



# WELSCHRIESLING VOM OPOK 2021

<b>Origin:</b>	Austria, Südsteiermark, Leutschach
<b>Quality grade:</b>	Bio-Wein aus Österreich
<b>Site:</b>	Ex vero I
<b>Site Type:</b>	hillside
<b>Varietal:</b>	Welschriesling 100 %   54 years 2500 plants/ha   2300 liter/ha
<b>Geographical Orientation:</b>	south east, south, south west
<b>Sea Level:</b>	330 - 450 m
<b>Soil:</b>	clayey brown earth   top soil Kalkmergel   sub soil

## Vineyard Site:

My hillside Ex vero I are our flatter vineyard zones with brown clay as overlay. Underneath is our limestone marl - opok.

## WEATHER / CLIMATE

**Climate:** mediteranian, pannonic

## CELLAR

Wooden barrel ageing for six months with a further nine months in steel tanks. Biological acid degradation 100%. No filtration, no additives.

<b>Harvest:</b>	handpicked
<b>Fermentation:</b>	spontaneous
<b>Malolactic Fermentation:</b>	yes
<b>Sulfur Added:</b>	yes
<b>Filter:</b>	unfiltered
<b>Maturing:</b>	100 %   large wooden barrel   3000 L   used barrel   10 month(s) 100 %   steel tank   2000 L   5 month(s)
<b>Bottling:</b>	natural cork   Lot Number: L032023
<b>Certification:</b>	Yes
<b>Deacidification:</b>	no
<b>Acidification:</b>	no

## DATA

<b>Wine Type:</b>	Still wine   white   dry
<b>Certificates:</b>	Demeter, AT-BIO-302
<b>Allergens:</b>	sulfites
<b>Drinking Temperature:</b>	11 - 13 °C
<b>Aging Potential:</b>	medium (8 years)
<b>Optimum Drinking Year:</b>	2023 - 2030

## WINE DESCRIPTION



The Opok wines grow on the lower parts on the vineyards. The brown clay is dominant and the Opok is deeper down. That results in good growth for the vines and juicy aromatic combined with our typical texture of tannic and acidity. Thees wines are earlier ready to drink, but can last also for year in the bottle. The Welschriesling variety is one of the very typical from Styria and brings delicate, light wines.

## WINERY

Small family-run winery in southern Styria - Austria. Lively wine with a natural expression and play of formed aromas in the wine.

### **Welschriesling 2020**

Ein Welschriesling mit biologischem Säureabbau und Holzfassausbau, was für die Steiermark ungewöhnlich ist.