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**Appellation:** 100% Livermore Valley, San Francisco Bay

**Varietal Content:** 71% Counoise, 29% Syrah

**Winemaker:** Karl D. Wente

**Alcohol:** 13.7%

**pH:** 3.64

**Total Acid:** 0.53 g/100ml

**Residual Sugar:** 0.03% RS

**Vineyard:** Sourced entirely from our Marina block in the Livermore Valley, these grapes were ultra-farmed, handpicked into half-ton bins, and hand sorted in order to ensure premium quality. The grapes were gently crushed into stainless steel tanks and pumped over twice daily in order to maximize color and tannin extraction until primary fermentation was completed prior to moving into barrel”.

**Fermentation:** After being handpicked, the grapes completed primary fermentation in stainless steel tanks.

**Aging:** The Counoise was aged in French, Eastern European and American oak for 9 months. The Syrah was aged in French, Eastern European and American oak for 11 months.

**Description:** This wine exhibits a wonderful blend of ripe raspberry, cranberry, and light chocolate mocha aromas. Enjoy flavors of raspberry, cherry and cranberry, nicely rounded tannins and a black cherry and vanilla finish.

**History:** Founded 125 years ago, Wente Vineyards is the country's oldest continuously operated family-owned winery. Owned and managed today by the fourth and fifth generations of the Wente family, the winery draws from nearly 3,000 acres of estate vineyards in the Livermore Valley, San Francisco Bay, and Arroyo Seco, Monterey winegrowing regions to make an outstanding portfolio of wines.

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