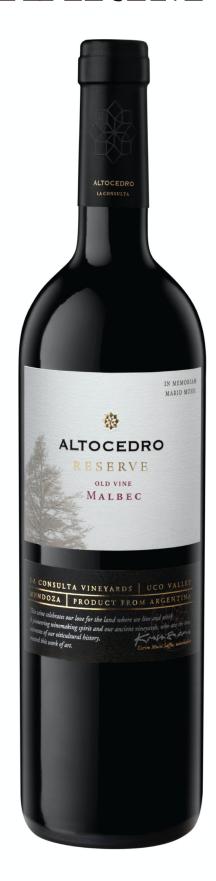
KARIM MUSSI WINES



ALTOCEDRO OLD VINE RESERVE MALBEC

The wines of owner and winemaker Karim Mussi are becoming increasingly sought - after around the world, so we are honoured to be representing his wines in the UK.

'Everything we do at Karim Mussi Wines - everything our hands touch - is driven by terroir... We make wine that speaks distinctly of the place it originates, which only makes sense since Karim Mussi Wines are crafted in the finest winegrowing region in Argentina.....La Consulta, Uco Valley' - Karim Mussi.

"Altrocedro represents real artisanal winemaking, a boutique operation with some serious talent behind the wheel" - Wine Spectator.

Blend: 100% Malbec

Location: La Consulta, Uco Valley, Mendoza

Argentina Country:

Vintage: 2017

Alcohol: 15% ABV

Viticulture: Trellis under three different areas (Altamira, Chacón and El Cepillo). Very different soils in each vineyard, despite the short distance between Altamira and Chacón (9km) or between El Cepillo and La Consulta (12KM). The three vineyards are harvested at different times, seeking different maturity points.

Vinification: Entire berry fermentation takes place in small concrete vats, over 9 days at 29°C, four pump overs a day and 20 days maceration on lees. Undergoes malolactic fermentation and 18 months aging in French oak.

Tasting Note: A powerful, rich and dynamic wine with layers of ripe dark fruit, plums and raisin flavours supported by wellintegrated tannins and bags of complexity. The finish is clean, long and balanced and resonant.

Food Match: Braised lamb, Duck confit, cassoulet, strong cheeses like Blue Stilton.

Altitude: 1100 MASL Organic: No RS: 2.16 (g/l) **Biodynamic:** No Closure: Cork Vegetarian: Yes 18 Months Oak: Vegan: Yes French







