VEIGALOBOS

Single Vineyard

2019 Veigalobos

The Veigalobos-Vineyard, the "Wolf's Site", receives its name from the municipality Covas de Lobo, the "Wolf's Cave", a mythical place, where in ancient times wolf packs used to gather.

the plots

On the basis of a compact and solid granite rock a layer of calcareous and fertile alluvial land of almost 150 cm provide the vines water and nutrients for a most powerful expression of the Albariño grape.

The river Umia serves as a heat and solar reflector, resulting in a significant earlier budding thus providing an exceptionally long growing and ripening period. As consequence the grapes use to present an extreme ripeness - in some years even overripe, botrytised -, exemplified in its golden yellow color and intensive-complex gromas.

in the cellar

80% of the grapes then were extremely gently pressed, initiating its fermentation in contact with the remaining 20% of still intact berries.

The very slow fermentation terminated in December 2019, after which the wine remained in contact with its full lees until the bottling in April 2022.

accolades

JAMES SUCKLING 2021 USA 94 Points (vintage 2018) JANCIS ROBINSON 2021 UK 17++ Points (vintage 2018)





<u>analysis</u>

Alcohol: 12,61% by vol. Total Acidity (TA): 5,15 gr/l Volatile Acidity (VA): 0,39 gr/l

pH: 3.82 SO2: 19 mg/l

Residual Sugar: 1,80 gr/l



