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WINES & SPIRITS

Finca & Bodega Vistalba Corte B 2003



Product Information:

Appellation:	Vistalba, Lujan De Cuyo, Mendoza
Blend:	42% Malbec, 32% Cabernet Sauvignon, 16% Bonarda, 10% Merlot
Yeasts:	40% Selected
T.A:	5.55 g/L
V.A:	0.60 g/L
Alc:	13.9%
Closure:	Cork

Winemakers Notes:

Aged for 12 months in French, medium-toasted oak barrels. The wine is then bottled and aged for an additional 10 months to achieve the perfect balance.

Reviews:

90Pts & selected as one of the '100 Great Wines \$25 or Less', Wine Spectator

"Very ripe and lush, with lots of plum, boysenberry and fig fruit layered with cocoa, loam and spice notes. Powerful, but not heady, with a long finish. Drink now through 2008."

- WS (Dec. 15, 2005)

Supplier Information:

This family estate is located in the center of Vistalba, within Lujan De Cuyo, at the foot of the Andes. The rough characteristics of the soil are a preferred growing environment for the Malbec grape. Most of the 50 hectares of vineyards (Malbec, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, and Bonarda) were planted in 1948, the rest completed in 1999. With an average height of 950 meters above sea level, traditional irrigation is applied. The harvest is manually carried out, with the best grapes chosen for the Corte line. The modern winery was constructed over three years, and boasts cutting edge equipment and storage facilities to ensure ideal conditions and precise temperature control throughout the winemaking process.

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