

## Bodega Raffy Malbec "Grande Réserve" 2010



**Composition:** 100% Malbec, from 60-year old ungrafted vines, "Pied Franc"

Vineyard: Single Vineyard | Gualtallary, Tupungato | Valle de Uco, Mendoza

Soil profile: Stony, sandy and calcareous soil, with excellent drainage and

structure, formed during the Quaternary period by alluvial

erosions of the Andes.

**Altitude**: Located at 1250m (4000 ft) above sea-level, we benefit from:

- high sunlight intensity during the day, increasing grape colour

and maturity.

- cooling winds during the night, preserving natural acidity and

freshness of aromas.

**Harvesting:** 100% manual, ensuring only the best grapes are used.

Destemming is then carried out before the crushing process.

Yields: Very Low (29 hectoliters/hectare) giving great concentration,

structure and complexity.

**Ageing:** 24 months in 100% new French oak barrels, Allier, France.

**Technicals:** Alcohol: 15.0% vol

Total Acidity: 5.39 g/l Sugar: 1.38 g/l

pH: 3.5

Style: A harmonious and elegant wine, showing excellent density of fruit,

complex minerality, great freshness and smooth tannins.

Cellaring: Raffy "Grande Réserve" will evolve beautifully over the next decade

Awards: 17- /20 on JancisRobinson.com (ratings released 22 July 2013)

90 Points Wine Enthusiast Magazine Gold Medal, Argentina Wine Awards 2010 Gold Medal, Vinalies Internationales 2013

**Winery:** Bodega Raffy is the realisation of a family dream: finding a

fantastic terroir in a breathtaking region, building a winery from the ground up, and making world-class malbec

Winemaker: Marcelo Pelleriti

Marcelo released his first 100-Point Parker wine in Pomerol,

France, last year: Chateau La Violette 2010.

He also obtained 99 points for Chateau Le Gay 2010, Pomerol

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