



# RODA I 2017



## TECHNICAL DATA

**Varieties:** 90% Tempranillo, 6% Graciano and 4% Garnacha.

**Grape sourcing:** Old Bush vines with yields of 1,5kg/vine.

**Fermentation:** Spontaneous fermentation in French oak vats (temperature controlled)

**Ageing:** Aged in French oak barriques for 16 months (50% new and 50% second use).

**Stabilization:** by natural methods with lyophilized egg White.

**Alcohol:** 14,5 % Vol.

## TASTING NOTES

**Colour:** Intense and bright, with a high layer, cherry red background and red rim.

**Nose:** The complexity of the aromas and the quality are surprising. Excellent nose.

There is a superposition of aromatic layers that express themselves. The oak is very discreet, always holding the fruit and the spicy notes. The layer of fruit aromas is abundant, with a clear profile of black fruits, highlighting black plum and blueberries.

In the layer of spices there is a play of cloves, black pepper and a light touch of cinnamon. In the background, details of very subtle white flowers can be seen. The aroma of the moist earth, which brings mineral memories, mixes with that of the cocoa in a really pleasant aromatic layer.

**Palate:** It has good volume with a nice touch. The tannin is present, but it is very fine, of great quality.

The fruit character with a black profile stands out in the palate and plum is the protagonist. There is a slightly bitter note, like that of the stone of the fruit, very pleasant, which gives personality to the whole.



It is full of flavours and the oak appears perfectly assembled in the palate. At the same time, the sensations of good ripening and freshness coincide.

The spicy and fresh notes lengthen the persistence of the wine in a very balanced set. It really seems more harmonious and assembled than would correspond to a wine of its age.

The concentration is in line with the 2017 vintage, which had a very low production due to the brutal frost on April 28<sup>th</sup>.

### **VINTAGE, CLIMATIC CYCLE**

The cycle started with a huge drought.

In the month of April, already with visible clusters, a great frost affected all the vineyards.

There has been a total rainfall of 440 mm.

The cycle has finished with low rainfall and high temperatures.

We started the harvest on September 4<sup>th</sup>, the earliest in our history.