MONTAÑA

Rioja, Spain

HISTORY

The Montaña family traces its heritage to the origins of the modern Rioja wine industry in the late 19th century. Román Montaña consolidated the family business in 1920 as the viticultural component of one of Rioja's grand old marques, situated in medieval cellars underneath Haro, capital of Rioja Alta. The Montaña family retains portions of these impressive cellars to this day.

VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

Román's grandson Oscar Montaña currently directs a vineyard estate comprising over 270 acres (110 ha) of prime sites in the Rioja Alta and Alavesa districts. The Montaña vineyards boast a high average vine age, many vines dating to the immediate postphylloxera period and including significant acreage of the rare Graciano.

Appellation
D.O.C. Rioja

Year Founded
1886

Winemaker
Isaac Fernandez Montaña

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Soil Types
clay-calcareous