2021 JAX CHARDONNAY

DUTTON RANCH, RUSSIAN RIVER

Reflecting the expansive character of the Wente clone, this Chardonnay reflects both complexity and sculpted longevity. Harmonizing its terroir driven minerality with rich sculpted intensity, this wine unveils aromas of brioche, toasted almond, hazelnut and green Anjou pear. The palate delivers delicate crisp green apple, poached pear, and lemon custard flavors. While ready to enjoy now, this wine's acidity and minerality will engender continued complexity throughout the next decade.

THE CRAFT

Named after its fine grained soil, Dutton Ranch's "moon dust" vineyard provides purity and minerality. Winemaker Kirk Venge ages this wine in 30% new French oak over 10 months. The harmonic concentration of fruit flavors frame the subtle nuance of the French oak barrels resulting in a vibrant yet rich and complex palate. This wine is bottled unfiltered and unfined to allow its innate character to evolve. We call this wine "decadence inside and out."

SPECIFICATIONS

PROPRIETORS Kimberly Jackson Trent Jackson Dan Parrott

WINEMAKER Kirk Venge

BLEND COMPOSITION 100% Chardonnay

BARRELS PRODUCED

APPELLATION Russian River

ALCOHOL 14.2%

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