

2015 Gran Reserva Viña Arana

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

Product details

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| Vintage: | 2015 | Drinking: | 2022 2032 |
| Producer: | La Rioja Alta S.A. | Alcohol: | |
| Region: | Rioja Wine Region | Variety: | Tempranillo |
| Country: | Spain | | |

Tasting notes

"The 2015 offers seductive red fruits – wild strawberries, red cherries, plums and currants – all balanced by the judicious use of fragrant, vanilla-driven oak. There are also subtle notes of coffee, chocolate and forest floor, teased out with time in the glass. Many of La Rioja Alta's wines are made with ageing in mind, but the Arana is the one Gran Reserva release that is most approachable in its youth." **Armit Wines**

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.

