



United Cellars



CATALPA

Malbec 2018

The perfect balanced Malbec

VINEYARDS

Catalpa Malbec comes from a 78-year-old 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.

WINEMAKING

The grapes are handpicked and selected in a sorting table. Temperature controlled fermentation takes place in stainless steel tanks. Finally, 40% of the wine is aged in new French oak barrels for 12 months before bottling.

TASTING NOTE

Deep red color with shades of violet. Aromas of blackberries, violets and raisins, with hints of coffee and tobacco. In the mouth, it is intense, full-bodied and well structured, with round tannins and a long finish.

PRESS & ACCOLADES

92 points - vintage 2018 - *James Suckling*

91 points - vintage 2016 - *James Suckling*

90 points - vintage 2016 - *Robert Parker*

91 points - vintage 2015 - *James Suckling*

91 points - vintage 2015 – *Tim Atkin*

PRODUCER

Bodega Atamisque

ORIGIN

*Tupungato
Mendoza, Argentina*

APPELLATION

Uco Valley, Mendoza

WINERY SIZE

140 Ha

WINEMAKER

Philippe Caraguel

VARIETIES

100% Malbec

AGING

12 months in new French oak barrels

AGE OF VINES

78 Years

ELEVATION

1,350 m

SOIL

Alluvial with rock foundation and sand in the top layers

ALCOHOL CONTENT

14.0 %

MAX YIELD

8,000 Kg/Ha

FARMING

Sustainable Practices