



# Ruffino Aqua di Venus 2022

Ruffino, a historic name in Italian winemaking, was founded in 1877 and is known for producing some of Italy's most iconic wines. Located in Tuscany, Ruffino embraces a philosophy of crafting wines that reflect their heritage and terroir. The Ruffino Aqua di Venus 2022 is a vibrant and elegant rosé crafted from Tuscany's coastal vineyards, offering fresh flavors of citrus and red berries with a crisp, mineral finish.



### General Information

- Producer: Ruffino
- Appellation: Toscana IGT, Italy
- Varietal Composition: Predominantly Sangiovese, Syrah, and Pinot Grigio
- Vintage: 2022
- Alcohol Content: 12.5%
- Volume: 750ml



#### Vineyard and Terroir

- **Location**: Coastal vineyards situated in Tuscany, benefiting from Mediterranean breezes that enhance freshness.
- **Soil Type**: Sandy and clay-rich soils, contributing to the wine's minerality and vibrancy.
- **Viticulture Practices**: Sustainable practices to maintain the natural balance and health of the vineyards.

#### Winemaking

- **Harvest**: Hand-harvested at optimal ripeness to preserve the delicate fruit aromas.
- **Vinification**: The grapes are gently pressed, and fermentation takes place at controlled temperatures in stainless steel tanks to retain freshness and aromatic intensity.
- **Aging**: Minimal aging in stainless steel to maintain the bright and fresh character of the wine.





### Tasting Notes

- Appearance: Pale pink with delicate reflections.
- Aroma: Fresh notes of peach, red berries, and floral hints.
- **Palate**: Crisp and refreshing, with flavors of citrus, watermelon, and subtle minerality.
- Finish: Clean and vibrant, with a pleasant, lingering aftertaste.
- **Aging Potential**: Best enjoyed young, within 1-2 years to preserve its freshness.

## Food Pairing

• **Recommended Pairings:** Perfect as an aperitif or paired with light salads, seafood dishes, and Mediterranean cuisine.

## **Sustainable Practices and Certifications**

• **Sustainable Winemaking**: Ruffino is committed to sustainability through its Ruffino Cares initiative, focusing on organic farming by 2025, water conservation, and precision viticulture. They've implemented advanced irrigation and wastewater treatment systems and use solar power to reduce their environmental footprint. This initiative integrates responsible practices across production, from vineyard management to recyclable packaging.

### Awards and Recognition

 Aqua di Venus has received acclaim for its freshness and balance, becoming a standout choice among Tuscan rosé wines for its elegance and approachability.

#### **Producer's Notes**

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Ruffino Aqua di Venus 2022 is a refined and refreshing rosé that embodies the coastal essence of Tuscany, offering a vibrant and enjoyable wine perfect for any occasion.