

VIANSA SONOMA

2015 RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY CHARDONNAY RESERVE SERIES

Sourced from fruit from one of the world's premier Chardonnay growing regions, our 2015 Reserve Chardonnay holds a complex core with a refined and elegant structure.

At Viansa Sonoma, we're inspired by the easy way of life in Sonoma County. We craft our wines to be shared around a table of fresh food with family and friends. Our Viansa Reserve tier offers varietal favorites sourced from carefully selected Sonoma Valley vineyards where each wine takes on its finest expression.

VINTAGE & VINEYARD

The dry, warmer winter in 2015 caused our Sonoma vineyards to have early bud break and the cool Spring weather contributed to smaller than usual berries. The warm temperatures in August and September created a hot, dry and rapidly ripening growing season. These growing conditions caused it to be a lighter harvest with smaller yields, but with intense flavors as well as balanced acid and tannin structure.

TASTING NOTES

Our Russian River Valley chardonnay tactfully greets your senses with aromatics of vanilla, butterscotch, pear, crème brûlée. The pallet offers bracing acidity balanced with notes of toasted almond and a soft minerality. The finish is extended, with citrus and subtle notes of toasted oak.

PERFECT PAIRINGS

This wine is a great choice in all seasons, pairing well with seasonal holiday fare as well as fresh summer meals. Our winemaker Amy suggests serving this elegant wine alongside her favorite pairing of lightly seasoned pan fried crab cakes or lobster alfredo.

WINE FACTS

VINTAGE:
2015

BOTTLING DATE:
July 7, 2016

VARIETAL:
Chardonnay

COMPOSITION:
100% Chardonnay

OAK:
65% New French oak,
20% Once used French oak, 15% Neutral

APPELLATION:
Russian River Valley

ALCOHOL:
14.5%

OPTIMUM DRINKING:
Now - 2019

TA:
.635 g/100ml

PH:
3.4

RESIDUAL SUGAR:
.667 g/L

PRICE:
\$30