## Arzuaga Ribera del Duero Reserva Especial

## **Bodegas Arzuaga**

## Spain - Castilla y Leon - Ribera del Duero

The wine shows an intense, deep red with purple nuances. Complex, concentrated, and intense on the nose with aromas of ripe black fruits, mint, and cocoa. A mineral and light background of toasted and caramelized tones dominate. Very elegant and complex aromas that evolve favorably throughout the tasting. In the mouth it is fresh and gentle. Elegant mouthfeel, fresh and well-textured, and a long finish that recalls the fruity, spicy and caramelized aromas.

<b>Specifications</b>	
Appellation	Ribera del Duero
Wine Type	Red
Varietals	95% Tempranillo and 5% Albillo
Age of Vines	more than 100 years
Agricultural Practices	Sustainable
Soil type	Clay & Limestone
Vinification	After hand-harvesting, grapes were carefully sorted and whole bunches were directly vatted without the use of machine. Alcoholic fermentation occurred in wooden barrels and malolactic in new French oak. The wine was then aged for 24 months.
Production	737 (9-liter cases)
Pairings	Pair with red meats, roasted or in sauce, ground or bird game, soft or lightly cured cheeses and Bluefish.  Alternatively, try to leave a little for the end of the meal and enjoy it with a dessert of dark chocolate.



Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	7 84585 02635 7
Units/Case	6
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
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Case Weight	22
Cases/Pallet	98
Layers/Pallet	7
ABV	14.5%
SRP	\$ 111.99 USD 750mL Bottle

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2017 Arzuaga Ribera del Duero Reserva Especial - 96 PTS - Cellar Selection - WE

2015 Arzuaga Ribera del Duero Reserva Especial - 94 PTS - VINOUS

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