

# BARDOS

BARDOS VERDEJO 2021

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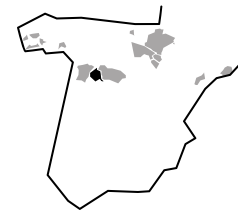
## The essential variety of Rueda, Verdejo.

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### ORIGIN

In 2004 when we began our exploration in the search for the wine regions with most potential in Spain, we discover in Rueda the vineyards of Verdejo, a variety capable of conquering the palate of the lovers of the most aromatic whites. In the heart of Castilla, a hard area to work with the vine, with Bardos we pay tribute to all the men and women who dedicate their lives to the countryside.

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.



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### AWARDS

**Gold Medal**  
Monovino Awards  
2016. 2015 vintage.

**90 points**  
Peñín Guide 2020.  
2018 vintage.



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## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

**Varieties:** Verdejo.

**Vineyard:** Selection of 20 to 25 years old vineyards, located in Rueda and La Seca, on the rocky soil at 700 to 800 metres above sea level. Continental climate and large temperature difference between day and night favour to produce great balance wines.

**Harvest:** Manually harvested during the night. The harvest began in mid-September and lasted until the end of the month.

**Winemaking:** Cryomaceration to encourage colour and primary aromas extraction. Softly pressed and fermentation with natural grape yeasts at low temperature. Aging on the fine lees for 2 months.

**Alcohol Content:** 13% Vol.

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## TASTING NOTES

**Colour:** Straw yellow color with greenish tones.

**Nose:** Intense aromas of tropical fruits (pineapple and passion fruit) and also plant notes typical of the Verdejo variety, such as the touch of boxwood, which add complexity.

**Palate:** Enveloping, velvety and long. Persistent, with good acidity that balances the fullness in the mouth, making it very harmonious.

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## 2021 VINTAGE

*Spring was marked by rains in its final phase but summer was very dry. Several episodes of rain in September forced a halt in the harvest but did not affect the excellent quality of the Verdejo grape, which presented a great balance between grade and acidity, good intensity and great structure.*

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