

APPELLATION
San Diego County

SOIL

Granite

VINE AGE

34

**ELEVATION** 

855 feet

**HARVEST** 

September 2nd, 2014

**VARIETIES** 

67% Grenache / 33% Carignan

**FERMENTATION** 

Direct to press, fermented in tank

**AGEING** 

9 months on gross lees in tank

ACIDITY

 $5.0 \,\mathrm{g/L}$ 

PH

3.31

ALCOHOL

13.2%

BOTTLED

July 14, 2015

**PRODUCTION** 

209 cases

## 2014 McCormick Ranch Rosé

When moving back home to San Diego county in 2009, McCormick Ranch was the first vineyard on my mind. Knowing that the vines are older than myself, I thought it was a great place to start exploring the potential of the region.

## Vineyard Notes

The vineyards at McCormick Ranch were established in 1981, 23 miles from the Pacific Ocean at an elevation of 855 feet on Visalia sandy loam soils. The trellising consists of California sprawl with 11' X 7' spacing.

## Vintage Notes

Harvested early in the morning on September 2nd, the clusters went straight into the press. Primary fermentation took place without inoculation. After 9 months on lees the wine was racked to bottle without filtration.

