



ZOLO

**CABERNET FRANC RESERVE 2020**

**VINTAGE NOTES**

**WINERY INFORMATION:** Zolo was created in 2003 by one of Argentina's leading women in wine, Patricia Ortiz, when she established one of Argentina's most forward-thinking wineries. Under Patricia's leadership, Zolo stays true to her vision of creating wines with elegance and identity, reflective of their terroir and respectful to the environment. All Zolo wines are made from estate-grown fruit which have been sustainably farmed. The winemaking team is led by Fabian Valenzuela and famed winemaker from Petrus Jean Claude Berrouet.

**LABEL NOTES:** Owner and President Patricia Ortiz spends much of the week working in Mendoza, leaving her husband alone - solo/zolo - in Buenos Aires.

**FERMENTATION:** Cold pre-maceration takes place at 8°C for 5 days. Fermented in stainless steel tanks for approximately 15 days at 28°C then rests on lees for 16 days. 100% malolactic fermentation.

**COLOR:** Intense ruby red

**TASTING NOTES:** Aromas of red fruits such as raspberry and red plum, mixed with subtle floral and herbal notes. It has sweet tannins and a balanced acidity giving freshness. Its passage through the wood contributes complexity, notes of vanilla and chocolate. It is a very elegant wine.

91 pts

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**WINEMAKER** Fabian Valenzuela & Jean Claude Berrouet

**WINERY** Fincas Patagonicas

**VINEYARDS** Estate vineyards in Alto Agrelo and Agrelo

**VARIETAL** 100% Cabernet Franc

**AVG. AGE OF VINES** 14 & 19 years

**AVG. VINEYARD ALTITUDE** 3,444 & 3,050 feet

**SUSTAINABLY FARMED** 100%

**HARVEST METHOD** By Hand

**AGING** 11 months in French barrels - first, second and third use

**ALCOHOL** 14.3%

**TOTAL PRODUCTION** 1,800 Cases

**RESIDUAL SUGAR** 2.95 g/L

**ACIDITY** TA of 6.37 g/L, pH of 3.70

**PACK SIZE** 12/750

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