

2005 Marques de Haro

La Rioja Alta S.A., Rioja Wine Region, Spain

Product details

Vintage: 2005 Drinking: Now 2025

Producer: La Rioja Alta S.A. **Alcohol: Region:** Rioja Wine Region **Variety:**

Country: Spain

Tasting notes

Very bright cherry red colour, with a medium-high robe. Fresh and clean to the nose, with hints of ripe berries (blackberries and gooseberries), roasting and tobacco. After agitating the glass, they give way to hints of walnuts, cinnamon and sweet liquorice. Direct on the palate, with a good balance between alcohol and acidity; marked tannins leave an elegant aftertaste with liquorice and tobacco highlights. This wine has an outstanding lively, fresh personality. After a short time in the bottle, we believe that it will become full-bodied with an deep and complex bouquet.

About the producer

Formed by five families in the late 19th century, the La Rioja Alta S.A. winery is one of the most iconic names in Fine Wine, and a benchmark for the traditional style of Rioja. Their Tempranillo-led reds are aged for remarkably long periods in barrels from the producer's cooperage, and they are one of the last remaining producers to rack their wines by hand and by candlelight – which they do every six months. While they always upheld standards and tradition, La Rioja Alta S.A. never stopped experimenting and pushing for better quality, offering some of the purest, more precise expressions of Tempranillo in the world.

