

2018

SUBMARINE CANYON CHARDONNAY



TECHNICAL DATA

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| APPELLATION | MONTEREY | | |
| VINEYARDS | ESCOLLE VINEYARD , Santa Lucia Highlands PELIO VINEYARD , Monterey ZABALA VINEYARD , Arroyo Seco | | |
| BRIX | 21.5 - 23 | PH | 3.37 |
| ALCOHOL | 13.4% | | |
| PRODUCTION | 2000 cases (12x750ML) | | |



PLACE

This flagship Chardonnay is a pure representation of the coastal terroir in Monterey County. The name "Submarine Canyon" is a reference to the deep underwater canyon located in the Monterey Bay. This deep sea canyon provides the ideal marine climate for growing premium Chardonnay grapes.

All three of the vineyard sites from where we source fruit experience a strong marine influence. Ancient glacial soils made up of sand, gravel, limestone, and shale loam help create wine with bright acidity and saline-like minerality.

WINEMAKING

- Aged in 75% neutral French oak and 25% in concrete vessels.
- Stirred twice to promote natural occurring malolactic fermentation.
- Aged on the lees 10 months.

AROMA *Preserved lemon, straw, honey, citrus blossom*

PALATE *Golden delicious apple, pear, pineapple, ginger, saline*

SMALL LOT WINES FROM MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA WITH BALANCE, FINESSE & FOCUS.