

Llàgrimes de tardor Grenache 2020

Style

Full bodied and fruity Grenache Terra Alta PDO

Viticulture

Region: Terra Alta, Southern Catalonia

Grapes: 100% Grenache from selected vineyards

Vineyard's age: 33 years old

Growing and conduction system: conventional agriculture, mostly bush vines

About 2020 vintage

Harvest yield: 4,694 kg/ha

Local weather from October 2019 to September 2020: 15.1° average temperature and 787 mm of rainfall. It is one of the rainiest vintages in living memory. The growth of the vineyard took place in extraordinary humidity conditions and under great pressure from pests caused by fungi. These conditions gave us a high yields ever. Despite these factors, maturation took place in good temperature conditions and dry weather, obtaining very healthy grapes.

Elaboration

Harvest date: from 4th to 5th September, selected and picked by hand

Elaboration: traditional in stainless steel vats. Exclusively finned with vegetable origin products.

Aging: 20% of the wine during 4 months in 225 and 300 L French oak barrels and a minimum of 3 months in bottle

Bottling date: September 2021

Production: 8.043 bot. 750 ml

Stopper: natural cork 44 x 24 mm

Alcohol content: 15.15 % by Vol.

Total acidity: 4.9 g/l expressed in tartaric acid

Total sugar: 0.8 g/l

Tasting notes & suggestions

Intense red colour. Its shows clearly the Grenache character in southern Ebro River Valley: fruity, fresh and full bodied. Under good storage conditions, this wine will preserve its characteristics until the fifth year (2025). Serve at 14° C.

Awards & wine guides

2017: 9.69 points at Guia de Vins de Catalunya 2022

2016: Recommended wine by Decanter World Wine Awards 2020

