



# ALTOCEDRO

## MALBEC AÑO CERO 2023

### VINTAGE NOTES

**WINERY INFORMATION:** AltoCEDRO was founded in 1999 by visionary Karim Mussi. Third generation Lebanese immigrant, Karim and his family pioneered La Consulta, Uco Valley as a special place to make “born and raised” wines. AltoCEDRO is synonymous with outstanding La Consulta wine. Original old vine rootstocks, indigenous yeasts, hundred year-old concrete fermentation tanks, and Karim’s minimalist winemaking create true terroir-driven wines.

**LABEL NOTES:** AltoCEDRO means “tall cedar,” and represents both wine-maker and owner Karim Mussi Saffie’s Lebanese-Argentine heritage, and a cedar tree which towers over the winery.

**WINEMAKING:** 10% bleed-off, four pump-overs per day; three total delestages; no filtering; natural cold stabilization

**FERMENTATION:** Whole berry fermentation with indigenous yeasts at low temperatures in small concrete tanks.

**COLOR:** Deep purple

**TASTING NOTES:** Currant, violet, dried-herb and grilled-meat aromas. It is medium-to-full-bodied with silky tannins. Juicy and richly flavored.

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**WINEMAKER** Karim Mussi Saffie

**WINERY** AltoCEDRO

**VINEYARDS** La Consulta, Valle de Uco, Mendoza

**VARIETAL** 100% Malbec

**AVG. AGE OF VINES** 30 years

**AVG. VINEYARD ALTITUDE**  
3,300 feet

**SUSTAINABLY FARMED** 100%

**HARVEST METHOD** By Hand

**AGING** Partial aging in French oak barrels for 10 months, mix of old and new

**ALCOHOL** 14.3%

**TOTAL PRODUCTION**  
4,000 Cases

**RESIDUAL SUGAR** 1.69 g/L

**ACIDITY** TA of 5.73 g/L, pH of 3.7

**PACK SIZE** 12/750

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