

# BRAMARE

## VIÑA COBOS

Marchiori Vineyard

PAUL HOBBS

### VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Chardonnay

**HARVEST**  
Hand-harvested - February 28th, 2015

**APPELLATION**  
Perdriel (Luján de Cuyo - Mendoza)

### VINEYARD

Marchiori Vineyard. 3.264 feet Vertical shoot position vineyard. Traditional furrow irrigation. Well-developed radical system among all the profile. This wine comes from 19 year old vines.

### SOIL

Deep soils, upper strata of clay-loam to sandy-loam, and substrata of river-washed cobbles and round stones.

### GROWING SEASON

This season presented several challenges due to complex weather conditions. A cool spring, with lower than average temperatures and late frosts affected the chardonnay yields. Followed by a heatwaves during mid-summer and rains towards the end of summer resulted in a natural thinning of the grapes. Harvest started earlier than usual in some locations. Yield is of 2.89 tons per acre.

### AGING & BOTTLING

Aging for 11 months in new French oak (50%). Bottled in February 2016. Unfined.

### TASTING NOTES

Good intense, yellow color. The nose is floral, fruity and very elegant, expressing white-fleshed fruits such as pear and pineapple. Very good volume, and bright acidity, with a rich, creamy texture. Hints of vanilla and cocoa. It is a round, complex wine with a good structure and remarkable persistence.

