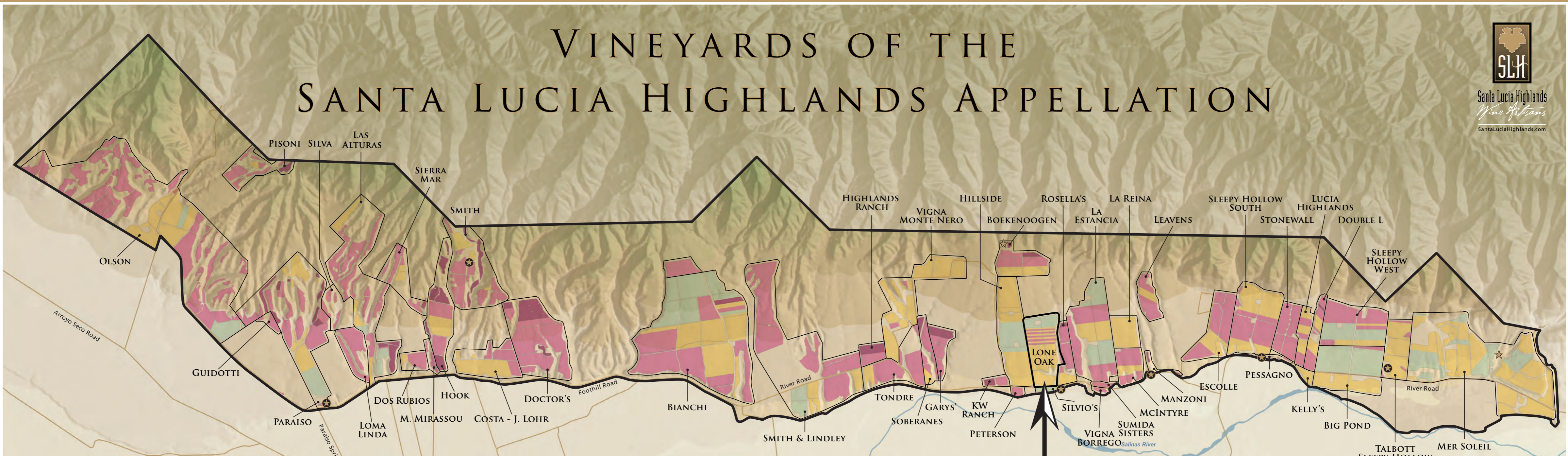


# VINEYARDS OF THE SANTA LUCIA HIGHLANDS APPELLATION



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### CLIMATE

- Cool, Region I to I+, moderate AM to PM temperatures
- Fog & wind from Monterey Bay reduce temperatures, slow ripening
- Semi-arid climate with little rain during sensitive growing periods
- Early budbreak: late February / early March
- Late harvest: mid September thru late October

### DOMINANT SOILS

**Chualar Loam:** deep sandy loams occurring on alluvial fans and stream terraces at elevations of 50 to 2,000 feet.

**Arroyo Seco Gravelly Loam:** calcareous sandy loams formed in granite alluvial fans at elevations of 100 to 3,000 feet.

**Placentia Sandy Loam:** duplex sodic sandy loams forming in alluvium from granite on moderately sloping fans and terraces.

### VARIETAL ACREAGE

Pinot Noir	2,729	Malbec	43
Chardonnay	2,034	Gewürztraminer	43
Riesling	484	Muscat Canelli	21
Syrah	166	Merlot	20
Pinot Gris	130	Roussanne	14
Viognier	120	Grenache Blanc	11
Sauvignon Blanc	54	others (6)	31
<b>Total Vinifera</b>		<b>5,900</b>	

### LEGEND

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<span style="display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 10px; background-color: #f1c40f; border: 1px solid black;"></span> WINERY	<span style="display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 10px; background-color: #d9ead3; border: 1px solid black;"></span> WINERY WITH TASTING ROOM		

