

VIÑA GENA

VIÑEDO SINGULAR 2022

VILLOTA

LASERNA — LAGUARDIA
RIOJA ALAVESA



A long-lived vineyard between the river Ebro and a gentle slope covered with an original holm-oak forest. With more than 90 harvests, the Tempranillo vines express the link with the landscape, the conscious cultivation and the clay and sand soils. Named in honour of Mrs. Genara Villota, Viña Gena is our first wine officially classified as Viñedo Singular.

3.650 bottles of 0.75 l and 182 magnums (1.5 l).

2022 VINTAGE. It was one of the driest and hottest vintages in recent years. Autumn and winter had normal rainfall and temperatures but the spring turned to be extremely warm. High temperatures from May until the end of the grape cycle, with scarce rainfall until August. The heat waves (40 degrees during the day and tropical nights, with 20 degrees) caused a very fast maturation and also a premature vegetative stop. The health conditions were extraordinary.

VINTAGE QUALIFICATIONS.

- DOCa Rioja: Very Good.
- Álava Viticulture and Oenology Department: Excellent.

VARIETY. 100% Tempranillo grown in the oldest plot of the estate – planted in 1930. It is a low-yield vineyard of an extraordinary quality.

WINEMAKING. After fermentation, it ages 18 months in French oak barrels. Refined in concrete tank. It was bottled in May 2024. Half a year of bottle ageing.

TASTING NOTES.

Clear garnet colour. Very aromatic, with floral notes (wild rose, violet) and red fruit (cherry and red currant). Spiced hints, subtle touches of pastry. On the palate, an initial fruity sensation, fleshy and pleasant. Very elegant tannins and balsamic nuances that provide freshness. Balanced, tasty and polished. A full persistence. A great life ahead.

ALCOHOL CONTENT. 14% Vol.



*Scores obtained by the
2021 vintage*



*Scores obtained by the
2019 vintage*

