# BARDOS

#### **BARDOS ROBLE 2019**

### An aromatic "roble" full of freshness and intensity.



In 2004 when we began our exploration in the search for the wine regions with most potential in Spain, we discovered Páramo de Corcos, a difficult but privileged area for viticulture, at more than 900 meters above sea level in the heart of the Ribera del Duero. There, we took up the challenge of creating honest wines on the land from which they came, seeking the essence of high-altitude vineyards full of freshness and elegance.

At Bodegas Bardos we elaborate wines in an artisan fashion, aiming to have them reflect the Castilian landscape and climate of a place where only the bravest dare to work the land in the most extreme conditions, where the cold shrinks the bones, the wind cuts the flesh and the sun burns the skin. A place only suitable for the authentic "bards" of wine, our wine growers.



D.O. Ribera del Duero



ROBLE



### **AWARDS**

**Commended Wine** Decanter World Wine Awards 2015. 2013 vintage.

88 points Wine Enthusiast Magazine. 2015 vintage.

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### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

#### Varieties: Tinta del País (Tempranillo)

Vineyard: Old low-yield vineyards, selected in the Páramo de Corcos and surroundings, in the towns of Moradillo de Roa, Fuentemolinos and Castrillo de la Vega. Sandy loam soils with pebbles on the surface and layers of clay deep down.

Harvest: Manual harvest carried out between September 30 and October 15. Harvest and trasport in small trailers.

Winemaking: Fermentation and maceration in 15,000 kg vats, at a temperature of 28°C during 3 weeks. Malolactic fermentation in vats. Minimun intervention and battonage.

Aging: 6 months in French, American and Eastern European used oak barrels.

Alcohol content: 14% Vol.

## TASTING NOTES

Colour: Dark cherry red, with violet notes on the rim characteristic of its youth.

Nose: Notes of black fruits stand out, fundamentally blackberries, accompanied by fresh tones of aromatic plants typical of scrub land. The end is pleasantly reminiscent of strawberry yogurt.

Palate: It stands out for its freshness and great intensity. Sweet unctuous entry, well-structured and lingering sensations accompany throughout its journey. Very persistent and with a slight tannin finish characteristic of Tempranillo.

### 2019 VINTAGE

2019 was a dry year, with a scarcer harvest but it brought an excellent grape in terms of quality. Spectacular state of health at the time of harvest and optimal maturation.

