

FAMIGLIA BIANCHI MADE WITH ORGANIC GRAPES MALBEC 2023

San Rafael, Argentina



TASTING NOTES: Dark ruby in color with attractive purple hues. Intensely aromatic and fruit-filled with red and black fruits, spicy notes, and very subtle vanilla. The mouth is initially sweet, with round tannins, balanced acidity, and round fruit flavors. It has a medium structure and is hearty on the palate – with an elegant finish.

VITICULTURE: The grapes of this organic Malbec come from 3 different certified organic vineyards: Finca Dona Elsa, located in Rama Caida district; Finca Asti in Las Paredis district; and Finca Costanza situated in Cuadro Benegas district. The soils are of alluvial origin within a diversity of microclimates which enable complex flavors. The grapes, grown on a high trellis system, were hand harvested.

VINIFICATION: Ten percent of the wine spends eight months in oak barrels.

FAMILY: One dream. One family legacy. Two terroirs. Since 1928, these three pillars have been the lasting values that have guided Argentina's Bodegas Bianchi for four generations. This family-owned winery is situated in the sub-regions of both the Uco Valley and San Rafael.

San Rafael is one of only two DOCs in Argentina. It's farther south than the Uco, so the climate tends to be a bit warmer, with sandy soils and lower altitudes. However, the east-west orientation of the mountain ranges allows for a funneling of cool air from the Andes resulting in longer hangtime for the grapes. Bodegas Bianchi is a leader in San Rafael, producing wines with excellent structure and complexity.

PRODUCER: Bodegas Bianchi

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

REGION: San Rafael, Mendoza, Argentina

GRAPE(S): 100% Malbec

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