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Gauchezco Oro Malbec 2014 Appellation Paraje Altamira

Gauchezco Oro is a collection of wines from the best *terroirs* of Mendoza. The complexity of the terroir of Paraje Altamira in San Carlos, Uco Valley, produces full body wines with great elegance, soft tannins and balance acidity.

Grape Variety 100% Malbec

Vineyard details Paraje Altamira, San Carlos, Mendoza at 1120

meters (3800 ft) a.s.l. Planted in 2000.

Soil composition 70% sand, 10% lime, 10% clay, 10% of rocks

in surface. Top soil depth 1 meter (3,20 ft).

Subsoil type: round rocks.

Vine cultivation Double Guyot. Drip irrigation.

Harvest details Pick up in cases on April 7th, 2014

VINIFICATION

Bunch selection, grapes were destemmed and crushed. Maceration before fermentation for 48 hrs. 12 days of alcoholic fermentation in small stainless steel tanks. Total maceration time of 21 days. Natural malolactic fermentation.

Maturation: 80% of the wine is 12 months in fist use 225 liters oak barrels: 60% French, 30% American and 10% Hungarian.

20% of the wine is 12 months in fist use 500 liters oak barrels: 100% French.

12 month in bottle before release it to the market.

TASTING NOTES

Color Displays an intense purplish red color with black hues.

Nose In the nose it has aromas of violets and black fruits as

well as spicy notes and remarkable freshness.

Palate In the mouth, it stands out for its great concentration,

marked acidity and silky tannins. It is a very elegant wine

with an excellent aging potential.