

# 2019 Venta La Vega Ternario 1

<b>Rating</b> 91	<b>Release Price</b> \$18 - 20	<b>Drink Date</b> 2020 - 2023	<b>Producer:</b> Venta La Vega
<b>Reviewed by</b> Luis Gutiérrez	<b>Issue Date</b> 10th Sep 2020	<b>Source</b> September 2020 Week 2, The Wine Advocate	<b>From:</b> Spain , Castilla La Mancha , Almansa
			<b>Color:</b> Red
			<b>Type:</b> Table
			<b>Sweetness:</b> Dry
			<b>Type:</b> Table
			<b>Variety:</b> Garnacha Tintorera

The 2019 Ternario 1 is pure Garnacha Tintorera from the only trellised vineyard they have, planted ungrafted 25 years ago at 800 meters in altitude. The wine has 12.8% alcohol and good freshness. It fermented with some full clusters and matured in 20,000-liter oak vats and concrete for seven months. This is a little more austere than the Calizo, spicy and less forward, nuanced and with complexity but without the immediate fruit of the Calizo. There is more concentration here and more structure; the tannins are chalky and the texture serious, and the finish is long and dry. It looks like 2019 is going to be a pleasant and approachable year. 20,000 bottles produced. It was bottled in late June 2020.