

Esencia Divina Albariño 2017 (White Wine)



Adegas Gran Vinum is a family winery owned by Enrique Pineiro. In 1998 the Val do Salnes subregion was added to D.O. Rias Baixas spurring a renewed focus on quality wines. Adegas Gran Vinum reacted by adding new vineyard plots on steep, sandy, south-facing slopes, near the ocean which minimized temperature swings and extended maturation times giving more spice, saline and fruity varietal character to the wines.

Appellation	Rias Baixas D.O.
Grapes	100% Albariño, from 50-year-old, estate-grown vines
Altitude / Soil	10 meters / decomposed granitic sandy loam
Farming Methods	Traditional methods
Harvest	Hand harvested in mid-late September, fruit was then hand sorted at the winery prior to processing
Production	Grapes were cold macerated with skins for 8 hours prior to pressing, fermented in stainless steel tanks at low temperature
Aging	Aged 3 months with fine lees in stainless steel tank
UPC / SCC / Pack	0-183277-000024 / / 12

Reviews: *This wine has not yet been reviewed. Reviews for previous vintages:*

“Clean and crystalline, precise in its expression of Albariño grown in the granite soils of Rias Baixas, this is filled with tart lime and orange flavors. It’s light, energetic, and firm, balanced by a soft touch of sweet pear in the finish. A great choice for mussels and fries...” **91 points Best Buy Wine Enthusiast;** August 2018

“Minerally aromas are balanced by light, elegant fruit scents akin to applesauce and pear. This feels refined on a palate that’s only slightly pulpy. A fruit-bowl’s worth of stylish citrus and apple flavors are lasting on the finish. Drink now.”

90 points Wine Enthusiast; April 2018

