

# Losada Vinos de Finca

## Altos de Losada 2017



WINERY: *Losada Vinos de Finca*      AGE OF VINES: *40-60 years*

COUNTRY: *Spain*

REGION: *Castilla y León*

APPELLATION: *D.O. Bierzo*

GRAPES: *100% Mencía*

ELEVATION: *480-600 m*

SOIL: *clay slopes*

VINE PRODUCTION: *4,000 Kg/Ha*      UPC CODE: *7 37686 28103 3*

WINEMAKING: *Manual harvest, fermentation is conducted with naturally-occurring (wild) yeasts in stainless steel tanks. Malolactic fermentation in barrel.*

AGING: *15 months in French oak barrels.*

WINEMAKER: *Amancio Fernández Gómez*

ALCOHOL: *14%*



### THE WINE:

The flagship wine produced from 21 small estate parcels on steep hillsides, is aged 15 months in new French oak and achieves the estate's highest levels of concentration and minerality.

### THE WINERY:

Losada Vinos de Finca was established by Bierzo winemaking veterans in 2004, its beautiful ultra-modern facility located in the heart of Bierzo's finest vineyard area, in the very midst of the old Mencía vines. Following an explosive period in which the Bierzo region leapt to worldwide fame on the merits of a few highly-extracted and noticeably oaky wines, Losada's founding philosophy is to take the region's wines to higher level, seeking as a priority elegance, balance and purity of expression. 100% Mencía vineyards owned or managed by Losada are farmed sustainably with yields kept to a minimum. All wines undergo malolactic fermentation in French oak.

### THE PRESS:

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