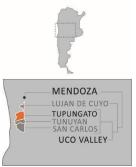




## ARGENTINA



## CATALPA Malbec 2022

**Bodega Atamisque:** Located in the prized region of Tupungato at the foothills of the Andes Mountains by John and Chantal Monceau in 2002. Produced with respect for the environment and using long-term sustainable processes are the foundation in the construction of Atamisque, such as designing the winery to be based on gravity flow winemaking to avoid the use of pumps and minimize wine stress and utilizing the local slate in the area as tiling for the roof of the buildings providing perfect insulation and temperature control year-round.

**Tasting notes:** Dark red with purple reflections. Violets, blackberries, figs, dried plums, and subtle hints of coffee and tobacco. Solid tannins that give great structure with a surprising smooth elegance.

Appellation: La Consulta, Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza, Argentina Grapes: 100% Malbec

Soil: Alluvial soil with a rock foundation and top layers of sand. Elevation: 3,800 ft- 4,300 feet (1350 m.)

Vineyard practice: Sustainable farming, Double Guyot, drip irrigation. Vine Age: Over 20 years Yield: 800 kg x hectare (713 Lbs x Acre)

Winemaking notes: Gravity flow winemaking. 6 days at 7°C in temperature-controlled steel tanks at 25°C. 10 days post-fermentation maceration.

 Aging: 12 months in 50% French oak and 50% stainless-steel tanks

 TA: 5.6 g/l
 Alc: 14%
 UPC: 8 12402 01001 9

**Tupungato Region:** This privileged wine region is regarded by most experts as the best region in the world to produce Malbec wines. Dry summers, harsh winters and a wide temperature range between day and night allow the vines to produce low yields of outstanding quality.

**Other Wines Available:** 

CATALPA Chardonnay CATALPA Pinot Noir CATALPA Cabernet Sauvignon

