

# THE WATERFRONT RED WINES

## ROSÉ

In the tradition of the Mediterranean coast of France, dry Rosé has become popular among a number of vintners in California. Refreshing examples are made combining the hearty components of red wine with the crispness of white wine. Fresh tasting strawberry and citrus flavors.

2008	Chandon, Rose of Pinot Noir, Carneros, Napa	8.00	36.00	2007	Etude, Rosé of Pinot Noir, Carneros, Napa	36.00
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## PINOT NOIR, PINOT MEUNIER & PINOTAGE

**PINOT NOIR** · 2000 years of cultivation in the Cote D'Or of France has set high standards for the world to emulate. The cool regions of California & Oregon are ideal for growing Pinot Noir with pronounced flavors of strawberry, raspberry & smoke

**PINOT MEUNIER** · French for 'miller' due to the white underside of the leaves that resemble sifted flour. Emphasis on bright, red fruit flavors.

**PINOTAGE** · Created in South Africa, a cross of Pinot Noir and the Rhone grape Cinsault is now grown in California. Spice, plum & pepper.

2008	Row Eleven, Vinas 3, California	9.00	36.00	2008	Foley, Santa Rita Hills, Central Coast	45.00
2007	Russian Hill, Russian River, Sonoma		40.00	2009	Foxen Vineyard, Santa Maria Valley	50.00
2006	Acacia, Carneros, Napa Valley		40.00	2008	Emeritus, Russian River, Sonoma	50.00
2006	Fort Ross, Pinotage, Sonoma Coast		40.00	2007	Etude, Carneros, Napa Valley	55.00
2008	Chandon, Pinot Meunier, Napa		40.00	2008	Flowers, Sonoma Coast	65.00
2006	Navarro Vineyards, Anderson Valley, Mendocino		42.00	2009	Patz & Hall, Sonoma Coast	62.00
2007	Volk, Santa Maria Cuvee, Central Coast		42.00	2007	Duckhorn, 'Golden Eye Winery', Anderson Valley	80.00
2009	Ken Brown, Santa Barbara County		45.00	2008	Sea Smoke, TEN, Santa Rita Hills	110.00
2009	Caymus, 'Belle Glos', Sonoma Coast		45.00			

## BARBERA, CHARBONO & SANGIOVESE

**BARBERA** · Native to Piedmont, Italy, this varietal is know for its bright characteristics of cherry and soft tannins.

**CHARBONO** · Mention this varietal among old school Napa vintners and you will hear about the legendary Inglenook Charbonos of the seventies! Thankfully a number of vintners including Robert Foley carry on the tradition of making these jammy & spicy wines.

**SANGIOVESE** · The principal grape grown in the Tuscany region of Italy. In California it exhibits flavors of black cherry, plums and cinnamon

2009	Jacuzzi Vineyards, Barbera, Carneros, Sonoma	9.00	36.00	2007	Petroni, Sangiovese, Sonoma	10.00	40.00
2008	Robert Foley, Charbono, Napa Valley		38.00				

## SYRAH, SHIRAZ & PETITE SYRAH

**SYRAH** · Grown in the Rhone valley since Roman times, the varietal makes for long-lived wines of blackberry, plum and smoke flavor.

**SHIRAZ** · Syrah brought to Australia in the 1830's became known as Shiraz where the fruit-driven style has won fans all over the world.

**PETITE SYRAH** · Interchangeable with Petite Sirah, the grape is a viticultural cross between Syrah and Peloursin. Blackberry and pepper

2007	Clos Du Bois, Shiraz, Northern Coast	9.00	36.00	2009	Stephen Vincent, 'Crimson', Ca	8.00	32.00
2007	Stags' Leap, Petite Syrah, Stags Leap, Napa Valley		50.00	2008	Wattle Creek, Shiraz, Sonoma		45.00

## MERLOT, MALBEC & CABERNET FRANC

**MERLOT** · Considered an offspring of Cabernet Franc and related to Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot adds body and softness to Bordeaux blends. The palate is rich with flavors of cherry, plum and chocolate.

**MALBEC** · Its Italian cousin Piedierrosso, originated from the grape Cot in the Cahor region of France. Complimentary to a number of Bordeaux blends, Malbec adds dark color, plum-like flavors and complexity. On its own it shows ripe fruit flavors of plums and blackberry.

**CABERNET FRANC** · Related to Cabernet Sauvignon and one of the five traditional grapes of Bordeaux. Aromatic flavors of cherry and plum

2007	Rancho Sisquoc Winery, Malbec, Santa Barbara	9.00	36.00	2008	Merlot, Murphy Goode, Alexander Valley	10.00	40.00
2006	Von Strasser, Cabernet Franc, Diamond Mt. Napa		60.00	2007	Rombauer, Merlot, Napa Valley		53.00
				2007	Schaffer, Merlot, Napa Valley		66.00
				2008	Duckhorn, Merlot, Napa Valley		70.00

## CABERNET SAUVIGNON

One of three central grape varietals of the Bordeaux, France. Cabernet Sauvignon is a cross between Cabernet Franc & Sauvignon Blanc. The sunny northern California climate allows 100% varietal bottling or as part of a blend. Age worthy wines of blackcurrant, cherry & plum.

2009	Esser Cellars, California	8.00	32.00	2006	Jordan, Sonoma	70.00
2008	Louis Martini, Sonoma		36.00	2007	Groth, Oakville, Napa Valley	70.00
2006	Simi, Alexander Valley, Sonoma		38.00	2008	Caymus, Napa Valley	90.00
2007	Robert Mondavi, Napa Valley		40.00	2007	Cakebread, Napa Valley	95.00
2008	Hess, Allomi vineyard, Napa Valley		44.00	2006	Silver Oak, Oakville, Napa Valley	120.00
2007	Sterling Vineyards, Napa Valley		44.00	2005	Beringer, Private Reserve, Napa Valley	140.00
2008	Stuhlmüller, Alexander Valley, Sonoma		50.00	2007	Opus One, Oakville, Napa Valley	200.00
2006	Howell at the Moon		60.00	2007	Caymus, Special Select, Napa Valley	200.00
2007	Joseph Phelps, Napa Valley	15.00	60.00			
2006	Rubicon, Cask, Napa Valley		60.00			

## ZINFANDEL

Originally from the Dalmatian coast of Croatia and linked to Primotivo from Puglia in southern Italy, Zinfandel arrived in California in the 1850's where it has reached legendary status with styles from bright raspberry to jammy blackberry

2007	R & B, Lodi	8.00	32.00	2007	Ridge, Lyton Springs, Sonoma	58.00
				2007	Duckhorn, 'Paraduxx', Napa Valley	65.00