## **Maipe Malbec Reserve**

## Chakana

## Argentina - Mendoza - Gualtallary

The nose reveals dried plum and dark fruits; exotic spices with hints of violet and chocolate. Round and fleshy with enticing crushed plum and boysenberry fruit, enlivened by a liquorice snap note. Fresh acidity lies buried on the medium-weight, juicy finish.

Starting with the 2019 vintage, the grapes from this wine are grown in Gualtallary (within Tupungato). It is located at 1200 to 1500 meters above sea level and varies from Winkler 1 to Winkler 3 on the heat summation scale. This massive 5,550 acres parcel is devived between 5 sub parcels : Gualtallary Rio, Gualtallary La Vencedora, Gualtallary Albo, Gualtallary Monasterio and Gualtallary Las Tunas. This wine is made from grapes coming from the section called Gualtallary Albo.

<b>Specifications</b>	
Appellation	Gualtallary
Wine Type	Red
Varietals	100% hand-selected Malbec
Age of Vines	15 years
Soil type	Alluvial wash, large pebbles and some calcium carbonate or lime
Vinification	The grapes are carefully chosen and fermented in small lots to preserve the vineyard identity. Alcoholic fermentation for 12 days with indigenous and selected yeasts, at temperatures of 26 and 30°C, combining, remontage, pigeage and delestage in order to obtain the best quality of tannins and structure. Aged 12 months in used French oak barrels. ABV : 14%

Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	7 84585 01251 0
Units/Case	12
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
scc	2 07 84585 01251 4
Case Weight	34
Cases/Pallet	70
Layers/Pallet	14
ABV	14%
SRP	\$ 20.99 USD 750mL Bottle

## **Reviews and News**

2020 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 90 PTS - WE

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2019 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 92 PTS - TP
2019 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 91 PTS - WS
2019 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 89 PTS - WA
2018 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 90 PTS - W&S
2017 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 87 PTS - WA
2016 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 88 PTS - WE
2015 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 92 PTS - JS
2014 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 89 PTS - WINE VALUE - WA
2013 Maipe Malbec Reserve - 89 PTS - WS