

## VENTOLERA ESTATE & WINERY LEYDA VALLEY, CHILE



## ventolera's icon

**VENTOLERA** is a Spanish word that refers to a strong sea wind

Our Estate and Winery are located 12 km from the Pacific Ocean





# VENTOLERA

## SAN JUAN, LEYDA VALLEY, CHILE

Location: S 33° 41' 40.44", W 71° 30' 27.06"

- > 1999: Ventolera was the 1st winery to plant its vineyards in Leyda Valley. Founded by Vicente Izquierdo
- > 2008: State-of-the-art winery was built. There are only 2 wineries in Leyda Valley
- > 2011: Stefano Gandolini joined Ventolera as a partner and winemaker
- > Total planted surface: 160 ha.
- > Main varieties: Sauvignon Blanc & Pinot Noir. Ventolera only uses 20% of the total production for its own wines



# STATE-OF-THE-ART WINERY

BUILT IN 2008 / UNDERGROUND CELLAR





# STATE-OF-THE-ART WINERY

## NEW GRAVITY FED WINEMAKING FACILITY



## WE DO BELIEVE IN TERROIR

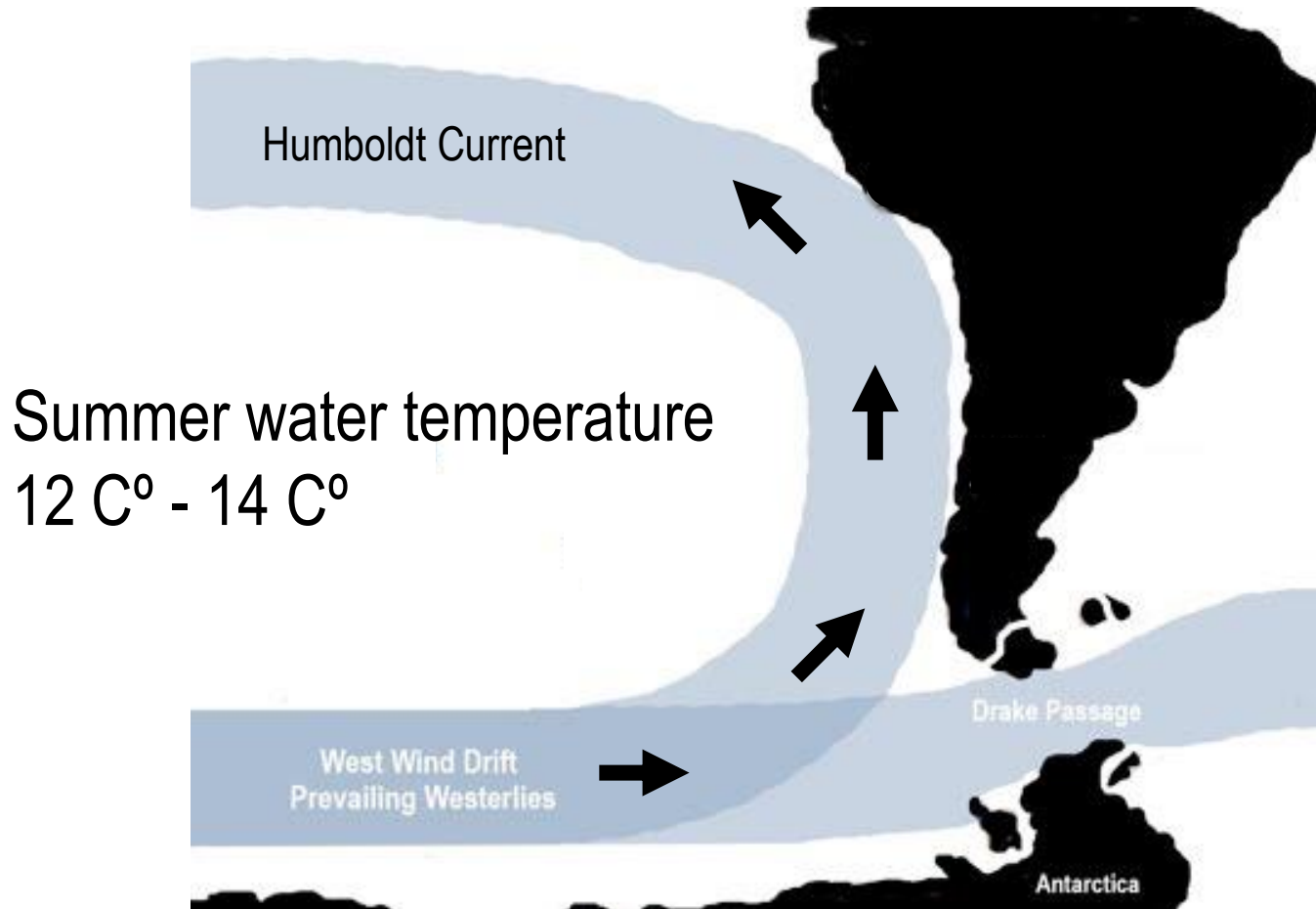
There are places  
in the world,  
which can be  
described as  
unique



They are a  
consequence of  
climate, soil and  
vineyard  
management

## CHILE'S COASTLINE / COOL CLIMATE

PACIFIC OCEAN / HUMBOLDT CURRENT

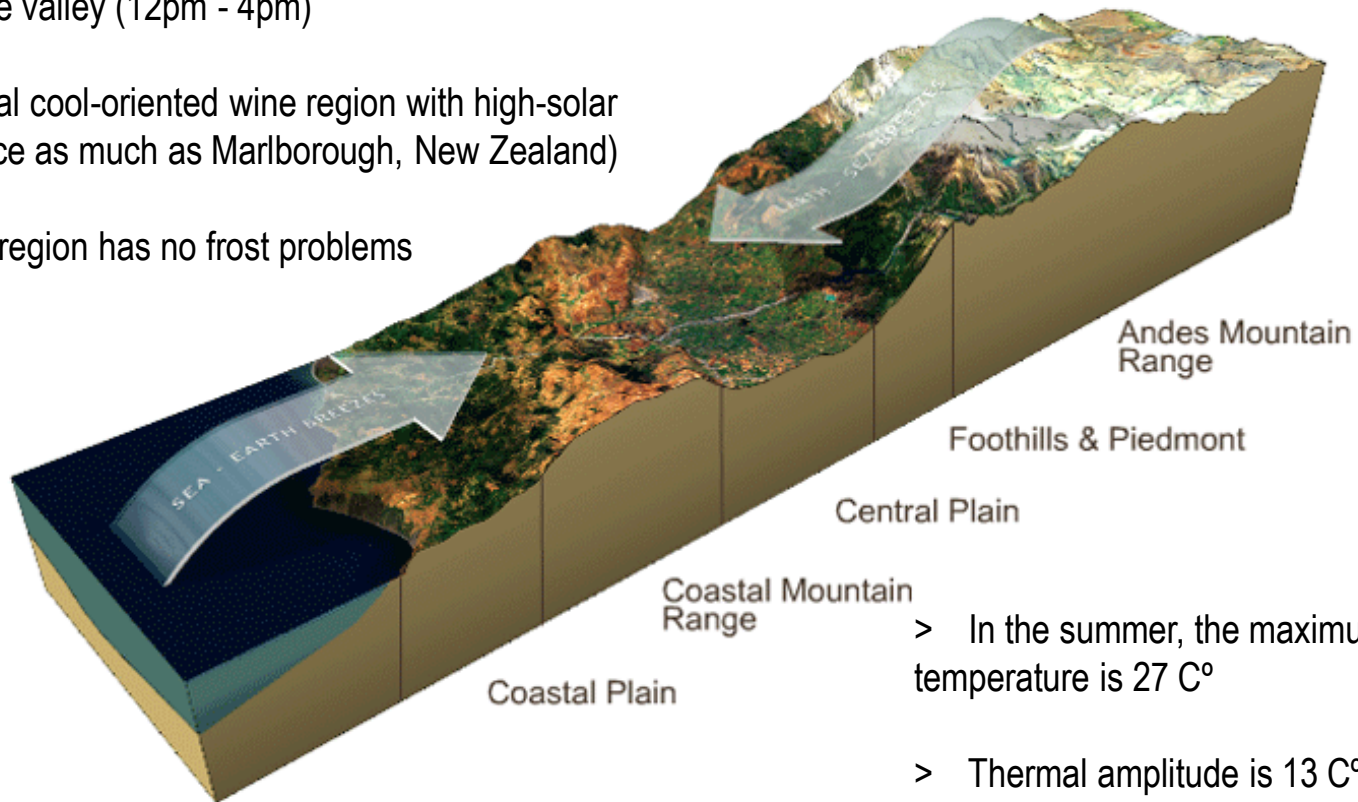




# CHILE'S COASTLINE / COOL CLIMATE

## PACIFIC OCEAN / HUMBOLT CURRENT

- > Cold water from the Pacific Ocean pushes a cool breeze into the valley (12pm - 4pm)
- > Exceptional cool-oriented wine region with high-solar exposure (twice as much as Marlborough, New Zealand)
- > This wine region has no frost problems



- > In the summer, the maximum day temperature is 27 C°
- > Thermal amplitude is 13 C°
- > Average humidity of 50%



## **LEYDA VALLEY / COOL CLIMATE**

### **QUALITY FACTORS**

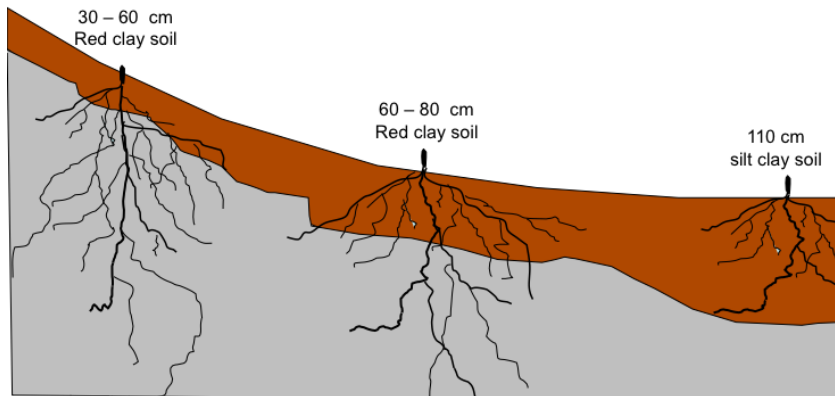
Leyda Valley's high level of humidity (50%) is a very important climatic quality factor that makes the difference for some grape varieties like Pinot Noir.

Cool temperature helps concentrating complex flavors and keeps high natural acidity

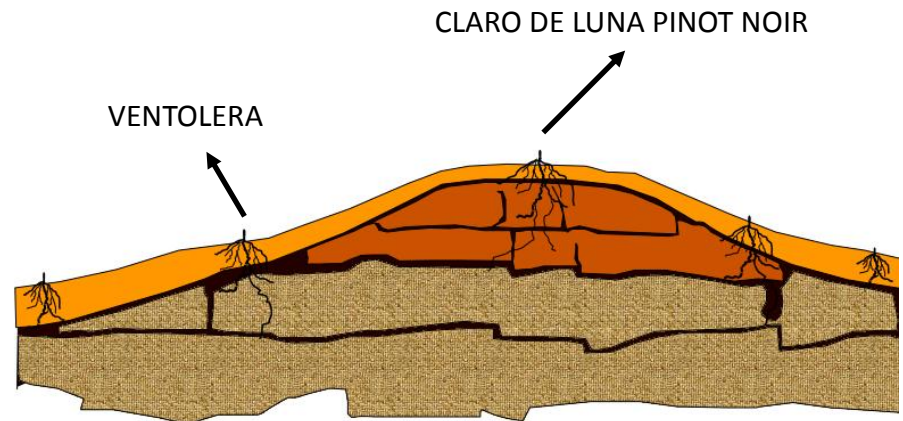
# VENTOLERA'S TOPSOIL & SUBSOIL

## ORIGIN

### GRANITIC OXIDIZED RED SOILS



### GRANITIC TOP PLATEAU OXIDIZED RED SOILS RICH IN QUARTZ



- > Roots penetrate into bedrock cracks
- > Shallow top soil
- > Poor fertility sub-soil and very good drainage
- > Natural balanced vines, with small bunches



# PARENTAL ROCK

OXIDIZED GRANITIC RED SOIL, RICH IN QUARTZ



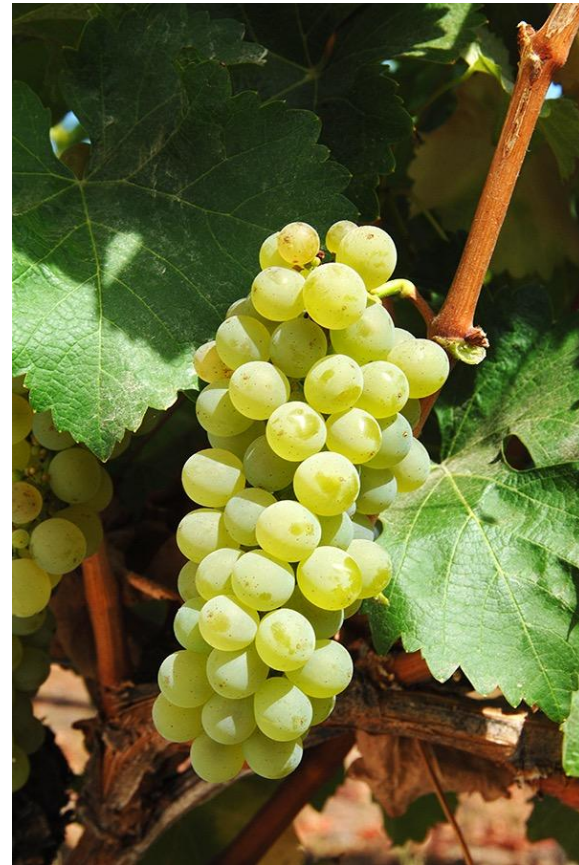


# NATURAL BALANCED VINES

SMALL BUNCHES WITH CONCENTRATED BERRIES



Pinot Noir



Sauvignon Blanc

## different soil profile

### sauvignon blanc

> Rich in clay, high water retention and great canopy development that is essential to obtain high quality Sauvignon Blancs.



CUARTEL 20  
SAUVIGNON BLANC



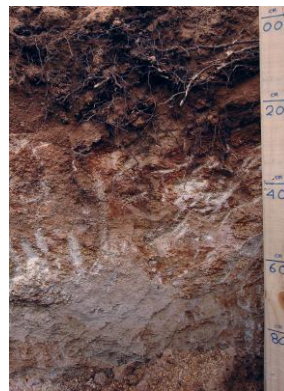
CUARTEL 33  
SAUVIGNON BLANC



CUARTEL 1  
SAUVIGNON BLANC

### PINOT NOIR

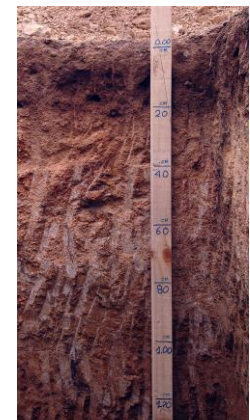
> Granitic soil, medium water retention, low fertility, moderate canopy development that is essential to obtain high quality Pinot Noir



CUARTEL 3 - PARTE BAJA  
PINOT NOIR



CUARTEL 36  
PINOT NOIR



CUARTEL 4  
PINOT NOIR



# VINEYARDS

CAREFUL MANAGEMENT FOR BETTER QUALITY





# VINEYARDS

CAREFUL SITE SELECTION FOR UNIQUE WINES





# VINEYARDS

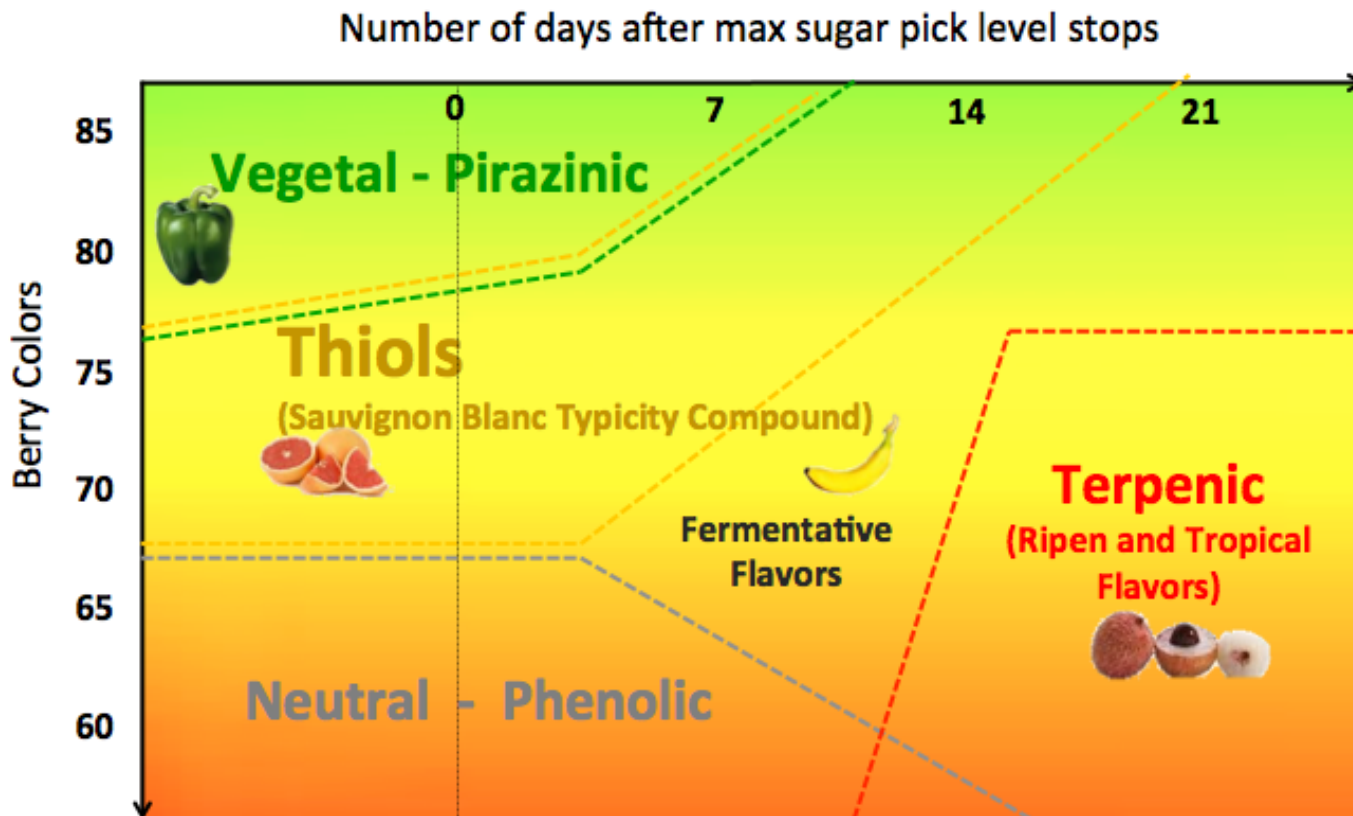
RESPECT FOR ORIGINAL FLORA



# HARVEST TIME

## THE RIGHT PICKING DATE

### AROMATIC MODEL FOR sauvignon blanc





# HARVEST TIME

## PREPARATION



# HARVEST TIME

HAND PICKING IN SMALL TRAYS





# TRUE EXPRESSION OF TERROIR

## WINEMAKING STYLE

Our wines live and breath the sea, the influence of which is what gives them such nervous clarity, aromatic depth, delicious balance with layers of flavors that slowly evolve in the glass.

All our wines capture the elegance and minerality of the granitic soil, in order to deliver wines with great complexity.



# VENTOLERA WINES

HAND-CRAFTED & LIMITED PRODUCTION



## LITORAL RANGE



## VENTOLERA RANGE



## ICONS





june 2014



Color	Vintage	Winery	Range	Grape	Rating	Maturity
Red	2011	Ventolera	Claro de Luna	Pinot Noir	93	Young
White	2013	Ventolera	Cerro Alegre	Sauvignon Blanc	92	Early
White	2013	Casa Marin	Cipress Vineyard	Sauvignon Blanc	92	Mature
White	2013	Leyda	Lot 4	Sauvignon Blanc	92	Mature
Red	2012	Ventolera	Ventolera	Syrah	92	Early
Red	2009	Casa Marin	Lo Albarca Hills	Pinot Noir	92	Mature
Red	2011	Ventolera	Ventoleral	Pinot Noir	91	
Red	2012	Leyda	Lot 21	Pinot Noir	91	Mature
White	2013	Ventolera	Ventoleral	Sauvignon Blanc	91	Mature
White	2013	Leyda	Garuma Vineyard	Sauvignon Blanc	91	Mature
Red	2012	Ventolera	Ventoleral	Pinot Noir	90	Young
Red	2013	Casa Marin	Cartagena	Pinot Noir	90	Mature
White	2013	Garces Silva	Boya	Sauvignon Blanc	90	Mature
Red	2011	Leyda	Single Vineyard Canelo	Syrah	90	Early
Red	2012	Leyda	Cahuil Vineyard	Pinot Noir	90	Mature
White	2010	Garces Silva	Amayna Barrel Fermented	Sauvignon Blanc	90	Young
Red	2011	Ventolera	Litoral	Pinot Noir	89	Mature
Red	2012	Leyda	Las Brisas Vineyard	Pinot Noir	89	Mature
White	2013	Ventolera	Litoral	Sauvignon Blanc	89	Mature
White	2013	Garces Silva	Amayna	Sauvignon Blanc	89	Mature
Red	2012	Garces Silva	Amayna	Syrah	88	Young
Rosé	2013	Ventolera	Litoral Rose		87	Mature
Red	2012	Garces Silva	Boya	Pinot Noir	86	Mature
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## LITORAL SAUVIGNON BLANC 2013



### TASTING NOTES



*The 2013 Litoral Sauvignon Blanc is extremely pale and young, recently bottled, has great freshness, with aromas of tomato leaves, green lime and grapefruit, with great balance, acidity, and a supple finish. Superb value.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*

Limited Production: 13.888 bottles

Alc. 13.5% Vol.

## LITORAL PINOT NOIR 2011

### TASTING NOTES



**89**  
pts

*The 2011 Litoral Pinot Noir is what they consider their village Pinot, fermented in open vats, with very slow extraction, fermented with indigenous yeasts. It has a bright ruby color with a showy nose of strawberries, raspberries and sour cherries, only starting to develop some spiciness. The palate is fresh, light-bodied, with very good acidity, and length, with the wood neatly folded into the wine. A great value Pinot Noir.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*

Limited Production: 14,160 bottles

Alc. 14% Vol.





## VENTOLERA SAUVIGNON BLANC 2013



### TASTING NOTES



*The 2013 Ventolera Sauvignon Blanc shows great finesse, depth and complexity, and has a captivating mineral nose, clean, with a strong herbaceous nose (tomato leaves) mixed with ripe yellow fruit. With electric, penetrating acidity, length and elegance.*

*The finish is mineral and supple, almost salty. Like a great Sancerre.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*

Limited Production: 9.133 bottles

Alc. 13.5% Vol.

## VENTOLERA PINOT NOIR 2012



### TASTING NOTES



*This beautiful crafted and aromatic Pinot Noir delivers power and finesse, with luscious flavors of plum, raspberry and cherry. On the palate, this wine is concentrated and elegant with a vibrant structure, dominated by fine grained tannins. Persistent, delivering a mineral long after taste.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*



Limited Production: 9.320 bottles

Alc. 14% Vol.





## VENTOLERA SYRAH 2012

### TASTING NOTES



*The 2012 Ventolera Syrah is very spicy, with plenty of notes of black pepper and smoke intermixed with aromas of violets and blueberries. The palate is medium-bodied, with round, powerful tannins and good acidity and length.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*

Limited Production: 4.200 bottles

Alc. 14% Vol.



## CERRO ALEGRE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2013



### TASTING NOTES



*The 2013 Cerro Alegre Sauvignon Blanc is the first vintage for this wine, which has an incredible aromatic complexity, with ultra-fresh notes of tomato leaves intermixed with minerals and smoky, leesy aromas, razor-sharp acidity, and great elegance and persistence - mega-long. A top Sauvignon Blanc. 961 bottles produced. Drink now - 2020.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*

Limited Production: 961 bottles

Alc. 13.5% Vol.

## CLARO DE LUNA PINOT NOIR 2011

### TASTING NOTES



*The 2011 Claro de Luna Pinot Noir is their grand cru Pinot Noir from vineyards where the bedrock is closer to the soil. The aromas jump from the glass, with floral notes, sour cherries and blood oranges, dense and fluid, intense, with piercing flavors. It is very elegant and long, with lively acidity. A seductive Pinot Noir. Drink 2015 - 2021.*

*Luis Gutierrez - June 2014. Robert Parker's publication*

Limited Production: 588 bottles

Alc. 14% Vol.





## **THE WINE SOCIETY - UK**

### SUCCESS STORIES

For many years, 4 of our wines have been selected:

- > Ventolera Pinot Noir
- > Ventolera Sauvignon Blanc
- > Litoral Pinot Noir
- > Litoral Sauvignon Blanc



# LAN CHILE AIRLINE / BUSINESS CLASS

SUCCESS STORY FOR MANY YEARS

Hector Vergara - Master Sommelier - have selected 3 of our wines to be part of LAN CHILE's exclusive wines list in Business Class, on all their international routes



Ventolera Pinot Noir / Ventolera Sauvignon Blanc / Litoral Sauvignon Blanc

# DESCORCHADOS CHILEAN WINE GUIDE 2015

HIGHEST RATINGS FOR ALL OUR SAUVIGNON BLANC 2014

95  
pts



94  
pts



92  
pts





# VENTOLERA

## SUNSET VIEW FROM TASTING ROOM

