



BESOAIN ESTATE

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

MAIPO ANDES VALLEY

The location LOS MORROS, or “the hills”, comes from the rolling hills of vineyards that run alongside winemaker Miguel Besoain’s family home in Maipo Valley. From this special mountainous terroir, Miguel produces hand-crafted wines using only the highest quality grapes. Besoain’s winemaking style stems from his vast experience working throughout European wine regions producing expressive, young and playful wines with excellent varietal typicity.

Vintage : 2015

Varietal : 95% Cabernet Sauvignon grapes.

5% Carménère and Petit Verdot

Color: Ruby red, brilliant.

Aromas: Strawberries jam, pencil lead and vanilla notes.

Taste: well balanced with firm and silky tannins, white pepper, long persistence and delicate textures at the end.

Winemaker: Miguel Besoain

Harvest date: Handpicked from the 4rd week of April

Yield: 7000 Kg per hectare

Production size: 40 barrels {990 cases}

Winemaking: 7 days cold pre fermentative maceration. The alcoholic fermentation is carried in small stainless steel tanks.

Post fermentative maceration: 5 days.

The malolactic fermentation is achieved in barrels

Each variety is aged in barrels separately. The final blend is made only a few days previous to bottling. Wines are neither clarified nor filtered.

Aging: 100% of the wine is aged in personalized French oak barrels over 18 months and then aged in bottle for over a year before market release.

Vintage report: Early summer was dry and slightly warm, which generated proper water restriction. The ripening process was even throughout the season, which resulted in a harvest with optimal flavors and aromas during the last week of April.

About the vineyards: the average age of vineyards is around 25 years.

Elevation: 600 meters above sea level.

Soil: Alluvial origin. The first 20 cm of soil is a loam with larger amount of gravels below that. After a meter deep, we find some calcareous seams mixed with colluvial particles coming from the mountains that surround the vineyard.

Regional Climate: The vineyard has a semi-arid Mediterranean climate with an average rainfall of 350 mm per year. It is planted on a terrace above the Maipo river banks. The wind coming from the Andes blows alongside the vineyard constantly, producing the perfect conditions for growing healthy grapes.

Alcohol	14,3	% vol.
Dry extract	36,3	g/l
Residual sugar	3,2	g/l
Total acidity	6,0	g/l (C ₄ H ₆ O ₆)
Ph	3.5	