

SINGLE VARIETAL · ESTATE GROWN

RG | MX

Cabernet Franc 2022

A hot year, kept in balance.

The RGMX red varietals are meant to show the absolute best the estate can do, and the Cabernet Franc is the top of the top. 2022 was a hot one: heat spikes started as early as February, and from flowering through the August harvest, highs hovered around 35 °C (95 °F) with peaks near 39 °C (102 °F). The warmth gave richer, more structured and more complex wines with lower acidity, so the team blended in less-extracted lots to keep everything in balance. A tiny production with the stuffing to go a decade or more.

WINEMAKER MATÍAS UTRERO CARMONA

GRAPE	STYLE	ALCOHOL	PRODUCTION	SULFITES	DRINK
Cab Franc	**Red**	**12.9%**	**217 cases**	**40 ppm**	**Upon release**
100%	Still, French oak	by volume	2,600 bottles	at bottling	& up to 20 years

ATTRIBUTES: LI Low Intervention · WO Woman Owned · PO Practicing Organic · Q LGBTQ+ Associated · SO Sustainably Operated · VG Vegan

The Vineyard

High-desert vineyards with big day-to-night temperature swings, strong sunlight and a mix of soils.

Site	Valle de Parras
Elevation	1,500 m (~5,000 ft)
Soil	Clay, schist
Planted	2009–2015
Farming	Sustainable

In the Cellar

Fermented on native yeasts in stainless steel, then aged in French oak.

Harvest	Aug 4, 16 & 19, 2022
Fermentation	Native yeast, stainless
Aging	French oak
New oak	20%
Filtration	3 microns

The Vintage

Highs around 35 °C from April flowering to August harvest brought more tannin and structure to the later-ripening reds.

> *Less-extracted lots were blended in for greater balance.*

Serve at 16–18 °C (61–64 °F).
Pair with lamb, roasted peppers or mushroom dishes.

RG | MX

Founded in 1998 by the Rivero González family, RGMX grows everything on its own estate in Valle de Parras, Coahuila, one of Mexico's original wine regions, planted since the 1500s. The family has long farmed the region, producing premium organic nuts for generations.

Winemaker Matías Utrero Carmona, a native of Argentina now living in Mexico, works with low-intervention methods across three lines: Vinos de Tierra (amphora), RGMX (oak barrels) and Scielo.

1998 FOUNDED

135 ACRES UNDER VINE

15 WINES

20,800 CASES TOTAL