

Educated Guess

2024 Sonoma Coast Chardonnay

The Numbers

AVA	Sonoma Coast
100%	Chardonnay
100%	Barrel/Malolactic Fermentation
12	Months French Oak Barrels
1,211	Cases Produced
March 2026	Release Date
14.3%	Alcohol by Volume
\$30	Suggested Retail Price
	UPC Code (8-98079-00101-7)

The Wine

Educated Guess was built on the idea that Napa Valley quality and an accessible price tag aren't mutually exclusive. The name is genuine: even with the science, the instinct, and twenty years of experience, every vintage still comes down to an educated guess.

From the cool-climate vineyards of Russian River Valley, this Chardonnay is a polished expression of balance, texture, and coastal freshness. The region's maritime influence preserves bright acidity and vibrant tropical fruit character, while 100% barrel fermentation adds richness and dimension, layering in notes of vanilla, toasted spice, and subtle oak.

The result is a Chardonnay that is both lively and luxurious—fresh and focused on the palate, yet rounded by a creamy texture and long, elegant finish. Food-friendly and effortlessly appealing, it offers the kind of versatility and refinement that makes it equally suited for the table or the glass on its own.

Accolades

89 POINTS - WINE SPECTATOR | 2024 VINTAGE

An appealing mix of apple, melon and pomelo flavors in this white, with hints of dried ginger, grilled peach and toasted sesame seed, plus a drizzle of wildflower honey on the plump and juicy finish.

92 POINTS - WINE ENTHUSIAST | 2022 VINTAGE

Lively...with flavors of ripe apple, white flowers and baking spice emerging before a smooth and citrus-zest-tinged finish.

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