



CALENDAS

Blanco 2020



Bodegas Ochoa: Bodegas: Since 1845 the Ochoa family has been making wine in Navarra, Spain. Javier Ochoa has passed the torch to the 6th generation; his two daughters Adriana and Beatriz Ochoa. Adriana has had extensive training in winemaking in Bordeaux and Australia and awarded 'Best Young Female Winemaker in Spain' by several wine publications. With the previous momentum of her father's work, Adriana pushes Ochoa forward with the help of her sister Beatriz who manages marketing and sales. Their 145 acres of vineyards and olive orchards are farmed according to European organic certification guidelines (certified as of 2018) along with the use of sustainable agricultural and winemaking processes.

Calendas: The Calendas range represents a fresh, fruit-forward, young wine. The 'Calendas', is based on the Roman calendar which starts when the vine begins to first bud and dictates the rest of the year.

Tasting notes: White blossom, apple, pear, and pineapple aromas. These flavors move forward into the mouth with a lovely medium acidity and balanced fruit intensity on the finish.

Wine Makers: Adriana Ochoa

Appellation: DO Navarra **Elevation:** 1,312 ft

Grapes: 70% Chardonnay 30% Viura from La Milla vineyard

Soil: Calcareous clay with lots of stones perfectly suited for white wines

Vineyard practice: European Organically certified + sustainable practices

Vine Age: 15 years **Yield:** 3 tons per acre **Harvest Dates:** 1st week of September

Fermentation: Short maceration of skins and must prior fermentation, which undergoes at low temperature and with autochthon yeast. Then the wine will rest in temperature-controlled stainless steel vats prior bottling. There is no use of oak in this wine.

pH: 3.61 **RS:** 3 grams per liter **Alc:** 13% **UPC:** 7 50428 20 0574



D.O. Navarra: With the Pyrenees mountains in the north, the Bardenas Reales desert in the south, and the Bay of Biscayne (San Sebastian) one hour away, creates an interesting confluence of 3 climates; Atlantic, Continental and Mediterranean traveling north to south. This combined with a range of soils, altitude, sunshine and rainfall all packed into an area of 120 miles north to south and 60 miles east to west, allows for this small region to produce a variety of styles of wines from many different varieties. Very few wine regions can offer this level of quality in white, rose and dessert wines all in one viticultural area.

Other Wines Available:

CALENDAS Rose

CALENDAS Tempranillo

