

## **JAVIER OCHOA SERIES**

Reserva 2013

Bodegas Ochoa: Bodegas: Since 1845 the Ochoa family has been making wine in Navarra, Spain. Javier Ochoa has passed the torch to the 6th generation; his two daughters Adriana and Beatriz Ochoa. Adriana has had extensive training in winemaking in Bordeaux and Australia and awarded 'Best Young Female Winemaker in Spain' by several wine publications. With the previous momentum of her father's work, Adriana pushes Ochoa forward with the help of her sister Beatriz who manages marketing and sales. Their 145 acres of vineyards and olive orchards are farmed according to European organic certification guidelines (certified as of 2018) along with the use of sustainable agricultural and winemaking processes.

Tasting notes: Floral fruity aromas with spicey edges of cacao and pepper. A round mouth with ripe dark broody fruits, tobacco box spices, and crushed velvet tannins that fill the whole mouth with balanced acidity to keep the ample fruit lingering on.

Winemakers: Created by Javier Ochoa, now made by 6th generation Adriana

Appellation: DO Navarra

Grapes: 60% Tempranillo, 30% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon Soil: Calcareous clay and stones with high drainage capacity Elevation: 1,312 ft

Vineyard practice Tempranillo is coming from Finca Santa Cruz. The Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon are grown in Finca Montijo the oldest estate. Sustainable practices, with beginning transition to European organic.

Vine Age: Tempranillo 25 years, Merlot/Cab 35 years Yield: 1.5 tons per acre Harvest Dates: 1<sup>st</sup> week of September

Fermentation: 10 days of Fermentation at 75.2<sup>o</sup> F with native yeast Ageing: After fermentation, the wine is blended and aged 18 months in new 225 L French and American oak, plus an additional 5 years in bottle before release.

TA: 5.1 RS: 1.5 gram per liter Alc: 14% UPC: 7 50428 61007 6

D.O. Navarra: The Pyrenees mountains in the north, the Bardenas Reales desert in the south, and the Bay of Biscay (San Sebastian) one hour away, creates an interesting confluence of 3 climates; Atlantic, Continental and Mediterranean traveling north to south. This combined with a range of soils, altitude, sunshine and rainfall all packed into an area of 120 miles north to south and 60 miles east to west, allows for this small region to produce a variety of styles of wines from many different varieties. Very few wine regions can offer this level of quality in white, rose and dessert wines all in one viticultural area.

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