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Fritz Cellars' Portfolio of Wines **2012 Russian River Valley Chardonnay**

Winemaker's Notes:

Our 2012 Russian River Valley Chardonnay contains a tantalizing array of aromas and flavors. Pale golden in color it entices with aromas of wet limestone and apricot, with hints of melon and sea pea flowers. This medium bodied Chardonnay is silky on the palate with bright acidity with a rich and creamy texture containing flavors of apricot, dried fruits and almonds. These flavors carry through with a satisfying finish.

-Winemaker Brad Longton

Technical Data:

Appellation: Russian River Valley

Varietal: Chardonnay

Harvest Date: October 2012

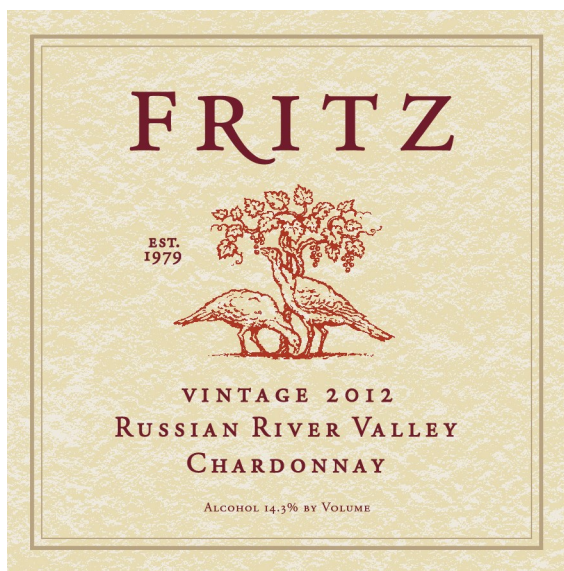
Barrel Aging: 10 months

Alcohol: 14.3%

Production: 3000 cases

Production Notes:

The grapes for our 2012 RRV Chardonnay were whole cluster pressed to bring out the inherent varietal characteristics of the fruit. The juice then underwent native barrel fermentation in 90% new French Oak. 30% of this Chardonnay underwent Malolactic fermentation to encourage a subtle creaminess.



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Double Gold

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