

UKAN | 2019

The elegance of Laguardia's old vines

UKAN is the winery's icon. The result of a meticulous vineyard selection that discovered three old Tempranillo vineyards in Laguardia. Each plot is elaborated separately to enhance their uniqueness, and then blended into a single elegant and well-structured wine. UKAN is a complex, full-bodied and very drinkable wine with a lot of ageing potential.



CLIMATIC

A dry and cold winter followed by a rainy spring that was welcomed by the blooming vines. After a chilly and moist month of May, in June the temperature started to raise and stayed very warm during the summer, one of the hottest in recent years. Luckily, the heat waves were followed by gentle showers that allowed the vineyards to continue their vegetative cycle without stopping due to water stress and resulting in a low yield and high quality harvest in October with perfectly healthy grapes.

YEAR

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VINEYARD

- REGION_ DOCa Rioja
- SUBREGION_ Rioja Alavesa
- MUNICIPALITIES_ Laguardia
- VINEYARDS_ Valderromán (1945), El Estado (1966), Zaramochuelo (1940)
- VARIETIES_ 100% Tempranillo
- SOILS_ Clay-limestone.
- HARVEST_ Manual in 15kg boxes

WINERY

- GRAPE RECEPTION_ Cluster selection table + berries selection table.
- VINIFICATION_ 100% destemmed. Cold maceration 48-72 hours and 10-12 days fermentation in 20 HL open-top oak vats.
- AGEING_ 16 months in 225L French oak.
- BOTTLING DATE_ June 2021
- BOTTLES PRODUCED_ 15.000

ANALYSIS

- ALCOHOL_ 14°
- TOTAL ACIDITY_ 5,36 G/L
- PH_ 3,62