

MONTE XANIC
BODEGA VINÍCOLA

EDICIÓN LIMITADA · OJOS NEGROS

Cabernet Franc 2024

Elegance from a cold, high valley.

Monte Xanic was one of the first wineries to explore Valle de Ojos Negros, and it found the cold, high valley perfect for Cabernet Franc. The 2024 vintage began slowly, but steady, even temperatures through harvest allowed a long, controlled ripening, and the warmer season gave riper tannins than the cool 2023. Harvested by hand at night with only the top clusters selected, then aged 13 months in Nevers oak, it shows soft tannins, elegance and plenty of aroma, with the structure for a long life.

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GRAPE	STYLE	ALCOHOL	PRODUCTION	SULFITES	DRINK
Cabernet Franc	Red	13.7%	633 cases	35 ppm	Upon release
100%	13 months Nevers oak	by volume	7,600 bottles	free, at bottling	& up to 20 years

ATTRIBUTES

PO Practicing Organic · RF Regenerative Farming · SO Sustainably Operated · VG Vegan

The Vineyard

4.0 acres at Viña Alta, where winter frosts run from November to March and summers stay fresh.

Site	Viña Alta, Ojos Negros
Elevation	2,254 ft
Soil	Lime, sand, clay
Planted	2008
Farming	Regenerative, organic

In the Cellar

Hand-picked at night and hand-sorted, fermented with soft pump-overs in 7,200-liter tanks, then aged in French oak.

Harvest	Oct 19, 2024
Fermentation	3 weeks, stainless
Aging	13 months, 1st & 2nd use
Oak	Nevers forest
Filtration	Sterile

The 2024 Vintage

Warmer than the cold 2023, with more light and steady growth, so the grapes reached fuller phenolic ripeness. Soft tannins, elegance and lots of aroma.

Serve at 16–18 °C (61–64 °F).
Pair with roast duck, lamb or mushroom dishes.

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Founded in 1987 by Hans Backhoff and four friends, Monte Xanic is heralded as Mexico's first boutique winery, and its move to make wine from its own grapes helped spark the valley's boutique revolution.

Since 2023 every bottle comes only from its own estate vineyards in Valle de Guadalupe and Valle de Ojos Negros, farmed regeneratively with organic practices, and its winery is a model of modern eco-friendly design.

1987 FOUNDED

2 VALLEYS

18 WINES

100,000 CASES TOTAL