

**THE CHARGE RED 2021
TEMPRANILLO & GARNACHA
(D.O.C. RIOJA)**

La Báscula

TEMPRANILLO 70% GARNACHA 20% GRACIANO 10%



The Charge evokes the criss-crossing of Rioja by medieval knights and pilgrims on the Santiago de Compostela trail.

Working with the excellent Borja Ripa of Bodegas Manzanos in Azagra, Rioja Baja, we have crafted a wine with excellent red berry and spicy fruit with refreshing acidity balanced by fine vanilla flavours from oak maturation. The Charge red is made from grapes mainly from the bodega's own vineyards - 70% Tempranillo, 20% Garnacha and 10% Graciano, harvested mid-September 2021. The wine was aged for an average 7 months in a mix of French and American oak barrels.



Analysis

Alcohol	13.80%
Total So2	74mg/l
Free So2	30mg/l
pH	3.57
Total Acidity	5.1/l
Volatile Acidity	0.5g/l
Residual Sugar	3g/l

Press and Awards for The Charge 2018

- Decanter – March 2020 – 89 points

Press and Awards for The Charge 2016

- Sommelier Wine Awards 2019 - GOLD
- Rioja Master 2018 – SILVER