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I have three passions: wine, cycling, travel, family, and math.



The Fifth Annual Largest Blind Tasting of American True Rosés—Flights 9-11

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A couple of weeks ago, seven of us tried 68 American Rosés, trying to find the best. As promised, I am publishing my actual notes from the tasting, which we tasted in 17 flights of four wines. Here are flights 9-11:



2020 Domaine Carneros Pinot Noir Avant Garde, Carneros, CA:

Retail \$30. Light in color, equal parts pink and orange. Lovely on the nose, more floral than fruity. Nice. The palate is quite balanced with rich fruit, a mineral aspect. Lengthy finish.

OUTSTANDING. OUTSTANDING. 93 POINTS.