

Mantel Blanco Verdejo 2024 (White Wine)



Appellation	Rueda D.O.
Grapes	100% Verdejo from estate grapes 30 years old from Pago de la Serna vineyard
Altitude / Soil	770 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 Size	8413498111011 / 8413498111097 / 12

Reviews:

"This producer consistently turns out exemplary Verdejo and Sauvignon Blanc from high elevations in Rueda (2,500+ feet), and the only problem posed by the wines is difficulty establishing a preference between the two. From many vintages, I can't manage to do that and score the wines identically, but when I do have a preference, it is usually for the Verdejo — as in 2024. This is quite complex aromatically and in terms of flavor, with a faint floral note, fruit that recalls multiple citrus fruits, and also an underlying tropical suggestion, along with accents of dried herbs and minerals. Many Rueda Verdejos are lean and refreshing but not much more than that, whereas this is medium-bodied with impressive roundness but still lots of refreshing, linear energy."

93 points Wine Review Online; Michael Franz; August 13, 2025.

"I love good Verdejo from Rueda, as the wine can be so beautifully extroverted in personality. The 2024 Verdejo Mantel Blanco is most assuredly a fine example of this underrated varietal. The bouquet here hops from the glass in a mix of gooseberry, fresh lime, a touch of cut grass, citrus peel and salty soil tones. On the palate the wine is vibrant, zesty, full-bodied and complex, with a beautiful core of fruit, excellent soil signature, excellent focus and balance and a long, classy finish. This is a lovely bottle and a great value! 2025-2032."

92 points View from the Cellar; John Gilman May-June, 2025

"Lithe and graceful, this glides across the palate, with lightly mouthwatering acidity carrying flavors of ripe peach, blood orange sorbet, Thai basil and pink grapefruit zest. Long and silky on the mineral-laced finish. Drink now through 2030. 20,000 cases made, 1,600 cases imported."

91 points Wine Spectator Alison Napjus -October 31, 2025

"Golden in the glass, this 2024 Verdejo opens with white flowers, cantalope and nutty nuances on the nose. The palate is soft and round with a good sense of minerality, with plenty of salty accents. Drink 2025-2030."

90 points OwenBargreen.com; Owen Bargreen- December 4, 2025

