

2014

MACÁN CLÁSICO

Macán Clásico is a wine that is firmly rooted in its region of origin, the Sonsierra in La Rioja, where the slopes of the Sierra de Cantabria amass centuries of wine growing and wine making tradition, knowledge and culture. It reflects the freshness, fruitiness, vivacity and delicacy of the terroir, plus additional depth and complexity. Red wine wholly made using the Tempranillo variety. Grapes from parcels of limestone soil with sandy clay.

Macán Clásico 2014 offers us the purest expression of Rioja Tempranillo. This is a fresh, jovial and pleasurable wine.

VINEYARD CYCLE

The heavy rainfall and cool temperatures of winter resulted in the late start of the vineyard cycle. The situation straightened itself out thanks to a spring and early summer with high temperatures and well-distributed rain that fell at key times for the optimal development of the plants. These favorable conditions, which meant an absence of sanitary complications in the vineyard, were further enhanced by the heat of July and August. Although the cycle began a little later, veraison was accelerated to the point of happening earlier than in an average year.

The harvest took place in the last week of September and first of October and, despite the high temperatures and intermittent rains, the grapes were of very good quality



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SCORES

PARKER: 92+ | JAMES SUCKLING: 95
PEÑÍN GUIDE: 93 | GOURMETS: 97

GENERAL INFORMATION

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 14,5 %

VARIETY: Tempranillo

AVERAGE AGE OF VINEYARD: 30 years

AREA: 92 ha
(San Vicente de la Sonsierra, Labastida, Álalos, Navaridas and Elvillar)

PLANTING DENSITY: 3.333 plants/ha

ALTITUDE: 480 m

YIELD: 3.500 kg/ha

HARVEST: Hand-picked in 12-kg boxes

PRODUCTION

68.468 Bordeaux bottles,
1.042 Magnums, 35 Double Magnums
and 13 Imperials

BOTTLING DATE

May 2016

STORAGE, DRINKING WINDOW AND SERVING

These wines are ready for drinking now but may potentially be stored for approximately 10-15 years under optimum conditions, at a constant temperature of 15 °C and 60% relative humidity.

Optimum drinking temperature is 18 °C.

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