
BASA BLANCOS DE RUEDA / Rueda

47490 Rueda, Valladolid

El Transistor (2018)

El Transistor is the purest and most sincere expression of grapes from very old vineyards in the village of La Seca. This wine reflects the best expression of Verdejo: bushvines, low yields, a simple and respectful winemaking process, and our 20 years of experience and knowledge of this area, make this a very consistent wine.

REGION

Rueda

VILLAGE

La Seca

PLACES

El Monte and Valdealaíno

VARIETIES

100% Verdejo

VITICULTURE

Traditional viticulture, very old bushvines. Manual harvest in boxes.

ELABORATION AND AGING

With indigenous yeasts in concrete, wooden barrels and foudres of different sizes. 6/7 months of aging.

SOILS

Gravel on fluvial terraces of the Quaternary.

VINTAGE CHARACTERISTICS

El Transistor 2018 was harvested on September 25; this was one of the latest vintages in Rueda in recent years, marked by a rainy spring (which prolonged the phase of vegetative growth) and a hot summer, also very dry to the end of the cycle. This prompted an abundant harvest and healthy fruit, with a certain amount of west facing clusters being affected by dehydration. The slow ripening led to lighter and also much fruitier wines.

