



## DOMAINE PASCAL COTAT

### Vin de Table Rosé Chavignol

Cotat Sancerre (from both Pascal and his cousin François) is simply some of the most singular Sauvignon Blanc in the world. Now alongside his chosen, trusted winemaking heir, Aymeric Fleuriet, Pascal Cotat crafts uncanny wines that defy both time and definition. These are wines that can age for decades effortlessly, and that marry a plush richness with a laser-like cut and energy. Cotat as a rule harvests by hand and very late, as pushing ripeness to the extreme is one element that gives his wines their iconic weighty texture and complexity.

**WINERY:** Domaine Pascal Cotat

**WINEMAKER:** Aymeric Fleuriet (with Pascal Cotat)

**ESTABLISHED:** 1940s

**REGION:** FRANCE • Loire Valley • Sancerre

**APPELLATION:** Vin de France

**BLEND:** 100% Pinot Noir

**VINEYARDS:** Estate vines are located in Sancerre, on a combination of limestone and clay soils. The plot itself has been declassified, as part of an ongoing spat with local authorities (they want to build a parking lot).

**AGE OF VINES:** 60+ years

**WINEMAKING:** Hand-harvested. Macerated briefly for color. Pressed; fermented on indigenous yeasts in tank. Aged in older, large tonneaux. Bottled unfinned and unfiltered.

**TASTING IMPRESSIONS:** Aromas of citrus zest, red apple, summer berries, light herbs. Textured yet very dry. Stone fruits, crushed stones, light pepper.

**PAIRING SUGGESTIONS:** Rich seafood; aged cheese; white meats



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