

# Protos Crianza 2019

100% Tempranillo

Bodegas Protos  
D.O. Ribera del Duero



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## Harvest 2019

A warmer than usual winter followed by a dry spring with precipitation 25% below average. The summer was very warm with normal rainfall, and in September, the onset of abundant rains interrupted the harvest without causing health issues

## Vineyards

Vineyards over 35 years old. Is the most authentic expression of the Tinto fino from Ribera del Duero, and a good example of the complexity and typicity that can be found in a wine made from grapes grown on the different soils of the D.O. The vineyards are planted at an altitude ranging from 750 to 1,100 metres above sea level, in the best wine-growing areas of Burgos, Valladolid and Soria

## Vinification

Harvest by hand. Grapes selected on the table. Ageing for 12 months in French and American oak barrels

## Analysis

Alcohol content: 14,4 % Vol

Acidity: 5 g/l

## Organoleptic Characteristics

- Bigarreau cherry red colour with garnet rim and purple glints
- Elegant, complex and expressive on the nose. It stands out for its intensity of fresh red and black fruit and its milky and balsamic notes, which make it a very fresh wine, rich in nuances
- In the mouth it is an enveloping, tasty, balanced wine, with finesse and pleasant maturity. The finish is reminiscent of ripe fruit.