

2019 Emilio Rojo

Rating	Release Price	Drink Date	Producer: Emilio Rojo
95	\$95	2023 - 2030	From: Spain , Galicia , Ribeiro
Reviewed by	Issue Date	Source	Color: White
Luis Gutiérrez	28th Feb 2022	Issue 259 End of February 2022, The Wine Advocate	Type: Table

2019 was the first vintage under the new ownership, a very good year with mild weather and a quiet harvest when they picked the grapes with no stress. The 2019 Emilio Rojo is a blend of all the grapes in the organically and biodynamically farmed (but not certified) vineyard—Treixadura, Godello, Albariño, Torrontés, Loureira, Caíño Blanco, Lado, etc. The grapes were picked in two passes and fermented with indigenous yeasts in stainless steel followed by 14 months in tank. It's 12.5% alcohol and has a pH of 3.42 and 6.9 grams of tartaric acid per liter (acidity). This might be released in November 2022, after almost two years in bottle. It has a strong herbal strike on the nose, spicy and nuanced, elegant and harmonious. It has great balance and a brilliant texture with fine granularity and a long, tasty, almost salty finish. 2,190 bottles and 300 magnums produced. It was bottled in December 2020. They produced less as they moved to organic viticulture, and unfortunately, there will be even less wine from 2020.

Sweetness: Dry

Type: Table

Variety: Proprietary Blend