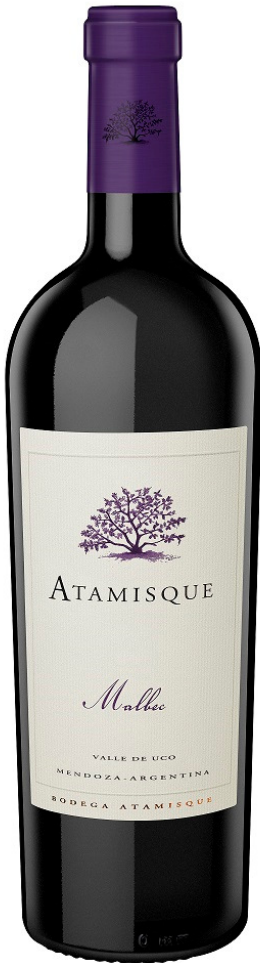


# ATAMISQUE

## Malbec 2015



<b>Winery</b>	Bodega Atamisque
<b>Grape Variety</b>	100% Malbec
<b>Vintage</b>	2015
<b>Vineyard Region</b>	La Consulta, Mendoza. 3,600 ft. elevation. 87-year-old vines.
<b>Wine Maker</b>	Philippe Caraguel

### Acolades

- 92 pts.** – Tim Atkin, UK: Vintage 2015
- 90 pts.** – Andreas Larsson, Sweden: Vintage 2015
- 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

### Winemaker Notes

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

### Elaboration Process

Atamisque Malbec comes from an 87-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.