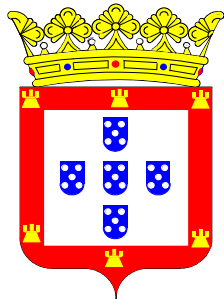


## Abrantes



### *Description of Arms :*

En plata, cinco escudetes, de azur, puestos en cruz, cargado cada de cinco roeles, de plata, puestos en aspa. Bordura de gules, con siete castillos, de oro.

**Principal Title :** Duke of Abrantes.

**Creation :** Spain, 1642.

**Subsidiary Titles :** Marquis del Duero (1848), Grandee of Spain, Marquis de Sardoal (1642) y Valdefuentes (1616), Count de Belalcazar (1454), de Cancelada (1693), Casares (1493) y Lences (1650).

**Family Name :** de Zuleta y Alejandro.

**Family History :** This family is not to be confused with French one of similar name, though both take their names from the same region of Portugal. This is much older, going back to the House of Lancaster and an illegitimate son of John II, King of Portugal. In turn, this is from another branch of the dukes of Aveyro. The title was created in 1642, with the rank of Grandee of Spain following in 1650. Confirmation was issued in 1663. The first twenty-five Grantees were all of Spanish origin ; the next two were the Dukes of Aveyro and Abrantes. In due course, the title passed to the Counts of Enjarada, whose family name was Carvajal.

Abrantes

Jean II (1455-1495), King of Portugal (1481-1495)  
= Mistress

Georges (1481-1550),  
1st Duke of Coimbra

Juliana, 3rd Duchess of Aveyro  
= Alvaro de Lancaster y Lancaster

son      Alfonso de Lancaster y Lancaster, 1st Marquis of Puerto Seguro and  
1st Marquis of Sardoal and 1st Duke of Abrantes (1642)

don Juan Manuel (?-1733)      Josefa de Lancaster y Norona, 4th Duchess of Abrantes  
3rd Duke of Abrantes      = (1686) Bernardino de Carvajal y Sande Vivero y Moctezuma, 2nd Count of Quinta

don JOSE MANUEL DE ZULETA Y CARJAVAL, Duke of Abranttes (1950)  
= Virginia Alejandro Garcia

Virginia (1958-)	Fabiola (1959-)	JOSE MANUEL (1960-)	Carmen (1962-)	DIEGO (1964-)	FRANCISCO (1967-)	FELIPE (1968-)	Maria de la Soledad (1970-)
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