



# Tech Sheet

## *Valvin Muscat 2009*

### **Grapes and vineyards.**

*Valvin Muscat* 100% (Hunt Country Vineyards)

**Vinification.** Hunt Country Vineyards

Winemaker. Jonathan Hunt

**Aging.** Stainless steel

**Residual Sugar.** 1.7%

**Alcohol.** 12% by Vol.

**Total Acidity.** 7.4 g/L

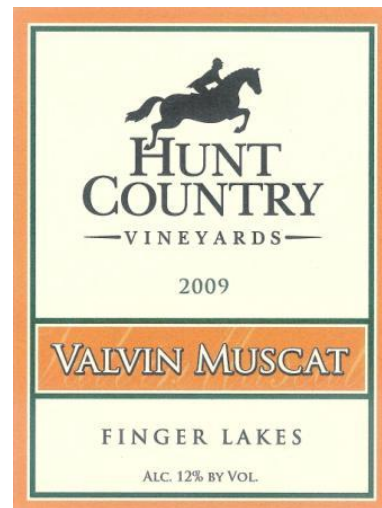
**pH.** 3.7

**Bottled.** June 11, 2010

**Appellation.** Finger Lakes

**Production.** 423 cases

(Estate-grown & -bottled)



### **Major Awards.**

Gold Medal, 2011 Tasters Guild International Wine Judging

Gold Medal, 2010 Indy International Wine Competition

Example of American Greatness (Gold), 2010 Jefferson Cup Invitational Wine Competition

### **Comments** by Art Hunt.

Muscat wines are prized for their fragrant floral character, and this Valvin Muscat from grapes grown on our farm has a gorgeous orange blossom aroma, a hint of sweetness and a long, luxurious finish.

The Valvin Muscat grape – a complex hybrid developed at Cornell University in the 1960s – has a long and distinguished ancestry. The Muscat (or Moscato) is believed to be one of the oldest domesticated grapes in the world, having been cultivated in Mesopotamia and the Nile Valley as long ago as 3000 B.C.