



QUIRUS

Tempranillo Blanco 2021



Bodegas Quiroga de Pablo – Now in its 6th generation, Bodegas Quiroga de Pablo has been growing grapes and producing wine in their estate bodega since 1850. The original bodega was built 25 to 35 feet underground that is still being used. Harvesting is done by hand with up to three passes through the vineyard to select grapes based on their peak ripeness. Hence the harvesting operation that may begin in August may be completed in the end of October. After fermentation, the wines are aged in different types (different oak, toast, age, etc.) of oak casks. The coupage is done from different casks of the same vintage in the underground cellar and matured in underground concrete tanks in an ideal environment that is isolated from the other parts of the bodega.

Tasting notes: Straw yellow color with green reflections. Elegant and intense aromatics on the nose, combining tropical and citrus fruits, complemented with white fruit and flowers. Fresh, well balanced, with a long and pleasant finish.

Appellation: DOC Rioja Alta

Grapes: 100% Tempranillo Blanco

Soil: Mixed with a high concentration of clay, iron, limestone, and many stones.

Elevation: 2125 to 2300 feet

Vineyard practice: Dry farming and organic without certification (irrigation is installed in young vineyards, but hardly ever used)

Vine Age: 7 years **Yield:** 2.58 tons per acre

Harvest Dates: October 4th, 2021

Winemaker: Juan Luis Quiroga de Pablo

Fermentation: 1-day cold maceration, 12 days cold fermentation of the clear must in small stainless barrels.

Ageing: None

pH: 3.38 **RS:** 1.6 gram per liter **Alc:** 13.9 % **UPC:** 750428224075

Rioja: Located in Northern Spain, Rioja is best known for its berry-scented and barrel-aged red wines made from Tempranillo and Garnacha. There are 3 sub zones: Rioja Alavesa, Rioja Alta, and Rioja Baja, each with its own soil makeup the most prestigious containing large deposits of limestone. Flanking Rioja to the north and west, the Cantabrian Mountains provide shelter from the Atlantic creating a warmer and drier microclimate than regions further North.



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