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Welcome to Jeff Cohn Cellars. Single vineyard Rhône-centric and Zinfandel wines that walk a tightrope, balancing the pure expression of California fruit with the Rhône-influenced winemaking of vintner Jeff Cohn.



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## 2015 Zio Tony Ranch Syrah

**Russian River Valley** 





**JEB** DUNNUCK **94 Pts** The **2015** 

Syrah Zio Tony Ranch is a sensational effort that's sourced from a site in the Russian River Valley. This is a cooler region best known for Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, but there are some awesome cool-climate Syrahs produced from this region as well. This 2015 (from a warmer, low yielding vintage) offers a huge nose of blackcurrants, plums, spiced meats, and cedary herbs. Deep, medium to full-bodied, and impeccably balanced, it has good acidity, sweet tannin, and no hard edges, all making for one brilliant Syrah.

93 Pts Combines polish with good structure, offering expressive rose

**Wine Spectator** 

petal and blackberry aromas and plump raspberry, licorice and bitter chocolate flavors, focused by a lively core of refined tannins.

tumps 92 Pts The 2015 Syrah Zio Tony Ranch is very deep purple-black in color with a nose of crème de cassis, blackberry pie and blueberry preserves with licorice, black pepper and fertile earth hints. The palate is full-bodied and chock-full of expressive black and blue fruit preserves with a ripe, rounded tannin frame and plenty of freshness, finishing long and peppery.

92 Pts Nicely ripened, nicely focused and nice in all the right places, this concentrated effort runs a little further to smoked meat and caramelized fat than the other Cohn entries and makes

its own very substantial statement. Its fruit starts with blackberry and adds a twist or two of black pepper as well and stays in focus from first to last. It is not quite as boldly structured as some of its siblings but is sure to last a half-decade and more, and in some ways, is a tad more polished in style.

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