Cepas Antiguas Tempranillo 2015 - 12x750

BODEGAS MARTINEZ CORTA
D.O.C. Rioja — Uruñuela, Rioja Alta

THE WINERY

Bodegas Martínez Corta family estate includes 225 acres of old-vine Tempranillo in the heart of Rioja Alta, and state-of-the-art winemaking facilities in a new bodega finished for the 2006 harvest.

THE WINE

Manually harvested from estate vineyards over 40 years of age in the Rioja Alta villages of Uruñuela, Cenicero and San Asensio. Black fruit aromas of plums and blueberries are followed by a rich and velvety palate and a lingering, refreshing finish.

DETAILS OF WINEMAKING & VITICULTURE

Grapes: Tempranillo

Vineyards: For three generations the Martínez family has been committed to sustainable organic viticulture of their 225 acres of 40-100 year old head-pruned vines, located within the Najerilla river valley in the heart of Rioja Alta.

Winemaking: Newly constructed gravity flow winery, whole berry fermentation and délestage techniques combine to produce nicely textured fruit from the deeply expressive iron-rich structure of their low yielding locally adapted Tempranillo vines. Malolactic fermentation for 2 months in new French oak.

Winemaker: Azucena Hervella

Alcohol: 13.5%