



**TRAPICHE**  
ARGENTINA

Reviews & Accolades

## **PURE BLACK MALBEC 2015**

WINEORBIT.CO.NZ

Sam Kim, April 2017

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5 Stars & 93 points

A gorgeous expression, this unoaked rendition is packed with ripe black/blueberry and dark plum flavours with subtle spice and cocoa notes. The palate is succulent and beautifully weighted with excellent fruit purity and rounded mouthfeel, brilliantly structured by fine, chalky tannins. At its best: now to 2020.

NATALIEMACLEAN.COM

Natalie Maclean, April 2017

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90 Points & Best Value Wine

A lip-smacking, delicious Argentine red wine made from the country's most iconic red grape Malbec. This wine is 100% unoaked, so the fleshy black plum and fruit character shows through. It's full-bodied and ultra-smooth. Great value for this price. Pair with a pepper steak.

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September 2017

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Silver Medal

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Raymond Chan, August 2017

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4 Stars & 18.0- / 20 Points

Full, deep, near impenetrable black-hued purple-red colour, youthful in appearance. The nose is rich and softly full with rounded, but concentrated aromas of ripe blackberry fruit along with a detailed amalgam of dark herbs, spicy plums, blue fruits and a little earthiness. Medium-full bodied, the palate has well concentrated, rich flavours of blackberries, spicy black plums and blue fruits, along with nuances of herbs and earth. The fruit has good extract and presence, with light, grainy tannin grip, and fresh lacy acidity providing good energy and liveliness, enhancing the fruit richness. The flavours carry to an elegant, lingering finish of plums and spices. This is a rich and harmoniously concentrated Malbec with blackberry and black plum fruit, spice notes, and blue fruit elements on a light-structured palate. Match with game meat and casseroles over the next 4 years. 100% Malbec, from the Uco Valley, Mendoza, hand-picked and indigenous yeast fermented to 14.0% alc., the wine aged 8 months on lees in concrete vats, and bottled without oak contact.