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Würzburger Pfaffenberg Silvaner 1st Growth

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### Producer


The Bürgerspital is one of Germany's largest wine growing estates with 300 acres. It is located in Würzburg, which is part of the Franken region. The estate is a founding member of the VDP association and offers vineyard sites like Würzburger Stein, Stein Harfe (=stone harp) or Würzburger Innere Leiste. They cultivate typical franconian grape varieties like Silvaner, Müller-Thurgau and Bacchus, as well as some classics like Riesling, Pinot Gris and Pinot Blanc.


### Vintage report

Despite the extremely dry summer, the physiological ripeness of our grapes was perfect, not last thanks to our deep soils. Our conclusion: The wines are fresh, elegant and very concentrated as a result of the small berries. The red wines - as usual in dry years - are of outstanding high quality. Robert Haller, director of the wine estate, is very pleased: "An exciting vintage meeting our expectations."

### Characteristics

 mediterranean herbs

 multi-faceted, fine acidity

 bourgeois cuisine like roast veal or trout

### Facts

Grape Variety	Silvaner
Terroir	steep sloped vineyards with old vines, shell limestone
Appellation	Franconia
Vinifikation	long maceration, spontaneous fermentation in wooden barrels, aged on fine yeast in wooden casks

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
13 %vol	2 g/l	6 g/l



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