

PAST VINTAGES

Firmado 2008

CSPC# 726360	750mlx6		1	4.5% alc./vo	bl.			
Chemical Analysis Grape Variety	Acidity:	4.98 g/l	pH:	4.98 <i>100% M</i>	Residual Sugar: albec	<1.8 g/l		
Vineyards	Malbec grapes, hand harvested and specially selected from our old vineyards (1919 and 1956) located in Mayor Drummond and Las Compuertas, Luján de Cuyo, Mendoza, at 900 and 1,060 mts above sea level. To achieve an ideal concentration of aromas and tannins, the production has been reduced to only 50 quintals per hectare.							
Harvest	Highly selected grapes, the best of the year, from our old vines with restricted production not exceeding 1kg per vine. Harvest started March 30 th , 2008.							
Winemaker	Mauricio Lorca							
Vinification/	Hand selection in winery. Alcoholic fermentation in French oak casks of 2500 liters, at							
Maturation	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,							
Tasting Notes	Deep red color. Complex nose with red fruits, spice aromas & an elegant touch of oak.							
Serve with	Excellent with cheeses, pasta and roast or grilled meats.							
Production	1,800 bottles produced.							
Scores/Awards	92 points - Neal Martin, Wine Advocate #203 - October 2012							
Reviews	"The 2008 Firmado Malbec is a hand-by-hand selection of the finest grapes and matured in new French oak for 16 months. Again, the bouquet demands coaxing and reluctantly offers up macerated red cherries, fresh strawberry, blackberry and graphite, all with fine delineation. The palate is medium-bodied with firm, grippy, rigid tannins. This is a very tightly coiled wine packed full of broody dark fruit, up-front, but missing a little weight at the back at the moment. It needs to let go a bit more and show its class, because there is a wine of pedigree here. Drink 2014-2020. " - NM, Wine Advocate							

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Firmado 2006

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CSPC# 726360	750	mlx6	1	5.0% alc./\	vol.				
Chemical Analysis Grape Variety	Acidity:	4.98 g/l	pH:	3.86 <i>100% M</i>	Residual Sugar: <1.8 g/l Ialbec				
Vineyards	Malbec grapes, hand harvested and specially selected from our old vineyards (1919 and 1966) located in Mayor Drummond and Las Compuertas, Luján de Cuyo, Mendoza, at 900 and 1,060 mts above sea level. To achieve an ideal concentration of aromas and tannins, the production has been reduced to only 4400 lbs per acre.								
Harvest	Highly selected grapes, the best of the year, from our old vines with restricted production not exceeding 1kg per vine. Harvest the first week of April.								
Winemaker	Mauricio Lorca								
Vinification/	Following a rigorous hand selection, the grapes were crushed, then fermented for 8								
Maturation	days in a	days in a small French oak vat. Finally, this wine was aged in our underground cellars							
	for 16 mo unfiltered		ench oak	barrels, ar	nd 12 months in the bottle. This is an				
Tasting Notes	Deep ruby color. Intense blackberry and spice aroma. Well-balanced, full bodied, soft tannins, elegant oak flavors and very long-lasting finish.								
Serve with	Delicious with strong cheeses, rich spiced dishes and roast or grilled meats.								
Production	2,500 bottles produced.								
Scores/Awards	Awards 94 points - Jay Miller, Wine Advocate #184 - Aug 2009								
	91 points	- Anthony Gis	mondi, gis	smondionv	wine.com - February 15, 2012				
Reviews	same two and more underbrus the palate impeccab time drinl	vineyards and fragrant, it is sh, leather, ga e, it has superb le balance, and	l aged for an opaqu me, exotic depth an d a finish	15 months e purple co spices, inc ad grip, lay that lasts f	ature') Malbec was sourced from the s in new French oak. More deeply colored olor with an enthralling perfume of cense, and black cherry. Voluptuous on the upon layer of succulent fruit, for over one minute. It will offer prime f the stars of the vintage."				





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Firmado 2005

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15.0% alc./vol.

Chemical Analysis Grape Variety Vineyards	Acidity: 4.98 g/l pH: 3.86 Residual Sugar: <1.8 g/l 100% Malbec Malbec grapes, hand harvested and specially selected from our old vineyards (1919 and 1966) located in Mayor Drummond and Las Compuertas, Luján de Cuyo, Mendoza, at 900 and 1,060 mts above sea level. To achieve an ideal concentration of aromas and tannins, the production has been reduced to only 4400 lbs per acre.								
Harvest	Malbec grapes, hand harvested and specially selected from our old vineyards (1919 and 1966) located in Mayor Drummond and Las Compuertas.								
Winemaker	Mauricio Lorca								
Vinification/	Following a rigorous hand selection, the grapes were crushed, then fermented for 8								
Maturation	days in a small French oak vat. Finally, this wine was aged in our underground cellars for 15 months in new French oak barrels, and 12 months in the bottle. This is an unfiltered wine.								
Tasting Notes	Deep red color. Complex nose with red fruits, spice aromas and an elegant touch of oak.								
Serve with	Excellent v	with cheeses, pa	sta and	roast or	grilled m	eats.			
Production	1,800 bottles produced.								
Scores/Awards	93+ points - Jay Miller, Wine Advocate #180 - December 2008								
	92 points - Stephen Tanzer, International Wine Cellar - Jan/Feb 2009								
Reviews	"The "Firmado" cuvee is a selection of the winery's best grapes and only 200 cases are produced. The opaque purple 2005 Malbec Firmado was sourced from 60-year-old vines in Lujan de Cuyo and aged for 15 months in new French oak. The nose reveals pain grille, mineral, scorched earth, espresso, and black cherry. On the palate it is dense, layered, and succulent with outstanding depth and several years of aging potential. This lengthy effort will be at its best from 2012 to 2025." - JM, Wine Advocate								
	"Deep ruby. Complex, soil-inflected nose offers black fruits, fresh herbs, tobacco and a strong rocky minerality. Concentrated and pliant, with a lush texture nicely framed by firm minerality. Finishes sweet, subtle and nuanced, with fine-grained tannins. I was intrigued by this very suave wine's distinctive minerality." - ST, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar								

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