

Valvin Muscat 2010

Grapes and vineyards.

Valvin Muscat 100% (Hunt Country Vineyards)

Winemaker. Jonathan Hunt Fermentation. Stainless steel

Aging. Stainless steel Residual Sugar. 1.9% Alcohol. 12.5% by Vol. Total Acidity. 7.1 g/L

pH. 3.7

Bottled. September 1, 2011 Appellation. Finger Lakes

Production. 372 cases (Estate-grown & -bottled)



Distinctions (as of April 2012).

Gold medal, 2012 Tasters Guild International 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 French-American 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 families of domesticated grapes in the world, having been cultivated in Mesopotamia and the Nile Valley as long ago as 3000 B.C.