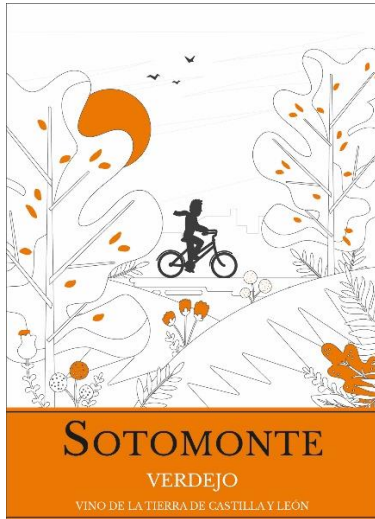


Sotomonte Verdejo 2021 (White Wine)



Appellation	Vino de la Tierra de Castilla y Leon
Grapes	100% Verdejo from selection of grapes from younger vineyards (10-15 years old)
Altitude / Soil	700+ meters / alluvial soils composed of sand, clay and pebbles
Farming Methods	Traditional methods / Sustainable agriculture
Harvest	Machine-picked at night
Production	Grapes were destemmed and underwent an overnight cold maceration with skins prior to pressing, fermented in stainless steel tank
Aging	Aged for a few months on fine lees prior to bottling
UPC / SCC / Pack	8413498545007 / 1841349854004 / 12

Reviews:

“With a fresh nose of grapefruit, lemon and just-mowed grass, this wine dances on the tongue with flavors of toasted pineapple, white peach and white flowers. There is a touch of talc on the finish.”

88 points Wine Enthusiast; Mike DeSimone – October 2022 **Ranked #90 Top 100 Best Buy 2022**

“Sotomonte’s 2021 Verdejo is a very, very good example and at the present time, shows no ill effects on the nose from its choice of closure. The bouquet is bright and beautifully expressive, hopping from the glass in a mix of gooseberry, lime peel, wild fennel, salty soil tones, a touch of green olive and plenty of fresh-cut grass in the upper register. On the palate the wine is full-bodied and complex, but already egregiously pinched by the reduction brought on by the screwcap; with vigorous swirling, it unlocks a fair bit. The wine is long, crisp and well balanced, and under cork, I am sure it would be terrific. Under screwcap, it is not bad once the reduction has been unlocked as much as it can be, but this is a perfect example of a wine that would be great under an agglomerated cork, but which is partially compromised by its screwcap, with reductive constriction on the palate and a bit of reductive vegetable elements on the finish. 2022-2025.”

87 points View from the Cellar; John Gilman – Issue #98 March/April 2022

