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Domaine de la Pousse d'Or Pommard Les Jarollières 1er Cru 2015 Burgundy, France

91-93 Points

(one-third of these vines are just 7 years old, one-third 30 and one-third "very old," according to Patrick Landanger): Full ruby. Pungent mineral and violet notes lift the aromas of black cherry and black raspberry; showing a distinct Volnay aspect but then these vines are next to Pommard's border with Volnay. Sweet, slightly medicinal kirsch and chocolate flavors boast lovely ripeness for Pommard but also excellent energy and lift. Big, broad, ripe tannins saturate the mouth and build. A wonderfully fine-grained, horizontal Pommard that leaves the palate refreshed. (ST)

