

# 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

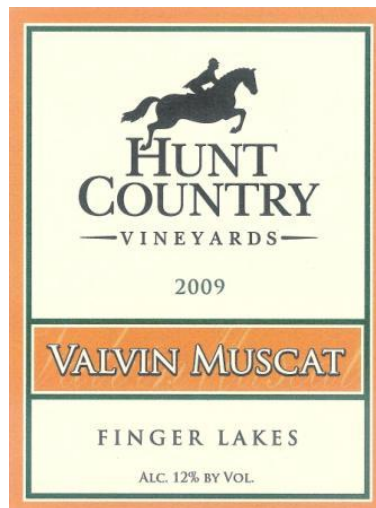
**pH.** 3.7

**Bottled.** June 11, 2010

**Appellation.** Finger Lakes

**Production.** 423 cases

(Estate-grown & -bottled)



### Major Awards.

Awaiting results of submissions to several competitions. Our 2008 vintage garnered 7 Gold and Double-Gold medals in prestigious competitions nationwide, including Best New York Wine at the 2010 Big E Northeast Gold 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.