



# ALEXANA

## 2010 Alexana Riesling, Revana Vineyard

### THE PROPERTY

The Revana Vineyard is located in the Dundee Hills appellation of Oregon's Willamette Valley. This unique appellation is marked by distinct geographic elements that effectively insulate this region from the dramatic weather variations experienced in other nearby growing areas. True to the appellation, our 80-acre property possesses an incredibly diverse and complex series of soils and exposures. Located between 360 and 640 feet above sea level, the site has eighteen soil types spread over a combination of rolling hills, steep slopes and some rugged terrain.

### 2010 GROWING SEASON

The 2010 growing season began after a relatively dry and warm winter (one of the warmest on record). Bud break occurred in late March, about a month earlier than the 2009 season. Growth was then stalled by cold, rainy conditions, including the wettest June on record. A long, cool growing season followed. Near perfect weather arrived for four weeks at the end of the growing season, allowing for long hang times to develop the complexity and physiological maturity of the fruit.

### TASTING NOTES

Bushels of sun-kissed white peaches and apricots are interwoven with floral aromas. Fresh, juicy white peach and honeysuckle lend only a whisper of sweetness to this dry, delicious Riesling, boasting only 0.53% residual sugar. Apricot flesh, white flowers and honey are complimented by pleasant acidity on the lengthy finish. Bright, crisp and clean, the 2010 Riesling is liquid candy.



### TECHNICAL DATA

<i>Appellation</i>	Dundee Hills
<i>Varieties</i>	100% Riesling
<i>Alcohol</i>	12.5%
<i>Aging</i>	100% Stainless Steel
<i>Release Date</i>	July 1, 2011
<i>Production</i>	300 cases