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APPELLATION

VISTA FLORES - CHARDONNAY

2018



VARIETAL
Chardonnay

HARVEST
Hand picked on March 3rd, 2018.

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Vista Flores, Uco Valley, Mendoza.

VINEYARD
Vineyard in Vista Flores, approximately 11 years old, 1,150 MASL. High trellis and drip irrigation. Semi-arid climate.

SOIL
Shallow alluvial soil with sedimentary rocks (including limestone). Low moisture retention with scarce organic material.

VEGETATIVE CYCLE
The quality of wine from the 2018 vintage is excellent, as was the yield from the vines. The season's winter temperatures and phenological cycles were normal compared with historical averages. However, on October 13, a blanket of frost affected several hectares of vines in Mendoza. In general, despite this weather event, the yields were greater than the last three harvests. In the final weeks of January and early February, there were heat waves and daytime temperatures that exceeded 38°C. The second half of February and March had cool nights and good temperature variations, which favored the polyphenolic maturity of the grape skins. Rainfall reached the historical annual average of between 250 and 280 mm, lower than the three previous seasons. This allowed the clusters to remain in excellent health until harvested.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION
Aging: Oxidative winemaking process. Aging and fermentation in different sized and different fill French oak barrels for 12 months for 50% of the wine.
Alcohol: 13,8%
Acidity: 6,6
pH: 3,26
Sugar: 1

TASTING NOTES
The color is greenish-yellow with hints of flint. Its aromas include white flowers like the acacia and orange blossom and citric fruits. It has a great body, a creamy palate and a vibrant and fruit forward texture.v



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