

## 2024 SINGLE VINEYARD CARNEROS ROSÉ OF PINOT NOIR

## INTRODUCTION

Our rosé comes from two vineyard blocks, farmed and harvested specifically for this wine. The larger block features the Dijon 115 clone, which is perfect for rosé because it has great natural acidity, thinner skins and a delicate fruit profile, while the second block features a field blend of clones, which adds complexity to the wine. We harvest early in the morning, when the fruit is coldest, and take it directly to the press to capture fresh fruit characteristics. The juice is fermented using all native yeast in neutral oak barrels, which allows for a little bit of oxygen transfer without imparting wood flavors. A brief three-month aging period on the lees allows for greater complexity to develop while still preserving freshness.

## WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2024 Rosé showcases a beautiful pale pink color, with enticing aromas of strawberry, lime, cantaloupe and peach. The palate opens with cranberry and green apple, gradually unfolding into notes of apricot and grapefruit. Bright and vibrant, the wine also offers a well-balanced structure, a hint of spice and a refreshing lift on the finish.



