

2004 Espectacle Espectacle del Montsant
A Grenache Dry Red Table wine from
Monsant, Spain

Source	Reviewer	Rating	Maturity	Current (Release) Cost
<u>Wine Advocate # 175</u> <u>Feb 2008</u>	Jay Miller	99	Drink -	\$115 (115)

Espectacle is a new project jointly owned by Rene and Isabelle Barbier, Fernando and Marta Zamora, and Christopher and Charlotte Cannan. The wine is sourced from a single vineyard of 100+-year-old Grenache vines located at La Figuera on the northern edge of the Montsant D.O. The vineyard is tended by Rene Barbier's Clos Mogador team and vinified in one special 4000-liter oak vat at Celler Laurona. Just over 400 cases are produced annually. The 2004 Espectacle del Montsant is deep crimson-colored with a sensational bouquet of mineral, espresso, lavender, violets, and black cherry. This leads to an opulent, nearly exotic wine with remarkable depth, complexity, and layers of sweet cherry-flavored fruit. It is as pure an expression of Grenache as exists anywhere on the planet and certainly the greatest example of Montsant ever produced. Importer: Christopher Cannan, Europvin, www.europvin.com