HERETAT SABARTÉS



Producer profile

Owned by: Heretat Sabartes

Winemaker: Oscar Llombart

Total hectares under vine: 300

Estate founded: 1984

Winery production total:

2.000.000 bottles

Region and appellation:

Catalonia – DO Cava

Cava Brut

Wine description

Cava Brut is made from the traditional cava varieties Xarel.lo, Parellada and Macabeo.

The soil is a mix of clay and limestone and the climate is Mediterranean with mild winters, rainy springs and warm summers.

Only free-run grape juice is used for this cava (approximately 50% of the grape juice). The second fermentation takes place in the bottle according to the traditional method.

Tasting notes

Bright straw yellow color with small persistent bubbles. Fragrant aromas of citrus fruits and apple combined with notes from the aging. On the palate it is fresh and crisp, mineral and with apple fruit. Long and pleasant finish.

Vineyard characteristics

Size of vineyard: 70 ha.

Soil composition: Clay and limestone Training method: Royat double

Altitude: 170 m. Exposure: South Vines/ha: 3000 Yield/ha: 9000 kg.

Year of vineyard plantation: 1985 - 2000

Winemaking and aging

Varietal composition: 45% Parellada, 30% Xarel.lo, 25% Macabeo

Harvest time: September - October First vintage of this wine: 1987 Number of bottles produced: 200.000

Fermentation

Fermentation container: Stainless steel tanks Length of alcoholic fermentation: 21 days Fermentation temperature: 13 -15 °C

Aging

Length of aging before disgorgement: 12 months (minimum)

Analytical data

Alcohol: 12 % vol.

Residual sugar (dosage): 8,0 g/l

Acidity: 6,1 g/l pH: 2,96