



MONTINORE ESTATE

Vivacé

Willamette Valley, Oregon



APPELLATION
WILLAMETTE VALLEY

VINEYARD
MONTINORE ESTATE

SOIL
**LAURELWOOD
CORNELIUS**

AVERAGE VINE AGE
35 YEARS

VARIETIES
**GEWÜRZTRAMINER
MÜLLER-THURGAU
PINOT GRIS
RIESLING**

FERMENTATION
STAINLESS STEEL

pH
3.17

TA
6.6

RESIDUAL SUGAR
1.6%

ALCOHOL
12.3%

WINEMAKER
STEPHEN WEBBER

BOTTLING DATE
MARCH 2018

RELEASE DATE
JULY 2018

THE WINEMAKING

Vivacé is a sparkling wine entirely crafted from 100% Organic and Biodynamic® grapes grown on Montinore Estate's home vineyard. Here we have over 80 acres dedicated to growing white wine grape varieties. Four different, primarily Alsatian, varieties from the estate contribute to this sparkling beauty. Each variety is fermented and finished separately, with choices about acid and residual sugar made individually for each wine, to maximize freshness and retain bright flavors ideal for an aromatic sparkling white wine blend. Using a variety of yeasts, mostly indigenous, the length of fermentations and the amount of time spent on lees is varied. All of this is done in consideration of how each varietal will work together in the final sparkling blend. The Müller-Thurgau and Gewürztraminer are crafted to offer floral and delicate notes, while the Pinot Gris and Riesling are nurtured to provide brightness and texture.

THE WINE

Vivacé is Italian for "in a brisk, spirited manner," which is the perfect descriptor for this aromatic sparkling white wine blend. Estate-grown Gewürztraminer, Müller-Thurgau, Pinot Gris and Riesling are artfully blended to highlight the best qualities of each varietal. The beautiful plants adorning the label depict biodynamic preparations we lovingly apply to our vineyard.

The result is a fragrant nose of orange blossom, lemon, lime, honey and a hint of ginger while the exuberant palate features juicy green apple, ripe melon, lime zest and citrus confectionary. A wine that still has nice structure and a lasting finish, Vivacé is bubbly and easy-drinking. It's a delightful and refreshing sipper for any occasion.



Made with Demeter-Certified Biodynamic Grapes
Certified Organic by Stellar Certification

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