## **ESCONDITE DEL ARDACHO.** VERIQUETE

Year: 2015. Red wine.

**Designation of Origin:** Rioja D.O.C. **Location:** Viñaspre (Alava). Rioja Alavesa

Varieties: Garnacha, Tempranillo, Malvasia and others.

Rootstock: Rupestris du lot.

Vine Spacing: various

**Conduction System:** 100% Goblet **Climate**: Atlantic influence in 2015.

Surface: 0.40 ha.

**Soils:** Structural planes on marl and sandstone. Shallow soils, planes with sandstone bedrock, and shallow marl packages of low intensity (25-50 cm), outcrop in areas. 590 meter altitude. **Viticulture**: Own vineyard worked under minimal intervention and reasonable viticulture.

Minimum and zero tillage. Age between 50 and 105 years. **Harvest**: 100% by hand, in boxes of 15 kilos. October 1<sup>th</sup>.

Elaboration: Spontaneous fermentation in open vats, 80% de-stemmed, light punching down,

and aged in second use oak barrels for 9 months without racking.

**Bottling:** End of July 2016 without clarification or filtration.

Number of bottles: 1967 bottles 0.75l

