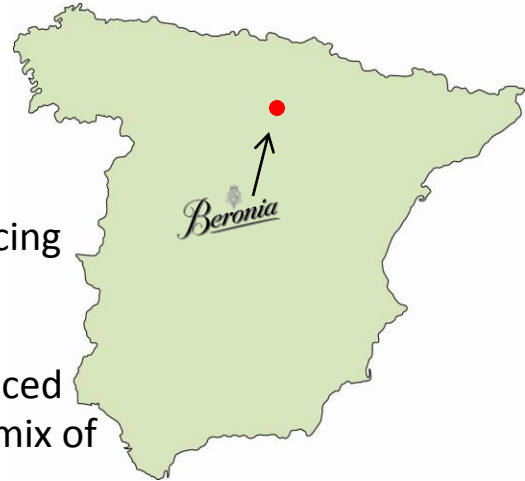




Beronia:

Benchmark wine of Rioja

Rioja is one of the best known Spanish wine producing regions and has D.O.Ca designation. The Beronia vineyards are in the west of the region in Rioja Alta which has the highest elevation. The area is influenced by both the Atlantic and Mediterranean and has a mix of clay and chalky soils.



The winery was founded in 1973 by a group of friends who wanted the best wine to accompany their gastronomic get-togethers (called Txoko in their native Basque). The winery was acquired by Gonzalez Byass in 1982, although some of the original founders still visit the winery on a regular basis to dine as they have done for decades.

The Beronia name comes from the Berones, a Celtic tribe who inhabited the region in 3rd Century BC and called the land Beronia.

Beronia owns 20 hectares and controls a further 840 hectares through long term contracts and good relationships with local growers. All these vineyards are within a 10 kilometer radius of the winery which provides a substantial freshness benefit during harvest.

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The predominant grape is Tempranillo. Mazuelo, Garnacha, Graciano and Viura are also planted.

The role of oak is very important in Beronia wines, historically a mix of American and French oak barrels, but more recently they have pioneered the use of mixed oak barrels—French heads and American staves.

Beronia was created, and has evolved over the years, always with food in mind—meats, game, cheeses and the traditional dishes of the region.

Beronia consistently received high awards from all of the top wine magazines and has become the third best-selling brand in Spain.

Key Items:

Viura	Reserva
Rueda	Gran Reserva
Rosado	Tempranillo Special Production
Crianza	198 Barricas

Beronia Gran Reserva

Voted Top 50 restaurant wine in
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