



## Reviews & Accolades

### **CRISTAL ROSÉ 2009**

#### THE CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

July 2017

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Gold Medal

#### WINE ENTHUSIAST

Roger Voss, December 2016

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95 points

Still young but already impressive, this new vintage of Cristal Rose is dry and perfumed, packed with fruit and tightened by acidity. It features red fruit, zesty blood orange and ripe apple flavors. Because it is young and because it is dry, the wine needs to age.

#### THE WINE ADVOCATE

September 2010

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94 - 96 Points

The 2009 Cristal Rose is simply fabulous. It is shaping up to be an explosive, kaleidoscopic Champagne loaded with sumptuous fruit. The balance and pedigree here are simply mind-bending. In 2009 Cristal Rose is 60% Pinot Noir from Ay and 40% Chardonnay from Mesnil and Avize. Not a bad combination! Approximately 12% of the wine was aged in oak. This will be a fascinating Champagne to follow in the coming years and decades.