

## Gran Arzuaga Ribera del Duero

### Bodegas Arzuaga

#### Spain - Castilla y Leon - Ribera del Duero

Gran Arzuaga is a special cuvee coming from the selection of vineyards on the two banks of the Duero River. Tempranillo is planted in the Olivares de Duero area and Cabernet Sauvignon in La Planta estate that rich in limestone soils. Both areas bring richness and typical characters to the wine.

#### Tasting notes:

The wine has a bright cherry red color with violet rims. On the nose, it shows great aromatic complexity. In the first place, the primary aromas of red fruits such as blackberry predominate, herbaceous and floral touches that give way to tertiary aromas where balsamic and spicy aromas stand out. On the palate the wine is creamy and silky, with a fresh entry that quickly becomes meaty and unctuous as it goes through the mouth.

### Specifications

<b>Appellation</b>	Ribera del Duero
<b>Wine Type</b>	Red
<b>Varietals</b>	92% Tinto Fino (Tempranillo) and 8% Cabernet Sauvignon.
<b>Age of Vines</b>	Average 70 years
<b>Soil type</b>	Tempranillo and Cab Sauv planted on chalky soils. Albillo planted on clay, sand and stony vineyards.
<b>Vinification</b>	After carrying out the manual harvest, each variety separately, in boxes of no more than 10 kg and passing through the selection table, the Tempranillo is vatted in 500-litre French barrels and the Cabernet Sauvignon separately in the same type of barrels. After 4 days of cold maceration at 14°C, alcoholic fermentation began, reaching 29°C. 20 days were necessary to carry out the previous processes together with the post-fermentation maceration before introducing the wine into the 228-litre barrels. Malolactic fermentation and subsequent aging under its fine lees were carried out in them. For 35 months without making any movement or racking, the aging took place in the barrels of very fine grains mentioned above.
<b>Production</b>	350 (9-liter cases)
<b>Pairings</b>	Perfect with Roast Lamb, Meat Stews, and even dark Chocolate.



### Codes, Weights and Measures

<b>UPC</b>	7 84585 02970 9
<b>Units/Case</b>	6
<b>Unit Size</b>	750 mL
<b>Container</b>	bottle

<b>SCC</b>	1 07 84585 02970 6
<b>Case Weight</b>	22
<b>Cases/Pallet</b>	98
<b>Layers/Pallet</b>	7
<b>ABV</b>	15.00%
<b>SRP</b>	\$ 200.00 USD 750mL Bottle

## Reviews and News

2018 Gran Arzuaga Ribera del Duero - 94 PTS - JS  
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