to put the final touches on ripening our blocks of Dijon 667 and Pisoni clones, which both came in on the same day—September 9. The resulting wine is driven by a powerful and refined tannin structure that helps support the rich texture and concentration of the vintage and frame the beautiful freshness and dark floral notes we love from this site.

### HARVEST DATE

September 9, 2019

### ALCOHOL

14.2%

### AVERAGE BRIX

23.7°

### BARREL AGING

14 months in barrel  
6 months on primary lees

### BARRELS

100% French oak, 43% new

### WHOLE CLUSTER

10%

### RELEASE DATE

September 2021