



CÔTE WEST ROSÉ OF COUNOISE

Côte West is a family-run urban winery based in Oakland, California, that seeks out special vineyard sites and uses minimal intervention in the winery to highlight the unique characteristics of its sources. The result is new-world wines with old world (read Burgundian) restraint. It's the brainchild of Bret Hogan aided and abetted by his wife Kerrie.



VINEYARD

- Site:** Mounts Family Vineyard in Dry Creek Valley, California. A hardy vineyard site with plenty of sun.
- Soil:** Striking red, rocky soils rich in volcanic deposits.
- Vines:** This Cunoise was grafted to a devigorating rootstock to minimize yields with a focus on quality. The vineyard team makes multiple passes in the rows through the growing season to drop fruit.
- Varieties:** Cunoise.

CELLAR

- Vinification & Aging:** Made from whole cluster pressed Cunoise. Aged four months in stainless steel.
- Production:** ~170 cases.
- Profile:** Intensely aromatic, bright and perfumed red fruits. A dry rosé with a rich body and lively acidity. Very versatile.