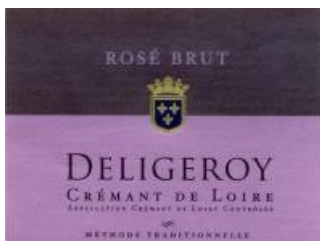
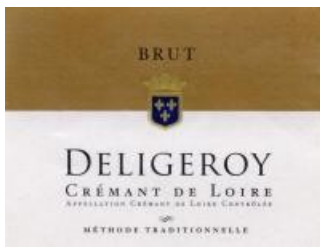


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LOIRE VALLEY
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OVERVIEW

The Alliance Loire is the largest co-operative representing small independent growers in the Loire Valley. The Loire is home to not only fine wine growers but a large percentage of produce farmers which supplies the bulk of France's fruits and vegetables. The Deligeroy pair of sparkling wines are made from grapes grown around the town of Saumur in the east, central portion of the Loire Valley, which is southwest of Paris.

Varieties: Chardonnay,
Chenin Blanc, Cabernet
Franc

Total Acreage:
150 acres

Average Production:
50,000 cases

VINEYARD/CELLAR PRACTICES

- All the fruit was harvested by hand
- Only the best bunches are selected and sent to the press where they are pressed under gentle pressure in state of the art presses designed for sparkling wine production.
- After primary fermentation, the best juice is selected and then blended to go into heavy bottles for the secondary fermentation to produce the wine's fine bubbles. Before finishing, the wine spends at least 1 year on its yeast in order to produce greater complexity.

WINES

Cremant de Loire Blanc

A blend of Chenin Blanc, Chardonnay and Cabernet Franc. This bubbly is fresh and lively with fine and persistent bubbles. Crisp melon and pear fruit combine with an incisive mineral cut to give us a delicious super value sparkling wine. Perfect for making any celebration extra special.

Cremant de Loire Rose

Made from 100% Cabernet Franc. Full of berry fruit character with a creamy texture. Its moderate pink color doesn't prepare you for the crisp, lightly smoky blast of raspberry fruit and the dry, pure finish. An equally festive partner to its pale gold sibling. This bubbly can make any occasion a cause to rejoice.