

## **ALEXIA 2019**

D.O. MAIPO VALLEY

# **O TECHNICAL FACTS**

#### COMPOSITION

74% Cabernet Franc, 17 % Merlot, 5% Carménère, 4% Petit Verdot.

ALCOHOL: 14,5% vol.

TOTAL ACIDITY (H2SO4): 3,5 g/l

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RESIDUAL SUGAR: 2,27 g/l



### LOCATION:

Coastal area, close to Maipo river

#### SOIL

Slopes and piedmont soil of the coastal mountain range. Granitic origin and clay loam texture.

#### **CLIMATE**

Morning mist and strong maritime influence due to the proximity to the Pacific Ocean and Maipo river. Temperate mediterranean climate. Temperatures from december to march: Max.: 28°-29°C - Min.:12°C-15°C.

# WINEMAKING

### **HARVEST**

Hand-picked grapes. Merlot were harvested during the first week of april, Cabernet Franc and petit verdot the last week of april. Carménère the first week of may.

### **FERMENTATION**

Meticulous raw and berries selection on the sorting table. Cold prefermentative maceration at 5 °C during 10 days, in stainless steel tanks. Alcoholic fermentation with selected yeasts takes place, between 26-28°C.

### **AGEING**

100% of the wine was aged during 18 months in french oak barrels.

### WINEMAKER'S COMMENTS

Brilliant and deep ruby red color, ALEXIA 2019 opens with a powerful and expressive nose, full of juicy red fresh fruit, cherry licorice, menthol, layers of dark chocolate and spices. Great character and structure in the mouth, it is a bodied wine with a good volume. Soft and firm tannins that provides a high potential of ageing .

**Suggestions:** Decanting is recommended. Serve at 16°C. Excellent to complement cheese, red meats, and wagyu. We emphasize game meats like lamb or boar.

