# PIATTELLI

## **RESERVE MALBEC 2012**

Lujan de Cuyo, Mendoza, Argentina

Groomed to be a super-premium wine cloaked in a premium bottle, Piattelli Premium Reserve Malbec inspires even the most passive wine consumer to sit up and take notice. The elegance of this sleek, iconic bottle is only surpassed by the excellence of the flavorful, fruit-forward wine it contains.

- · Grapes were hand-picked and manually sorted
- · Grapes underwent 3 days of cold maceration
- · Fermented in 5,000 to 10,000-liter stainless steel tanks
- · Follows 90% of the same process as Grand Reserve Malbec
- · 97% Malbec, 3% Merlot
- · Aged for 8 months in French and American Oak barrels
- · Bottled-aged an additional 6 months

#### ANALYTICAL DATA:

14.0%	Alcohol	3.60	рН
3.09 G/L	Residual Sugar	15,500	Cases
5.36 G/L	Total Acidity		

**TASTING NOTES**: A striking, slightly smoky wine with a deep burgundy hue, Premium Reserve Malbec's fruity bouquet delights the senses and warms the palate with notes of blackberries, blueberries and lavender, lingers with a gentle tannin pull, and finishes with subtle flavors of toasted hazelnuts.

### 89pts SILVER MEDAL

91PTS WINE ADVOCATE

FLORIDA INT'L WINE COMPETITION 2010

88PTS Wine Spectator 2011

## 90PTS GOLD MEDAL

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