

2023 EX Chardonnay

Unoaked, Monterey



Tasting Notes: With a name meaning “out of” in Latin, EX speaks to our focus on expressing the personality and characteristics of our Certified Sustainable (SIP) estate vineyard. Our 2023 EX Chardonnay comes from the original 39+-year old, own-rooted Clone 4 planted on our estate vineyard. It is fermented (primary only) and aged for 3 months in stainless steel. The resulting unoaked wine is bright and direct, yet deceptively rich. The nose has a subtle citrus note and flavors offer banana and green apple. There is a noticeable but balanced acidity with a full mouthfeel.

Certified Sustainable (SIP)

Technical Data:

Composition	100% Chardonnay
Vineyard	San Saba Vineyard
AVA	Monterey
Clones	100% Clone 4
Oak	none, all tank
Alc.	13.2%
Cases produced	170

Accolades:

2023 90 pts International Wine Review

2022 92 pts, Planet Grape, Catherine Fallis, MS

2021 91 pts Planet Grape, Catherine Fallis, MS

2020 91 pts Wine Enthusiast

2019 90 pts/ included in “Best Wines of 2021”, Wine Enthusiast