MAIOR DE MENDOZA



VINTAGE 2018

Origin of the grape

15 hectares vineyard in the sub-zone of the Salnes Valley, within the "Rías Baixas" Denomination of Origin. Vines are 27 years-old, in slopes over sandy granitic soils, close to the Atlantic Ocean.

Pruning took place during the months of December and January. After the flowering in June, superfluous shoots were trimmed. Throughout the summer. the crops were thinned and excessive individual branches were cut. During the ripening period a detailed analysis of plots kept check on the levels of acidity and sugar in the grapes. The harvest took place between September 19th - 29th, finding the optimum level of maduration for each plot. All this works are made by hand.

Elaboration

Grapes were collected in 20 kg boxes; and stored in a refrigerated lorry whilst inside the vineyard and immediately transported to the Wine Cellar where cold pelicular maceration was applied on an average of 5 hours. Alcoholic fermentation took place over 21 days at a controlled temperature (16°C-18°C).

Tasting

Straw yellow with slight greenish, limpid and bright. Aromatically of high intensity with hints of stone fruits (peach, medlar...), white

fruits, citrus fruits, anise, mint, florals and lychees.

Good acidity, fresh, fat and greasy, with volume. Very fruity, long and intense. Very balanced.

Recommendations

Storage temperature should not exceed 18° or 20°C and should never be exposed to the sun, avoiding in all cases sudden changes of temperature.

Suitable as an accompaniment to hors d'oeuvres, shellfish, fish, rice dishes, pasta, white meats and oriental cuisine.

It should be served at a recommended temperature of 10 to 12°C.

Alcoholic content: 13% by volume Total acidity: 6.6 gr/l (in tartaric) Residual sugar: 3.7 gr/l

Fulget

Albariño

Supplied in: Cases of 12 bottles / Cases of 6 bottles

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75 cl.



Since its market release, Fulget has received year after year, different awards and mentions, in the most recognised world wine competitions and publications. Everyone agrees to emphasize its excellent value for money:

Here is a brief summary.

- 2006: Fulget was chosen one of the 100 Best value Wines of the world by **Wine Spectator** and one of the best wines of Spain by the **Gourmets Guide**, appearing in his honor roll.
- 2007: Awarded with Gold at the New Wave Spanish Wines, and at the Challenge International du Vin, Mundus-Vini and Muvina with Silver.
- 2008: Best Spanish White in the UK under 10 pounds at the New Wave Spanish Wine Awards and Best Buy by Wine Enthusiast. Was also awarded with Silver medal at the Challenge International du Vin.
- 2009: Obtained 91 points in the Peñín guide and 89 points Wine Advocate by Robert Parker. Silver medal Femmes International du Vin, held in Monaco.
- 2010: Received the gold at the Berliner Wein Trophy and 91 points in the Spanish Repsol Guide.
- 2011: Awarded at the R&B Hong Kong Wine Awards with a Gold medal, as well as awarded in Mundus-Vini and at the Decanter World Wine Awards with Silver.
- 2012: Gold medal at the prestigious International Wine Challenge and 90 points at the Peñín guide
- 2013: The influential **Decanter Magazine**, published a special report on Rias Baixas and highligted Fulget with 90 points, in the reduced selection of wines from the area.
- 2014: Honor roll of the best wines of Spain at the Gourmets guide with 92 points, obtained the Gold in the China Wine & Spirits Awards, being the only Albariño wine awarded, Bronze at IWC and in DWWA.
- 2015: Top 100 best wines from Spain in Prowein. Gold medal in World Wine Awards of Canada and Silver in the vintage tasting, wine contest organised by the Rías Baixas council to to show the Albariño evolution in the bottle over the years.
- 2016: Best Buy by Wine Enthusiast. Silver Medals in Bacchus International, in the International Wine Guide, in IWC and in Decanter.
- 2017: Gold medal in the Asian CWSA and AIN Wine Challenge. It was also highlighted in Germany by Wein Plus as a wine to be bought blindly for its quality, year after year.
- 2018: Winner of the competition Best wines from Spain in United Kingdom, directed by Tim Atkin, its the most representative wine contest on Spanish wines in the UK. in addition to another 6 Gold, Silver and Bronze medals in different competitions