



VALDESPINO

— EST. 1875 —

# CARDENAL

## PALO CORTADO

**SINGLE VINEYARD. MACHARNUDO ALTO**

*Very Old and Rare Sherry 30 Y.O.*

Single vineyard from our "Macharnudo Alto" estate. 50 year old vines. The oldest Valdespino soleras, established at the end of 19th century.

The youngest Criaderas are topped up with a selection from the best casks of the Solera of Palo Cortado Viejo CP.

### GRAPE VARIETAL

100% Palomino Fino

### VINEYARD

Macharnudo Alto Estate

### SOIL

Albariza, chalky white colour, clayey texture and high in calcium carbonate.

### TYPE OF AGEING

Short biological + Oxidative. Only 7 casks available

### AVERAGE AGE

Although this wine is categorized as V.O.R.S. (over 30 years old) it is over 50 years old.

### SOLERA STRUCTURE

4 Criaderas + 1 Solera

### ALCOHOL VOLUME

22%

### TOTAL ACIDITY

8.5 gr/ Tartaric Acid

### TASTING

Light mahogany with greenish tones. Rare very complex aromas, with nutty character and great mineral, balsamic hints. Great depth, minerality and a smoky, long aftertaste.

### ENJOYING

This great wine will surprise you if you try it with smoked foods, nuts and cured cheeses. Unique in its pairing with gelatinous meats: tripe stews, pig's trotters...

