

# Goldeneye Anderson Valley Pinot Noir Gowan Creek Vineyard

COUNTRY	REGION	GRAPE	VINTAGE
United States	California	100% estate Pinot Noir	2019

## ABOUT THE DOMAINE

Goldeneye began making acclaimed Pinot Noirs from its estate winery in the Anderson Valley in 1996. Guided by Winemaker Katey Larwood, Goldeneye is dedicated to crafting wines of refinement and elegance from a rich palette of terroir inspired fruit that includes four Estate vineyards planted to 24 clones of Pinot Noir on 13 different rootstocks. Reflecting the Mendocino Coast's unique marine influences, sites and soils, these grapes create complex, elegant Pinots. To further enhance natural depth and distinctiveness, only a small percentage of the finest fruit is selected for each vintage, before applying small-lot, artisan winemaking techniques.

## WINEMAKING

Used a mixture of whole cluster/destemmed fruit and native/inoculated ferments, all punched down twice daily in small 3-ton open top tanks for an average of 14 days. This wine has been aged for 16 months in French oak.

## TASTING NOTES

Gowan Creek has produced a robust and energetic expression of Anderson Valley Pinot Noir, with lovely aromas of glacé cherry, blueberry pie and fresh rosemary. The voluptuous blueberry layers are echoed on the lush, mouthcoating palate, where they are framed by sleek acidity, with hints of pennyroyal and moist earth emerging during a long, resonant finish.



## TECHNICAL NOTES

**Alcohol by volume**  
14.2%

**Acidity**  
0.55 g/100ml

**pH**  
3.49