

TROPA SALVAJE

2021 Pedro Ximénez, Tupungato

ARGENTINA

ABOUT THE PRODUCER

Tropa Salvaje ("Wild Herd") is an heroic gamble on Mendozaan Viticulture. Oenologist José Luis Miano and Juan Pablo Michelini, a celebrated Mendozaan winemaker well known for his creativity, have planted terraced vineyards in the Rhône style. Organically grown Malbec and Cabernet Sauvignon, along with old vine Pedro Ximénez, form the core wines of the project. Tropa Salvaje is a tribute to the family's twin passions: thoughtful, patient winegrowing and their work in continuing the lineage of Argentina's native Criollo horses. The result is a portfolio of utterly original wines fashioned by hand that celebrates their homeland's finest attributes.

ABOUT THE VINEYARD

El Zampal, Tupungato
80 year old vines
40 ha at 1,040 m above sea level
Sandy loam soil

ABOUT THE WINE

100% dry Pedro Ximénez
Hand harvested, native yeast
Whole cluster press
Stainless steel fermentation

TASTING NOTES

Lovely, lively bright color. On the nose, a mix of ripe stone fruits and tropical notes. The palate puts on display the charms of dry fermented PX: a pleasing weight and texture balanced by nervy acidity and a mineral edge.

TECHNICAL

13.9% Alcohol 1.2 g/l Residual Sugar
6.5 g/l Total Acidity 3.28 pH
600 cs produced

