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Joshua Greene, Editor

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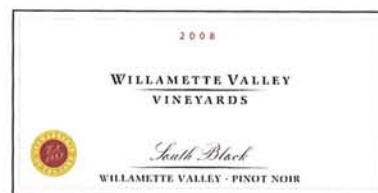
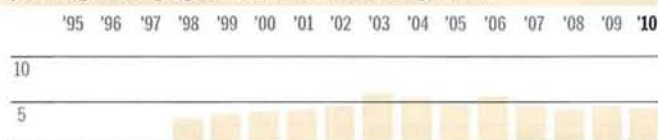
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most popular pinot gris & grigio

Rank	Pts.	Winery	Bottling	Price \$
1	71	Santa Margherita Bolzano, Alto Adige, Italy	Alto Adige	\$49
2	34	King Estate Eugene, OR	Oregon Domaine Oregon Signature Collection	\$45 \$34
3	24	Ecco Domani Trento, Italy	delle Venezie	\$31
4	17	Willamette Valley Vineyards Turner, OR	Willamette Valley	\$32
5	16	Jermann Farra d'Isonzo/Ruttars, Gorizia, Italy	Friuli	\$53
6	15	Livio Felluga Brazzano, Cormons, Italy	Collio	\$56

pinot gris & grigio as a % of top-selling wines



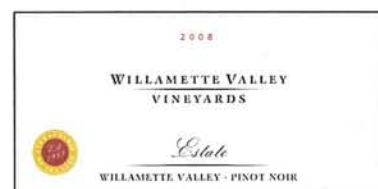
93 | Willamette Valley Vineyards \$45

2008 Willamette Valley South Block Pinot Noir This savory pinot is so smoky at the outset, with accents of game and wild herbs, that the brilliant freshness of its red cherry fruit almost takes you by surprise, juicing up the middle palate and creating a fine tension. It has the stuffing to age, or serve now with sea trout. (791 cases) *Willamette Valley Vineyards, Turner, OR*



92 | Willamette Valley Vyds. \$50

2008 Willamette Valley Signature Cuvée Pinot Noir Brisk scents of strawberry and spiced cherries mark this wine's sweet, juicy red fruit. A hint of smokiness contrasts the fruit, with just a prickle of pepper on the finish. For pepper steak. (494 cases) *Willamette Valley Vineyards, Turner, OR*



92 | Willamette Valley Vyds. \$40

2008 Willamette Valley Estate Pinot Noir Slightly rustic and woodsy, this wine has a smoky savor, an earthy top note over grilled cherry scents. The firm, weighty tannins have the structure to reward cellar time; then serve with duck confit. (3,379 cases) *Willamette Valley Vineyards, Turner, OR*



90 | Willamette Valley Vyds. \$28

2008 Willamette Valley Pinot Noir (Best Buy) Dark fruited and focused, this densely packed red leads with aromas of spiced plum and black cherry. The deep plummy flavors finish with a hint of mint.