

# 2014 GOLDENEYE ANDERSON VALLEY PINOT NOIR

## GOWAN CREEK VINEYARD

*Goldeneye Gowan Creek is the ultimate Pinot Noir for those who want a full-bodied, lush, rich, Pinot Noir.*



**Composition:** 100% Pinot Noir

**Market Trends/Opportunity:** Pinot Noir luxury category is +31% vs. PY.

**Winemaker:** Michael Accurso

**Availability:** National

**Appellation:** Anderson Valley

**SRP:** \$84

**Winemaking:** Two miles north of the Confluence Vineyard in the heart of the Anderson Valley, our Gowan Creek Vineyard sees appreciably more coastal fog. The unique terroir of this site brings together elements from both the valley's warmer regions and its cooler, northern "deep end". The powerful and expressive wine produced from these vines displays beautiful inky depth and robust, untamed fruit flavors.

**Tasting Notes:** Made in the style preferred by our founder, Dan Duckhorn, this wine exudes richness, depth, dark fruit and structure. On the palate, it is deep and lush, with layers of wild blackberry and plum pie supported by a streak of acidity that adds definition to the flavors, while drawing the wine to a lingering finish with hints of lavender, pennyroyal and Asian spices.

**Key Accolades:** v14 91 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*. v13 93 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*. v13 94 Pts., *Wine Review Online*. v12 98 Pts., *Wine Review Online*. v12 92 Pts., *Wine Spectator*. v12 92 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*. v11 92 Pts., *Wine Spectator*. v11 91 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*. v11 90 Pts., *Robert Parker*.

**Recommended Pairings:** Grilled Salmon/Tuna, Pork, Mushrooms, Wild Rice, Braised Duck, Gruyere, Brie, Truffle Cheese.

**UPC:** 669576 018217

**SCC/Case Code:** 60 669576 01821 9

**TTB Approval:** 15310-001-000188

**Marquee Accounts:** Ruth's Chris, Oceanaire, Mastro's, Bix, Gary Danko, Morton's, Bottega, Charlie Palmer, Flemings, Emeril's, Bellagio

**Alcohol:** 14.5%

**Formats Available:** 750ml, 1.5L, 3L