

HACIENDA LOPEZ DE HARO

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A synergy of Rioja's high-altitude vineyards and old vines, producing a vibrant and layered white wine.

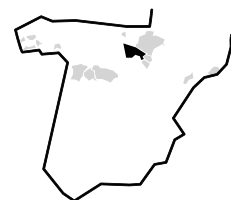


ORIGIN

Although we have explored a lot, in Vintae we never lose sight of our land because here, in Rioja, is where we have learned almost everything we know. With Bodega Hacienda López de Haro we wanted to recover the authentic essence of Rioja, its fine wines, the classics that made this region great because they represent elegance.

But, if we wanted to create modern wines, it was not enough to look at tradition. That is why, in the Hacienda López de Haro collection, the historic Riojan finesse joins the grape quality of our old vineyards to create authentic contemporary classics.

In deciding where to establish our winery we chose the historic town of San Vicente de la Sonsierra, in the heart of D.O.Ca Rioja surrounded to the north by the Sierra Cantabria and to the south by the Ebro river. The microclimate of the area and its clay-calcareous soils generate the perfect conditions for the vineyard.



D.O.Ca. Rioja



AWARDS

92 points

Tim Atkin MW.

Rioja Report 2025.

2023 vintage.





TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Varieties: Viura, Malvasía, Garnacha Blanca, Tempranillo Blanco, Maturana Blanca and Chardonnay.

Vineyard: Vineyard plots located in Badarán (Upper Najerilla) at over 600 meters above sea level, planted on iron-rich clay soils. Roughly half of the grapes are sourced from old vines, predominantly Viura with some Malvasía. The other half comes from younger vineyards featuring a blend of varieties: Garnacha Blanca, Tempranillo Blanco, Maturana Blanca, and Chardonnay.

Harvest: Manual harvest during the second half of September.

Winemaking: Maceration for 24 hours, light pressing and controlled fermentation in small vats.

Aging: Four months of aging in second- and third-use French and Eastern European oak barrels.

Alcohol Content: 12,5% Vol.



TASTING NOTES

Colour: Straw yellow color, great clarity and vivacity.

Nose: This wine boasts a complex aromatic profile with prominent sweet white floral notes and stone fruit, particularly peach skin, complemented by subtle hints of ripe pome fruit. These terroir-driven aromas integrate seamlessly with a backdrop of sweet spices and honey, revealing the creaminess of vanilla and refined bakery notes from aging in European oak barrels. The nose is elegantly fragrant, nuanced, and inviting.

Palate: The wine offers a great breadth on entry, with glyceric and enveloping sensations. The acidity remains subtle, guiding the wine with a smooth character while providing the depth and energy typical of Alto Najerilla wines. It features a long finish with delicate notes of chalk and a slight bitterness, complemented by tactile oak nuances that enhance its prolonged presence on the palate and impart a distinctive character. On the retronasal, it reveals nuanced hints of forest, tobacco, and delicate herbaceous and aromatic plant notes, adding an additional layer of complexity.



2023 VINTAGE

The year was predominantly dry but highly variable, characterized by alternating periods of drought and heat interspersed with rainfall and cooler temperatures. The September rains arrived at an ideal time, supporting maturation and resulting in healthy, well-balanced grapes.