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Winery Lucendo Vinos de la Tierra de Castilla IGP **Appellation Grapes** 50% Syrah, 50% Tinto Velasco 7 months French oak barrels Aging Vinification Hand-harvested grapes. Pre-fermentation maceration at 14 deg C for 36 hours. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks at 26 deg C for 14 days with the grape skins. Soil Deep, rocky and limestone-rich clay soils. Density Syrah: 7,200 kg/ha / 30 year old vines Tinto Velasco: 140 year old pre-phylloxera vines Alc. Vol. 14.0% **Production** 14,000 bottles **UPC Bar Code** 8437018879014

It was the year 1919 when D. César Lucendo Asensi opened a winery in Argamasilla de Alba (Ciudad Real). Generation after generation has followed the founder's tradition, adapting the family legacy to the new times to create unique wines. Jesús Lucendo grandson of César, is one of the greatest references in Enology in Castilla-La Mancha, directed several important national wineries and worked teaching Enology for decades. Currently, the fourth generation of the family is formed by Rafael and Federico, two young winemakers sons of Jesús, who are highly rewarded and considered in the world of Spanish wine.

Tasting Notes

Beautiful and intense red cherry color with violet tones. Very complex and persistent on the node, ripeness stands with aromas of black fruit, torrefacto, vanilla and pepper spices, oak and aromatic herbs (sandalwood) and mineral notes. Powerful to the taste with perfectly integrated tannins. Cocoa and menthol flavors with long and pleasant finish.

In love with old and forgotten terroirs, where human intervention is hardly necessary, with a clear philosophy of orienting the cultivation of the vine to the ecological. They focus all their knowledge on trying to extract the maximum potential of the terroir, respecting the grape in the processes of elaboration and aging.

Honors, Ratings and Reviews

91 pts Peñín Guide, 2022 Silver medal, Concours Mondial de Bruxelles, 2022

94 pts, Wine Up Guide, 2022 Gold medal, Gilbert & Gaillard, 2018 Bronze medal, IWC, 2018







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