

Tapihue Vineyard

CASABLANCA VALLEY



The property, located in Casablanca, one of Chile's premium valleys for cool climate varieties, just at 25 kms from the Pacific Ocean. The vines are drip-irrigated with water from wells which are 40 to 70 meters deep. At full production, yields of some 8 tons per hectare are to be expected. The vines are trained along a VSP system, , 5.000 plts/ha.

 **ELEVATION**

280 to 390 meters above sea level.

 **CLIMATE**

Strong coastal influence, mainly in the afternoons with winter temperatures averaging a minimum of 2°C and a maximum of 15°C and summer temperatures ranging from a minimum of 11°C to a maximum of 25° C on average.

 **SOIL**

The soils are red clay on the top and then a granitic decomposed type of soil, rich in quartz and iron. The pH is slightly acidic, between 6 and 7 - Organic material content is 1.5% - 2.5%

 **PLANTING DENSITY**

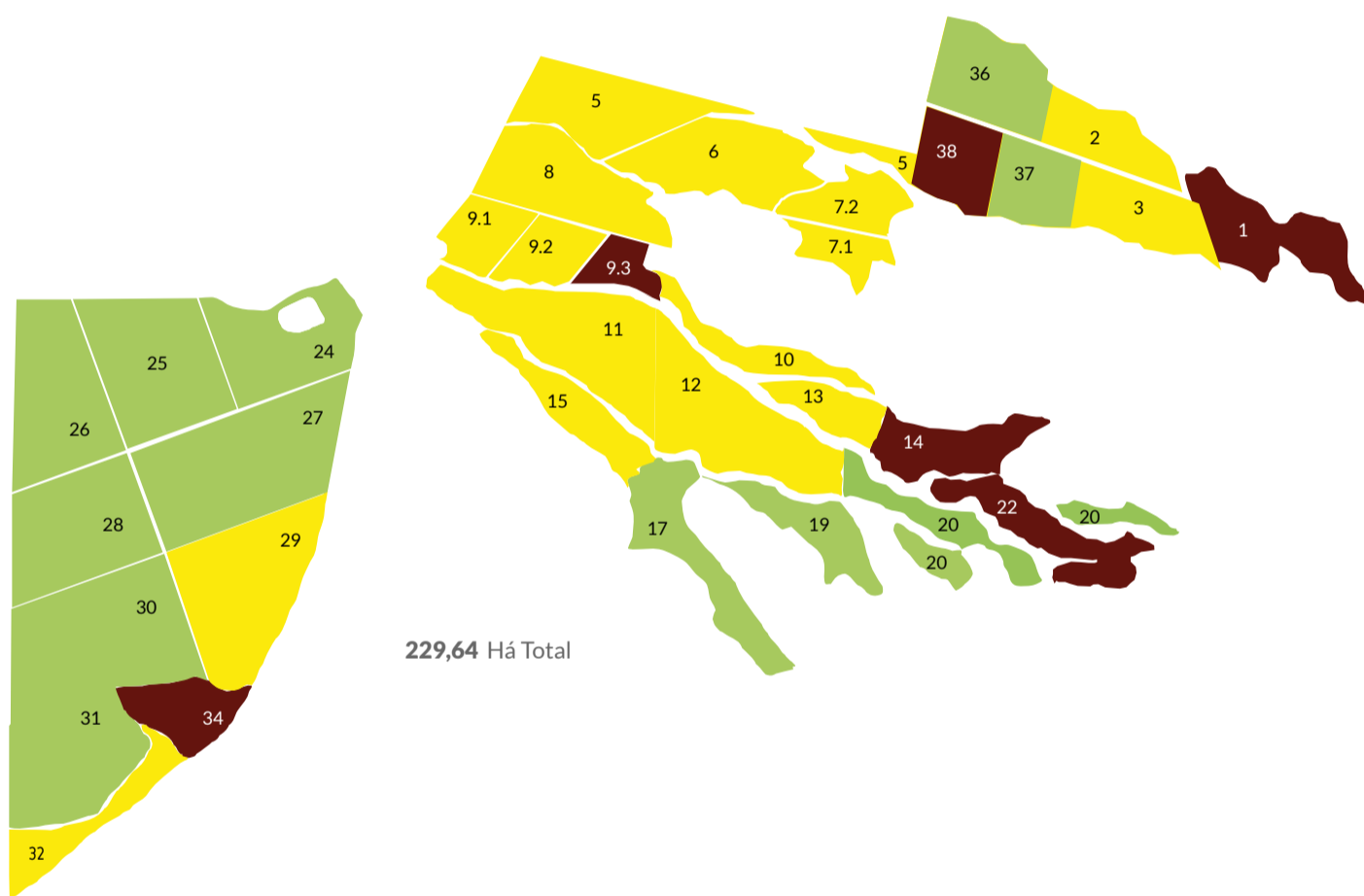
2,667 to 4,167 plants per hectare.

 **RAINFALL**

360 mm per year. The rain falls mainly between May and September.

 **LOCATION**

Casablanca Valley, 80 km west of Santiago and 25 km from the Pacific Ocean, which provides the area with a maritime influence.



-  Chardonnay
-  S. Blanc
-  Pinot Noir