



Ferren Wines

2021 Vintage

Tech Sheet

Frei Road Vineyard Chardonnay

Sonoma Coast

This vineyard has been farmed by the Martinelli family for generations and continues to be tended by George Martinelli. A mild climate graces this corner of Sonoma, and Chardonnay grapes ripen slowly in the well-draining Goldridge soil. Located near the village of Graton in the rolling hills south of the Russian River, Frei Road Vineyard produces a wine of great complexity, tension, and minerality.

Soil:	Fine, sandy loam – <i>Goldridge</i> soil series
Clones:	<i>Dijon 548</i> and <i>95</i>
Fermentation:	Whole cluster pressed Minimal settling Barrel fermented with native yeast Minimal stirring
Élevage:	Wines are aged on their lees in barrel for one year followed by a racking to stainless steel for an additional six months.
Barrel Program:	228 liter François Frères French oak barrels 4-year air dried stave wood from the Vosges forest 35% new oak