



AppellationDO Central Valley

Location Curicó

Winery Size 60 HA

Winemaker Pascal Marty

Varieties 100% Merlot

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3 months second use French oak

Age of Vines 20 Years

Elevation 220 m

Soil Lime sandish

Max Yield Density of 8.000 Plants/ha

Alcohol Content 13.5 %

Production 50.000 Bottles

Farming Sustainable



Ilaia Merlot Reserva 2015

"Powerful, complex and elegant"

Ilaia means "The southern part of the world". This is also the best way to describe the place where our vineyards come from, right in front of the impressive Andes mountain range. These vineyards, managed with passion and excellence, give birth to different wines of unique character. They are the perfect balance between the old and the new world style.

Production

Harvest by hand. Alcoholic and malolactic fermentation in stainless steel tanks with an average length of 8-12 days, and temperatures about $24^{\circ}\text{C} - 26^{\circ}\text{C}$.

Tasting Notes

Deep ruby red with purple hues

Intense aromas of ripe cherries, blackberries, dark chocolate, nutmeg, and a truffle note that contribute to its complexity.

It is a well-structured Merlot with the typical soft chalky tannins that characterized this varietal. It is tasty, with a high concentration of dark fruit flavors, sweet spices, and a hint of vanilla that melts on your mouth. All the flavours hold well together through a beautifully balanced medium to long finish. This is a wine that grows on you.

It's powerful, complex, and elegant at the same time. Ready to drink now.