



ATLANTIQUE

ROSÉ 2018
VAL DE LOIRE IGP – FRANCE

Vineyards along the banks of the river Loire are cooled by Atlantic Ocean breezes and can produce elegant and dry pale pink Rosé wines more than a match for those from Provence

WINEMAKING & VINEYARDS

WINEMAKER: FABRICE GOURAUD
WINERY: DROUET FRÈRES

Prime Loire Valley vineyards on soils of Gabbro shale near Nantes and the siliceous and calcareous clay of Anjou supply the fabulous Cabernet Franc grapes that are harvested at the end of September. After gentle pressing and careful racking, the alcoholic fermentation is started at low temperature (12-15°C). After 2 weeks fermentation, the wines are racked then left for a few months on the fine lees.

TASTING NOTES

Pale pink, yet vibrant in the classic French style. There is plenty of wild strawberry and raspberry fruit on the nose. The palate is deliciously fresh, elegant and soft with crisp acidity. Generous fruit flavors, but delightfully dry.

FOOD MATCH

Perfect fresh from the fridge, as an aperitif or with salads, meats from the grill and even lightly spiced Asian dishes.

TECHNICAL DATA

VARIETIES: 100% CABERNET FRANC
ALC: 12.5%
RS: 0.9 G/L
PH: 3.3
MALOLACTIC: No

