



LA RIOJA

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Terroir characteristics



LOCATION

Viticultural area

28° 24' | 29° 19'

SOUTH LATITUDE

68° 13' | 66° 56'

WEST LONGITUDE



TEMP.

Annual Average

19° C

66° F

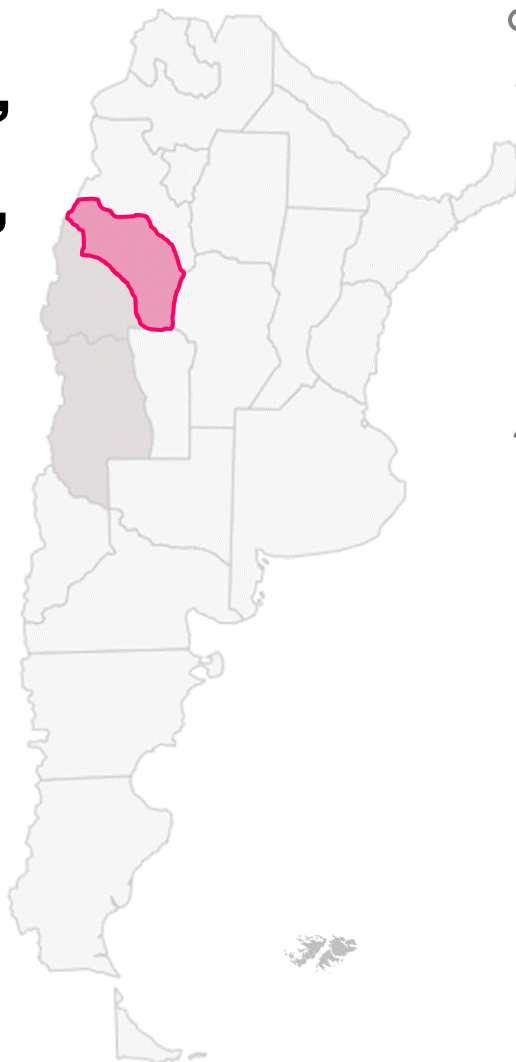


RAINFALL

Annual Average

130 mm/year

5,11 in/year



CULTIVATED SURFACE

for vinification*

Ha: **6.527,6**

Ac: **16.130,35**



3,3% of the country

3,5% of the region



ALTITUDE

of the vineyards

770 - 1.850 masl

2.526 - 6.070 fasl



HIGHLIGHTS

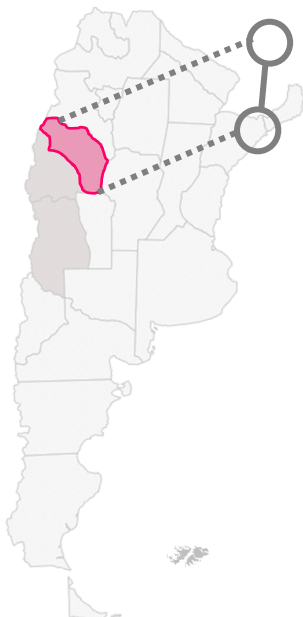
The cultivated surface is located in the Famatina Valleys, to the west of La Rioja., between the Sierras de Velasco and Famatina.

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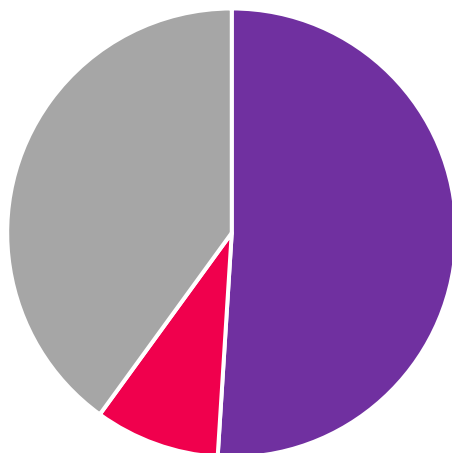
Main varieties



DISTRIBUTION by colour*



Red grapes | **51,6%**
White grapes | **39,1%**
Pink grapes | **9,3%**



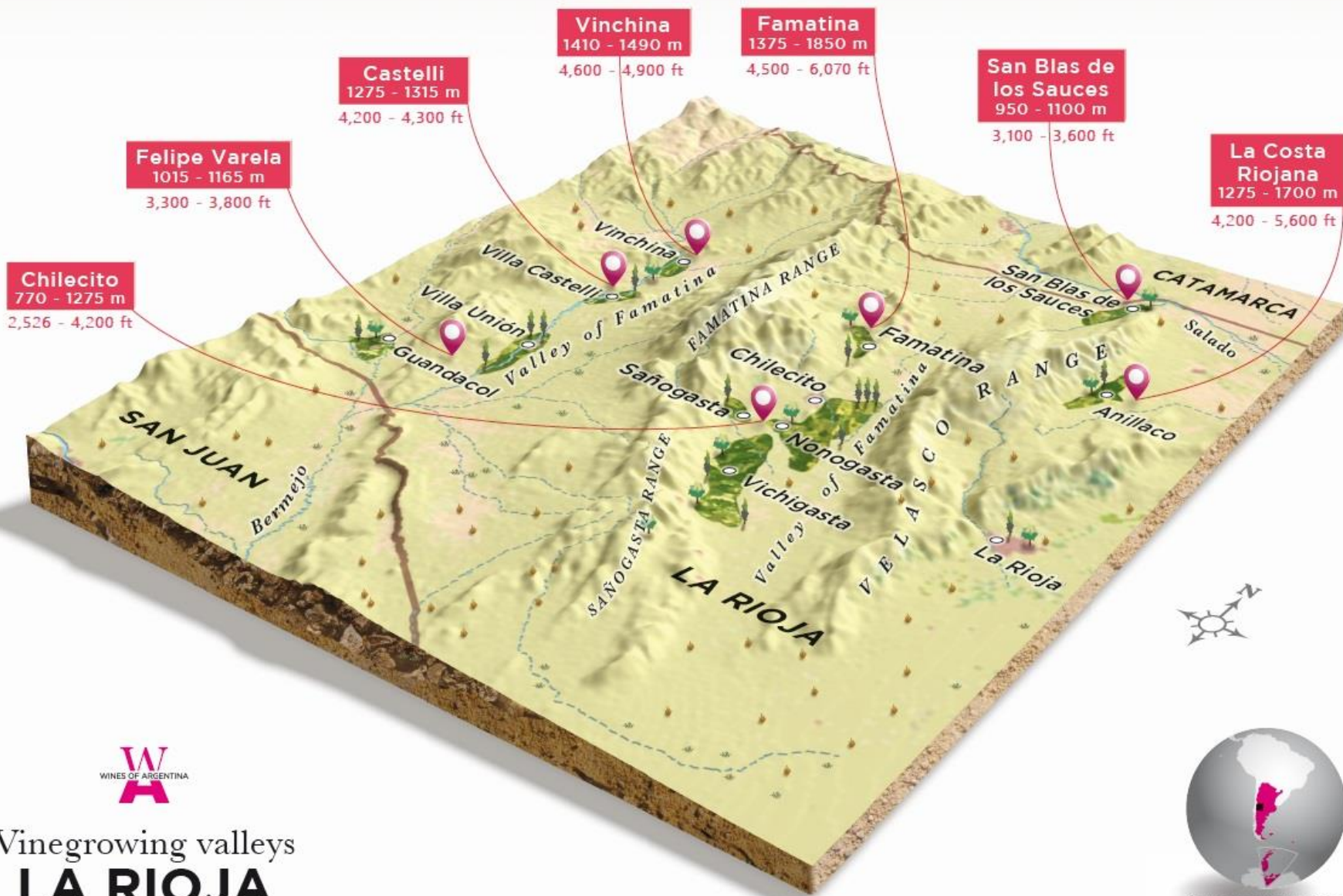
MAIN GRAPE VARIETIES

Most planted*

Torrontés
 Malbec
 Cabernet Sauvignon
 Bonarda
 Syrah

	Hectares	Acres	%
LA RIOJA	6.527,6	16.130,35	
Red varieties	3.366,7	8.319,45	% Red
Malbec	776,6	1.919,06	23,07%
Cabernet Sauvignon	718,9	1.776,47	21,35%
Bonarda	601,7	1.486,86	17,87%
Syrah	598,8	1.479,69	17,79%
Merlot	128,0	316,30	3,80%
Tempranillo	52,2	128,99	1,55%
Petit Verdot	39,4	97,36	1,17%
Cabernet Franc	23,9	59,06	0,71%
Tannat	13,2	32,62	0,39%
Pinot Noir	4,6	11,37	0,14%
Other red varieties	409,4	1.011,67	12,16%
White varieties	2.555,7	6.315,39	% White
Torrontés Riojano	2.054,5	5.076,87	80,39%
Chardonnay	64,7	159,88	2,53%
Viognier	19,4	47,94	0,76%
Chenin	17,2	42,50	0,67%
Sauvignon Blanc	14,9	36,82	0,58%
Torrontés Sanjuanino	6,5	16,06	0,25%
Semillón	5,6	13,84	0,22%
Riesling	0,6	1,48	0,02%
Other white varieties	372,3	919,99	14,57%
Pink varieties	605,2	1.495,51	% Pink
Criolla Chica	34,7	85,75	5,73%

*Source: National Viticulture Institute – Annual Surface Report (12/31/2019 database).



Vinegrowing valleys **LA RIOJA**



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