

# RADIO COTEAU CHERRY CAMP SYRAH SONOMA COAST



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From a vineyard high on a ridge overlooking the Freestone Valley in Sonoma. This was originally a cherry orchard, hence the name Cherry Camp. The high elevation and cooler climate makes this a perfect site for growing Syrah. Goldridge soils. About 50% whole clusters were used. Kept unracked in oak for 21 months. Bottled unfiltered and unfiltered, which allows the true expression of the berries to shine through. Indicative of what is possible for cool climate Syrah as it captures the essence of the region.

Radio-Coteau works closely with select cool-climate coastal vineyard sites in Western Sonoma County and Anderson Valley to produce wines with vibrant, balanced fruit and a distinct sense of place. Focus is on organic, detailed viticulture in conjunction with a natural, non-interventionist approach in the cellar to more accurately reflect the unique character of each site and season. The winery is situated in Sebastopol, and the estate vineyard is located in the hills above Occidental, California.

**Radio-Coteau** (rā' dē ō - kō tō') *adj.* A colloquial expression suggesting "word of mouth" from the Northern Rhone. Literal Translation: broadcasting from the hillside.

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## Tasting Note:

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## Shelf Talker:

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