

## GOMARIZ X 2021 White wine

Cellar COTO DE GOMARIZ
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Grape Origin From "As Penelas" Estate vineyard and O Taboleiro settled in Barro de Gomariz, Gomariz Village, Leiro

Council. 5000 pl/Ha. No Synthesis or Insecticide products used.

Soils Schist and granitic sands.

Orography Terraces (Socalcos).

**Location** Gomariz – D.O. Ribeiro – Ourense -Galicia - España

Varietal Breakdown Albariño 95%, Treixadura 5%.

Winemaking Selection in field. Hand Harvest into 18 kg plastic-crates. Sorting table is used. De-stemming, crushing

and smooth pressing is made. Free-run juice is statically settled and fermented at low temperature in stainless steel vats. Salvage yeast used finishing with commercial yeast. Wine rounds in the vat until

bottling. Bottled in Flower Day April, 2022.

Vintage 2021: A rare summer, as it was not very hot and it rained almost sporadically throughout the cycle,

giving rise to many fungal problems; that in our case we had been careful to protect the vines against diseases, being proactive and constantly monitoring the vines. A very abundant harvest was coming: many clusters had been born and they were (until August 31) very healthy. On August 31 around 8:00

p.m. in 5 minutes of hail, we lost a large part of the harvest.

It was necessary to work very hard in the vineyards the following weeks and during the harvest in the winery to make a scrupulous selection of clusters. In this way, to the detriment of quantity, we have managed to produce wines of a similar quality to previous years.

The characteristics of the vintage offer wines with a different profile from those immediately before: very Atlantic, fresh wines. With less degree and volume than other years, with good acidity and very aromatic. They have fruit, but they are much more floral, aromatic herbs, in the mouth they have less weight, although the treixadura profile continues to dominate, whose characteristic volume is smaller this year. But there is a very good acidity, clean, which end up in length.

% VOL 13,60

Reducing Sugar (g/l) 0,90

Total Acidity (g/l) 6,12

Volatile Acidity (g/l) 0,28

**pH** 3,25

Total Sulphites (mg/l) 163

Format 12 bottles cases. Bottle 750 ml. Magnum 1,5 l

Production 5.000 bottles.

**VEGAN AND VEGETARIAN FRIENDLY.** 

**Label Explanation** X stands for "xistos" rocks forming the floor of the farm. (Schists).

Service and Food Pairing 9ºC. Lobster, Crayfish. Grilled Sea food. Creamy cheeses not very mature and Fresh Pasta. Warm

Salads.

Prizes and Scores Guía Peñín 2021: 92-5\* (2020); Guía de Vinos, Destilados y Bodegas de Galicia: Medalla de Oro (2020);

Robert Parker\_WA\_Feb22: **92** (2020); Robert Parker\_WA\_feb22: **93** (2019); Wine&Spirits Aug20 **92** (2018); Vinous\_Jun21: **91** (2017); XXXIII Concurso Nacional de Vinos Jóvenes UEC – Premios Baco cosecha 2018, **Baco de Plata**; Vinous\_Mar19: **91** (2017); Robert Parker WA\_Feb19: **94** (2017); Guía Peñín 2019: **90-5\*** (2017); Wine Spectator\_Dec18: **89** (2017); James Suckling\_Aug18: **90** (2017); Wine

Spectator\_Jan19: **89** (2017); Elmundovino.com\_Jul18: **15/20** (2017); Guía Repsol 2018: **93** (2016); Guía ABC 2017: **93** (2015); James Suckling Dic16: **93** (2015); Guía Peñín 2017:

91-4\*(2015); Jancis Robinson Aug16: 17,5/20(2015); Robert Parker WA Aug17:

93 (2015); Robert Parker WA Abr16: 92 (2014); Robert Parker WA Jan15:

91(2013); Vinous/Tanzer\_Oct14: 91 (2013); Vinous/Tanzer\_Oct13: 92(2012); Guía de los Vinos y Destilados de Galicia 2018 Medalla Oro (2015); Regional Trophy Decanter WWA 2010 Best White

North Spain (2008)

**Tasting notes (Josh Raynolds):** Light, bright yellow. Lively, mineral-accented pear, melon and nectarine scents, with a touch of lemon pith adding lift. Spicy and precise on entry, then fleshier in the midpalate, offering vibrant citrus and orchard fruit flavors braced by juicy acidity. Closes on a nervy mineral note, with excellent focus and a refreshingly bitter edge.