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## Weingut Huber 2013 Sommerhalde Spätburgunder Great Growth

### Vintage 2013 at Huber:

After a long cold winter followed a cool and rainy spring. This led to a late bud burst and late flowering of the grapes. By the cool temperatures during vine blossoming we got small grapes with thick skins. During summertime we had mixed weather conditions.

Just before the harvest start the sky opened and it rained. The harvest time was connected with a lot of work. We had to make an extreme selection in the vineyards which resulted in a reduction in yield by 25%. But finally after the first month of vinification the vintage shows a ripe and also fresh fruit with a well-integrated acidity. Our Pinot Noirs have a deep ruby red colour with a nose full of fruits.

We harvested wonderfully ripe and healthy grapes because we had put a lot of work into optimally selecting the grapes in two or three harvesting passes." (Owner/Winemaker Bernhard Huber)



<b>Wine Region</b>	Baden / Germany
<b>Grape variety</b>	Spätburgunder
<b>Code no.</b>	HU5
<b>Terroir</b>	Name of vineyard: Bombacher Sommerhalde Size: 5.25 acres / 2.1 ha Average yield/acre: 30 hl/ha Soil: Red chalybeate soil with a great accumulation for water, nerved by shell lime, ideal for Pinot Noir. Exposure: southeast
<b>Vinification</b>	Guyot
<b>Analysis</b>	Alcohol: 13.0 % Vol Residual sugar: 1.4 g/l Acidity: 6.2 g/l
<b>Characteristic</b>	This balances tart red berry and cherry flavors against a backdrop of warm vanilla and spice tones. It's refreshingly crisp on the palate and finishes long, with a spray of green herbs and fine, lingering tannins. Well balanced and elegant in style.
<b>Pairing</b>	A good accompaniment to roasted lamb or beef with a hearty sauce and game dishes. When ripened it is excellent with ripened hard cheese.
<b>Ratings</b>	18/20pts - JancisRobinson.com/Oct. 2015 "...On the palate things get a little more intense with lashings of fleshy plums and juicy morello cherries making the early running, only to be reined in by flavours of dark chocolate, roasted hazelnuts and a subtle mix of herbs and spices....."

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