ALTO TIERRUCA



Limited Edition



Country: Chile

Vintage: 2021

D.O: Marchigüe, Valle de Colchagua

Variety: Carménère/Syrah/Cabernet

Alcohol: 13.5°

Harvest

Cabernet Sauvignon grapes comes from our Santa Marta and Alto Tierruca vineyards. The harvest took place the third week of March. Both vineyards are planted on gentle slopes and hills that allow the roots to grow deep into the ground to extract minerals and nutrients. This variety gives the wine an intense ruby color, powerful and vertical tannins, together with a balanced acidity. Syrah also comes from Alto Tierruca vineyard. It was harvested the first week of April. This variety provides firm tannins, great structure, and meaty aromas with a touch of saltiness, given the Pacific Ocean influence.

Finally, Carménère was harvested the third week of April from San Juan Vineyard. This vineyard is immersed in a gentle Fall climate with soil conditions that allow the grapes to ripen slowly. This variety provides complex aromas of spices, in which black pepper stands out, along with an intense purple color. The varieties were hand harvested.

Vinification

Upon receiving the grapes at the winery, they go through a selection process.

Later, each variety is fermented separately at controlled-temperature stainless steel tanks.

Once the alcoholic fermentation is done, the wines are aged in French oak barrels - second and third use - for a period of 10 months.

By the end of the barrel ageing, the final blend and bottling process takes place. Thus, the wines go into a bottle ageing period for 6 months before releasing.

Tasting Notes

Ruby red in color with violet hues. On the nose, this wine is complex with aromas of red fruits, notes of chocolate and spices. On the palate, it shows great structure, silky tannins, and balanced acidity. This wine has a persistent and long finish.