

SCHRAMSBERG

J. Schram

2017 J. SCHRAM ROSÉ, NORTH COAST

WINERY

Schramsberg, the pioneer of ultra-premium quality American sparkling wines, is proud to present its thirteenth vintage of our J. Schram Rosé. This sparkling wine is the result of a singular focus to produce a California sparkling rosé as fine as any made in the world.

WINE

This wine blends the finest Chardonnay and Pinot Noir lots from 120 cool-climate vineyards across Carneros, Anderson Valley, Sonoma Coast, and Marin County. Aged over seven years on the lees in Schramsberg's historic caves, it was hand-riddled and finished with a select brut dosage. As a companion to J. Schram Blancs and Noirs, it represents the pinnacle of artisan American sparkling wine.

VINEYARDS

The vineyards are in Napa at Wilkinson vineyards; Marin at Skywalker and Redding vineyards; and in Sonoma at Sanchiotti, Dutton, Horseshoe Bend vineyards.

VINTAGE NOTES

For the 2017 vintage, abundant winter rains prior to the growing season helped recharge reservoirs and groundwater. Spring weather was cool to mild, with increased vine vigor and extended flowering in some areas. After a summer of heat spikes, harvest started in the beginning of August. Warm days and cool nights throughout harvest encouraged exceptional fruit development while maintaining bright acidity.

WINEMAKING

After undergoing secondary fermentation in the bottle, this wine was aged for over seven years on its yeast lees within Schramsberg's historic caves, imparting depth and complexity. Each bottle was meticulously hand-riddled and finished with a carefully selected brut dosage, resulting in a sparkling wine of exceptional finesse and character.

TASTING NOTES

"Our 2017 J. Schram Rosé instantly pleases the nose with raspberry, cranberry, tangerine and hibiscus, intermingled with aromas of honey, brioche toast, sugar cookie and ginger. On the palate, a crisp entry of ruby grapefruit leads to a rich mouthfeel of strawberry short-cake and peach cobbler, and finishes with a clean, bright acidity with lasting flavor."

- Winemakers Sean Thompson, Jessica Koga
and Hugh Davies



VINEYARD

Region: California
Appellation: North Coast
Principal Blocks: Napa: Wilkinson
Marin: Skywalker & Redding
Mendocino: Juster
Sonoma: Sanchiotti, Dutton,
& Horseshoe Bend
Eco-Practices: Sustainable, Solar
Certifications: Napa Green

WINEMAKING

Varietals: 55% Chardonnay,
45% Pinot Noir
County Composition: 65% Sonoma, 19% Marin,
10% Napa, 6% Mendocino
Tirage: 7.3 years en tirage
Disgorgement: July 10 - 17, 2025

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Yeast: EC-1118, referred to as
"prise de mousse"
Barrel Fermentation: 38%
Alcohol: 12.3%
Residual Sugar: 7.0 g/L
Total Acidity: 8.2 g/L
pH: 3.17