



DE LOACH
VINEYARDS

The Russian River Valley Original



Alcohol:

13.5% by volume

Varietals:

80% Barbera, 9% Pinot
Noir, 6% Zinfandel,
5% Merlot

pH:
3.40

Titrateable Acidity:

6.10 g/L

2016 CALIFORNIA Rosé

In the Vineyard

At DeLoach Vineyards we strive to produce distinctive wines that spotlight unique *terroirs* in a socially and environmentally responsible way, practicing sustainable viticulture and utilizing minimally intrusive winemaking techniques. The grapes for our 2016 Rosé were carefully chosen from warm, sunny, sustainably farmed vineyards.

Conversations with the Winemaker

The grapes for this rosé were harvested, separated and pressed immediately to become rosé. It is a blend of 80% Barbera, 9% Pinot Noir, 6% Zinfandel and 5% Merlot. A small amount of saignée Pinot Noir and Zinfandel was added give it just a touch more weight and juiciness. We chose to cold ferment the grapes for this luscious wine in stainless steel to preserve the natural crispness and fresh fruit flavors which help attain the beautiful balance of this approachable, fruit-forward wine.

Tasting Notes

A delightful aperitif, our 2016 California Rosé offers floral aromatics of white jasmine and orange blossom with ripe raspberry notes. Refreshing upon the palate, juicy flavors of wild strawberry, Bing cherry and a touch of rose petal are balanced with bright acidity and a smooth finish. Brilliant on its own, it is also a delicious pairing with mild cheeses, flakey white fish dishes and rosemary chicken.

Jean Charles Boisset

JEAN-CHARLES BOISSET
Proprietor

Brian Maloney

BRIAN MALONEY
Winemaker