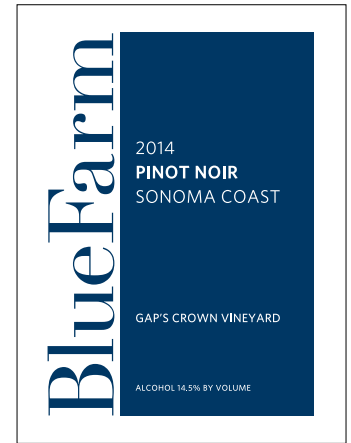


# BlueFarm

## 2014 Pinot Noir, Gap's Crown Vineyard, Sonoma Coast

Case Production: 133 SRP: \$60.00

Gap's Crown is one of the highly acclaimed North Coast Vineyards known for its layered Pinot Noirs. We have two blocks that compliment each other and add complexity to the wine. Our 667 block is on the northern part of the vineyard at higher elevation, west facing. This selection brings great acidity and perfume to the blend. Our 777 block is close to the southeast corner of the vineyard on gravelly clay loam. The tiny berries are the backbone, giving the wine its structure. The wine is elegant and racy, a true representation of the Sonoma Coast AVA.



Closest Town: Petaluma

Rootstock: 420 A & 3309

AVA: Sonoma Coast

Soil Type: Gouling Series & Raynor Series

Varietal: Pinot Noir

Aspect: 667/West & 777/Flat

Planted: Early 2000s

Row Orientation: Southwest/Northeast

Clone(s): 777 & 667

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### The Vintage

"The growing season was very even, late winter rains helped to set up healthy shoot growth after a very dry 2013. The mild spring got the season started. 2014 was an early year, but without any heat spikes, it continued evenly during the summer months, giving us beautiful intensity void of the tight tannins of the 2013 vintage. The wines were a little slow to develop in barrel, not really showing how nice they were until later than usual. Tannins are lower than in 2013, as are alcohol levels, but the wines have plenty of power. Don't underestimate the quiet beauty, these wines have power and elegance. The wines are opening up earlier and are drinking delicious."

– Anne Moller-Racke

Vintage: 2014

Barrel Program: 65% New French Oak, Cadus, Atelier, Remond & Saury

Harvest Date: September 15th

Bottling Date: March 2016

Harvest Brix: 25.2

Bottling % Alcohol: 14.5%

Harvest pH: 3.6

Case Production: 133

Harvest TA: 6.1 g/L

SRP: \$60.00

Days in Tank: 15 Days

Type of Tank: Small Open Top Stainless Steel

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### Blue Farm

Founded on Anne Moller-Racke's 30-plus years of winegrowing in Sonoma, Blue Farm was conceptualized in 2001 during her planting of Anne Katherina, Blue Farm's first estate vineyard. Blue Farm believes that an intimate understanding and connection to our vineyards is core to making site-specific Chardonnay and Pinot Noirs of the highest quality.

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