



2008 Sevé

VINTNERS ESTATE SERIES

Release Date:	9-01-09	Alcohol:	12.0%
Residual Sugar:	0.62 %	Acidity:	0.75, pH 3.33

Tasting Notes: Crisp and bright aromatics of freshly squeezed limes and whipped lemon cream are abundant from the initial impression. Wrapped perfectly in dried lemon peel, cinnamon and clove with an after kick of granny smith apples. Intertwined in the finish with a decadent minerality, earth and sage. A bright and brilliant wine bursting with flavor and intensity.

Blend/Vineyard Information:

50% Semillon, 31% Chenin Blanc, 19% Sauvignon Blanc

50% Rivercrest Vineyard Semillon, Columbia Valley

31% Badger Mountain Estate Vineyard Chenin Blanc, Columbia Valley

19% Arete Sauvignon Blanc, Wahluke Slope

Winemaker's Notes: We were delighted to find a new vineyard, Rivercrest from the lower Columbia Valley near Boardman. It is a very cool site that produces white wines of intensity and structure. With this Semillon as the base for Sevé we were able to achieve ripe fruit flavors with excellent balance and acidity. With 50% Semillon we added 31% Chenin Blanc from Badger Mountain Estate Vineyard to add the soft lemon flavors to the zingy citrus character. Balanced with the minerality and earth qualities from Arete, this is a complete abundant wine. Bottled in May 2009. 800 cases made.