



TOLOSA



PRIMERA PINOT NOIR 2015

VARIETAL

Pinot Noir

AGING

11 months in 100% French oak barrels

VINEYARD

Edna Ranch, Edna Valley

CASE PRODUCTION

394

WINEMAKER NOTES

Our home vineyard, Edna Ranch, is located in the coolest appellation in California—a mere 5 miles from the Pacific Ocean. The northwest to southeast orientation of the transverse Edna Valley allows fog and prevailing winds to funnel into the valley and vineyards from Morro Bay. Our flagship Pinot Noir, *Primera*, is a small lot selected from the very best barrels to showcase the balance, depth, and complexity of our Edna Ranch vineyard.

TASTING NOTES

Aromas of black cherry, black plum, and black currant along with floral notes of violet and a hint of crushed stones. Harmonious flavors of blackberry preserves, anise, and huckleberry with a stunningly rich mid-palate, well integrated tannins, and notes of graphite on the finish.

ABOUT TOLOSA

At Tolosa, we are true believers in the special terroir that is Edna Valley, nestled amongst the northwest to southeast running volcanic hills of San Luis Obispo County and the frontier for the most complex cool-climate varietals in California. Our Pinot Noirs and Chardonnays reflect the cold Pacific wind that sweeps down the coast and funnels into the valley, as well as the remarkable diversity of soil types: ingredients for nuanced and balanced wines of distinctive character. We combine traditional methods such as hand punch down and whole berry uncrushed fermentations with state of the art equipment in the cellar and cutting edge technology in the vineyard to handcraft exceptional Pinot Noirs and Chardonnays that are the purest expressions of Edna Valley.