AS SEEN IN OCTOBER 2013



BUYING GUIDE



Metaphora 2009 Pinot Noir (Napa Valley). This is a light Pinot, both in color and texture, and the alcohol level is moderate. All of that gives it elegance. It's dry and fine in acidity, with raspberry, cherry and herb flavors. At the age of about four years, it's beginning to show development, with mushroom notes emerging. Drink now–2015. —S.H.

abv: 13.8% Price: \$75