# Sierra de Tolono Rioja Blanco

### THE FACTS

COUNTRY: Spain REGION: Rioja

APPELLATION: Rioja Alavesa

#### THE STORY

High up in the foothills of the Sierra de Toloño, in Rioja
Alavesa, Sandra Bravo works in some of the oldest, and
highest altitude vineyards in Rioja, growing Garnacha,
Tempranillo, Viura and some Graciano. In her small winery in
Villabuena de Álava, where she works with steel, anforas,
and old wood, this young winemaker translates the
mountainous landscape into pure and expressive wines. She
harvests multiple varieties from micro-terroirs over many
small plots that together form a fresh, beautiful image of the
area.

## THE ADJECTIVES

**OVERALL**: Elegant & complex

AROMAS / FLAVORS: White flowers, almond

pastries, soft pears

MOUTHFEEL: Enveloping with powerful acidity

## THE SELLING POINTS

**PAIRINGS:** Trout almondine, lemon chicken, vermicelli bowls



