

# VANESSA

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Carved from stone, fuelled by sun, a vineyard like no other.

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# Rosé 2021



Syrah 56%, Merlot 44%

Alcohol 14.1%  
Residual Sugar 1.19 g/L  
Total Acidity 9.0 g/L  
pH 3.43  
Brix 27  
Cases Produced 375  
Released 2022  
SKU 052186

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## Flavour Profile

Our Rosé is a field blend of 100% estate grown Syrah and Merlot; this Rosé is complex and dry with a very pale salmon colour. A lingering nose of candied strawberry and gooseberry followed by peach and apricot notes. The palate shows fresh berry and tangerine with hints of lime enhancing the long, clean, crisp mineral finish.

## Growing Conditions

Overall, the 2021 growing season was mostly normal. At the end of June, we experienced a heat dome and the hot spots moved slowly throughout the valley, making us water heavily to keep the vines cool.

## Winemaking

Crafted from only 100% estate grown and hand-picked fruit. The Rosé harvest is one of the most exciting times at Vanessa Vineyard, as it is the beginning of our harvest and the team is eager to pick. Our goal this year was to produce a light, delicate and pale colour so we were attentive to have minimal extraction from the skins. Whole cluster pressed, chilled and fermented slowly in stainless steel tanks with a proprietary yeast selection. Our Rosé has been made at cool temperatures to fully enhance the fruit.