



P. J.
VALCKENBERG
WEINHANDELSHAUS

Weissburgunder/Pinot Blanc

Weissburgunder/Pinot Blanc dry 2022

Producer

Founded in 1200, the estate is now managed by Prince Felix zu Salm-Salm in the 32th generation. It is the oldest family-owned estate in Germany and cultivates vineyard sites on the Nahe region as well as in Rheinhessen.


Vintage report


The year began dry and ended wet with a big drought during summer and great rain during harvest. But first things first.


A very early start into harvest brought great qualities. After the first rains we started with the Riesling grapes which were lower in sugar than one would have thought. Although we finished earlier than ever the harvest went on for quite a while due to pausing every couple of days bringing the grapes to show their full potential.

Great qualities at a low yield. Great acidity with moderate alcohol levels. Apart from having less wine this was yet again an outstanding vintage

Characteristics

 apple and hay notes

 yellow fruits, mineral driven

 Allrounder, fish, vegetable lasagne

Facts

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| Grape Variety | Weissburgunder |
| Terroir | sandy loam, south exposition, steep sloped vineyards |
| Appellation | Rheingau |
| Vinifikation | Single maturation, fermentation in stainless steel tanks and large wooden barrels |

| Alcohol | Residual Sugar | Acidity |
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| 13 %vol | 2.4 g/l | 5.1 g/l |



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