## CATALPA WINES



## Catalpa Pinot Noir 2012

Single Vineyard

Winery Variety - Blend Vintage Region Wine Maker

Bodega Atamisque 100% Pinot Noir 2012 Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza, Argentina Philippe Caraguel

**Tasting Notes** 

Bright red ruby color. Aromas of blueberry and gooseberry jam, with mineral hints of wet stones. In the mouth, it is elegant and well-balanced, with smooth tannins and intense red fruit notes.

Catalpa Pinot Noir has an aging potential of 8 years.

## **Elaboration Process**

Catalpa Pinot Noir comes from a single vineyard located in the Uco Valley's Tupungato area, one of the best wine-growing regions within Mendoza, Argentina. The vineyard is located at 4,430 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. Temperature controlled fermentation takes place in stainless steel tanks. About 40% of the wine is aged in new French oak barrels for 12 months. The rest stays in stainless steel tanks and is blended again with the oak aged portion before bottling.

