

BODEGAS

# FAMILIA CHAVARRI

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IZARBE RESERVA

## TRADITION AND ELEGANCE IN A GREAT RIOJA

<b>GRAPE VARIETY:</b>	100% Tempranillo
<b>VINIFICATION:</b>	Made from grapes chosen one cluster at a time from our vines at Las Encinas, vineyard in Laguardia, Rioja Alavesa. Fermentation of destemmed grapes takes place in stainless steel tanks at a controlled temperature of 28 °C to 30°C. Macerated for 2 weeks to ensure good colour extraction and smooth, round tannins.
<b>AGEING:</b>	Aged for 18 months in French and American oak barrels and 18 months in bottle.
<b>VINEYARD LOCATION:</b>	Rioja Alavesa
<b>MUNICIPALITY:</b>	Laguardia
<b>ALTITUDE:</b>	750 m
<b>VINE AGE:</b>	75 years
<b>VINE TRAINING:</b>	Goblet
<b>PLANTING DENSITY:</b>	2.800 vines/hectare
<b>SOIL TYPE:</b>	Limestone clay
<b>ANNUAL RAINFALL:</b>	550 mm

### ASPECT:

Bright, dark cherry red, with good depth and a purple rim.

### AROMA:

Intense primary aromas, fresh and harmonious combined notes from oak ageing.

### MOUTH:

Sweet ripe tannins in the mouth. Elegant, balanced mouth. Harmonious, pleasant, long aftertaste.

### SERVING TEMPERATURE:

Serve at 18° C to 19 °C



D.O.Ca. RIOJA

### AWARDS:

**Concours Mondial  
Bruxelles  
Brussels 2023**  
Gold Medal  
Izarbe Reserva  
2014

**Decanter  
London 2023**  
90 Points  
Izarbe Reserva  
2014

**Wine Enthusiast  
"Editors Choice"  
Usa 2023**  
93 Points  
Izarbe Reserva  
2014

**Mundus Vini  
Germany 2017**  
Gold Medal  
Izarbe Reserva  
Selección 2011

**Concours Mondial  
Bruxelles  
Brussels 2017**  
Gold Medal  
Izarbe Reserva  
Selección 2010

**In Mundus Vini  
Germany 2014**  
Gold Medal  
Izarbe Reserva  
Selección 2008

**Wine Enthusiast  
Usa 2016**  
91 Points  
Izarbe Reserva  
Selección 2008

**Wine Enthusiast  
Usa 2013**  
90 Points  
Izarbe Reserva  
Selección 2006