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# MENDEL CABERNET SAUVIGNON

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 CATEGORY: Exceptional Cabs

*Perdriel terroir and precision winemaking make this one of Argentina's best Cabs.*

## WINEMAKING DETAILS

**VARIETAL:** 100% Cabernet Sauvignon    **ALCOHOL:** 14.5  
**REGION:** Lujan de Cuyo    **SIZE:** 12/750ml  
**AVG. ELEVATION:** 3445    **UPC:** 835603002157  
**AVG. AGE OF VINES:** 27

**AGING:** The wine is aged 12 months in 100% oak barrels.

**HARVEST DETAILS:** The vineyards are located in Perdriel (Lujan de Cuyo).

## TASTING NOTES AND PAIRINGS

- Notes of cassis, red and black pepper, and spices.
- Concentrated, balanced, and full-flavored, it displays both elegance and freshness.
- Pair with: braised beef short ribs, beef carpaccio or grilled chicken wings.

## WINERY OVERVIEW

Mendel wines classically combine Roberto de la Mota's prestigious winemaking skills and tremendously old vineyards to make Mendoza's most elegant wines. Proprietor and long-time wine lover, Anabelle Sielecki, partnered with Roberto to transform her family's historic 1928 vineyard into the respected estate it is today. She honors her father, a hardworking immigrant and successful businessman, by putting his first name, Mendel, on the label.

Using his French winemaking experience, Roberto has led Argentina's winemaking movement toward world-class production. The finesse and elegance in his wines are revered and respected.

