

TASTING NOTES

CHEVAL *des* ANDES 2009

Cheval des Andes is a fusion between the renowned Saint-Emilion «*Premier Grand Cru Classé A*»: **Château Cheval Blanc** and **Terrazas de los Andes**, an Argentine winery specialized in Premium high altitude winemaking for more than two decades.

Such magical encounter results in a refined, subtle and complex “**Grand Cru of the Andes**” that combines the savoir-faire of the assemblage with French origin varieties planted in **1929** in the best high altitude terroirs of Mendoza:

Las Compuertas, Luján de Cuyo.



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Varieties

Malbec (59%), Cabernet Sauvignon (36%), Petit Verdot (5%).

Colour

Intense red colour with purplish tinges.

Aroma

Elegant and complex. Eccentric peat, bay leaf, licorice and cinnamon notes appear and harmonize with ripe fruits as fig, raspberry and plum. It is reminiscent of fine French pastries notes, combined with caramelized red fruit. Subtle tobacco notes add to its complexity.

Palate

Revealing a nice texture, it is oily and unctuous in the mouth. It is a powerful and mature wine that retains freshness. With a delicate long finish.

Harvest date

April, 2009

Alcohol

14.40 %