## Alain Jaume Bellissime Cotes du Rhone Rosé

**Alain Jaume ( Grand Veneur )** 

France - Rhone Valley - Cotes du Rhone AOC

Bellissime means beautiful, or magnificent, which is how a lot of people describe the Provencal lifestyle: sunny most of the year, gorgeous small of garrigue around the area (thyme, lavender, rosemary) as well as the legendary sound of the cicadas (cigales).

Salmon-pink color, clear and brilliant. The nose is fruity and spicy, reminiscent of wild strawberry and fine Provencal spices. The palate is full, well-balanced and fruity, with a long, fresh finish. A beautiful and delicate rosé.

<b>Specifications</b>	
Appellation	Cotes du Rhone AOC
Wine Type	Rosé
Varietals	50% Grenache Noir, 30% Cinsault, 20% Syrah (2020); 50% Grenache Noir, 25% Cinsault, 20% Syrah and 5% Mourvedre (2019)
Age of Vines	Between 4 and 10 years old
Agricultural Practices	Organic
Certifications	Ecocert
Soil type	limestone terrace with sand and red clay
Vinification	Starting with the 2020 vintage, this is made from grapes coming from specific vineyards dedicated to rosé production. Upon harvest, no skin contact maceration is being performed, the grapes are immediately pressed. This way, it is much easier to control the intensity and body of the wine. Fermentation in stainless steel at cool temperature. Bottling 5 months after harvest. When the wine was first introduced in 2019, it was 50% direct press and 50% skin contact maceration.
Production	1,250 (9-liter cases)
Pairings	Aperitif, charcuterie, tapas. Anything type of picnic-food as well!



Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	7 84585 02581 7
Units/Case	6
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
scc	1 07 84585 02581 4
SRP	\$ 20.99 USD 750mL Bottle

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