## valde lacierva <sub>Rioja</sub>



## Bodegas Valdelacierva Campo Alto Crianza

D.O.Ca. Rioja

Type: Crianza Variety: Tempranillo Alcoholic content: 15% Vintage: 2017 Bottle type: Bordeaux Bottle size: 75 cl Harvest: Hand picked Winemaker: Emma Villajos Vineyard: Selected plots in San Asensio and Cenicero Type of soil: Sandy and clayey loam soils Altitude: 433 - 694 meters Vineyard age: Over 40 years old Yield (kg/ha): 5.500

Founded in 1988, Bodegas Valdelacierva belongs to Hispanobodegas Group which owns wineries in the three most important Appellations in Spain: Rioja, Ribera del Duero and Rueda. Valdelacierva is located in the very same heart of the Rioja Alta (Navarrete) and it has 200 hectares of vineyards, which are divided into small plots with vines that are between 25 and 130 years old. The winery has a young and dynamic personality and it is focused on making wines where the soil and the Tempranillo variety are their indisputable protagonists.

## **Production:**

The grapes are selected taking into account the plot they come from and their maturation degree, being hand picked. Fermentation is carried at controlled temperatures of 25 °C - 28°C for 5 - 7 days. Post fermentative maceration takes between 12 - 15 days at 22 °C in order to completely extract the polyphenols. The wine is aged in American (80 %) and French (20 %) oak barrels for 12 months, being rounded in the bottle afterwards for at least 3 months.

## **Tasting notes:**



Visual

Cherry red

colour with ruby

gleam

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Nose

Medium intensity.

Roasted notes with

fruity finish

Palate Sweet and structured entry

Velvetv finish



Serving Temperature

12°C-14°C

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