## CHATEAU DE LA RAGOTIERE VALLET 2015

Muscadet de Sèvre et Maine Terra Vitis, Sustainable Viticulture



Grape variety: 100% Melon de B.

**Region of production**: Loire Valley, near the Atlantic Ocean, near the village of Vallet, in the Appellation Muscadet Sèvre et Maine. **Soil Type**: Micaschiste Albitic with double micas (white and black)

**Exposition**: Hillside, very rocky South

Density: 6500 vines/ha

Yield: 30 hl/ha

Vines ages: +50 years

**Vine-growing**: Guyot pruning, controlled natural green cover. Organic approach (organic fertilizer, use of pheromones, tillage). **Winemaking process**: Vibrating sorting table. Pneumatic press and very severe racking before alcoholic fermentation, temperature-controlled at 14-16°C. Aged of fine lees for 31 months in underground tanks (ciment with glass tiles), then bottled after fining.

Bottling: April 2018

Accompanies: Scallops, Lobster, Grilled fish, Creamed chicken

Stawberries sabayon. **Storage**: 6 to 10 years

« This wine from Vallet, has been aged for three years. That gives its richness a boost and introduces minerality, spice and intensity. The wine is packed with fruit and tightly textured. Drink now. » Roger Voss

## 92 points Wine Enthusiast



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