

DIJON CLONE

2022 CHARDONNAY, OKANAGAN VALLEY BC

Our Distinction Collection offers enthusiasts handcrafted, experimental wines that fine-tune combinations of varieties, clones, rootstocks and winemaking techniques. Like the pattern of a quail's egg of which no two are alike, each batch of wine is unique and bottled in small lots.

Our Dijon Clone Chardonnay is a thoughtful blend of clones 96, 95, 76, and 548, carefully hand-selected from premium blocks in our South Kelowna vineyard.

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VINEYARD | Quails' Gate Estate Vineyard
SOUTH KELOWNA

PLANTED | 2017 & 2018
5 & 6 YEARS OLD

SOIL | Sandy Loam

- Clone 96
- Clone 95
- Clone 76
- Clone 548

WINEMAKING

This inaugural vintage was hand-picked, whole-cluster pressed and barrel fermented in French oak for 15 months. Full malolactic fermentation and some battonage contribute to the wine's smooth, creamy character.

ALCOHOL: 13.5%
RESIDUAL SUGAR: 2.3 g/L

pH: 3.46
ACIDITY: 6.76 g/L

TASTING

Aromatic and silky, this wine is a beautiful expression of Okanagan Valley Chardonnay. Stonefruit and black walnut lift from the glass, accompanied by notes of stone and graphite. On the palate this wine is creamy and smooth with flavours of peaches and cream, marked by minerality and a weighty texture.

PAIRING

This wine would be best enjoyed alongside flavourful cheeses including swiss fondue, gouda panini or French onion soup.

Made in limited quantities.

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