

‘Aconcagua Alto’ Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 6x75cl

Grapes

98% Cabernet Sauvignon
1.2% Malbec
0.4% Tintorera
0.4% Syrah

Region/Appellation
Aconcagua Valley

Alcohol by volume
13.50%

Residual Sugar
2.93 g/l

pH
3.55

Total Acidity
5.8 g/l

Drinking Window
2024 - 2030

Tasting Guide

A B C **D** E
Light Medium Full

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Winemaker Notes

Beautiful and bright ruby red colour of medium intensity. The nose displays aromas of ripe red and black fruits, framed by clove and a soft coffee note. The palate offers a dominant note of cassis along with cherry and fresh blueberries, plus a hint that remind of cherry tart. It has a medium structure with fine-grained tannins that provide great support, finishing with great persistence.

Vineyard

The grapes for Aconcagua Alto Cabernet Sauvignon are sourced primarily from our Max vineyards in the Aconcagua Valley. Located in the interior of the valley, the vineyard soils have a predominantly silty texture and are of colluvial origin. The special conditions of nutrition and drainage of the diverse soils help control plant vigour, producing balanced fruit loads with small bunches and berries.

Winemaking

The grapes were handpicked early in the morning and inspected on a double selection table, crushed, and deposited into stainless steel tanks for fermentation. Total maceration ranged from 8 to 28 days. The wine was aged for 14 months in French oak barrels, 35% of which were new.

Vintage

Undoubtedly a very challenging 2020 season, presenting the driest winter of the last 50 years. The vineyards in the Aconcagua Region had to endure an intense hydric marathon to accomplish ripeness. Warm temperatures, especially in springtime, ended the season with a slightly colder March and April. Moderate crop yield and abundant irrigation in summer helped maintain the freshness and quality of the vines.

Food match

Grilled and Roasted Red Meats

Portobello Mushrooms with garlic butter

