

# HOBBS

ESTATE VINEYARD

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2022

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## Growing season

The 2022 vintage was positive for red varieties in terms of quality. A cold summer allowed progressive polyphenolic maturity, achieving high color intensity and concentration, especially in Malbec. White varieties were affected by the intense rains during February, for this reason the selection of clusters was meticulous to obtain optimum quality grapes.

## Vineyards

- Appellation: Agrelo, Luján de Cuyo
- Row selection in block B2
- Altitude: 995 m (3,265 ft)
- Soil: Alluvial. The first layer has a higher proportion of clay covering the top 10 to 40 cm, followed by a sandy-loam texture that ensures good water drainage. Some profiles contain deep deposits of rounded stones.
- Vineyard planted: 2012 - 2016

## Winemaking

- Hand-harvest with shears, 4/2 to 4/6
- Manual selection of bunches and berries
- Fermentation in stainless steel tanks.
- 100% malolactic fermentation
- Aged in French oak barrels, 51% new, 18 months
- Bottled unfiltered

## Tasting notes

Deep ruby red with dark undertones. Aromas of roasted red pepper, ripe red fruits, and a touch of cinnamon. Balanced and juicy on the palate, with soft tannins and a long, lingering finish.

