

# TWOMEY

2021

SOBERANES VINEYARD

PINOT NOIR

The growing season in the Santa Lucia Highlands AVA—and at the Soberanes Vineyard—was slow and steady. Balanced and even ripening were overarching themes with the resulting wine highlighting just how exceptional this site can be. 2021 started dry with precipitation totals below typical. This resulted in reduced canopy size, and the vines conserved energy heading into the season with a cool, dry spring. Moderate temperatures throughout summer and into fall provided the vines time to fully ripen and resulted in a crop with refined tannins and complex flavors.

We harvested our two blocks separately with the acre of clone 667 leading the way on September 11, followed by the later-ripening Pisoni clonal selection on September 14. Both blocks were fermented separately then blended together to create this single vineyard bottling that showcases the beautiful lifted floral and spice aromatics typical of this site with the structured tannin backbone supporting bright acidity and delicate notes of wild strawberry.

#### VINEYARD

Soberanes Vineyard



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#### HARVEST DATES

September 9–14, 2021

#### ALCOHOL

14.2%

#### AVERAGE BRIX

23.9°

#### BARREL AGING

15 months in barrel

6 months on primary lees

#### BARRELS

100% French oak, 32% new

#### RELEASE DATE

November 2023

