



# Louis Latour Agencies

## El Incidente Carménère

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| Vintage           | 2011                            |
| Country of Origin | Chile                           |
| Region            | Colchagua Valley                |
| Grape varieties   | Petit Verdot, Malbec, Carménère |

#### Wine description

This wine is a blend of 91% Carménère, 7% Malbec, 2% Petit Verdot. The grapes come from 3 different vineyards in the Colchagua Valley: Carménère from La Capilla vineyard, Malbec from San Carlos vineyard, and Petit Verdot from El Olivar vineyard.

#### Tasting note

Deep and intense violet in colour. The nose is elegant, complex, and fruity with aromas of underbrush, black fruits, and game meat, as well as notes of black pepper (very characteristic of the La Capilla Vineyard) and blond tobacco. The palate has tremendous structure and complexity with the chalky tannins typical of the La Capilla terroir that lead to a long, persistent finish.

#### Vineyard information

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Average vine age         | Carménère, 21 years old  |
| Soil composition         | Carménère, Sand and Silt |
| Harvest type             | Hand picked              |
| Environmental management | Sustainable              |

#### Winemaking information

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| De-stemmed            | Yes                          |
| Fermentation vessel   | Stainless steel tanks        |
| Fermentation          | Selected yeasts              |
| Maturation vessel     | French oak barrels (64% new) |
| Maturation time       | 17 months                    |
| Finning/clarification | Yes                          |
| Filtration            | No                           |

#### Wine Analysis

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|----------------------------------|---------|
| Alcohol by volume                | 15%     |
| pH                               | 3.59    |
| Residual sugar (grams per litre) | 3.1 g/L |
| Acidity (grams per litre)        | 5.4 g/L |

