ATAMISQUE Malbec 2014



Winery Bodega Atamisque

Grape Variety 100% Malbec

Vintage 2014

Vineyard Region La Consulta, Mendoza. 3,600 ft.

elevation. 86-year-old vines.

Wine Maker Philippe Caraguel

Acolades

90 pts. - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate: Vintage 2014

91 pts. - James Suckling: Vintage 2013

90 pts. - Tim Atkin, UK: Vintage 2013

93 pts. - Guia Penin: Vintage 2012

92 pts. - James Suckling: Vintage 2012

92 pts. - Patricio Tapia, Descorchados: Vintage 2012

91 pts. – Tim Atkin, UK: Vintage 2012

90 pts. - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate: Vintage 2012

93 pts. - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate: Vintage 2011

90 pts. – James Suckling: Vintage 2011

Winemaker Notes

Aromas of violets, mature blackberries, figs and dried black fruits, with a subtle hint of coffee and tobacco. Intense and fullbodied, with lush blackberries, plum flavors and dark minerals. Great fruit acidity, gripping tannic structure and superb balance.

Elaboration Process

Atamisque Malbec comes from an 86-year-old vineyard located in the La Consulta area, one of the best Malbec-growing regions in the world. The vineyard stands at 3,600 feet high, enjoying a privileged sun exposure and cool temperatures that allow the grapes to have a perfect ripening. The grapes are hand picked and selected in a sorting table. The winery is designed based on gravity-flow winemaking techniques. Temperature controlled fermentation is done in small stainless-steel tanks. Finally, the wine is aged in new French oak barrels (Taransud & Demptos) for 14 months before bottling.

