



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Château Coutet 2013 1er Cru Barsac

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<b>Price</b>	£42.49
<b>Code</b>	COUT035

Owned by Mouton Rothschild, Château Coutet covers 12 hectares in the Barsac region of Sauternes and has been producing classic wines for over 200 years. The average age of the wines is 35 years. The grapes are entirely hand-picked in several waves and pressed three times on vertical basket presses. The wine ages in oak for 18 months.

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### Tasting Notes:

Very ripe, honeyed fruit, reminiscent of creme brûlée but also a hint of terroir. Lots of energy on the palate, very well balanced, great acidity and super length.

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Specification	
ABV	14%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink now through to 2030
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Sauternes
Type	Dessert Wine
Grape Mix	75% Sémillon, 23% Sauvignon Blanc, 2% Mucadelle
Vintage	2013
Style	Sweet
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Coutet Barsac
Producer Overview	An English fortress built in the 13th Century, this citadel with its square tower, a design typical of the era's military constructions, became a wine producing estate in 1643.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Delicious with a crème brulee.