

## WINE GLOSSARY

Abocado	semi-dry table wine
Bodega	winery or wine cellar
Brut	extra dry, used in reference to sparkling wines
Cava	sparkling wine made by the champagne method
Cosecha	harvest, vintage (with date)
Crianza	the maturing of wine in barrel or bottle.
Denominación de Origen (D.O.)	a seal of guarantee that the bottle's contents come from a regulated wine production area
Elaborado por.....	matured and/or blended by.....
Embotellado por.....	bottled by.....
Generoso	wines with an alcoholic content of between 15° and 23°
Gran Reserva	quality reserve wines, aged in oak and bottle for a minimum of 3 years
Jerez	sherry
Joven	young fresh wine, not been matured
Mosto	unfermented grape juice with no alcohol
Reserva	as Gran Reserva but aged less
Sin Crianza	sin Crianza refers to an immature wine
Tinto de Verano	summer red; made from red wine, ice and casera
Vendimia	harvest, vintage
Viña, viñedo	vineyard
Vino	wine
Blanco	white
Clarete	light red, claret
de mesa	table wine
Dulce	sweet
Espumoso	sparkling
Gaseoso	carbonated, sparkling
Rosado	rosé
Seco	dry
semi-seco	semi-dry
tinto	full-bodied red