



## SIGHT & SMELL

Classic...Seductive...Alluring. A Temptress in a bottle! If Carneros pinots were judged on a “richness-scale” this wine would reside squarely at the tip of the full-bodied spectrum. While certainly not shy in spirit, it never wavers in respect to its core Burgundy roots. The appearance literally sparkles with hints of ruby red and magenta. The aroma is inviting with an abundance of dried red fruits, pomegranate, freshly cut rose petals & an essence of crushed limestone, unique to our Tierra Blanca Vineyard.

## THE TASTE BUDS

While the yields are almost laughable, we couldn't be more pleased with the quality of fruit that we are getting from Tierra Blanca Vineyard. The mouth-watering entry catches your attention immediately and invites you in for another sip. Unusually rich in the mid-palate it gently embraces your taste buds and replicates the vibrant red fruit flavors first presented by the bouquet. Elegance and sophistication are further showcased by its refined, silky tannins, limestone enhanced minerality and an apparent, yet subtle toasty oak.

### VINEYARD

Vineyard Manager	Herrera Vineyard Mgmt.
Appellation	Los Carneros
Vineyard	Tierra Blanca Vineyard
Harvest Dates	September 20, 2008
Harvest Brix	23.5
Yield	2.5 lbs. of fruit per vine

### WINEMAKING

Winemaker	Rolando Herrera
Variety	100% Pinot Noir
Fermentation	100% Indigenous yeast
Malolactic	100%
Alcohol	13.7%
Aging	10 months
Type of Oak	100% French / 40% New

**CASES PRODUCED: 275 CASES**