

# Cune®

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<b>Name of Wine:</b>	CUNE
<b>Type of Wine:</b>	Red Crianza
<b>Region of Production:</b>	Rioja Alta
<b>Year:</b>	2011
<b>Vintage Rating:</b>	Excellent
<b>Grape Varieties:</b>	80% Tempranillo 20% Grenacha tinta and Mazuelo.

<b>Bottle Type:</b>	Bordeaux
<b>Case / Bottle Size:</b>	C/12 – 75 cl C/12 – 37.5 cl C/24 – 18.75 cl

<b>Alcoholic Volume:</b>	13,50 % Vol.
<b>Total Acidity:</b>	4,74
<b>pH:</b>	3,66
<b>Volatile Acidity:</b>	0,50
<b>SO2 Free / Total:</b>	32/80
<b>IPT:</b>	48

### WINEMAKING

Fermentation in stainless steel tanks at controlled temperatures of grapes from our vineyards in La Rioja Alta. The malolactic fermentation takes place in escrow and then the wine is aged in American oak barrels for a year, during which it acquires aromatic balance that characterizes him, as his finesse and overall expression.

### VINTAGE / HARVEST DESCRIPTION

Harvest atypical, with uneven ripening and heterogeneous due to water stress and lack of contrast in temperatures during the day and night. These conditions have enhanced the need for a good selection in the vineyard and at the arrival of the grapes at the winery. The key feature of this harvest has been the excellent health of the grapes and the development of a fermentation without incident. Although maturation is one week early this year compared to previous years, the wines produced are well structured, with high content in polyphenols and good intensity colour, qualities that promise high quality wines.

### TASTING NOTE

Bright cherry colour with some violet nuances. In the nose, red berries aromas remain over the oaky and balsamic notes from its ageing in wood. It shows an elegance in the mouth, yet very lively, with some spice back notes and a very balanced acidity.



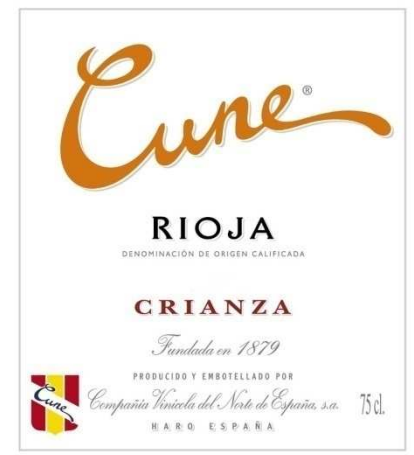
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