## Imperial Stag Reserva Iconic Red Mendoza

## **Imperial Stag Wines**

## Argentina - Mendoza

This is a single vineyard planted with Malbec and Syrah with low yields (2.5 ton per acre for the Malbec and 3.5 ton per acre for the Syrah).

Bright and intense, full bodied red wine with violet hues at the lips. Elegant and savory, with silky persistence. Captivating aromas of currants, raspberries and other red fruits. Distinct tobacco and chocolate aroma melded with honey and amalgamated notes of pepper and nuts from its passage through French oak barrels.

<b>Specifications</b>	
Wine Type	Red
Varietals	55% Malbec and 45% Syrah
Age of Vines	Malbec planted in 2008; Syrah planted in 2010
Soil type	Alluvial soil, mainly composed of sand, silt and gravel.
Vinification	Harvest by hand in case of 39 pounds. Selection of bunches at the winery. 72 hours of pre-fermentative maceration at 5°C. Alcoholic fermentation in stainless steel tanks under controlled temperatures between 27°C and 30°C. Spontaneous malolactic fermentation. Maturation: the two varietals age separately for 8 months in french oak barrels of 500 and 225 litres. After that, the blend is made and the resulting wine ages another 4 months in oak. Total maturation: 12 month in new French oak.
Production	350 (9-liter cases)
Pairings	Venison of course! but also duck, lamb and strong cheeses.



Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	7 84585 02826 9
Units/Case	6
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
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Case Weight	20
Cases/Pallet	110
Layers/Pallet	22
SRP	\$ 38.5 USD 750mL Bottle

## **Reviews and News**

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