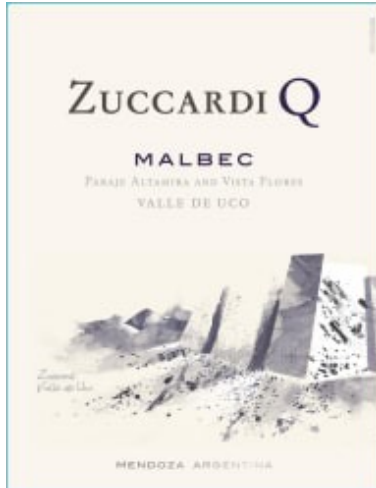


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Zuccardi Q Malbec 2016

Malbec from Uco Valley, Mendoza, Argentina

RP 92 **JS** 92



0% ABV

Other Vintages

2017	RP 92	WE 91	WS 90
2015	JS 94	RP 91	
2014	JS 92		
2013	JS 92	RP 91	TP 90
2012	JS 91	WS 90	
2011	WS 89		
2010	D 91	RP 90	W&S 90
2009	WE 91		
2008	WE 91	RP 91	
2007	W&S 92	RP 90	
2006	WE 91		

\$19⁹⁹ Ships Wed, Mar 20

Winemaker Notes

Deep purple color with bluish reflections. Intense aromas of red and black fruit and cassis, raisins, dried figs and blueberry jam. The aging in French oak brings notes of snuff and chocolate. Soft and silky entrance, large structure with sweet and firm tannins. Long finish.

Critical Acclaim

RP 92 **Robert Parker's Wine Advocate**

Luis Gutiérrez Issue Date 29th Jun 2018 Source 237, The Wine Advocate The 2016 Q Malbec was sourced mostly from Altamira but has some grapes from Chacayes. It fermented with 50% full clusters in concrete vats, and some 30% of the wine aged in used 225- and 500-liter oak barrels. The oak is unnoticeable, and in fact, I find similarities with the Concreto—pure, strict, raw and characterful, with plenty of fine-grained, chalky tannins. I find it to be incredibly good and with an amazing price for what it delivers. Availability should also be very good, as they produced 350,000 bottles of it. This is one to buy by the case. It was bottled between December 2017 and March 2018 from the same blend.

JS

92

James Suckling

This is clean and focused with dark berry and blueberry character. Tight with a medium body. Fine tannins and a fresh finish. A transparent and pretty red.

Familia Zuccardi Vineyards



A few years before 1950, Ing. Alberto Zuccardi reaches Mendoza from his homeland in Tucuman where their great-grandparents had settled upon arriving in the Italian region of Avelino. In 1963, Alberto implanted a vineyard in the region of Maipu not knowing that it would begin the great passion of his life, the wine industry. In 1990, his son, Jose Alberto Zuccardi, assumed the General Director of the company.

In 2005, Sebastian Zuccardi, third generation of the family, lead the development of the new stage of the wines of the winery expansion into the Uco Valley. On his initiative, since 2008 the winery has an area of Research and Development dedicated to the study of the terroir and the different variables that affect wine production. In 2013 the construction of the new Zuccardi winery in the Uco Valley began. It opened in March 2016 with the premise of producing wines with identity, through the continuous exploration of the different terroirs of the Uco Valley.

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