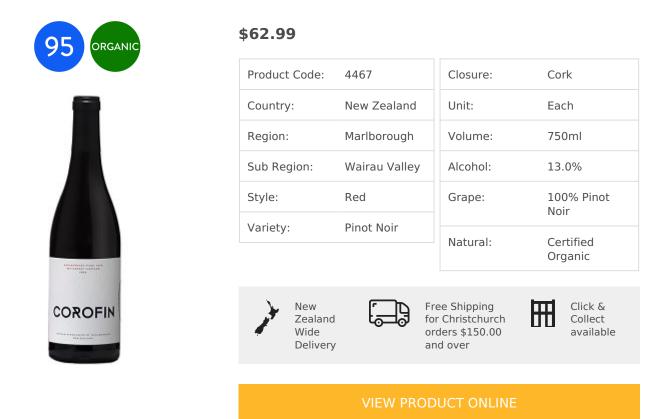
# COROFIN SETTLEMENT VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2022

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## TASTING NOTES

#### Winery notes (2022 Vintage)

"Red, earthy and warm. Wonderful purity but with savoury substance behind it, extending something ethereal as only Settlement does. Settlement Vineyard is planted on the slopes of the Omaka Valley in Marlborough. Owned by Dog Point and managed with immense intelligence and insight by viticulturist Nigel Sowman. The East Slope lies in a nor-nor-east orientation and is planted at a density of 4,000 vines per hectare on clay-rich soils.

Hand-harvested 19th March 2022 into 1/2 ton bins. Yield: 40 hL/ha. Completely (100%) destemmed to two, one-tonne opentops. Fifteen percent of fruit in bottom of tanks foot crushed, with remainder as whole berries on top. During ferment, the fermenting juice was poured back over the cap once a day to maintain freshness and to facilitate gentle extraction. Postfermentation, the young wine was pressed after 19 days on skins, then settled and transferred to seasoned (second and thirdyear) French oak barrels. The wine remained in barrel for 14 months on original lees, undergoing a natural malolactic ferment during this period. Late Apr. 2023 the wine was moved to tank, sulphured and remained in tank for a further eight months prior to being racked and hand bottled in January 2024. Bottled unfined and unfiltered. A small natural deposit may occur. Sealed with cork."

### 95/100 Gary Walsh, The Wine Front, September 2024 (2022 Vintage)

"Strawberry, raspberry, some orange peel and potpourri perfume. It's medium-bodied, quite fresh and slightly sappy, with

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fine dusty tannin grip, cherry pip and blood orange, with a lively and fragrant finish of excellent length. There's a little dusting of white pepper in this wine, which I like, and it's so finely wrought and lovely to drink. Yes."

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