

VIÑA BUJANDA



PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: Familia Martínez
Bujanda
Winemaker: Lauren Rosillo
Total acreage under vine: 300
Estate founded: 1889
Winery production: 740,000 Bottles
Region: DOCa Rioja
Country: Spain

Vina Bujanda Gran Reserva 2009

WINE DESCRIPTION

Viña Bujanda Gran Reserva, made of 100% Tempranillo, comes from Rioja Alta and Alavesa areas. Grapes are grown in clay and harvested during the first week of October. The wine is then fermented in stainless steel tanks for 12 days and aged in oak for 26 months before it is ready to enjoy. The resulting wine shows intense complexity and great aging potential.

TASTING NOTES

FOOD PAIRING

Medium and well matured cheeses. Strong and powerful stews. Steamed vegetables, legumes and chicken soup

VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Vineyard name:	Rioja Alta and Alavesa
Vineyard size:	300 acres
Soil composition:	Clay
Training method:	Bush and Espalier
Elevation:	1,485 feet
Vines/acre:	1,200
Yield/acre:	2.4 tons
Exposure:	Eastern / Western
Year vineyard planted:	1977
Harvest time:	October
First vintage of this wine:	2004
Bottles produced of this wine:	80,000

WINEMAKING & AGING

Varietal composition:	100% Tempranillo
Fermentation container:	Stainless steel tanks
Length of alcoholic fermentation:	12 days
Fermentation temperature:	82 °F
Maceration technique:	Pumpovers
Length of maceration:	6 days
Malolactic fermentation:	Yes
Type of aging container:	Barriques
Size of aging container:	225 L
Age of aging container:	Less than six years
Type of oak:	French and American
Length of aging before bottling:	26 months
Length of bottle aging:	5 years

ANALYTICAL DATA

Alcohol:	12.98% %
pH level:	3.5
Residual sugar:	2.7 g/L
Acidity:	6.1 g/L
Dry extract:	32.0 g/L