

PURAMUN

Valle de Uco, Mendoza

Pepe Galante's First Family Project!



Jose “Pepe” Galante is widely considered the most important winemaker in Argentina's history. Chief winemaker at Catena Zapata from 1976 until 2010, Pepe showed the world that Argentina could make world-class wines. Puramun is Pepe's first-ever personal project owned by his family.

Puramun means both “harvest” and “search” in Mendoza's indigenous Mapuche language. Each *Puramun* is a new challenge. A time for searching and finding. Nothing is the same, everything changes: the climate, the soil, the grapes, and even ourselves. Year after year we trek a new road, a labyrinth of grapevines that express through their precious fruit our devotion to the Valle de Uco terroir. Each Puramun bottle is the result of this passionate and endless search.

Puramun Chardonnay Reserva

91 points ('18), Wine Advocate; 91 points, Steven Tanzer ('17);

93 points ('17), James Suckling;

“Preserved lemons, apricots, a hint of papaya and vanilla. Spices such as cloves and nutmeg, too. Full body, lovely driven acidity. So much stone and green fruit and a long, mineral finish.”

Puramun Malbec Reserva

92 points ('16), Wine & Spirits, 92 points ('16), Wine Enthusiast,

92+ points ('15), Wine Advocate;

“Potent, inky aromas of blackberry and licorice reflect this beefy Malbec's opaque black color. In the mouth, this is energetic and not just heavy and extracted. Lightly salted black-fruit flavors are lifted by acidity, while this finishes deep and strong.”

Puramun Co-Fermented

91 points ('14), Wine Enthusiast;

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92 points ('13), Wine Advocate;

67% Malbec and 33% Petit Verdot hand-picked together and co-fermented as a single lot, with 12 months in French oak barrels. The Petite Verdot added personality and firmness to the Malbec, which together created a serious wine with flavors of blue and dark fruits. **Only 2,000 bottles.**



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