

## Valckenberg Portugieser Halbtrocken 2018


### Producer


For over 230 years P.J. Valckenberg has discovered extraordinary German Estates and act as an ambassador of their wines. The Valckenberg Varietals represent authentic and typical german wines.


### Vintage report

When the going is good, it is very, very good. This saying fits the 2018 vintage in the Pfalz. Hardly any damage despite extreme summer temperatures and drought, almost no water catastrophes, perfectly healthy grape material in abundant quantities. The record-breaking warm weather period had already begun in April, leading to an early flowering of Riesling at the end of May.. The true heatwave then came in July and August. September recorded ideal, largely dry and settled weather conditions, with especially the red varieties profiting from the extended hang time to give intensely-coloured, full-bodied wines. The white wines have moderate acidity, while the alcohol levels also remained relatively moderate.

### Characteristics

 delicately fruity, cherry aroma, raspberry.

 palatable, pleasing, soft

 banquet

### Facts

Grape Variety	Portugieser
Terroir	Calcareous loess-loam soil
Appellation	Palatinate
Vinifikation	Selected wines with a high quality level, vinified according to the most modern cellar methods to create a harmonious wine.

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
11.5 %vol	13.3 g/l	4.1 g/l



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