

MAS LA PLANA 2018

The most pristine bunches of old-vine Cabernet Sauvignon are hand selected to craft Torres' most prestigious red wine. A 1979 blind tasting in Paris, the Gault-Millau Wine Olympics, placed some of the world's most respected wines such as Châteaux Latour against newcomers including Torres. The wine from Mas la Plana vineyard triumphed, placing first, and deserved recognition, putting Penedès on the map as benchmark quality for the best red wines in the world.

2018 VINTAGE NOTES:

Generally speaking, 2018 was a rainy year, especially at the beginning and end of the growth season. The fruit maturation period was moderately rainy, causing a few isolated cases of botrytis towards the end of the harvest. In terms of temperature, the year fell within normal range, although the summer was hot. Due to the cool, rainy conditions in spring, the harvest began a little later than usual.

VINEYARDS:

Varietal Composition: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Appellation: DO Penedès

Soil: Deep, yellowish grey-brown alluvial soils that are well drained and have a moderate water holding capacity. Made up of interbedded layers of gravel, sand, and clay.

VINIFICATION:

Fermentation: In stainless steel tanks and oak foudres under controlled

temperatures

Winemaking: 15-25 days maceration

Aging: 18 months in French oak (85% new)

TECHNICAL DETAILS:

Alcohol: 14.5%

pH: 3.6

Total Acidity: 5.78 g/L Residual Sugar: 0.5 g/L

