



2008 Pinot Noir, Bien Nacido Vineyard- Block 8

Appellation:	Santa Maria Valley
Vineyard:	Block 8 at Bien Nacido Vineyard, 12 acres of Pinot Noir planted under Foxen guidelines in 1996
Clone(s):	Dijon 113, Dijon 115, 2A, Mt. Eden, Pommard
Harvest:	Individual sub-blocks night harvested 6 times between Sept 2 nd & Sept 30
Yields:	2 ½ to 3 tons per acre, about 3 ppv
Crush:	Whole berry destemmed; gravitied to small, open top fermenters
Innoculum:	Burgundy RC212 after a 2-4 day cold maceration
Fermentation:	14 day active, with punchdowns 2 times daily
Barrel regime:	16 months elevage in 100% Francois Freres barrels, 60% new
Racking:	Without pumping, once in Winter 2009, then again prior to bottling late Feb. 2010
Bottling:	March 1 st , 2010 without fining or filtration
Alcohol:	14.7%
T.A:	0.595 g/100ml
PH:	3.57
Production:	655 cases
Retail Price:	\$54.00