

Weissburgunder/ Pinot Blanc dry 2016

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 aswell as in Rheinhessen.

Vintage report

The 2016 harvest brought great qualities into the cellar, despite a very challenging year, with extreme weather influences. Until July the average rainfall of a whole year had already been reached. Beginning in August the summer really kicked in. Little rainfall and high temperatures accompanied the weeks until the beginning of harvest on the 26nd of September. The weather influences just before and during the harvest have become more important than ever. The good weather conditions during this year's harvest allowed the harvest team to pick grapes with a great ripeness level and healthy grapes.

Characteristics

floral bouquet, hints of vanilla, cinnamon, ripe apples

creamy, strong texture, slightly acidic structure

asparagus, quiche, fish dishes

Facts

Grape Variety Weissburgunder

Terroir sandy loam soil, south facing steep slope exposure

Appellation Nahe

Vinifikation Single bow, fermentation in stainless steel tank and large

wooden barrel.

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
12.5 %vol	6.3 g/l	7.2 g/l





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