



# Blaufränkisch Eisenberg DAC 2016



Origin:	Austria, Südburgenland
Quality grade:	Eisenberg DAC
Site:	village site Rechnitz
Site Type:	hilly land
Varietal:	Blaufränkisch 100 %   15 - 25 years
Geographical Orientation:	south east, south
Sea Level:	350 - 450 m
Soil:	karg mica schist green slate



## Cellar

Harvest:	handpicked   beginning/october
Maturing:	large wooden barrel   used barrel   12 month(s)

## Data

Wine Type:	Still wine   red   dry
Alcohol:	13 %
Allergens:	sulfites
Drinking Temperature:	14 - 16 °C
Aging Potential:	medium (10 years)

## Winery

Rechnitz, the home of the small Straka winery, is a unique location: at the southern foothills of „Günser Gebirge“, which separates the mid from the southern part of Burgenland and which is the change over from the eastern part of the alps to the hungarian lowlands (pannonien low lands). The mountain, geologicaly also called „Rechnitzer Window“ is built up of metamorph, cristal schist and magmatic rock, which exists in this way only in 3 other places in the world. Welschriesling, the old Austrian grape, is the main variety and a kind of personal „spleen“ of Thomas Straka. Also Pinot blanc and Blaufränkisch from the Eisenberg transport the distinctive mineral driven structure of the region.

