

Spätburgunder "Alte Reben " dry 2017


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

Vintage 2017 started with late frost in April. Temperatures down to -5°C affected nearly all Chardonnays in Schlossberg and in general we had a crop reduction of 30%. It could have been worse, most of the vines recovered and the latent bud put forth, partly with small grapes. Due to these differences in development the frost brought a big challenge during vegetation and harvest. Harvest started end of August, accompanied of an intensive selection in the vineyard with the result of fine fruited wines with a lot of elegance, pureness and freshness.

Characteristics

 sour cherry, elderberry, charcoal.

 lush fruit, spicy pepper, blackberry & cassis.

 solo, pizza, pasta, savory dishes.

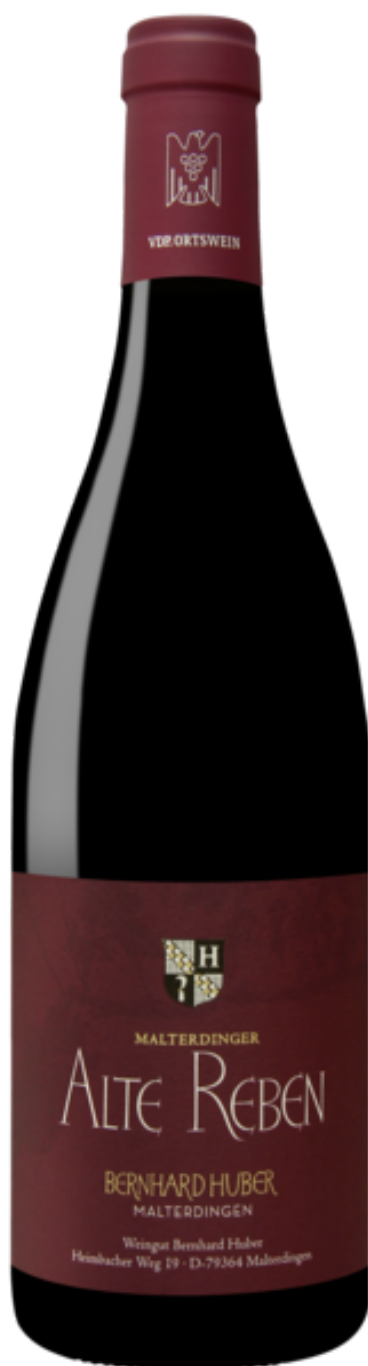
Facts

Grape Variety	Spätburgunder/ Pinot Noir
Terroir	Site selection from the "Große Gewächslagen", yellow to red shell limestone, mixed with red and very ferruginous clay soil, with a high stone content, southwest to southeast exposure
Appellation	Baden
Vinifikation	18 months in barrique aging, 70% of which are new barrels

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
13 %vol	1.1 g/l	5.2 g/l

Award

92 pts. Falstaff



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