

MIGRATION[®]

2022 SONOMA COAST CHARDONNAY KEEFER RANCH VINEYARD

Highlighting lush, layered flavors, bright acidity and impeccably balanced French oak, Migration is dedicated to crafting wines from the finest cool-climate winegrowing regions. Planted by Marcy Keefer in 1996, and situated in the cool heart of the Sonoma Coast, Keefer ranch has earned acclaim as one of California's grand cru-caliber vineyards. Located on an eastern-facing slope with ideal Goldridge soil, our prized block of Keefer produces a beautifully textural Chardonnay with lovely tension and soaring flavors of peach, Fuji apple and citrus.

VINTAGE NOTES

While the 2022 growing season in the Sonoma Coast was compact and eventful, it produced wines with lush, refined tannins, opulent layers of fruit and lively natural acidity. Thanks to warm summer temperatures, we began harvesting our warmest Chardonnay and Pinot Noir vineyard at ideal ripeness in mid-August. The arrival of a significant heat event near Labor Day gave the remaining vineyards a final push to ripeness and we concluded harvest in mid-September. Overall, the quality was spectacular. The Chardonnays have beautiful citrus and tropical aromas and lush, concentrated flavors, with the Pinot Noirs offering supple, refined tannin and luxurious layers of dark berry fruit.

WINEMAKING NOTES

Showcasing why the fruit from this vineyard is so highly prized, this tantalizing wine beckons with aromas of stone fruit, Fuji apple, lemon curd and white floral blossoms. On the impressively structured palate, refined tannins, bright acidity and sweet hints of vanilla and custard add nuance and complexity to the citrus and stone fruit flavors.

WINEMAKING

APPELLATION	Sonoma Coast	ALCOHOL	14.2%
VINEYARD	Keefer Ranch Vineyards	PH	3.42
VARIETAL COMPOSITION	100% estate Chardonnay	ACIDITY	0.61 g/100 ml
FERMENTATION & AGING	Aged 10 months in 100% French oak 39% new, 61% neutral		
KEY COOPERS	Damy, François Frères, Leroi, Rousseau		
MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION	75%		
RESIDUAL SUGAR	Dry		
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	Clone 4		



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