

Chardonnay 2020



VINFYARD Casa Seca APPELL ATION

COUNTY Russian River Valley

Sonoma

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME 13.5%

VOLUME 750^{ML} AROMA

beeswax. hard cider,

honeysuckle

FLAVOR

pistachio, white peach, grape leaves

FOOD PAIRINGS

crab cakes. gruyere frittata, miso glazed black cod

PH BALANCE

TOTAL ACIDITY 7.4 a/l BRIX

23.1°

3.26 **RESIDUAL SUGAR** 0.6 a/l

VINIFICATION

3.03 tons hand-harvested on Sept. 9th.

Fermented on wild yeasts in neutral oak barriques and puncheons. Completed a slow, naturally-occurring malolactic fermentation. Aged in barrel

for 10 months, then racked to stainless steel for 6 additional months.

Bottled without fining or filtration.

SITE

A historic ranch situated in the heart of the Russian River Vallev. about 13mi from the coast. The name Casa Seca refers to the turn-of-the-century apple kiln (or dry house) still standing on the property. Planted in 1988 with 3 unique Wente Chardonnay clones on AXR-1 rootstock. We selected a block featuring the rare Curtis clone which ripens slowly, produces smaller clusters, and maintains its acid. Soil is a sandy/clay/loam mixture known as Goldridge. Dry-farmed by the ever-thoughtful Eva Dehlinger.

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