

Siduri, named for the Babylonian goddess of wine, specializes in cool-climate Pinot Noir from growing regions across California and Oregon. Our winemakers' constant pursuit of Pinot perfection has led to long-standing relationships with top growers in premier appellations from Oregon's Willamette Valley to California's Santa Barbara County.



2021 PINOT NOIR SKYCREST VINEYARD

The high-altitude Skycrest Vineyard in Mendocino County's rugged and remote Anderson Valley is a rocky site that produces deep and structured Pinot Noirs. Located just 18 miles from the Pacific coastline, the vineyard climbs from 1,400 to 2,000 feet and features a patchwork of small blocks. The Siduri Skycrest Pinot Noir is a lively, aromatically-charged wine that showcases the beauty of the site.

APPELLATION: Anderson Valley

AROMATICS: Blackberry, plum, clove

PALATE: Black cherry, anise, cocoa

ALCOHOL: 14.3% | TA: 5.7 | PH: 3.52

AGING: 40% new French oak for 14 months

CLONES: 667, 777

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2021 Anderson Valley growing season was somewhat mild, beginning with cooler temperatures and progressively warming into the late summer. With temperatures steadily climbing into late August and September, we got exactly the slight push of heat we needed to achieve both flavor and phenolic ripeness in the vineyard. A relatively brisk harvest, but one we are absolutely delighted with.

WINEMAKING NOTES

A combination of 667 and 777 from the higher alititude blocks in this vineyard produce very small berries that are intense and concentrated. Skycrest also benefits from an extended barrel ageing of 14 months that softens the tannins and marries the layered flavors.

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93 POINTS | A.F., July 2023 | JEB DUNNUCK

