

CINSAULT

ORIGIN: Southern France

USE: Mouthfeel



CLUSTERS: Medium to large; well-filled, long conical; long peduncles

BERRIES: Large; long oval, purple-black

MISC: FKA Black Malvoisie in California, Cinsaut



LEAVES: Medium; deeply 5-lobed with U-shaped petiolar sinus; lateral sinuses have V-notch at base and occasional teeth in superior lateral sinuses; long, sharp teeth; sparse, cobwebby tufted hairs on lower leaf surface.

SHOOT TIPS: Felty white with pink-red margin; young leaves deep green with bronze-red highlights.

GROWTH: Spreading habit; medium vigor with moderately open canopy.



“Adds richness and length to mouthfeel, large berries contribute (on a small level) to quantity.”