

VINOS DEL VIENTO CARIÑENA

2022

Country

Spain

Region

Campo de Borja

Varietal

Cariñena

Winemaker

Michael Cooper

Alcohol Content

13%

Total Sulfur

No data

Residual Sugar

No data

Acidity

No data



HISTORY

Vigneron Michael Cooper made wine in Aragon before he and wife Rosario decided to build their own winery in Campo de Borja. Vinos del Viento's namesake comes from the strong winds that carve through the Ebro River Valley -reaching 50km per hour- known as the *Cierzo* wind.

Cooper is revered as a pioneer in the region, making wines from abandoned single vineyards whose vines weren't producing sufficient fruit for bulk farmers. Nurturing these vines back to health with biodynamic practices has revealed single-vineyard expressions that continue to pique neighboring farmers interests and cultivate both respect and praise in international reviewers press.

With a philosophy of combining tradition and innovation, Cooper has a prevailing mission statement: "[these wines are] unique treasures to preserve and share with the world."

VINIFICATION and MATURATION

Hand-harvested, de-stemmed. Élevage with indigenous yeasts in stainless steel tanks. Biodynamically vinified. Unfined, unfiltered. Total production: 208 cases.

VINEYARD



Sourced from two estate vineyards, both high elevation sites at 600m (2,624ft) all planted to Canto Rodado (stoney clay soils).

TASTING NOTES



Fruit-forward, with ripe blackberries, dark cherries, licorice and a sauvage character. Vibrant and fresh, with ripe, astringent tannins and a floral finish laden with sweet fruit.
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FOOD PAIRING



Barbacoa tacos, smoked turkey or duck, lamb kebabs, babaganoush, charcuterie and cheeses.

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