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## **2007 MORGAN Pinot Noir**

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Pinot Noir**



**2007 MORGAN WINERY  
Pinot Noir Double L Vineyard Santa Lucia  
Highlands**

**95** 

Here is a brilliant combination of the deep character possible from the site together with the balance and proportion that derive both from the hand of Dan Lee and from the vintage. The result is a wine of substance, brightness, richness and the kind of layering that is only found in the most exceptional offerings. To be sure, the wine is full in body as one would expect of its Santa Lucia Highlands provenance, yet it is underlying fruit and impeccable balance that seize the day here and make it into one that will happily age into polished maturity over some four to six years or more.



**2007 MORGAN WINERY  
Pinot Noir Garys' Vineyard Santa Lucia Highlands**

**92** 

Its stated alcohol is a smidge lower than its Double L mate, and its balance is impeccable, but this deeply stuffed wine nevertheless reflects the concentration that is very much part and parcel of the vineyard potential. The wine's solid black cherry fruit is joined by nuances of dried lavender, roasted vanilla beans and a whiff of toasty oak. Chewy and fleshy at the front of the palate, the wine is firm, balanced and equipped with a fair bit of grip at the back. It asks a bit of patience to smooth out and is sure to reward it.

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