

ALTOCEDRO MALBEC LA CONSULTA SELECT

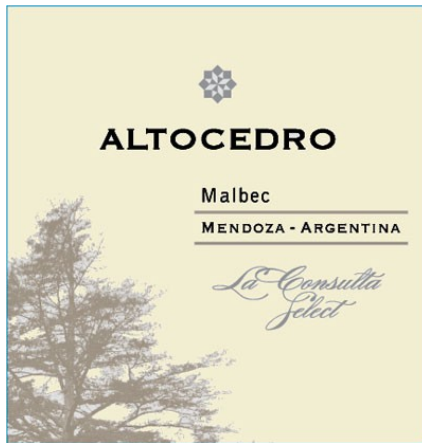
Description: We strive for a La Consulta-*terroir* driven Malbec that is fruit-forward yet with some added complexity from the oak.

Label Notes: Altocedro means "tall cedar," and represents both winemaker and owner Karim Mussi Saffie's Lebanese-Argentine heritage, and a cedar tree which towers over the winery.

S.R.P.: \$19

Total Production: 900 cases

UPC: 852282002001



Winemaker: Karim Mussi Saffie

Winery: Altocedro

Vineyards: La Consulta, Valle de Uco, Mendoza

Varietal: 100% Malbec

Average Age of Vines: 35 years

Average Vineyard Altitude: 3,600 feet

Density: 2,100 plants per acre

Production: 1.5 kg per plant

Sustainably Farmed: 100%

Harvest Method: By hand

Sorting: Double manual selection

Fermentation and Maceration: Fermented with indigenous yeasts at 27C for 15 days

Malolactic Fermentation: 100% Spontaneous in oak

Winemaking: 20% bleed-off

Aging: 25% in new and second-use French and American oak barrels

Alcohol: 14.2

Residual Sugar: 0.18%

Acidity: pH of 3.55; TA of 5.0 g/L

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