

## Our vineyards



### Soil —

Our soil is composed of sandy loam. This means that it is loose soil where coarse elements (sand) abound, making water impregnation, airing of the roots, drainage and even work easy.

On the other hand, organic material combusts quickly and the ability of this soil to retain water is limited, making it quite warm and pushing forward the ripening of the fruit.

### Climate —

Salnés is located right in the Atlantic region and we can consider all wines of D.O. Rías Baixas as Atlantic wines. In this region, average temperatures stay around 14°C throughout the year and rain falls mainly in the autumn and winter, becoming less common towards summer.

### Location of the vineyards —

90% of our plots are in the Parish of Castrelo, within the Complejo Intermareal Umia- O Grove (Red Natura 2000), just opposite the Island of A Toxa. The Borough of Cambados lies within the demarcation of Salnés, D.O. Rías Baixas. Province of Pontevedra.

6 of the hectares we owned are dedicated to Albariño grapes.

### Variety —

Our vines are 100% Albariño and the rootstock is 110 Richter because this is the most suitable to the qualities and needs of our soil and climate.

### Conduction system —

We opted for the traditional system of trained vines conduction and pruning, which is now a regular feature around Rías Baixas, because it was the most suitable for our traditional way of working the land but also for the grape variety, climate, health regulations and landscape itself.

The posts are made of granite stone and the wire of stainless steel; they reach a height of 1.80 cm.

### Plantation —

Our vines grow in of 4 x 4 m grids . The number of vines per hectare is 1,200

### Production —

The Regulatory Council of Rías Baixas estimates that the average production ranges between 10,000 and 11,000 Kg/Ha. We have opted for a production below that average.