



MANTOS DE LA RIVA  
JEREZ

## MACHARNUDO - SAN CAYETANO, 2022

Macharnudo is a legendary vineyard dating back to 1269 where the most prestigious Sherry wineries have produced world-renowned wines. Some of the most internationally acclaimed wines in Spanish history have emerged from these vineyards being selected in 2022 as one of the 10 most important vineyards in the world according to Decanter magazine.

Macharnudo has been the home of De la Riva for two centuries, with the purity of its calcareous soils than were classified officially in the 19th century again as exceptional.



PLACE VINEYARD: San Cayetano  
PAGO: Macharnudo  
TOWN: Jerez de la Frontera

CONDITIONS SOIL: The wine originates from 3.35 hectares of Albariza, a highly pure chalky soil formed by the siliceous skeletons of microscopic diatom algae. Among the types of albariza, San Cayetano showcases albarizas de barajuelas, which contribute to a deeper, more powerful, and intense texture.

CLIMATE: The region enjoys an Atlantic climate, with an average annual rainfall of 600 liters, an average temperature of 17°C, relative humidity of 72%, and over three thousand hours of sunlight per year.

VINTAGE: The 2022 vintage was marked by a rainfall nearly 40% below the quarter-century average, with almost half of all precipitation unusually occurring in the month of March, exceeding the monthly average by more than 100 liters. While the 2022 vintage had low rainfall, it was not dry. The wines produced in this vintage exhibit nobility from the onset, with impressive concentration and good acidity.

VITICULTURE VARIETIES: 100% Palomino Fino planted in 1988.

PRUNING: Very gentle pruning method common to the region, known as "Vara y Pulgar".

HARVEST: The grapes were manually harvested in small boxes in September 2022.

FERMENTATION: Fermentation took place in 615-liter butts using native yeasts, without any temperature control.

AGEING: One year of flor ageing.

ALCOHOL: 13,50% vol.

PRESENTATION BOTTLING: July 17, 2023. P  
PRODUCTION: 6.000 bottles.  
PACKAGING: Wooden case 6x75cl.