



DOMAINE LAFOREST

BEAUJOLAIS VILLAGES ROSE

Founded in 1920, Domaine Laforest has been a family-run estate in the heart of the Beaujolais region for four generations. Jean-Marc Laforest took over the existing sharecropping from his parents and since then the family business has strongly increased, centering around the sale of bottled wines. There are no other employees outside of the seasonal harvesters and pruners.

Today, the estate covers 20 hectares (49.42 acres) and sells 100 000 bottles of wine a year from a wide range of wines. In January 2016 both sons, Thomas and Pierre, joined the family business and created an EARL society.



Appellation

AOP Beaujolais Villages Rosé

Region

Beaujolais

Varietals

Gamay

Wine Color

Rosé

Year of Vine Planting

1976

Terroir

Sandy and granitic soils
Southeast facing slopes

Surface Area

1 hectares

Yield

52 hl/ha

Hand Harvested

Yes

Vinification

Direct pressing
Estate bottled

Additional Information

The Beaujolais-Villages Rosé is crafted by pressing the grapes after just one short day of maceration, allowing the juice to take on a hint of color. It is then vinified in the same way as a white wine, in stainless steel vats at low temperatures.

Beaujolais-Villages Rosé, with its rose petal hue, gives off fresh fruit and citrus aromas; it has great length.