

BRAMARE

VIÑA COBOS

Touza Vineyard

PAUL HOBBS

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Malbec

HARVEST

Hand-harvested - April 14th, 2014

APPELLATION

Las Compuertas
(Luján de Cuyo - Mendoza)

VINEYARD

Touza Vineyard. Located at high elevation (3,444 feet), this is a young, cane-pruned vineyard, with traditional furrow irrigation. This wine comes from 8-year-old vines.

SOIL

Well-drained, sandy-loam soils with pebbles scattered throughout the upper layers.

GROWING SEASON

The growing season kicked off sooner than usual with an early bud break, a result of a warm, dry spring. The growing season proceeded in good form, and special care and management in the vineyard helped alleviate the impact of unusual rainfall from mid-December to late March. Despite the resulting delay in sugar accumulation, the grapes achieved full physiological maturity, and harvest took place only slightly later than normal. Yields: 3.32 tons per acre.

AGING & BOTTLING

Aged for 17 months in new French oak (60%) and new American oak (5%), as well as second-use oak (35%). Bottled November 2015. Unfined and unfiltered.

