

# LEFT COAST CELLARS

*The Willamette Valley Estate*

## 2012 Truffle Hill Pinot Noir

***Rose hip, cedar and sun-ripened blackberries on the nose, leading to juicy black currant, raspberry and cola, finishing with delicate spice.***

Our Wädenswil clone, single vineyard designate is known for bright fruit flavors and is planted adjacent to our European Truffle orchards. Truffle Hill Pinot Noir pairs well with hearty country soups, rich pastas or smoked meats.

Clone: **100% Wädenswil Pinot Noir**

Harvest Date: **Oct. 6, 2012**

Brix at harvest: **24.2**

Fermentation: **46% Open top Oak & 54% Stainless Steel**

Alcohol: **13.9%**

Aging: **100% New French Oak**

Time aged: **14 months**

Finished TA: **5.55 g/L**

Finished pH: **3.60**

Bottling Date: **March 18, 2014**

Production: **376 6-packs, 750ml**

Bottle weight: **3.579 lb**

Case weight: **22.63 lb**

Pallet weight: **~1520 lb / .76 ton**

Palletization: **66 6-packs/pallet**

Release date: **Sept. 2014**

UPC code: **855420005032 (GS1)**

Winery Retail: **\$36**



### ***Scores & Reviews:***

**91 points, Tanzer** "Sexy smoke- and mineral-tinged dark berry and floral pastille aromas show very good clarity and a hint of cola. Pliant and expansive on the palate, offering sweet blackberry and cherry compote flavors braced by a zesty mineral nuance. At once rich and animated, finishing with strong thrust and length and supple tannins that lend shape."

- Josh Reynolds (July 2014)

**90 points, Wine & Spirits** "Best Buy - Some caramelly oak gives way to a woody, vinous character, all in the service of dark plum fruit. With air the fruit becomes more saturated, with enough acidity to cut through the extract." (Sept. 2014)

***Double Gold, Oregon Wine Awards***

***Silver, Sunset International Wine Competition***