



# CHUBUT

WINES OF ARGENTINA



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## Terroir characteristics



### LOCATION

Viticultural area

**42° 03' | 45° 36'**

SOUTH LATITUDE

**65° 06' | 71° 31'**

WEST LONGITUDE



### TEMP.

Annual Average

**13,4° C**

**56,1° F**



### RAINFALL

Annual Average

**184** mm/year

**7,2** in/year



### CULTIVATED SURFACE

for vinification\*

Ha: **87,1**

Ac: **215,23**



**0.04%** of the country

**2,4%** of the region



### ALTITUDE

of the vineyards

**10 – 670** masl

**33 – 2.198** fasl



### HIGHLIGHTS

Chubut boasts the southernmost vineyard in the world, which sits beyond the 45th parallel south (Sarmiento).





| The most southern wine province in Argentina, starts at 42° parallel, but is not yet a GI.

| A compilation of small oases attached to big rivers.

| There are only 87 ha of scattered vines and 17 producers.

| New oases like Trevelin GI, Paso del Sapo and Sarmiento are developing fast.

| Pioneer producers cultivate Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Sauvignon Blanc, due to its short summer.

| Strong winds and early and late frosts are the main threat in the area.

# CHUBUT

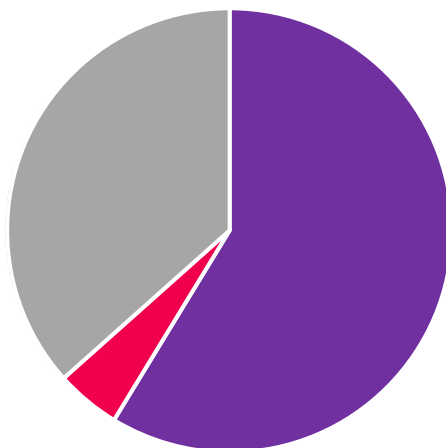
## Varieties

### DISTRIBUTION

by colour\*



**Red grapes** | **58,8%**  
**White grapes** | **36,4%**  
**Pink grapes** | **4,8%**



### MAIN GRAPE VARIETIES

Most planted\*

Pinot Noir  
 Chardonnay  
 Merlot  
 Malbec  
 Torrontés

	Ha	Acres	%	%
CHUBUT	87,1	215,23	Province	Color
Red (vinification)	46,1	113,92	52,93%	100,00%
Pinot Noir	34,5	85,25	39,61%	74,84%
Merlot	9,1	22,49	10,45%	19,74%
Malbec	2,1	5,19	2,41%	4,56%
Cabernet Sauvignon	0,03	0,07	0,03%	0,07%
Syrah	0,03	0,07	0,03%	0,07%
Cabernet Franc	0,4	0,99	0,46%	0,87%
White (vinification)	32,6	80,56	37,43%	100,00%
Chardonnay	26,0	64,25	29,85%	79,75%
Riesling	2,1	5,19	2,41%	6,44%
Torrontés Riojano	2,0	4,94	2,30%	6,13%
Sauvignon Blanc	1,8	4,45	2,07%	5,52%
Semillón	0,3	0,74	0,34%	0,92%
Other	0,4	0,99	0,46%	1,23%
Pink (vinification)	8,3	20,51	9,53%	100,00%
Other pink varieties	8,3	20,51	9,53%	100,00%

\*Source: National Viticulture Institute  
 Annual Surface Report (12/31/2020 database).

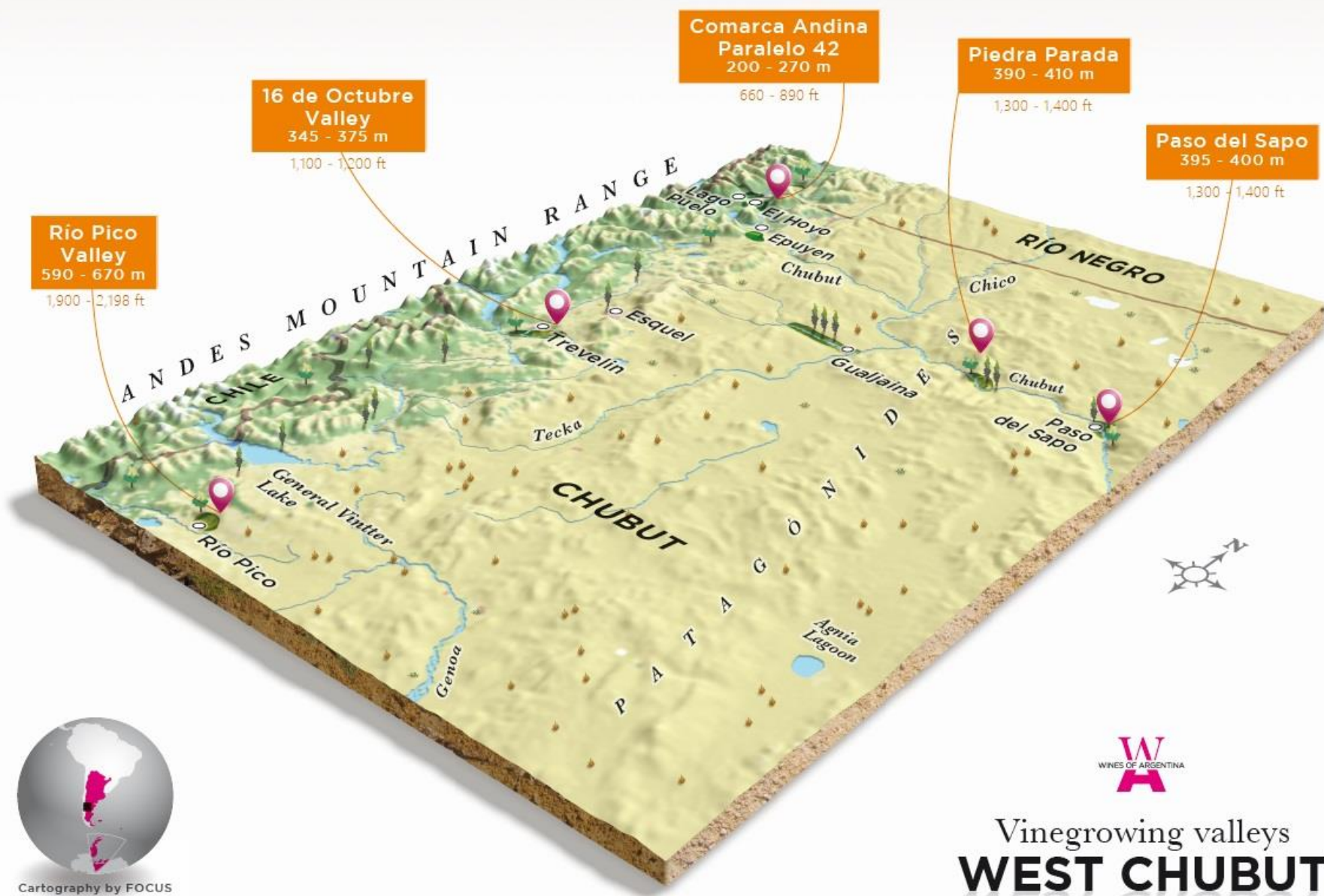


Vinegrowing valleys  
**CENTRAL  
PATAGONIA**

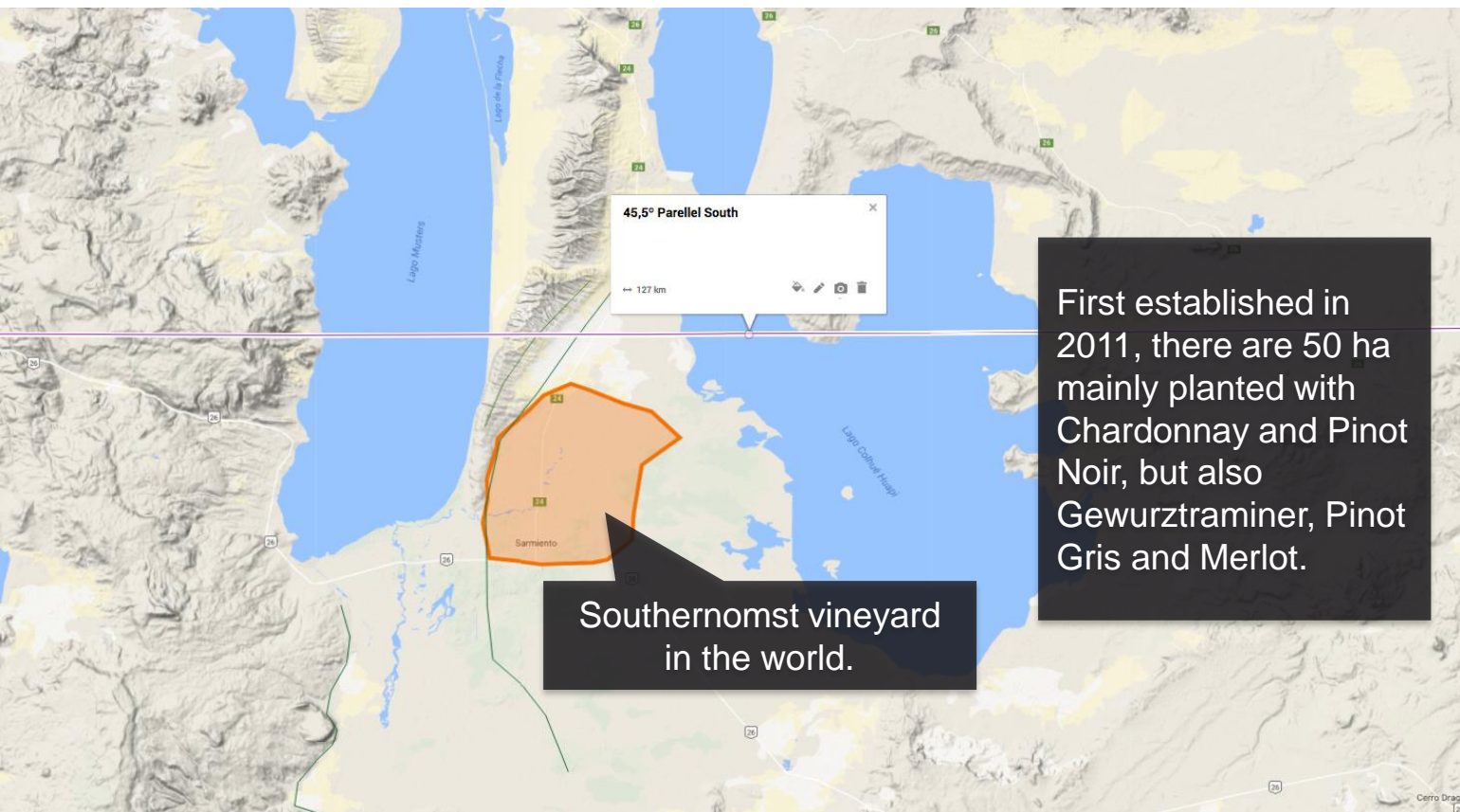


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Sarmiento's latitude is the same as Lyon, France, and almost the same as Central Otago in New Zealand



- ☐ Neuquén
- ☐ Río Negro
- ☐ La Pampa
- ☒ Chubut
  - El Hoyo de Epuyén
  - Río Chubut
  - Capitán Sarmiento
  - 400 m
  - 400 m
  - 300 m
  - 45,5° Parallel South

Group of villages, towns and cities located close to each other, in the northwest of the province of Chubut and southwest of Río Negro.

It includes El Bolsón (Río Negro), El Hoyo, Lago Puelo, Epuyén, among other cities within the Cushamen Department (Chubut). The most important production is found in El Hoyo.

Temperate-cold climate, with great thermal amplitude.



## CULTIVATED SURFACE

for vinification (Cushamen Department)\*

Ha: **23,7**

Ac: **58,57**



**27.2%**  
of the cultivated  
surface in the  
province



## ALTITUDE

of the vineyards

**200 - 270** masl

**660 - 890** fasl



## LOCATION

Viticultural area

**42°03'**

SOUTH  
LATITUDE

**71°19'**

WEST  
LONGITUDE



## TEMP.

Annual Average

**10,6° C**

**52° F**



## RAINFALL

Annual Average

**800/1.000** mm/year

**31,5 / 39** in/year



## MAIN GRAPE VARIETIES

Most planted  
(Cushamen Dept.)\*

Pinot Noir

Merlot

Chardonnay

Riesling

Sauvignon Blanc



## SOIL Profile

Soils of  
volcanic  
origin.



# CHUBUT | 16 de Octubre

## Valleys



16 de Octubre Valley was the name given by the Welsh settlers to Trevelin and its surroundings. It is located 150km to the south of Comarca Andina Paralelo 42, with similar soil and climatic conditions.

An ideal area to make sparkling wines with low alcohol content.

Trevelin was recognized as a GI in August 2020.



**LOCATION**  
Viticultural area

**43°05'**  
SOUTH  
LATITUDE

**71°28'**  
WEST  
LONGITUDE



**TEMP.**  
Annual Average

**9,7° C**

**49,4° F**



**RAINFALL**  
Annual Average

**1.000** mm/year

**39,4** in/year



**CULTIVATED SURFACE**  
for vinification (Futaleufu Department)\*

**Ha: 10**

**Ac: 24,71**



**11.5%**  
of the cultivated  
surface in the  
province



**ALTITUDE**  
of the vineyards

**345 - 375** masl

**1.100 - 1.200** fasl



**MAIN GRAPE  
VARIETIES**

Most planted (Futaleufu Dept.)\*

Pinot Noir  
Chardonnay  
Sauvignon Blanc  
Riesling  
Cabernet Franc

Unique wines with marked natural acidity due to climatic conditions.

\*Source: National Viticulture Institute  
Annual Surface Report (12/31/2020 database).

It is located at the northwest of Chubut, on the banks of the Chubut River.



**LOCATION**  
Viticultural area

**42°44'**  
SOUTH  
LATITUDE

**69°36'**  
WEST  
LONGITUDE



**TEMP.**  
Annual Average

**11,2° C**  
**52° F**



**RAINFALL**  
Annual Average

**300** mm/year  
**11,8** in/year



Alluvial soils located between cliffs of 100 meters-high, next to the Chubut River coast.



**CULTIVATED SURFACE**  
for vinification (Languiñeo Department)\*

**Ha: 0,15**  
**Ac: 0,37**



**0.17%**  
of the cultivated  
surface in the  
province



**ALTITUDE**  
of the vineyards

**395 - 400** masl  
**1.300 - 1.310** fasl



**MAIN GRAPE  
VARIETIES**

Most planted (Languiñeo Dept.)\*

Chardonnay

Pinot Noir

Riesling

Merlot

Full-bodied wines, with less acidity.

White wines: quite fleshy and can be aged in oak.

\*Source: National Viticulture Institute  
Annual Surface Report (12/31/2020 database).

It is the most important valley in Chubut, where the southernmost vineyards in the world are located (beyond 45° south latitude).



**CULTIVATED SURFACE**  
for vinification (Sarmiento Department)\*

Ha: **50,1**  
Ac: **123,8**



**57.5%**  
of the cultivated  
surface in the  
province



**LOCATION**  
Viticultural area

**45°36'**  
SOUTH  
LATITUDE

**69°05'**  
WEST  
LONGITUDE



**TEMP.**  
Annual Average

**10,8° C**  
**51,4° F**



**RAINFALL**  
Annual Average

**200/250** mm/year  
**7,8 / 9,8** in/year



**ALTITUDE**  
of the vineyards

**265 - 300** masl  
**870 - 980** fasl



**MAIN GRAPE  
VARIETIES**

Most planted (Sarmiento Dept.)\*

Pinot Noir  
Chardonnay  
Merlot  
Torrontés

White wines: aromatic, apt for oak ageing.  
Red wines: medium-bodied, promising wines.



# CHUBUT | Río Chubut Lower Valley

Valleys



It is a fertile zone located in the northeast of Chubut, crossed by the Chubut River.

It includes part of the departments of Gaiman and Rawson.



## LOCATION

Viticultural area

**43°18'**  
SOUTH  
LATITUDE

**65°06'**  
WEST  
LONGITUDE



## TEMP.

Annual Average

**13,5° C**

**56,3° F**



## RAINFALL

Annual Average

**200/300** mm/year

**7,8/11,8** in/year



## SOIL

Profile

Soils with alkaline PH.



## CULTIVATED SURFACE

for vinification (Gaiman and Rawson Depts.)\*

Ha: **0,8**

Ac: **1,98**



**0.92%**  
of the cultivated  
surface in the  
province



## ALTITUDE

of the vineyards

**10 - 50** masl

**33 - 160** fasl



## MAIN GRAPE VARIETIES

Most planted (Gaiman and Rawson Dept.)\*

Pinot Noir

Malbec




Chardonnay/Riesling

\*Source: National Viticulture Institute  
Annual Surface Report (12/31/2020 database).



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