

Côtes du Rhône 2014

Wine advocate

CHATEAU DE SAINT COSME Côtes du Rhône Le Poste Blanc 2014 – 90 points

“Coming all from the second terrace of the le Poste vineyard in Gigondas (there’s no white wines allowed under the Gigondas AOC, so this is released as a Cotes du Rhone), the 2014 Cotes du Rhone Le Poste Blanc is 100% Clairette, from vines planted in 1963, that’s raised all in older barrels. It offers terrific notes of mulled pears, buttered citrus, lemon curd and a kiss of minerality as well as medium-bodied richness, lively acidity and outstanding length. It’s beautiful now, but this cuvee also ages gracefully and has a broad drink window.”

Wine spectator

CHÂTEAU DE ST.-COSME

Côtes du Rhône White Le Poste 2014

Score: 91

Release Price \$56

Country France

Region Southern Rhône

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Tasting Note

Frankly ripe, with a core of creamed pear, melon and peach flavors. A good spine is buried within and an enticing singed hazelnut edge on the finish adds energy. Drink now. 33 cases made.

–JM