



GOLAN HEIGHTS WINERY

# gilgal

## PINOT NOIR

### VARIETY

Pinot Noir

### ABOUT GILGAL

Fruit-forward and expressive, Gilgal wines offer a wide range of varietals that reflect the exceptional Mediterranean climate and growing conditions of the Galilee. These easygoing, approachable wines are sure to please everyone.

### THE WINE

Gilgal Pinot Noir presents aromatic fruit characters of cherry, raspberry and cranberry, along with spice, earth and floral notes. Displaying classic varietal characters, the wine exhibits light-to-medium body and delectable flavor.

Gilgal Pinot Noir was produced from Pinot Noir grapes grown in the Golan Heights. The cool climate, rocky volcanic soil and high altitude are ideal conditions for growing this classic variety. Aging in French oak barrels for seven months yields an elegant, attractive wine layering berry, floral and spice notes. To preserve the quality of the wine, the wine should be stored on its side in a cool, dark place.

### PAIRING

Pairing well with a wide range of dishes, we love serving this wine with seared salmon with a sesame crust, crispy whole roast duck, or baked brie with berries and walnuts.

### ABOUT THE GALILEE APPELLATION

The Galilee (or Galil) is the northernmost — and generally considered the best — appellation in Israel. The highest quality growing area within the appellation is the Golan Heights (or simply the Golan), also the coldest region in Israel. The vineyards on this volcanic plateau rise from 1,300 feet to 3,900 feet above sea level and receive snowfall in the winter. Golan Heights Winery is located in the town of Katzrin in the central Golan.

  
Victor J. Schoenfeld, Winemaker

| % ALC BY VOL | TA        | pH   |
|--------------|-----------|------|
| 12.5%        | 5.3 (g/l) | 3.39 |