

2022

Estate

Rosé

48% MERLOT, 27% SYRAH, 18% CABERNET FRANC, 3% PETIT VERDOT, 3% MALBEC, 1% CARMENERE

From dedicated blocks at Becker, Ryegrass and Evernden Spring Vineyards, our Estate Rosé reflects the complexity that comes from our organic-certified terroirs in the Okanagan and Similkameen Valleys. The 2022 vintage is dry, finessed, and nuanced, with delicate red berries and layers of spice.

Estate Vineyards

The Estate Rosé comes mainly from our Estate vineyards: Evernden in the Similkameen Valley, Becker and Ryegrass situated on the Black Sage Bench. Evernden Vineyard boasts a spectacular setting amidst the steep and rugged mountains of the Similkameen Valley, considered “the organic capital of Canada”. The stony and silty loam soils lend an enchanting minerality to their wines. Becker Vineyard yields refined wines from the upper terrace of the Black Sage Bench, whereas Ryegrass Vineyard on the lower terrace benefits from the afternoon sun that brings warm notes into its wines.

The Vintage

The 2022 growing season was characterized by a cold, wet spring and late budburst. These conditions were optimal in creation of acidity balance for this Rosé. Warm and dry conditions prevailed through summer and early fall and were ideal for the development of berry color, flavour, and tannin level and resulted in higher than average berry number and weight.

VINTAGE

2022

HARVEST DATE

September 26 -
October 27

FERMENTATION

77% stainless steel and
23% Austrain oak

MATURATION

3 months in stainless steel

BOTTLING DATE

April 2023

RESIDUAL SUGAR

2.6 g/L

ALCOHOL

14%

TOTAL ACIDITY

5.2 g/L

pH

3.5

