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#1 selling white varietal
in Spain, grown in the
Dunnigan Hills of
California
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TINTO REY

VERDEJO

Estate Bottled

APPELLATION:
Dunnigan Hills, Estate Bottled

BLEND:
89% Verdejo
11% Chardonnay

FERMENTATION:
Stainless Steel & Oak Barrels
Barrel aging: 5 months in
French neutral barrels

TA: 7.47 g/L **PH:** 3.61

ALCOHOL: 12.8%

PRODUCTION: 208 cases

WINE 🍷 Verdejo, the iconic Spanish white grape, thrives in our warm and rocky Dunnigan Hills terroir. The varietal is known for being bright and lively and the 2019 Tinto Rey is all that and more. The aroma is a beautiful bouquet of gardenia, mock orange and tuberose. The flavors are a burst of white peach, lemon, apricot and crisp apple followed by a note of creaminess from the barrel aging. The flinty, mineral finish is satisfyingly crisp and refreshing. Tinto Rey Verdejo is the perfect pairing for sushi, spicy shrimp or a classic niçoise salad.

STORY 🏰 Tinto Rey means Red King and is the name of our Spanish centric wine brand. The Dunnigan Hills appellation is uniquely suited for grapes that thrive in a Mediterranean climate. Warm days, gravelly soil, little rainfall; these are ideal conditions for Tempranillo, Tannat, Graciano and Verdejo. The spicy, full-flavored Tinto Rey wines truly showcase the distinctive terroir of our vineyards. .

CELLAR 🌿 The Verdejo is always the first to be harvested on our estate. We pick in the early morning hours both by hand and machine. A portion of the grapes were whole cluster pressed. Then the wine was fermented in neutral oak barrels and stainless-steel tanks. Barrel fermented lots were aged 5 months in neutral oak to increase complexity and mouthfeel, resulting in a wine with a creamy texture and crisp finish. Here in the United States, Verdejo is hard to come by, but Spain's #1 selling white varietal is well suited for the Mediterranean climate in our Dunnigan Hills.



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