





VINTAGE 2020

2020 vintage was third in a trilogy of stellar vintages in Mendoza. Bud break followed the normal pattern despite an early spring frost which did not cause any damage in RemolinosVineyard. The summer temperatures were slightly warmer than usual and with average rainfall levels which led to excellent health in the vineyard and even phenolic ripeness. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic quarantine protocol in Argentina, we doubled down our attention on taking every step to protect and manage the quality of the vineyard and harvest of this exceptional vintage.

REMOLINOS VINEYARD, AGRELO, MENDOZA

ALTITUDE: 3500ft / 1050m SOILS: Low vigour soils

CLONES: Cabernet Franc 312 & 327. (Origin Bordeaux)

YIELD: 2.8 tons per acre

CANOPY: Cluster thinning to 1-2 clusters per shoot.

HARVEST DATE: Handpicked March 27th, 2020.

WINEMAKING

SELECTION: Cluster selection pre-destemmer;

Berry selection post-destemmer.

HANDLING: Gravity fed.

MACERATION: Pre-fermentation cryo-maceration for 48

hours at -5 / -6° Celsius in 600L French oak

barrels. 14 days cold soak.

15-18 days extended maceration.

FERMENTATION: Cool alcoholic fermentation at 15-22°C to

preserve aromatics and freshness of flavours. Further maceration during 10-12 days, then racking, followed by malo-lactic fermentation

in 600L French oak barrels.

MATURATION: 16 months in 600L French oak barrels.

DECERO MINI EDICIONES CABERNET FRANC, REMOLINOS VINEYARD 2020

Decero Mini Ediciones Cabernet Franc is one of our three 'rare varieties & limited edition' wines. Of this vintage only 7,810 bottles were made. The wine shows nuances of pepper, graphite and plum notes with fresh aromatics and taut acidity resulting in a well structured, elegant Cabernet Franc with great potential for ageing.

ALC 14.5% pH 3.48 TOTAL ACIDITY 5.62 g/l



