



CONDESA DE LEGANZA

Wine Region: LA MANCHA, SPAIN

Date Established: 1994



CRIANZA:

100% Tempranillo. Complex and voluptuous aromas. Expressive berry fruit flavors lead into an elegant finish.

ROSADO:

100% Tempranillo.

88 Points

“Best Value” – *Wine Spectator*, March 2010

VERDEJO:

Aromas of tropical fruit, pineapple and citrus. Pleasant fresh fruit flavors conclude into a soft finish.

Condesa de Leganza wines originate at the 1,477-acre Finca los Trenzones estate in the Quintanar de la Orden district of southeast La Mancha. Thanks to pioneering new properties such as this, the La Mancha province of central Spain is starting to forge a well-earned reputation for high quality estate-bottled wines at commendably affordable prices. Finca los Trenzones has been owned and managed since 1994 by the Martinez family, who also own Bodegas Faustino, the single largest producer of Reserva and Gran Reserva wines in Spain’s world-renowned Rioja region.

Owner Julio Martinez has made it his personal quest to establish the wines of La Mancha on the same level as wines from other top regions of Spain. At the Finca los Trenzones property, key natural attributes, include estate vineyards located some 2,500 feet above sea level – some of the highest plantings in the area. Here the grapes mature in an ideal environment of hot summer days and correspondingly cool nights. Underground water sources provide ideal conditions for irrigation. More than 100 acres of vines are dedicated exclusively to organic trials.

Martinez transformed the property into a world-class wine estate. Initiatives include a comprehensive replanting of the vineyards, a winery equipped with the latest and most advanced winemaking equipment, and a complete insulation of cellars to protect the maturing wines from harmful fluctuations in temperature. Not least, substantial investments are made on an ongoing basis in the purchase of new American oak barriques for aging.

