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ZIND-HUMBRECHT

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\$37.50*

* Suggested retail price

 Organic  Biodynamic

	Product code	715650
	Format	12x750ml
	Listing type	Open
	Status	Unavailable
	Type of product	Still wine
	Country	France
	Regulated designation	Appellation origine contrôlée (AOC)
	Region	Alsace
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	Varietal(s)	Chardonnay 82 %
	Varietal(s)	Pinot Auxerrois 18 %
	Colour	White
	Sugar	Dry
	Closure type	Cork

ABOUT THIS WINERY

Olivier Humbrecht is one of the world's most renowned winegrowers. A Master of Wine who has been described by Robert Parker as the greatest white winemaker on earth. Yet he is very soft spoken, humble, and self-deprecating. He is a champion of terroir, biodynamic farming principles, and non-interventionist winemaking, whose family have been winegrowers in Alsace for 12 generations (since 1620).

TASTING NOTES

This wine is medium intense with fresh fruity and citrus nose. The palate about purity and freshness, not marked by the long lees contact. Well balanced. The limestone minerality is obvious on the finish. This vineyard characteristically produces wines full of acidity and stony flavors, with strong fruit tannins that give a long finish and a dry firm structure.

PRODUCT NOTES

The grapes are exclusively sourced from Clos Windsbuhl Vineyard, one of Zind-Humbrecht's top vineyard. The respect for the vine and soil is very important for Olivier and his team of vineyard workers. All viticultural work is carried out by hand with the help of some horses to plough the vineyards with minimum impact of the soil. All vineyards have been certified organic and biodynamic since 2002.

PRODUCTION NOTES

All wines are fermented in traditional oak vats using native yeasts. No additives are used, and chaptalization is never carried out. The wines are left on their lees and ferment at their own pace, the wines are not fined. Very little sulfites are added and the wines are bottled after at least 8 months on the lees.



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