



## Clairette rose Rs



### Name of vine variety in France

Clairette rose

### Origin

This variety is the pink mutation of Clairette B.

### Synonymy

No synonym is officially recognized in France, nor in other countries of the European Union.

### Regulations

In France, Clairette rose Rs is officially listed in the "Catalogue of vine varieties".

### Use

Wine, table grape and eaux-de-vie vine variety

### Evolution of area under vines in France

	1958	1968	2000	2008	2016
ha	427	393	362	293	147

### Description

The description corresponds to Clairette B, except the skin color of the berries when ripe is pink.

### Genetic profile

Microsatellite	VVS2	VVMD5	VVMD7	VVMD27	VRZAG62	VRZAG79	VVMD25	VVMD28	VVMD32
Allel 1	135	223	239	176	186	252	240	227	255
Allel 2	149	229	249	188	204	252	262	257	261

## Phenology

Bud burst: 7 days after Chasselas.  
Grape maturity: period III, 4to and 1/2 weeks after Chasselas.

## Suitability for cultivation and agronomic production

Aptitudes are close to Clairette B.

## Sensitivity to diseases and pests

Clairette rose Rs susceptibilities and tolerances are identical to Clairette B.

## Technological potential

The grape clusters are large and the berries are moderate in size. White wine making using this variety produces interesting results in terms of quality. However, the risk of color extraction of the wine can be detrimental.

## Clonal selection in France

The only approved Clairette rose Rs clone carries the number 1003. A conservatory with 20 or so clones was set up in spring 2007 in the Bellegarde (Gard) vineyards.

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## Description of clones approved in France

Clone number	Identity and availability		Agronomic data		Technical data	
	Origin	Selection	Fertility	Production level	Sugar content	Potential color
	Year approved	Agronomic references	Weight of grape bunches	Vigor	Total acidity	Tannic structure
	Growing surface area		Size of berries	Sensitivity to Botrytis	Aromatic intensity	Oenological aptitudes
1003	Ardèche	ENTAV				
	1993	Languedoc				

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Clone conforms with vine variety characteristics.



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