

## **TOCOCO 2016**



APPELLATION	D.O. Valle de Elqui—Chile
GRAPE VARIETIES	100% Syrah
GEOLOGY	Granite from the Andes Mountains
SOILS	A base of decomposed granitic rocks
CLIMATE	Dry (100mm average annual rainfall), with large day-night temperature differences
ALTITUDE	1.788 m.a.s.l.
VINIFICATION	The grapes are trodden by foot in stone lagars
AGEING	22 months in 2.500 lts. oak foudres
N° OF BOTTLES	3.272 (estate produced and bottled in origin)
BOTTLING DATE	6 <sup>th.</sup> January 2018

## **BRIEF SUMMARY**

## **Vineyards Main Characteristics**

Located in the Andes Mountains at 1.788 m.a.s.l. in Alcohuaz, Elqui Valley, Chile. This is an area of great luminosity and clean blue skies.

## Vintage Characteristics

Winter-Spring 2015: Annual rainfall was 179 mm., a rainy year for this area.

It fell in total 62 cm of snow, 32 cm on 14<sup>th</sup> October with shoots of more than 20 cm on average within the vineyard, as a consequence burned the buds. We only harvested 18% of the expected volume of grapes.

<u>Summer 2016</u>: The summer was very dry, with no rain at all. Average maximum summer temperature for the warmest month (January) was 28,6°C, and the average minimum was 12,8°C.