



Louis Latour Agencies

Estate Collection Reserva Merlot Viu Manent



Vintage	2013
Country of Origin	Chile
Region	Colchagua Valley
Grape varieties	Merlot

Wine description

The Estate Collection Reserva range represents the purest expressions of each grape variety and are characterised by vibrant aromas and flavours. The Merlot is a blend of 89% Merlot, 5% Syrah, 4% Cabernet Sauvignon and 2% Tempranillo all from the Colchagua Valley.

Tasting note

This wine is violet-red in color. The nose is fresh and fruity with aromas of cherries, blackcurrant, and sweet spices that mingle with a subtle note of chocolate and blonde tobacco. The fresh and fruity palate is nicely balanced with moderate structure with well-rounded tannins.

Vineyard information

Average vine age	13 years old
Elevation	190 metres
Soil composition	Sandy clay
Harvest type	Hand picked
Environmental management	Sustainable

Winemaking information

De-stemmed	Yes
Fermentation vessel	Stainless steel tank
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Maturation vessel	Stainless steel, concrete tank and 25% oak
Maturation time	5 months
Fining/clarification	No
Filtration	Yes, light filtration

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14%
pH	3.6
Residual sugar (grams per litre)	2.1 g/L
Acidity (grams per litre)	4.9 g/L