

ÁRIDO

SAUVIGNON BLANC 2009



Varietal Composition:
100% Sauvignon Blanc

Vineyard:
Costa de Araujo, North Oasis
Mendoza - Argentina

Soil:
Sandy loam. Medium fertility with low percentage of organic material. Very permeable and with medium salt content.

Weather:
Very cold winters and warm summers with mild temperatures during the day and cool nights. During the vegetative season, the temperature difference between night and day is 60° F. This contributes to excellent tannin and color development.

Harvest:
Picked from February 13 - 20, 2009.
Harvest manually in 18kg plastic boxes.

Tasting notes:
Pale yellow color with hints of green. Aromas of asparagus, citric fruits and white flowers. Easy to drink with a sweet entrance, good acidity and medium volume in the mouth.

Technical data:
Alcohol: 12.7%
Sugar: 4.88 g/l
Total acidity: 7.11 g/l

Árido (AH-ree-doh) means "arid" in English. The vineyards where the grapes are picked for this Malbec are located in the Upper Uco Valley of Mendoza, Argentina. This is a high desert that lies at 3500 feet above sea level with less than 4 inches of rain per year.

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