

## Amalaya Blanco

Country:	Argentina	Region:	Salta		
Туре:	White	Varietal:	Blend - Torroi	Blend - Torrontes, Riesling	
Format:	12 x 750ml				
BC		AB	SK	MB	
+942342		+170860	+14844	+942342	
BCL Exclusive		Open	SO	PWS	

## **TASTING NOTES**

- Colour: Intense gold with greenish edges.
- Aroma: Subtle and complex fruity aromas where apple and floral notes outstand.
- Taste:Sweet entry full of weight. Mineral notes and a touch of honey distinguish.<br/>The end is fresh with a kind acidity.
- Food: Pair this wine with seafood, spicy dishes and Asian food.



## **AWARDS & ACCOLADES**

2024 ~ 95 Points. GOLD "Beaming with white flower, anise and dried mango aromatics to lift and intrigue, bolstered by a befitting viscosity and fluid citrus acidity on the palate." - Decanter World Wine Awards 2025

2024 ~ 90 Points. "A unique blend, the 2024 Torrontés - Riesling spent two months on the lees before bottling. Pale green in hue, the floral nose features notes of jasmine, orange blossom and nard. Dry, rich and refreshing, the malic mouthfeel contributes to a heightened, invigorating palate." - Antonio Galloni's Vinous, Oct/2024

2024  $\sim$  90 Points. "Lemon blossom, melon and sweet peaches on the nose, followed by a medium-bodied, fresh and lightly waxy palate. Cool and aromatic. 85% torrontes and 15% riesling." - James Suckling, Mar/2025

2024 ~ "A blend of 85% Torrontés and 15% Riesling, the 2024 Amalaya Blanco opens with a pungently floral nose of rose water, geranium and stone fruit aromas, followed by a straightforward palate and a clean, refreshing finish." - Matthew Luczy - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, May/2025

2023 ~ 93 Points. "Fragrant on the nose, with tropical and citrus fruit notes, touches of herbs and flower aromas. Delicious and well made." - Decanter World Wine Awards 2024

2023 ~ 90 Points. "The 2023 Torrontés-Riesling Blanco de Corte, crafted from 85% Torrontés and 15% Riesling from Calchaquí Valley, presents a floral bouquet of orange blossom and jasmine, complemented by subtle notes of melon and mango. Indulgent and crisp on the palate, the refreshing mouthfeel culminates in an easygoing, flavorful finish." - Joaquín Hidalgo - Antonio Galloni's Vinous, Nov/2023

## **OTHER INFO**

Where others just saw a desert, we foresaw great wines. In such a way Bodega Amalaya, the new expression of Cafayate, was founded. Amalaya is Donald Hess' new brainchild in Argentina, located in Cafayate Valley Northwestern Argentina, Province of Salta. The word "Amalaya" means "Hope for a Miracle" in the indigenous language. From the bosom of the Desert of Cafayate, this miracle becomes a mystical and magical revelation which offers us top quality grapevines. Vegan.

