



DOMINIO DE EGUREN

códice

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*“Tempranillo honesty at its most everyday version.
Rich, fresh and plenty of fruit”*

Marcos Eguren

VINEYARDS	Controlled vineyards in Manchuela Wine with a geographic indication (Vino de la Tierra de Castilla, A.O.C.)
	Under the classification Vinos de la Tierra, Dominio de Eguren is distinguished from the rest of the wineries by its rigorous selection of vineyards situated in fabulous settings in the best production areas of Spain, advanced in age (30-70 years old vineyards) and with limited yield.
YIELD	Average yield: 31 Hls/Ha.
HARVEST	Harvest Date: 21 st to 27 th September 2014.
VARIETY	Tempranillo 100% (A.k.a. Tinto Fino, Tinto del país)
WINE	FERMENTATION: Selected yeast (<i>Saccharomyces bayanus</i>). Fermentation temperature controlled between 28 and 30° C. MACERATION: 8 days of maceration during fermentation with 2 daily pump-over's. Post fermentative maceration for 6 days. Gentle extraction, one light pump-over daily. AGING: 6 month in deposit and 6 month in French and American Bordelaise oak barrels.
WINEMAKER	Marcos Eguren



VINTAGE:

Autumn elapses with mild temperatures and moderate rainfall, followed mostly by a rainy month of November and then the warm and dry months of December and January, highlighting the regular presence of frost in the early hours of the morning.

Unlike previous months, February is very cold and presents constant frost, with temperatures reaching -9°C and continues to be totally dry, as is usual during the winter months. In the month of March, the temperatures rise above all during the afternoons, with some rainfall with the coming of Spring and during the last days of the month, we can start to see the first sprouting from the pruning cuts.

From now on, a cold and unstable month of April begins, causing a delay in the budbreak until the end of the month. The absence of spring frosts is noteworthy. With the coming of May, stability returns, temperatures rise and a warm and dry end of the month develops with the blooming and after this, we see a fast and irregular setting.

After the mid-June storms, a warm and completely dry summer period begins, which will last for the rest of the growing cycle.

The branch development is correct and during the last days of July we see an uneven véraison of the bunches.

August continues to be dry, but the vines maintain a correct growing cycle. Ripening occurs and an early grape harvest occurs in the first days of September for the white varieties and a week after for the red grapes. The grape harvest is characterised by a descent in production, due to the drought suffered throughout the year, but reaching full maturity both physically, as aromatically and polyphenolically.

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