



## *Gran Autocton Red 2017*



Albert Jane, native of El Vendrell, is a young winemaker who has family in the wine world since 1914, he left his land in 2006, Baix Penedès, to the DO Montsant and then to the DOQ Priorat and now returns home to begin his most vital and personnel wine project.

This project in an old traditional Catalan house “Masia” of the XVI century, Mas Vilella, in La Bisbal del Penedès, a wonderful old farmhouse with a lovely old wine cellar.

It is a vital project to recover and dignify indigenous (autochthonous) varieties of the area near where Albert was born... Sumoll, Xarel·lo red, Malvasia de Sitges have a special role.

Autocton means autochthonous, native, indigenous... like Albert and all the local varieties are native from this beautiful area.

All vineyards are around the cellar in the province of Tarragona, 60 km in the south of Barcelona city, in the area of Baix Penedès and Alt Camp, so it is a varietal wine without DO, no Origen identification.

They are vines that are not far from the wonderful Mediterranean Sea (20 km away) and always with the powerful Sierra del Montmell sight.

The vineyards are located in very poor clay and calcareous soils in an altitude of 300-500 meters.

**Gran Autocton Red 2017** is made from very old vines native from 50 to 90 years old 100 % beautiful Sumoll variety.



Harvested by hand, the wine is aged for 10 months in large French oak barrels of 300 and clay amphorae in their own lees

The wine is bottled in July of 2019.

**ORGANIC WINE from 2017 harvest.**

## **AWARDS**

### **GRAN AUTOCTON NEGRE 2017**

93/100 points Guía Peñín 2024  
93/100 points Guía Peñín 2023  
92/100 points Guía Peñín 2021  
91/100 points Tim Atkin and Fintan Kerr  
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### **GRAN AUTOCTON NEGRE 2016**

93/100 points Guía Peñín 2019  
93/100 points Guía Peñín 2020  
93/100 points Guía Peñín 2021  
93/100 points Guía Peñín 2022  
Gold Medal Gilbert & Gaillard 2018  
9.26/10 points La Guia de Vins de Catalunya 2019

### **GRAN AUTOCTON NEGRE 2015**

92/100 points Guía Peñín 2018  
92/100 points Guía Peñín 2019