

ESCOBAL 2022 Ostatu

Escobal is a symbol of a new era, made with the first vineyard plantings carried out by the current generation in the 1990s.

A natural evolution in our winemaking, aiming to respond to the style of the new consumer approaching wine.

A wine for a new generation, where the fruity concept claims prominence.

Escobal becomes our first commitment to a different and youthful profile, where fruitiness, sweetness, and, as in all our wines, respect for the environment, are a priority.

OSTATU ESCOBAL TEMPRANILLO 2022 BOT.# 0007 /4.974 RIOJA DENOMINACIÓN DE ORIGEN CALIFICADA RIOJA ALAVESA VINO DE SAMANIEGO



Vintage

Hand harvested on September 17th, 2022.

Harvest: 2022

• Harvest Classification: Very good

It was a year marked by climatic challenges, but September made it work. The result: an expressive and mature wine, with grapes slightly bigger than in previous years, which brought freshness and lower concentration, making it very nice to taste.

• Bottling Date: September 8, 2023

• Production of the 2021 vintage: 4.974 bottles, 75cl

• Market Release: October 2024

Organic certified wine



Viticulture

Planted with a selection of our best Tempranillo vines. In organic cultivation since 2010, when we began growing our vines under controlled organic certification by ENEEK (Basque Country Organic Production Regulatory Council), where, like in the rest of our vineyards, we implemented practices entirely respectful of the environment, favoring the creation of natural hedges and promoting native wildlife.

The soil is a combination of limestone sands and gravel, with a layer of clay deeper down, formed by an initial layer of sand and small stones.

- 100% Tempranillo
- El Escobal vineyard, planted in 1997
- Located at 547m altitude
- Double cordon pruning

Winemaking

Immediate destemming and cold carbonic maceration in a stainless steel tank.

Alcoholic fermentation, with light pump-overs, at a maximum temperature of 24°C, for 14 days.

Malolactic fermentation and aging in French oak vat with corresponding rackings until bottling, preceded by a gentle filtration.

Tasting Notes

This wine presents a cherry color with violet reflections.

On the nose, it evokes memories of ripe red and black fruits, with subtle citrus notes, flower petals, and a balsamic fragrance. Its aroma is firm and dominated by fruit.

On the palate, it is sweet and full of personality, with a distinctive volume that reflects the characteristics of the sandy soil. Its aging in wooden barrels adds elegance and roundness, adding complexity to its taste profile.