

Versado

2012 Versado Reserva

Wildly expressive and exotic nose with black licorice, blackberries and kirsch. A plush, concentrated palate with endlessly evolving layers of flavour – dark fruits, licorice and richly savoury spices. Long, luscious finish. ~ *Peter Gamble*

A year in the vineyard

This is the vintage that we learned about the *Zonda*, the infamous drying wind that could be compared to Provence's *Mistral*. This one came early in the vine cycle and affected flowering, so the crop was small and naturally thinned for the entire season. Consistent warm weather in the early stages of development indicated an early harvest but March was one of the coolest on record, which provided hang time for intense flavour and colour development - something that Malbec loves. We harvested on April 4th, did our usual hand picking into small boxes, followed by stemming and berry sorting. The natural "bleed" was 20%, further reducing the ratio of juice to skin in the fermenter.



Alc.: 14.1%

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