



# 2020 RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY CHARDONNAY

## SONOMA COUNTY

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### VINEYARDS

The 2020 Russian River Valley Chardonnay is a blend from select single vineyards to create a fresh, mineral-driven Chardonnay with a balanced oak profile. Comprised of our Starscape, Slusser, and Shiloh Hill vineyards, it is a beautiful expression of this iconic region. The result is an approachable, youthful wine with crisp minerality and a beautiful texture sure to please the palates of Russian River Chardonnay lovers.

### WINEMAKING

The grapes undergo native primary fermentation in barrel followed by 100% malolactic fermentation and aging for 10 months in 15% new French oak.

### TASTING NOTES

Perfumed floral notes of honeysuckle and jasmine populate the air. Then, lemon, fresh pineapple, and even nectarine show through. Pear, apple and a hint of tangerine and honeydew melon add a vein of richness. The texture is vibrant and concentrated with plenty of fruit on the palate and a lingering finish balanced by a delightful pop of acidity.

### TECHNICAL DETAILS

APPELLATION	Russian River Valley
VINEYARDS	Starscape, Slusser and Shiloh Hill
CLONES	Wente, Clone 15, Clone 4
SOIL TYPES	Yolo, Positas Gravelly Loam
FARMING	Practicing sustainable farming
HARVEST DATE	August 29 - September 12, 2020
BRIX	22.2 - 23.8
ALCOHOL	14.2%
PRODUCTION	16 Barrels, 400 Cases