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### Producer

Bernhard Huber cultivates the 26 hectares of the family vineyards, with varieties of mainly Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, but also a small amount of Pinot Blanc and Pinot Gris.

### Vintage report

The year 2016 started with cold and rainy weather conditions. On the one hand it caused downy mildew, on the other hand the rain supported a fast growing of the vines. Hot temperatures in July and August helped the vines to develop well. Harvest started on the 12th of September. Late summer days compared with cold nights in autumn, caused a good ripening of the grapes.

### Characteristics

-  dark red fruits, hint of violets
-  ripe red fruits like black cherry, dark chocolate aroma, elegant finish
-  roasted game, red meat

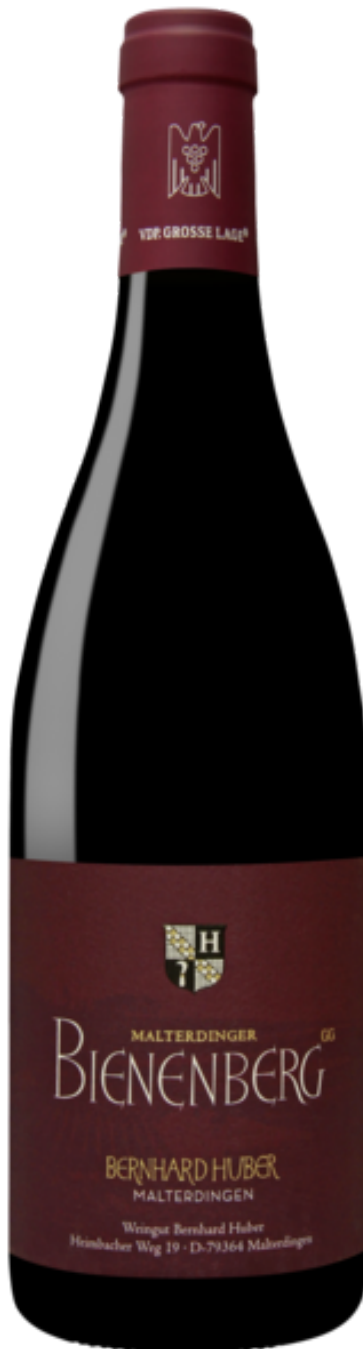
### Facts

Grape Variety	Spätburgunder
Terroir	Malterdinger Bienenberg, shell limestone soil, southeast to southwest facing steep slope with gradients up to 20%
Appellation	Baden
Vinifikation	aged in used barrique barrels

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
13 %vol	2.4 g/l	6 g/l

### Award

94 points Falstaff



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