BODEGA MELIPAL

Bodega Melipal is located in the heart of Agrelo, one of the best wine regions of Argentina. Practicing agriculture for over three generations, the Melipal philosophy is based on a sustainable and responsible management of natural resources. Melipal was founded in 2002 by the Aristi family with the goal of telling the story of the intricate harmony between man, vineyard, and terroir. Surrounded by 87 hectares of mostly Malbec vineyards, Melipal is open to tourists throughout the year with options ranging from private tastings to lunch at their exclusive restaurant with stunning views of the Andes and its eternal snows. The winery's capacity is 800,000 liters, which is housed in both stainless steel tanks and French oak barrels. Melipal mainly focuses on the Malbec grape, but also produces Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot in limited quantities. Their wines range from unoaked, fresh, and young to barrel aged, complex wines.

Bodega Melipal Nazarenas Malbec

REGION Mendoza, Argentina

APPELLATION Agrelo, Lujan de Cuyo, Mendoza

VARIETALS 100% Malbec

SOIL Sand

VINEYARD ELEVATION 980 meters (3215 feet)

AVERAGE VINE AGE Original vineyards, planted in 1923

YIELD 0.50 k/plant

VITICULTURE Double guyot pruning with traditional furrow

irrigation system. Harvested manually.

WINE MAKING Undergoes spontaneous fermentation with indigenous yeasts in 75 HL tanks, at a temperature

of 27-30°C for 30 days. Malolactic fermentation occurs in French oak barrels. Wine is aged 18

months in French Oak.

TASTING NOTES

