



WAPISA

Coastal Patagonia

COASTAL PATAGONIA'S ONLY WINERY



Revolutionary is the word Patricia Ortiz, owner of Wapisa uses to describe the winery. Not only is Wapisa the only Coastal Winery in Patagonia, but it is the only winery in Argentina to experiment with aging wines under the sea.

"Wapisa" is the indigenous Patagonian word for "whale." Not only do whales frequent the nearby coast of our vineyards, but a local legend talks of a Wapisa that actually lived on land. Patricia and her winery are dedicated to preserving the land and the sea. The winery not only follows sustainable practices, but Wapisa is a proud Partner in the Conservation of the California Ocean Alliance.

Located in San Javier, Rio Negro, Patagonia, Argentina, Wapisa is just 25 miles from the Atlantic ocean and is the only winery that exists in this unique coastal terroir. Our vineyard terroir is complemented by the cool maritime breezes that sweep over the vineyards at night, leading to balanced and fruity wines with a touch of salinity and a delicate varietal expression. As Master of Wine Tim Atkin stated, this is "the new Argentina."

Wapisa Cabernet Sauvignon

Intense red color. Aromas and flavors of black fruits and plum jam. Spicy aromas such as eucalyptus and black pepper. Its passage through oak gives it flavors of coffee and chocolate.

92 points, James Suckling ('19)

Wapisa Malbec

Utterly unique expression of Malbec. Savory with blackberry, herbal and spice flavors. Layered, rich and a long-finish.

95 points/Top 100, James Suckling ('20); **90 points, Wine Spectator** ('20)

Wapisa Pinot Noir

Influenced by Patagonia's cool nights and the nearby Atlantic Ocean, this Pinot is fresh and delicate, with silky flavors of strawberries, cherries, and rose petals.

93 points, James Suckling ('19 & '20)

Wapisa Sauvignon Blanc

With its distinctive, vivid aromas and saline acidity, Wapisa Sauvignon Blanc expresses the complexity of the soil and the sea breezes of the Atlantic Patagonia region.

91 points, James Suckling ('21);

93 points/Top 100 Argentine Wine of 2021, James Suckling ('20)



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