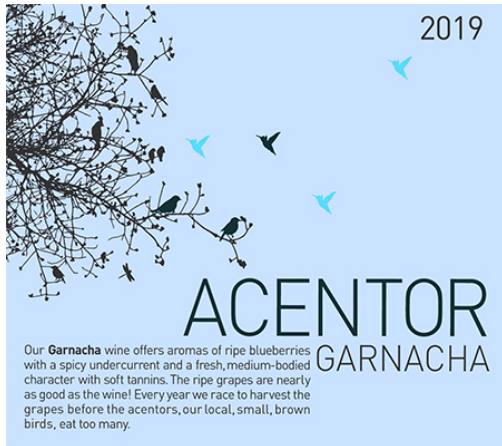


Acentor Garnacha 2019 (red wine)



Isaac Fernández Selección is a unique collaborative venture between two individuals – Isaac Fernandez one of Spain’s most acclaimed winemakers and Aurelio Cabestrero whose vision and commitment helped bring Spanish wines to the forefront in the United States.

2011 was a busy year for the partners as they launched several new wines, a Verdejo from Rueda, a Bobal from Utiel-Requena and this project focused on beautiful old vines of Garnacha grown on the high slopes of Calatayud in what was once the ancient kingdom of Aragon. *Acentor* is named for the small brown birds, similar to starlings which come to eat ripe grapes, always a sign that they are nearly ripe enough to make great wine.

Appellation	Calatayud D.O.
Grapes	100% Garnacha, from 50+ year-old, bush vines
Altitude / Soil	750-900 meters / iron-rich red clay with abundant surface stones
Farming Methods	Traditional Methods
Harvest	Hand harvested into small boxes
Production	Destemmed grapes were fermented in cement tanks
Aging	Aged for 5 months in used, 50% French and 50% American oak barrels
UPC / SCC / Pack	8-437012-498068 / 8-437012-498075 / 12

Reviews:

“The 2019 vintage of Garnacha from Acentor is excellent on both the nose and palate, as these old, bush vines have really excelled. The bouquet is deep and complex, wafting from the glass in a blend of crushed raspberries, dark berries, smoked meats, hickory smoke, a fine base of stony soil tones, pepper and a spicy topnote. On the palate the wine is deep, full-bodied, ripe and complex, with a superb core of fruit, impressive soil signature and grip, ripe, well-integrated tannins and a long, very well-balanced finish. This is excellent. 2023-2050.”

92 points *View from the Cellar*; John Gilman - Issue #92 March/April 2021

“Deep magenta. Spice-accented dark berry, cherry and licorice aromas are complemented by suggestions of cola and mocha. Sweet and expansive in the mouth, offering plush blackberry and cherry cola flavors braced by an undercurrent of juicy acidity. Finishes smooth and long, with discreet tannins and repeating dark fruit and licorice notes. Aged in a 50/50 combination of used French and American oak barrels. 2021-2025”

90 points *Vinous*; Josh Raynolds – July 6, 2021 *Central Spain Additions*

“A refreshing acidity is cast through the blackberry and juicy red plum notes of this medium-bodied red, with forest floor, olive and wild herb notes adding a savory appeal through the finish. Drink now through 2025. 2,500 cases made, 2,000 cases imported.”

89 points *Wine Spectator*; Gillian Sciaretta – November 15, 2021

