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Roda I Blanco 2022
Bodegas Roda - 75 cl.



Roda I Blanco is a highly ambitious project from this top estate. A dedicated underground cellar was built especially for it, next to the existing bodega. Impressive! Agustín Santolaya's ambition is clear — he aims for nothing less than creating the finest white Rioja, with his usual meticulous care for the vineyards. The winemaking pays tribute to the classic white Riojas.

Vinification
Small yields from the highest vineyards, mainly Viura with a small portion of Malvasía and Garnacha blanca. Maceration and fermentation take place in large oak foudres. The wine is then aged for 18 months in these same foudres. After an additional 18 months of bottle ageing, it is released to the market.

Storage potential
Drink as from : 2025
Best moment : 2026-2028
Until : 2030

To serve
Serve chilled, in a Burgundy glass.

Trial analysis
Golden yellow in colour. Beautiful evolution in the glass. The nose displays a complex interplay of white stone fruits, grapefruit, greengage plum, rhubarb and quince, enhanced by a fine, subtle bitterness. On the palate, a powerful wine with clear Burgundian character — rich, complex and yet mineral. And without a doubt, a subtle nod to the classic white Riojas. Incredible length with remarkable persistence. Grandiose!

Wine style:
Continental, powerful gourmet wine

Assembly
Garnacha Blanca, Malvasia, Viura

Region:
La Rioja

Appellation:
D.O.C. Rioja

Wine estate:
Bodegas Roda

Description domain

Roda is one of the star estates in the Rioja; it embodies the renaissance of this famous wine region.