



Soil Type



} Red clay soils on granite slopes

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CABERNET SAUVIGNON [2021]

*Cauquenes*

### Vineyard

The grapes come from our low-yielding, 6.45-hectare vineyard, which was planted in 2009. It is situated 5km to the south of the town of Cauquenes, on the banks of the River Tutuvén, in the Cauquenes area, which is part of the Maule denomination of origin, some 400 kilometres to the south of Santiago.

The climate in this area is temperate to warm. Summers tend to be warm and dry with average daytime temperatures of 28°C to 30°C and cool nights with 8°C to 11°C. Autumn is cool and damp with between 250mm and 500mm of rainfall, depending on the area.

The vineyard has deep soils with a mixture of textures. The surface layer tends mostly to be clay with a high silica content. Meanwhile, in the subsoil, we find partly degraded particles of granite and even quartz. These characteristics enable the soil to retain more moisture, releasing it slowly as the vine needs it. These special conditions mean that the wine made from these grapes is ripe, sweet, well-structured and complex, with an explosive finish.

### Winemaking

The grapes were hand-harvested on 10 April. Then they were carefully transported to the winery in 12-kilo bins. At the reception area, they went through a strict selection process, where only ripe and healthy clusters were considered apt for inclusion in the tank. Any unripe, sunburnt or dehydrated berries were removed. After crushing, the must and skins underwent a cold maceration under anaerobic conditions for 7 days at temperatures of between 4°C and 6°C. The fermentation took place at a temperature of 27°C-28°C for 15 days, with three daily pump-overs (morning, afternoon and night). Then the wine was left over its lees and skins for an additional 12 days to further its balance and structure.

Ageing: Aged for 14 months in French oak barrels (30% new).

### Winemaker's Notes

The 2021 harvest in the Maule Valley was characterized by being cooler than usual for the valley, very fresh with very harmonious temperatures. This determined the result of a very expressive Cabernet Sauvignon with intense notes of cassis, red and black fruit.

The yield was 1.5 kilograms per plant, favouring the concentration necessary to create a very rich wine with the appropriate level of ripeness.

It presents a very expressive nose, with notes of abundant red and black fruit, complemented by notes of tobacco, fine vanilla, and dark chocolate resulting from barrel aging. This very fresh, complex and balanced wine is fresh on the palate with pleasant fruitiness and silky-smooth tannins.

### Winemaker

Rafael Urrejola

### Bottling Date

15 December 2022

81,395 Bottles produced

T° of Service: 14-15°C

Ageing Potential: 5 to 10 Years

**Technical Notes** Total Acidity: 3.72 g/l pH 3.46 Residual Sugar: 2.63 g/l Alcohol: 14.5 %

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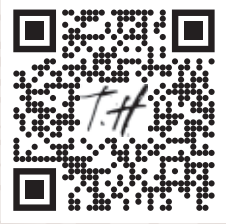
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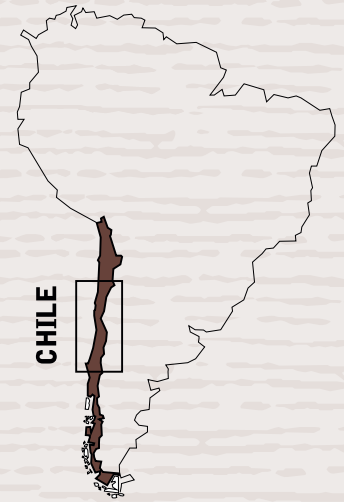


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