



TOAD HOLLOW®
V I N E Y A R D S

2021
DRY ROSÉ OF PINOT NOIR
SONOMA COUNTY
EYE OF THE TOAD
THE FINE ART OF FUN!

FRANKIE'S NOTES

"In 2022 you can find a Rosé everywhere, from fine-wine shops to corner liquor stores, and even in airport gift shops - Rosés made from everything from Carignan to Cabernet. Still, our Eye of the Toad Dry Rosé over delivers among the clutter of labels! The 2021 is our 26th vintage of Rosé and our style continues to please with refreshing honied tropical fruit flavors. Made always from Pinot Noir grown in some of California's best sparkling wine vineyards and of course, completely dry! In those racks and racks of Rosés look for our little toad under the leaf – that's a sure sign you've found the very thing!"

AROMATICS & FLAVORS

A cameo hued beauty, our Dry Rosé shows off the concentration of flavors that are a signature of the 2021 vintage. The aromatics come with a flush of crushed rose petals followed by honeydew melon, orange blossoms, and a slight, fresh, rain-on-stone note. Juicy flavors of Golden Delicious apple and rich key-lime pie fill the mouth. A honied and creamy texture is in play with fresh acidity in the finish.

VINTAGE

Vintage 2021 is being touted as one of the best vintages in recent history! There were no major disruptive weather events, however the ongoing drought did affect yields a bit. The Pinot Noir for our Rosé was picked in mid-September with lower yields but spectacular concentration of flavor. This wine is a model of our preferred quality and style.

VINEYARDS

We've selected the Carneros region in Sonoma County as the source for the Pinot Noir fruit used to make our Dry Rosé. In close proximity to the San Francisco Bay the region benefits from maritime climate with frequent fog insuring a gentle ripening of this legendarily fastidious grape variety.

TECHNICAL DATA

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| Varietal: | 100% Pinot Noir |
| Alcohol: | 10.2% |
| TA: | 0.62 g/100 ml |
| pH: | 3.46 |
| RS: | 0.034% |
| UPC: | 711408927829 |

