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TYPE WHITE, RIBEIRO LOCATION

OURENSE, RIBEIRO, GALICIA, SPAIN





VINFYARD

Grape Varieties: Treixadura, Godello, Loureira, Albariño Vines Age: Grapes are sourced from seven different parcels

Elevation: 500 - 1150 ft.

Soil: Granitic origin, schist and clay

Climate: Atlantic

Harvest: First selection harvested by hand into 18kg plastic crates, followed by a second selection from the sorting table. All vineyards follow the biodynamic practices of Steiner and Fukuoka.

WINEMAKING

Winemaker: Ricardo Carreiro & Inma Pazos

Fermentation: Destemmed, crush, and smooth press. Free-run juice is settled and fermented at low temperature in stainless steel vats. 20% of the wine (from Finca O Figueiral) is fermented in barrels for 10 months.

Maturation: The wines from the different plots are blended, then aged in tank for 12 months before bottling. Bottled on a Flower day according to the biodynamic lunar calendar.

WINE

Alcohol: 13.9% Production: 4170 cases

PITCH

- Biodynamic winemaking following the principles of Thun, Fukuoka and Steiner.
- Gomariz is known as Ribeiro's "Golden Mile"
- Indiaenous varietals from Galicia
- Oldest civil building used for winemaking in the Iberian Peninsula -- dates back to the 10th century. The label on this bottle is the coat of arms of Abbey of Gomariz.

TASTING NOTES

Bright, lively, mineral-accented citrus and orchard fruit scents are complemented by suave floral and gingery spice qualities. Silky and focused on the palate, offering zesty orange and lemon pith flavors and a touch of bitter quince. Finishes dry and focused, with strong lift and stony persistence.