












VINE CONNECTIONS

SOUTH AMERICAN WINE PORTFOLIO

		WINE OVERVIEW	TECH DETAILS
	BODINI Malbec 2017 Vintage 90PTS <i>James Suckling</i>	Approachable & expressive estate Malbec at an unbeatable price. Fruit & spice on the palate balanced by notes of fresh fruits like plums and blackberries.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hand-harvested from vineyards made up of clay & loam soil. Malolactic fermentation and unoaked. REGION: Luján de Cuyo & Maipu AVG. ELEVATION: 3000 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 22 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	BOYA Pinot Noir 2017 Vintage 90PTS <i>Descorchados</i>	An approachable coastal Pinot with lively acidity and filled with bright red fruit notes. Well balanced and harmonious style.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certified sustainable by Wines of Chile Sustainability code. Harvested early to achieve bright, low alc., fresh style. Aged 8-10 months in oak. REGION: San Antonio AVG. ELEVATION: 820 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 9 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	BOYA Rosé 2018 Vintage 92PTS <i>Descorchados</i>	93% Pinot Noir, 7% Grenache Refreshing coastal Rosé with flavors of bright raspberry, tangerine, and a mineral finish.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certified sustainable by Wines of Chile Sustainability code. Hand-harvested & fermented in steel tanks. REGION: San Antonio AVG. ELEVATION: 750 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 10 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	BOYA Sauvignon Blanc 2017 Vintage 92PTS <i>Wine & Spirits</i>	The perfect balance of lime-tinged fruit and natural acidity with a clean, refined finish.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certified sustainable by Wines of Chile Sustainability code. No malolactic fermentation and aged in stainless steel. REGION: San Antonio AVG. ELEVATION: 750 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 10 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	CASARENA ESTATE Cabernet Sauvignon 2016 Vintage	Cabernet that focuses on terroir diversity and exciting vineyard sites in the historic center of Mendoza. Filled with aromas of red fruit, sweet spice, vanilla and chocolate orange rind.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hand-harvested from a pergola trellis system vineyard. 30-35 days total maceration and aged in French oak for 9 months. REGION: Luján de Cuyo AVG. ELEVATION: 3150 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 80 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	CASARENA S.V. Owen's Cabernet 2015 Vintage 94PTS 93PTS	Single vineyard Cabernet from the best block of an 80-year old pergola style vineyard planted with original vines. Elegant & robust with notes of cherry, bell pepper and hints of coffee.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hand-harvested from 80 year vines planted in deep soils with clay and boulders. 45-50 days total maceration and aged in French oak for 12 months. REGION: Luján de Cuyo AVG. ELEVATION: 3150 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 80 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	J. BOUCHON Cabernet Sauvignon 2015 Vintage 90PTS <i>Wine Advocate</i>	Specific block selections of Cabernet blended together to create a structured & complex wine. Notes of currant, cherry and a touch of vanilla.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Harvested from Mingre, a dry coastal area of Maule. The wine is aged 12 months in French oak. REGION: Maule AVG. ELEVATION: 650 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 27 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	LA POSTA Fazio Malbec 2017 Vintage 92PTS 90PTS <i>James Suckling</i> <i>Wine Enthusiast</i>	A vibrant single vineyard malbec full of supple tannins and full of red currant, mocha and black cherry notes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Soil consisting of sandy loam, sand, silt, and clay. Aged 12 months in 10% new, 70% 2nd use French oak and 20% stainless steel. REGION: Uco Valley AVG. ELEVATION: 3050 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 44 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml
	LA POSTA Paulucci Malbec 2017 Vintage 91PTS 90PTS <i>James Suckling</i> <i>Wine Advocate</i>	Single vineyard Malbec. Juicy with aromas of red cherries, raspberries, and violets along with notes of toasty oak.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Soil consisting of sandy loam, sand, silt, and clay. Aged 12 months in 80% French oak and 20% unoaked. REGION: Luján de Cuyo AVG. ELEVATION: 3150 ft. AVG. AGE OF VINES: 80 yrs CASE SIZE: 12/750ml

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2017 Vintage

**LA POSTA
Pizzella Malbec**

93PTS James Suckling | **90PTS** Vinous | **90PTS** Wine Advocate

Single vineyard Malbec rich in flavor and full of dark fruit and spice. Beautiful aromas of black cherry, dark chocolate and baker's spice.

- Soil consisting of sandy loam, sand, silt, and clay with 20% stones covered by limestone.
- Aged 12 months in 80% French oak and 20% unoaked.

REGION: Uco Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 3600 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 16 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2014 Vintage

**LUCA
Beso de Dante**

93PTS James Suckling | **90PTS** Wine Advocate

50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Malbec, 10% Cabernet Franc
A powerful wine with gripping tannins, great structure and balance. Aromas of cassis, mint and oak.

- Hand-harvested and aged 18 months in 50% new, 50% second use French barrels.

REGION: Uco Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 3500 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 28 yrs
CASE SIZE: 6/750ml



2015 Vintage

**LUCA
Laborde Select Syrah**

94PTS James Suckling | **90PTS** Wine Advocate | **90PTS** Vinous

One of the world's only double massal selection vineyards with cuttings from the Rhone valley and a second selection in the Uco Valley. Notes of toasty oak, dark berries and spice.

- Aged 12 months in 50% new French & 50% second use French barrels.

REGION: Uco Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 3500 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 41 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2015 Vintage

**LUCA
Old Vine Malbec**

93PTS James Suckling | **93PTS** Vinous | **92PTS** Wine Enthusiast

Listed on Wine Spectator's top 100 list twice. A Malbec filled with spice, black cherry cola aromas and notes of cocoa.

- Grapes are hand-harvested and aged for 14 months in 35% new and 65% 2nd use French barrels.

REGION: Uco Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 3500 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 50 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml | 6/1.5L



2015 Vintage

**MAYU
Carmenere - Syrah**

90PTS Wine Advocate

55% Carmenere, 45% Syrah
A blend from the warmer central vineyards in the high elevation of Elqui. Fruit driven (not jammy) with intense berry and plum aromas.

- Each varietal is fermented separately in stainless steel.
- The Syrah is partially aged in French oak and the Carmenere partially aged in American oak for 5 months.

REGION: Elqui Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 1850 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 15 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2017 Vintage

**MAYU
Pedro Ximenez**

Single vineyard, old vine, dry Pais from one of Chile's highest elevation vineyards. A stylish white with fresh acidity and floral and fruit aromas.

- Grown from free-form 'alberello' style vines and 'parral' trellising.
- Fermented and aged on the lees with batonnage.

REGION: Elqui Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 6320 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 73 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2017 Vintage

**MAYU
Sauvignon Blanc**

Cool coastal fog combines with strong sun to make this fresh and aromatic white. Notes of ripe gooseberry, citrus and apple.

- Hand-harvested off low-yield, Guyot-trellised vines from the foggy, coastal Titon vineyard.

REGION: Elqui Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 1100 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 16 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2016 Vintage

**MENDEL
Cabernet Sauvignon**

90+PTS Wine Advocate | **90+PTS** Vinous | **90PTS** James Suckling

Concentrated, balanced and full-flavored Malbec with elegance and freshness. Notes of vanilla, caramel and smoke.

- Aged 12 months in 100% oak barrels.

REGION: Luján de Cuyo
AVG. ELEVATION: 3445 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 23 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2016 Vintage

**MENDEL
Malbec**

93PTS James Suckling | **91PTS** Wine Advocate

Aromas of sweet French oak and espresso with notes of black plum, ripe raspberry and violet.

- Hand-harvested from the Mayor Drummond vineyard.
- Aged 12 months in 100% oak barrels.

REGION: Luján de Cuyo
AVG. ELEVATION: 3115 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 88 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml



2014 Vintage

**TIKAL
Amorio**

92PTS Wine Enthusiast | **92PTS** Vinous | **90+PTS** Wine Advocate

Aromas of smoky oak and cherry. Rich and velvety on the palate.

- Hand-harvested from the Vistaflores vineyards.
- Aged for 12 months in 70% French & 30% American oak.

REGION: Uco Valley
AVG. ELEVATION: 3280 ft.
AVG. AGE OF VINES: 14 yrs
CASE SIZE: 12/750ml

