### SCHUG ESTATE

2022

# SCHUG SONOMA COAST PINOT NOIR

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#### **TECHNICAL DETAILS**

#### The Estate

Schug Carneros Estate Winery is situated on a 50-acre site in the Carneros Appellation, south-west of the town of Sonoma. Vineyards of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay surround the winery, while other grapes are bought in from highly respected and experienced growers. The Carneros District lies at the south end of both the Napa and Sonoma Valleys. An area of low hills and flatlands, the region is profoundly affected by cool marine air from the bay and the Pacific Ocean.

#### Wine Making

This 100% Pinot Noir cuvée reflects the cool and windy microclimate of the Sonoma Coast AVA. This climate and terroir provide the ideal conditions for low yields, allowing Pinot Noir grapes to mature slowly. This prolonged time on the vine helps retain natural acidity and showcases the bright flavors of red cherries, raspberries, and spice. We ensure this Pinot Noir's elegant expression by aging in large neutral oak casks and older French oak barrels to keep new oak flavors to a minimum.

#### **Food Suggestions**

Pairs well with beef, veal, deer, venison, and poultry dishes.

## **TASTING NOTES**

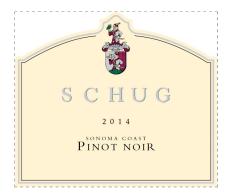
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Pinot Noir grape blend.

This wine contains allergens, sulfites.







#### **ATTRIBUTES**

- Available Size: 750mL (12 pc)
- Family-Owned
- ABV%: 13.8
- Class: Red

## REVIEWS

Decanter | 91

James Suckling | 91

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