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# LA ANITA

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## PETIT VERDOT

**VINTAGE** Low yields due to moderate frosts in the Uco Valley, early harvest and perfect balance. After the 2016 Harvest, the coldest and scarce in three decades, due to the El Niño phenomenon, 2017, we had another vintage of low yields. Spring frosts, caused by a drier and slightly colder climate than usual, reduced yields.

**ORIGIN OF GRAPES** Same as all our wines, this Finca La Anita PETIT VERDOT comes from own grapes, carefully selected in our parcel No. 2 of the Estate, in Alto Agrelo, Luján de Cuyo, Mendoza. Age of the Cultivation: It is a graft of this variety on old existing strains in the Farm, of more than 40 years of implanted.

**SOIL** These old vineyards are located between 900 meters above sea level and have a low yield (4 to 5 t / ha) naturally. The irrigation is superficial.

**CLIMATE** The climate is characterized by its warm days and cool nights, with a thermal amplitude of 14 °C and an annual rainfall of 200 mm.

**WINEMAKING** Fermented in stainless steel tanks, previous sowing of selected yeasts. Is hard to deal with the idea of extracting aromas and be careful with obtaining hard tannins. Then, skin contact is limited, and removing seeds is the key. Malolactic fermentation occurs spontaneously at controlled temperature.

**OAK STAGE** 12 months in new and one-year-old barrels, French and medium toasted American oak.

**STORAGE & SERVING** 6 Years.  
Service temperature 16 °C

**TASTING NOTES** Deep red with violet dyes. Fruity and floral aromas of great intensity every elegant herbaceous touch and soft chocolate and coffee provided by the wood. Delicate notes of mint and mineral eucalyptus stand out in the mouth. Observations: In order to preserve aromas and flavors this wine was not filtered and may contain natural sediments.



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