

2012 SÉMILLON

WALLA WALLA VALLEY



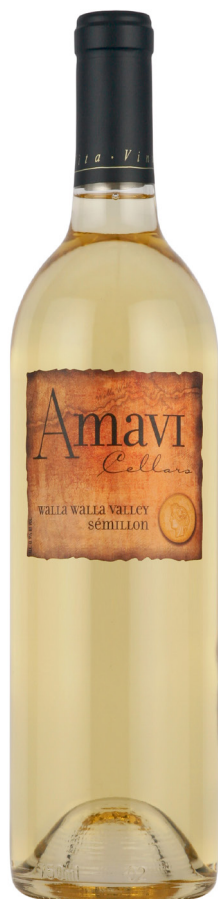
WINEMAKER NOTES

The nose of this wine greets you with brilliant notes of Golden Delicious apples, honeydew melon, and honeysuckle flowers. A richer nuance of lemon butter melts into ripe tropical flavors of kiwi and passion fruit. The mouthwatering acidity of this wine is balanced by a well-rounded mid-palate, leaving you with a lively and lingering finish.

—Jean-François Pellet, Winemaker

THE 2012 VINTAGE:

Spring brought us more precipitation than usual, followed by a hot, dry summer. We experienced plenty of warm days without it being overly hot, and this is exactly what the grape vines like—we were right where we wanted to be in terms of heat units received. We began harvest in mid-September and finished in approximately 5 weeks. 2012 boasted our largest harvest of exceptional fruit so far!



VITICULTURE

100% estate, sustainably farmed.

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WINE SPECIFICS

Varietal(s): 89% Sémillon, 11% Sauvignon Blanc

Vineyard(s): 52% Les Collines, 28% Seven Hills,
20% Goff

Appellation: Walla Walla Valley

Oak Program: 100% French oak;
100% used

Harvest Date(s): September 2 - October 3, 2012

Finished Alcohol: 13.9% by volume

Total Production: 871 cases

Bottling Date(s): February 2, 2013

Release Date: May 3, 2013