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**2007 Au Bon Climat
Pinot Noir Santa Barbara
County**

ABOUT THE WINE

The **2007 Au Bon Climat Pinot Noir Santa Barbara County** is just easy to drink. There is nothing pretentious here, just well balanced, nicely textured, brightly fruity wine that seems to go with everything.

It is a blend of 76% Pinot Noir and 24% Mondeuse Noire, a grape primarily seen in the Savoy region of France.

ABOUT AU BON CLIMAT

Au Bon Climat has cultivated an international reputation for its Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Pinot Blanc and Pinot Gris.

Jim Clendenen, the “Mind Behind” Au Bon Climat, is recognized worldwide for his classically-styled wines.

In 1989 and 1990 Au Bon Climat was on Robert Parker's short list of Best Wineries in the World, and in 1991 was selected by Oz Clark as one of fifty world-wide creators of Modern Classic Wines.

Dan Berger of the Los Angeles Times named Clendenen the "Los Angeles Times Winemaker of the Year" in 1992; Food & Wine Magazine named him "Winemaker of the Year" in 2001. Germany's leading wine magazine, Wein Gourmet, in 2004 named Clendenen “Winemaker of the World;” and in 2007, Jim was inducted into the James Beard Foundation’s “Who’s Who of Food and Beverage in America.”



ABC Winemaker Jim Clendenen