

# 2012 MIGRATION SONOMA COAST CHARDONNAY

## CHARLES HEINTZ VINEYARD



*A legendary site for world-class Chardonnay, defining the cool coastal climate of the Sonoma Coast.*



**Composition:** 100% Chardonnay

**Winemaker:** Bo Felton

**Appellation:** Sonoma Coast

**Winemaking & Sourcing:** Located atop the second ridge inland from the Pacific at an elevation of 900 feet, Heintz is a warmer vineyard in a very cool winegrowing region. This unique combination creates a gracefully balanced wine that combines the richness and intensity of perfectly ripened old vine fruit with the structure and acidity of great Sonoma Coast winegrowing.

**Key Accolades:** v10 92 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*. v09 95 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*. v09 91 Pts., *Wine Spectator*.

**UPC:** 669576 01960 3

**SCC/Case Code:** 20 669576 01960 7

**TTB Approval:** 13155001000516

**Alcohol:** 14.1%

**Market Trends/Opportunity:** Chardonnay luxury category is +13% vs. PY.

**Availability:** National

**SRP:** \$55

**Tasting Notes:** The aromas of this wine are vibrant and complex, offering layers of citrus blossom, pear, honeysuckle, piecrust and crème brûlée, as well as hints of fennel seed, sea spray and wet stone. On the palate, focused acidity adds poise and dimension, underscoring the lovely fruit and plush mouthfeel, all while drawing this wine to a long, lingering finish.

**Recommended Pairings:** Roasted Free-Range Chicken, Lobster, Scallops, Carmody & Monterey Jack Cheeses, Pommes Frites.

**Marquee Accounts:**

**Formats Available:** 750ml

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