

## ALTA VISTA

*Alto 2018*

# 94 Points

The top of the range is the red blend 2018 Alto, produced with grapes from Luján de Cuyo and Valle de Uco, with 50% Malbec from Las Compuertas, 35% Malbec from Campo de los Andes and 15% Cabernet Sauvignon from El Cepillo. It's ripe with 15% alcohol and has mellow acidity. It fermented with indigenous yeasts and matured in new 600-liter French oak barrels for 20 months. This is still marked by the élevage, but the oak is not the main player here. It's a classical and serious red with abundant fine-grained tannins. It is going to develop nicely with time in bottle. 6,000 bottles were filled in December 2020. They have now purchased some oak vats for the



fermentation too.

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