



2019 La Planta

Spain – Castilla y Leon – Ribera del Duero

ABOUT THE WINERY

Florentino Arzuaga founded Bodegas Arzuaga-Navarro in the early 1990's, after purchasing La Planta estate.

La Planta estate is in the heart of Arzuaga's extensive vineyards in Quintanilla de Onésimo. The estate, a hunting reserve & nature preserve purchased by Florentino in 1982, covers 1,500 hectares (3,700 acres/5.8 square miles). Within the estate are 150 hectares (370 acres) of prime vineyards planted with Tempranillo, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot & Chardonnay, as well as the family residence, and an extensive hunting reserve home to deer, wild boar & mouflon (a wild sheep, similar to the American bighorn).

The vineyards are situated at 900 meters (2,950 feet) above sea level, planted on some of the finest soils in Ribera del Duero's "Golden Mile". This terrain with its unique micro-climate and soils (mainly limestone & clay with some sand over limestone bedrock) are key ingredients that define the quality & freshness of Arzuaga's excellent wines.

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Deep violet red. Clean and bright with a range of red fruits (raspberry and cherry) that dominate with a high aromatic intensity, joined by balsamic, cacao, coffee, and roasted tones. Fresh, elegant, easy, and balanced in the mouth with a lightly sweet, toasted, and pleasant aftertaste.

RATINGS

91 pts James Suckling

Vintage	2019
Appellation	Ribera del Duero
Varietal(s)	100% Tempranillo
Soil Type	Clay & Limestone
Vinification	After destemming, grapes were pumped into stainless-steel vats where they macerated at a cool temperature and the alcoholic fermentation took place at 22-24°C. Once the fermentation was finished, the wine was aged for six months in French and American oak barrels.
Pairings	Fried fish, sausage, and white meats such as roasted poultry.
Size	12/750ml
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