Estate Malbec

Country:	Argentina	Region:	Salta
Type:	Red	Varietal:	Blend - Malbec, Tannat, Cabernet Sauvignon, Syrah
Format:	6 x 750ml		

BC	AB	SK	MB
+956896	+956896	+7880	+956896
Speculative	Open	SO	MBLL

TASTING NOTES

Colour:	Deep, dark red with a magenta hue.
Aroma:	This wine is layered on the nose with blackberry, licorice, violet, bitter chocolate and spices.
Taste:	The flavours are rich with layered fig paste, plums, cassis and blackberry fruit. Subtle French oak flavours are well balanced and fully integrated through the mid-palate and well into the finish, which is long and round.
Food:	Pairs well with steak, cassoulet, duck, venison and other hearty fare.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2023 ~ 93 Points. "Asphalt and bramble fruit on the nose, with a touch of thyme. The palate is medium- to full-bodied, incisive and nervy, with precise, subtle tannins and a firm mineral backbone. Brambly and focused, showing lovely texture and energy." - Jacobo Garcia-Andrade Llamas - James Suckling, Mar/2025

2023 ~ 93 Points. - Descorchados 2026

2023 ~ 91 Points. "The 2023 Malbec Estate blends fruit from the Calchaquí Valley, Salta. It was aged for 15 months in 225- and 500-liter French oak barrels (25% new, 75% used). It opens with a sanguine note, ripe plum and a touch of balsamic herbs, with very subtle oak. The palate is intense, with vibrant alcohol balanced by freshness, fine yet firm tannins and a slightly warm finish." - Joaquín Hidalgo - Antonio Galloni's Vinous, Jan/2026

2023 ~ 91 Points. "Dark-fruited with good energy, the 2023 Malbec Estate shows its mountainous beginnings in full-bodied intensity and sweet, powerful tannins, yet remains approachable as it opens, flavored in a wealth of baking spice and dried herb. Drink now through 2030." - Virginie Boone - Jeb Dunnuck, Aug/2026

2023 ~ 91 Points. "Fresh in feel, with notes of dried violet and baking spices paving the way for a sleek and vibrant core of Santa Rosa plum and morello cherry that lingers around discreet tannins." - Aaron Romano - Wine Spectator, Aug/2026

2023 ~ “Made from fruit at four estate vineyards ranging from 1,700 to 3,100 metres above sea level, along with a superb program of up to fifteen months in barrel ranging from 2-5th fill and a small number of new barrels, this is a bit more of a familiar approach to the grape for most. Slightly smoky, plummy fruits, with a touch of jam and tar on the nose, while all those much-loved flavours of malbec are prominent in the mouth. Drinking exceptionally well right now, it’s perfect for a special occasion – and some barbecue.” - Tom Firth - Culinaire Magazine, Apr/2026

OTHER INFO

The Colome Malbec is produced mainly from pre-phylloxera vines planted in 1854. Bodega Colome vineyards are bio-dynamically and sustainably farmed at an altitude of 5,500 to 8,500 feet and are believed to be the highest vineyards in the world. The sandy and alluvial soils yield small crops and produce deeply colored and concentrated wines which capture the should of this distinct terroir. Vegan.

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