2014

Ried SILBERBICHL ÖTW Erste Lage **Kremstal DAC**





Feine Kräuter, gelbe Früchte. Präzise, dicht und guter Biss. Zu frischen Fischen



Austria, Kremstal DAC, Furth at Göttweig Origin:

Quality grade: ÖTW Erste Lage

Site: Ried Silberbichl 1ÖTW

Varietal: Riesling

Wine Type: still wine | white | dry

Alcohol: 13 % Residual Sugar: 2.9 g/l Acid: $6.4 \, \text{g/l}$

Harvest and Maturing

Harvest: handpicked Fermentation: spontaneous

steel tank

Maturing: large wooden barrel

Vineyard

Geografical Orientation: north east mica schist Soil:

danube gravel

sandy

This vineyard, which has a north-easterly aspect, is located on a broad terrace formed by a former watercourse of the Danube River. The site was first documented (in 1562) as 'Silberpiegl', and later became known as 'Silberbügl', and then 'Silberbichl' or 'Silberbühel'. The underlying sandy Danube river gravels are overlain by loess and loess-derived loam, and then in turn by calcareous soils. The name 'Silber' (silver) refers to the abundance of mica crystals in the soil – large fragments of which are found in the deeper lying areas, catching the evening sun.

