

# Viña Bujanda Gran Reserva 2014



**VINEYARD:** Rioja Alta & Rioja Alavesa

**VARIETY:** 100% Tempranillo

**D.O.:** Calificada Rioja

**CATEGORY:** Gran Reserva

**ALCOHOL DEGREE:** 13% v/v.

**TOTAL ACIDITY:** 6,2 g/l. Tártrica

**HARVEST DATE:** 4<sup>th</sup> week of September

**BOTTLING DATE:** July 2017

**VINIFICATION:** Fermentation in stainless steel temperature-controlled vats. 21 days maceration.

**AGEING:** 24 months in French and American oak barriques.

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## VINTAGE REPORT

The main characteristic of this year was the lack of rainfall in spring and a mild summer which gave a uniform and total ripening. The rain during the harvest marked two vintages, one before and one after.

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## TASTING NOTES

### Colour:

Intense cherry colour with blue rim, Bright and crystalline.

### Nose:

Elegant and complex with hints of woodwork, vanilla, cigar-box and spices. Recall of blackberry, plums in liqueur.

### Palate:

Intense with a big volume developing on the palate, showing a big freshness and elegance. Well balanced acidity with the alcohol. Rounded and rich. Long finish.

### Food Pairing:

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



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