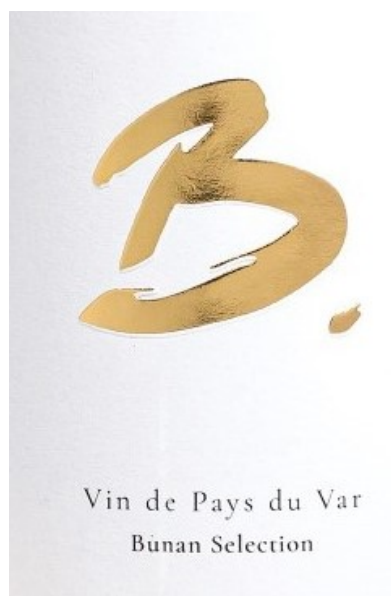


DOMAINES BUNAN

B DE BUNAN ROSÉ VIN DE PAYS DU VAR



Throughout the ages, the lords of the medieval Chateau of le Castellet kept their table supplied with wines from the same legendary terraces which are now known as Moulin des Costes, named for the 18th century Provençal manor house which still overlooks the property. In 1961, brothers Paul and Pierre Bunan purchased this vineyard in the hills above the port of Bandol. The vineyard area is a single plot of 36 acres in the area around the medieval village of le Castellet. Its subsoil is composed of limestone, sandstone and marl. The total yield of the vineyard is approximately 6,000 cases. Over time they have renewed the vineyards, planting the classic Bandol varietals Mourvèdre, Grenache and Cinsault. Their wines enjoy a great reputation among the Mediterranean resort towns from Marseille to Nice, as well as a healthy export market. The grapes on the estate are farmed organically. To round out their offerings, Laurent Bunan has created “B de Buan”, his value selection of a traditional Provençal rosé.

Region:	Provence
Appellation:	Vin de Pays du Var
Owner:	Laurent Bunan
Established:	1961
Farming Practices:	Traditional
Soil:	Limestone, sandstone, marl
Grape Varieties:	Cinsault, Grenache and Syrah (varies by vintage)
Avg Age of Vines:	15 years
Yield/Hectare	55 hl/ha
Avg Production:	60,000 bottles

Vinification and Elevage: Direct pressing of the grapes from September to mid-October. Fermentation in stainless steel vats. Blending in December/January and bottled in early February. Finished in a screw cap closure for added freshness.

Tasting Notes: Brilliant salmon pink color. Expressive red fruit bouquet of strawberries, red currants and watermelon. Delicate hints of apricot. Aromatic, crisp and refreshing, Provence in a glass!

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