



## Barking Owl

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

WINE	<b>Barking Owl Chardonnay</b>	
VINTAGE	2009	
REGIONS	Geographe	45%
	Great Southern	55%
VARIETY	Chardonnay	100%

### VINTAGE NOTES

The 2009 season was excellent for white grape varieties with even and moderate temperatures and no summer rain. The overall growing season was early and moderate producing completely disease-free fruit of optimal ripeness.

The 2009 Chardonnay was aged in new and seasoned French oak for approximately nine months. A weekly lees stirring was used to improve the depth, complexity and textural qualities of the wine.

### ANALYSIS

Alcohol 14.0%, pH 3.25, TA 6.2 g/L

### TASTING NOTES

Colour Bright with a pale gold hue.

Aroma The wine exhibits fresh tropical fruit salad and stone fruit aromas with supporting vanillin oak.

Palate The palate is dry with a soft and creamy texture. Medium-bodied, this wine displays a vibrant stone fruit intensity that is aptly supported by spicy French oak leading to a dry finish.

### CELLARING

Enjoy now or cellar for three years.

### SHOW SUCCESS

Not shown to date.

