

# La Croix du Prieur

# Côtes de Provence

2014

Silver medal at the World Wine Award Decanter 2015 Commended medal at the International Wine Challenge 2015 87 Wine spectator june 2015 86 Wine enthusaist 2015 Silver at IWSC International Wine and spirit competition 2015

#### TERROIR

La Croix de Prieur is Château Coussin's second wine, produced in the heart of the Trets terroir. It is made from a plot that belonged to the monks of the Abbey of Saint Victor in Marseille, in the Middle Ages.

### VINEYARD

Average age of vines: 30 years Grenache 60 % Cinsault 30% Syrah 10% Yield: 50 hl/ha. Minimum use of pesticide approach (Agriculture raisonnée)

#### VINIFICATION

Direct pressing of the destemmed grapes in stainless steel temperature-controlled presses, and then temperature-controlled fermentation in stainless steel vats.

## TASTING NOTES

A fleshy pale pink color A fresh nose of pineapple and pink grapefruit The exotic fruits persist into a lengthy finish

#### MATCHING FOOD & WINE

This rosé is perfect from pre-dinner drink to barbecue. Serve chilled

