



# Campeador

## GARNACHA 2021

**VARIETIES:** 100 % Garnacha.

**VINTAGE 2021:** After a growing season plagued by drought, the rains at the end of September had a very positive effect on ripening, giving the berries a good final balance. The grapes reached an excellent state of ripeness, with a good balance of alcohol, acidity, aromas and polyphenols. This allowed us to produce wines of quality and finesse that are truly representative of the characteristics of our vineyards around Haro. The Rioja Control Board awarded this vintage a rating of "Very Good".

**VINEYARD:** Two Garnacha vineyards, planted in cold areas around Haro (Haro and Fonzaleche) are the origin of this wine. Garnacha grapes from Rioja Alta. Its nutrient-poor soil, covered with boulders, and its climate result in a great varietal typicity, rich in aromas, with a pleasant and elegant structure. A wine of great personality.

**WINEMAKING:** We started to harvest these plots in mid-October. The grapes were harvested by hand. Alcoholic and malolactic fermentation took place spontaneously in small wooden barrels. In February 2022, the wine was aged in 5-year-old American oak barrels. It remained in them for 8 months with a barrel to barrel gravity racking.

**TASTING NOTES:** Intense cherry red colour, bright, lively. Very intense nose, with fresh notes of red fruit, balsamic, citrus notes, liquorice and undergrowth. Very expressive and with nerve on the palate. Juicy and with vibrant acidity. An excellent varietal example of the Garnacha grapes from the cooler areas of Rioja Alta.

Total production: 4,000 bottles of 75 cl.

Alcohol: 14% pH: 3,40 Acidity: 6,5 g/L



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