## 2010 Versado Reserva

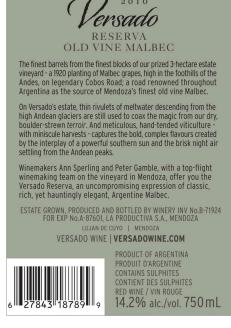
Intense, spicy, with huge rich fruit and the toasty, complexing aromatics of fine, new French oak barriques. On the palate, the spice continues, enhanced with plums, black pepper, cedar, mint and blackberry. Hints of graphite and the contributing presence of acid creates an elegance that gives balance to the wine's massive texture and lengthy finish. ~ *Peter Gamble* 

Score: 95 "Exotic Bordeaux nose that still delivers plenty of Argentine sunshine and black fruit power and concentration. There's finesse and elegance here. Aromas of smoke, dark spice, and field of black flowers. Full-bodied and smooth though decant for two hours. Serve only the finest cuts of meat with this red wonder. Malbec food pairings: lamb cutlets, beef tenderloin." ~ *Natalie MacLean*, www.nataliemaclean.com



Alc.: 14.2%

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There was a delay of approximately 10 days at budbreak that carried through the entire season. January and half of February were typically warm, with March and April temperatures mild with cool nights. The results were a later harvest of grapes that showed intensity both aromatically and chromatically, with more elegance than 2009. Harvest took place on April 22, 2010, and from those sections of the vineyard that were selected for Reserva, yield was approximately 780 g/vine. Manual berry sorting took place on April 22 and 23, and subsequent barrel selection determined those barrels that would make up the 2010 Versado Reserva.

## Availability

## Ontario

• Cru Wine Merchants, Charles Baker, 905.401.1806

## Quebec

 Delaney Vins & Spiriteux, <u>Isaac Delaney</u>, 514.575.6529 (beginning January 2020)