



LA RIVIERA ROSE 2021

Domaine de la Sangliere, Provence, France

LCBO # 494120 | 13.0% alc./vol. | \$21.95 | Release: 07-Jan-2023

"This is the sensual kind of Rose that I am saving for sharing on Valentine's Day. Bright pale salmon pink in colour, the nose slightly spicy with fresh ripe, peach-melon-apple puree fruit along with some mineral notes. Dry, medium bodied, very slightly spicy, attractive, fresh, ripe, plum-apple-cantaloupe flavours with a lingering, crisp, harmonious, unoaked finish."

Score – 89.5 points (Michael Vaughan, Vintage Assessments, 2022)

This rosé wine presents a salmon pink colour robe. The nose is clear and powerful with scents of stone fruits and spices. On the palate, it is smooth and flattering, with a mineral freshness that recalls its terroir origin. Nice finish with a good length with notes of peach and crisp fruits. A pleasant, fleshy and voluptuous wine to enjoy.

Terroir:

Domaine de la Sanglière is nestled in the commune of Bormes-les-Mimosas, a privileged location in Provence. Devictor family owns the estate for 3 generations. The 42 Ha vineyards are protected by the coastal conservation organization. Area benefits from the proximity of the sea, a microclimate with a daily sea breeze, which avoids too cold winters and the risk of frost and in the same time allows a more moderate summer temperature. The sun of Provence cherishes the nature with its intense rays of love for more than 300 days per year. Mistral, the well-known wind of the region, dries and protects the vines from diseases related to moisture.



Vinification:

Harvested in the cool hours of the night, and then the berries are crushed and undergo cold maceration for 2 hours. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks.

Variety: Grenache 70%, Cinsault 30%

Residual Sugar: 2 g/L

Serving suggestion and food pairing: Serve at 10°C. Invite your friends, enjoy as an aperitif or with savoury Mediterranean and Fusion dishes.

Michael Vaughan, Vintage Assessments

89.5 points & Excellent

