



ERRAZURIZ

FAMILY WINES SINCE 1870

MAX Cabernet Sauvignon 2016

Aconcagua Valley

ESTATE

Errázuriz is recognized as perhaps the single top quality producer of Chilean wines, with in the last year alone Eduardo Chadwick, President, named Decanter Man of the Year 2018, and the winery awarded Best Chilean Winery 2017 by Robert Parker's Wine Advocate.

WINE

We'll go out in a limb here and say that this is one of the world's great values in quality Cabernet Sauvignon and, beyond that, a Cabernet that utterly reflects where it is grown. A perfect package of fresh and savory fruits and spices within a frame of juicy and supple tannins that offer both pleasure and structure.

VINEYARD

Soils: Located in the interior of the valley, the vineyard soils have a predominantly silty texture and are of colluvial origin.

Farming: Certified Sustainable. Environmentally friendly processes include using gravity instead of pumps to move wine, controlling temperatures with wind in underground ducts to avoid use of air conditioning, and using solar panels and special window glass to save energy.

Grape Varieties: 89% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Cabernet Franc, and 3% Petit Verdot

WINEMAKING

Fermentation: handpicked, sorted, destemmed, crushed and placed in open top stainless steel tanks, where the grapes underwent a cold maceration for 18 to 25 days before fermentation

Aging: 12 months in French oak barrels, 25% new.

VINTAGE

Climate: The challenging vintage of 2016 performed different scenarios through the season, with a cool spring and a warmer than average summer.

90+

WINE ADVOCATE

"This feels very classical and has the freshness that is now clearly part of the house signature. It has moderate alcohol, fine tannins and good balance."