



## 2017 Balancing Act Rosé

**Production** 355 cases

**Blend** 96% Cabernet Franc, 2% Mourvèdre and 2% Sangiovese

**Appellation** Washington

**Vineyards** 76% Weinbau (Wahluke Slope), 24% Olsen Brothers (Yakima Valley)

**Alcohol** 12.3%

**Cooperage** 100% stainless steel

### **Winemaking**

Dropped straight into the press, the juice is pumped directly into stainless steel vessels where the wine ferments without any juice to skin contact.

### **Tasting Note**

While there was no skin contact during fermentation, due to the varietal blend this wine is pale salmon in color. On the nose, aromas of tart cranberries and freshly peeled red apple skins swirl from the glass, which are reconfirmed on the palate along with juicy kiwi and a hint of spearmint. Bright acidity leads this to be a refreshing wine that pairs perfectly with summer.