

2019 Cooper Mountain Chardonnay 90 pts, WE Nov 2021 edition

People:

Cooper Mountain is a pioneering winery in Oregon's Willamette Valley, established on the outskirts of Portland in the late 1970's. The winery began as and remains a family endeavor, with two generations of the Gross family guiding Cooper Mountain. Since 2004 winemaker Gilles de Domingo has been overseeing all winemaking.

Place:

Our signature chardonnay is sourced from our two oldest estate vineyards.

Meadowlark Vineyard

Willakenzie soil, planted in 1982, Willamette Valley AVA. Certified Organic, Biodynamic. Elevation 300ft.

Old Vines Vineyard

Saum soil, planted in 1978, Willamette Valley AVA. Certified Organic, Biodynamic. Elevation 500ft.

Wine:

Vintage notes: classic

Appelation: Willamette Valley

Alc%: 13%

Case production: 750 750 m/l

Certifications: organically grown and biodynamic

Additions/yeast: none and native

Vessel: 50% stainless steel, 10% acacia wood, 40% neutral oak

Stirring regime: once per week

Fining agent: none (natural clarification)

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