

AUBICHON *Cellars*

Meticulous, hand-crafted, time-inefficient Willamette Valley winemaking by Jim Sanders since 2007. 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.

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



2018 Aubichon Pinot Noir Willamette Valley

“ *Seamless and energetic on the palate, offering juicy red fruit, spicecake and rose pastille flavors with a smoky quality that emerges on the back half. Finishes smooth and quite long, showing fine definition and fine-grained tannins that add gentle grip.* ”

- Josh Reynolds, *Vinous*

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VINOUS

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JAMES SUCKLING

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.

PRODUCTION

231 cases

WINEMAKER

Jim Sanders

AVA

90% Chehalem Mountains AVA

CLONES

10% Willamette Valley AVA (near McMinnville)

BARREL AGING

Calera, Mt. Eden, Pommard, Dijon 777

ALC BY VOL

14 months, all French oak

14.1%