

2007 PEIRSON MEYER
CHARDONNAY
CHARLES HEINTZ VINEYARD
SONOMA COAST

WINEMAKER NOTES

This wine is truly an expression of the vineyard site. Situated above the fog line, the full sun exposure of this vineyard offers a wine with a heady nose of dried apricot and orange blossom, spiced pear juice and crème brulee. These 38 year old, dry farmed vines create an amazing concentration, giving a rich and viscous mouthfeel that stains the palate.

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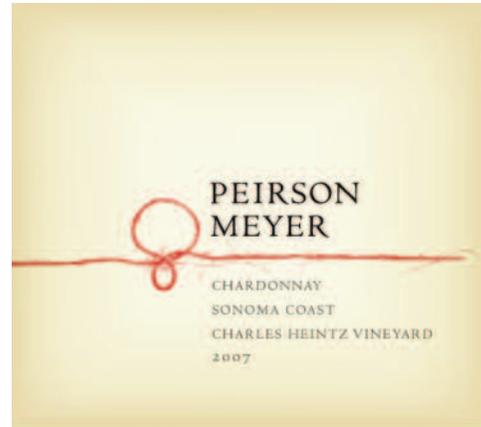
The Charles Heintz Vineyard rests at approximately 900 feet above sea level and is nine miles from the Sonoma Coastline, experiencing cool maritime influences from the Pacific Ocean, The vineyard is planted in goldridge soils, trained on a quadrilateral cordon system. The vines are harvested in two separate picks: initially, the sun-side of the canopy is harvested, followed by patient waiting for the shade-side to fully mature.

Wine Spectator, June 2009

Ripe, with opulent, creamy pear, fig, spice and honeydew melon flavors that gain complexity and body. The finish is long and complex. - 93 pts.

Robert Parker, The Wine Spectator, March 2010

Explosive aromas of pineapple, creme brulee, poached pear, and honeysuckle jump from the glass of the 2007 Chardonnay Charles Heintz Vineyard. Its light straw/green color is followed by under ripe apricot and pineapple aromas and flavors, good acidity, lots of body, and loads of fruit. This gorgeous Chardonnay can be enjoyed over the next several years. - 95 pts.



VINTAGE	2007
VARIETAL	Chardonnay
VINEYARD	Charles Heintz Vineyard
APPELLATION	Sonoma Coast
PRODUCTION	275 Cases
RETAIL PRICE	\$55/bottle
HARVEST	October 2007
PROCESS	Barrel fermented Wild Yeast Fermentation 100% malolactic Barrel aged 15 months (<i>sur lees</i>) 55% New French Oak
BOTTLED	Unfined & Unfiltered January 2009
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