

Bodegas Rectoral Do Umia

DOC RIAS BAIXAS, SALNÉS, CONDADO Y ULLA, SPAIN



Pirueta

- 100% Albariño
- 7-20 years, vine age
- 50% Granite, 25% Clay, 25% Sandy Soil
- 70% in Pergolas, 30% Trellised vines
- Harvested by hand
- Grapes are harvested and transported to the winery in boxes of 18 kgs in less than 2 hours from collection to processing.
- Fermentation in vats of 60.000 litres of stainless steel to temperature between 14-16 degrees C for 15 days

Aromas of pear, apple & peach; the palate has great volume with gentle acidity. The freshness of pome fruit is wrapped by the smoothness of the stone fruit with a fresh and clean finish.

Try it with spicy and flavorful cuisines like Indian and Thai and tapas. AB +777311

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VINEYARD NOTES

- First time visitors to Galicia in far north-west Spain are almost invariably amazed to find quite how “un-Spanish” it is. The countryside is green, lush and gentle, sometimes oddly reminiscent of Ireland. Rain-bearing clouds speed in off the Atlantic, which forces its way into the mainland along many-fingered estuaries called rias, bringing an enviably rich variety of fish to an originally Celtic population. The political centre is Santiago de Compostela to which pilgrims have flocked for centuries.
- For years Galicia made slightly fizzy, bone dry, light bodied whites rather similar to the Vinho Verde made over the border in Portugal. Such wines rarely escaped the fish restaurants of the

region itself. But since the early 1980's Galicia has been increasingly valued by Spaniards as their one source of fine, often exotically scented, crisp white wines. The top white Galician wines, usually made from the Albariño grape, are some of the most sought after in Spain and have a growing following around the world.

- Rias Baixas, right on the coast to which Christopher Columbus returned with the news that it did not represent the end of the world, is the most famous region in which Albariño seems to thrive. Rias Baixas is divided into five zones: Val do Salnés, Condado do Tea, El Rosal, Sotomaior and Ribera del Ulla.

Galicia Wine Region (Monterrei, Rias Baixas, Ribeira Sacra, Ribeiro & Valdeorras)

