

Setena Red

2004 TERRA ALTA, SPAIN

Name Story Setena is the Catalan word for one-seventh—the amount of the harvest that farmers in ancient Spain paid landowners for the right to work the land.

Vineyards and Winemaking Old vines on well-draining clay and chalk soils high on the terraced hills southwest of Barcelona. Cold fermentation and extended maceration. Aged for 8 months in French oak barrels (70% new).

Grapes 40% Garnacha, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Syrah, 10% Tempranillo, 10% Merlot.
Picked: October 1–20, 2004.

Tasting Notes *Aroma:* Fresh red currant and cherry with toasty notes. *Taste:* Mature dark fruit and spice, with sweet tannins and a long, mineral finish.

Drink by Date Now through 2012.

Winemaker *Xavier Clua* is among the most celebrated winemakers in the up-and-coming Terra Alta region. Born into a family with over four generations in winemaking, he inherited both a gift and passion for cultivating his hometown vineyards. Xavier then reinforced these talents with formal academic training in oenology and foreign winemaking experience at a number of chateaux in Bordeaux.

