



BRUT ROSÉ

OUR ESTATE

Since 1977, Matanzas Creek Winery has focused on creating site-expressive wines from Sonoma County. Across the years, our approach has never wavered: cultivate a range of grape clones, explore various vineyard techniques, and use a variety of fermentation vessels to carefully craft balanced wines. Today, all Matanzas Creek Winery estate vineyards are sustainably farmed and are certified under the California Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance.

WINEMAKING

Our first Sparkling Wine is a beautiful Brut Rosé – a blend of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay from our favorite cool-climate vineyards in Sonoma County. The fruit is picked relatively early to preserve the natural vibrant acidity and lively fresh fruit character. Pinot Noir provides elegant red fruit flavors, a touch of color, and the wine's delicate texture. Chardonnay is the perfect complement, adding structure and notes of stone fruit, cream, and apples. The blend was aged for eight years, adding complexity and contributing an overall delicacy to the wine. The wine is then disgorged and a dosage is added back to balance the wine's acidity. The resulting "méthode traditionnelle" sparkling wine showcases delicate bubbles, bright acidity, and beautifully layered flavors – a perfect addition to any celebration.

WINE PROFILE

COLOR: Rose Gold

AROMAS/FLAVORS: Brioche, Hallah Bread, pan dulce, blood orange, white strawberry, honey

PALATE: Tannins are refined, light bitterness, pleasant bitterness, mouth feel has a creaminess in the upper and back of the palate like lemon ice cream & toasted English walnut, long finish, rhubarb. Finish with apricot notes, beautiful length.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS: Serve chilled at 50-54° to accentuate the natural acidity. Slightly warmer brings out a fuller mouthfeel and riper fruit characters. Pair with a Strawberry Bavarian Cream dessert for a delectable treat!

TECHNICAL NOTES

WINEMAKER
Marcia Torres Forno

APPELLATION
Sonoma County

DOSAGE
2.5 g/L

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9.7 g/L

COMPOSITION
99% Pinot Noir
1% Chardonnay

TIME EN TIRAGE
8 years

ALCOHOL
12.2%

PH
3.18

CASES
295

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