

PINOTREPORT

"Complex and many-layered..."

Sojourn Cellars 2010 Pinot Noir Sonoma Coast

Medium-deep ruby color; deep, earthy cherry and spice aromas; deep, complex cherry flavors with many layers of spice, anise and earth notes; silky texture; great structure and balance; long finish. Complex and many-layered Pinot that is a testament to the fact that an appellation blend in the hands of the right winemaker can be as good or better than a vineyard designate.

925 cases made \$39 Score: 95

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"Amazing depth and complexity..."

Sojourn Cellars

2010 Pinot Noir Sangiacomo Vineyard Sonoma Coast

Medium-deep ruby color; deep, intense aromas of tobacco, leather, and stewed cherry; ripe, big flavors of stewed cherry with very complex earth and leather notes; silky texture; great structure and balance; long finish. Amazingly deep and complex, this is a Pinot that never ceases to impress me.

975 cases made \$48 Score: 95

PINOTREPORT

"Big but elegant..."

Sojourn Cellars 2010 Pinot Noir Gap's Crown Vineyard Sonoma Coast

Deep ruby color; complex, dark cherry aromas with bright spicy notes; rich, clean cherry flavors with earthy notes and sweet oak; great structure and balance; long finish. Big but elegant Pinot with amazing class and complexity.

800 cases made \$48 Score: 94

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"Complex and earthy..."

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2010 Pinot Noir Rodgers Creek Vineyard Sonoma Coast

Medium-deep ruby color; deep earthy, mushroom aromas; complex, earthy cherry flavors with forest floor notes; good structure and balance; long finish. Complex, earthy Pinot with great texture. Perfect match for anything with mushrooms.

375 cases made \$48 Score: 92

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Here is PinotReport's 100-point scale:

96-100 SUPERIOR; it doesn't get better.
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"Very complex Pinot..."

Sojourn Cellars 2010 Pinot Noir Wohler Vineyard Russian River Valley

Medium-deep ruby color; spicy, rich aromas of anise and herbs with some cherry notes; lush, juicy red cherry flavors with complex spicy notes; silky texture; good structure and balance; long finish. Very complex Pinot that reveals even more complexity as it opens in the glass.

200 cases made \$48 Score: 94

PINOTREPORT

"Bright and silky..."

Sojourn Cellars 2010 Pinot Noir Ridgetop Vineyard Sonoma Coast

Deep ruby color; deep aromas of spice and pepper with bright cherry notes; bright cherry flavors with spicy notes; lush, silky texture; good structure and balance; long finish. Bright, silky Pinot with amazing texture.

225 cases made \$59 Score: 93

PINOTREPORT

"Rich and earthy..."

Sojourn Cellars 2010 Pinot Noir Russian River Valley

Medium-deep ruby color; tight, earthy red cherry aromas; rich red cherry/berry flavors with spicy oak notes; good structure and balance; long finish. Rich and earthy, this Pinot will do wonders for just about anything it's paired with.

425 cases made \$42 Score: 92

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