



## Kooyong Farrago Chardonnay 2018 – Reviews

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Wine of the Week, March 2020

[Winsor Dobbin](#)

It is almost impossible to go wrong with the single-vineyard chardonnay releases from esteemed Mornington Peninsula producer Kooyong; you can taste the attention to detail adopted by winemaker Glen Hayley and his vineyard team. This razor-sharp single-block wine is sourced from just 1.02 hectares of near 20-year-old chardonnay vines within the 2.76 hectare Farrago block. French oak and lees stirring have played a role but linear intensity and flinty minerality are the key element. If you love citrusy Chablis with zesty drive then you won't want to miss this. Well worth splashing out on.

95 points

JeremyOliver.com, May 2020

[Jeremy Oliver](#)

Typically mineral and textural, with a faintly smoky bouquet of grapefruit, matchstick/vanilla oak, ginger and coriander backed by a whiff of oyster shell brine. Round and succulent with a moderately long and slatey palate of intense citrusy fruit and brittle acids, it finishes with savoury, briny notes.

93 points

WineFront, March 2020

[Campbell Mattinson](#)

Clean lines of varietal flavour. Custard apples, white peach, maybe some grapefruit. Smoky oak. Grilled nuts. It's a wine in good form if not great form. It has an elegance, especially on the finish. And some subtle flinty notes.

93 points

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[Huon Hooke](#)

A stunning chardonnay which has vitality and pizzazz. Cashew nut, creamy lees, lemon and grapefruit aromas and flavours. The palate is tautly-composed and refined, intense and lingering.

96 points ★★★★★