

Colomé

DESDE

1831

MALBEC

AUTÉNTICO

HIGH ALTITUDE VINEYARDS

SALTA

ARGENTINA



WINEMAKING AND VINEYARD INFORMATION

VINTAGE

2016

ALTITUDE

7,545 feet above sea level

VITICULTURAL AREA

Upper Calchaquí Valleys,
Salta, Argentina

HARVEST DATE

April 2016

AGEING

10 months in tank
and 10 months in bottle

PH

3.6

ACIDITY

5.75%

ALCOHOL

14.5% by vol

VARIETY

100% Malbec

Malbec vines were brought to Argentina in the early 1800s before Phylloxera struck grapevines in Europe and as a result, some of the oldest Malbec vines are found at the Colomé Estate Vineyard in Salta, Argentina.

Colomé "Auténtico" is a tribute to the pioneers who planted the Estate vineyards and opened the winery in 1831. Since then, the vineyards at Bodega Colomé have been grown with sustainable farming practices to achieve the "authentic" expression of the terroir.

Higher altitudes offer more sun, less UV protection and produce a thicker skinned grape that delivers a more robust taste with fresh acidity to support it. Today this wine is crafted with a minimalist approach – no oak influence so the "authentic" expression of Malbec highlights the terroir of the region.

The wine comes mostly from vineyards of more than 100 years old combined with 15 years old vineyards and located at 7,545 feet in elevation. Intense and almost black in color with violet hues, the nose highlights elegant spices and fresh floral aromas that lead to bright acidity and rich flavors of black and red fruits in the mouth.

