



AUBICHON CELLARS

Meticulous, hand-crafted, time-inefficient Willamette Valley winemaking by Jim Sanders since 2007. Centered around friendships and sourced only from select vineyard sites, Aubichon features distinguished small-production Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, and Alsatian-style Pinot Gris from all AVAs of the Willamette Valley. *In a word, Aubichon wines are "artisanal" ...if there is an easy way to do something, chances are we didn't do it that way.* You will benefit from the detailed quality of our labor.

We were proudly selected by Wine Spectator as one of "Eight New Names to Know", January 2015.

2015 Aubichon Cellars Reserve Pinot Gris

<i>Winemaker:</i>	Jim Sanders
<i>Vineyard AVAs:</i>	Willamette Valley (Chehalem Mountains AVA & Yamhill-Carlton AVA)
<i>Aging:</i>	16 months in 4 neutral oak barrels
<i>Alcohol:</i>	14.2%
<i>Bottling Date:</i>	Feb 28, 2017
<i>Production:</i>	105 cases



90-POINTS, Wine Enthusiast: This barrel-fermented wine has an aggressive toasty aroma that carries over into the flavors. Its ripe apple and buttered toast notes lead to a finish accented with coconut. A Chardonnay lover's Pinot Gris. –PG

About the Winemaker: Jim Sanders is the winemaker and a founding partner in Aubichon Cellars. Jim focuses on small production, hand-crafted wines, aged exclusively in top-tier French oak from the finest cooperages in Burgundy. Through two decades in the Willamette Valley, Jim's winemaking portfolio features some of Oregon's most acclaimed wines, including several cuvees of highly rated Pinot Noir from Le Cadeau Vineyard.