



WAGENTRISTL

Weißburgunder Ried Kreidestein 2022

Origin:	Austria, Burgenland, Leithaberg
Quality grade:	Leithaberg DAC
Site:	Müllendorfer Ried Kreidestein 🌍
Normal Classification:	Riedenwein
Site Type:	hillside
Varietal:	Weißburgunder 10 years 4000 liter/ha
Geographical Orientation:	south west
Sea Level:	268 - 307 m
Soil:	calcareous sandy loam limestone from Leitha

Vineyard Site:

The Kreidestein vineyard lies on the sun-drenched southwest slopes of the Leithaberg near Müllendorf. Its subsoil consists of pure limestone, historically quarried as chalk for over 100 years – a geologically unique terroir. The barren, calcareous soils lend the wines pronounced minerality and refined elegance. The nearby forest brings cool nights and allows for a slow, even ripening of the grapes.

Weather / Climate

Climate:	pannonic
Average Hours of Sun per	2102 hours
Vintage:	
Average Rainfall Per Vintage:	673 mm
Rainfall 2022:	421 hours
Sunshine 2022:	2179 hours

Vintage description:

The 2022 vintage was characterized by a warm, dry spring and a hot summer with occasional heat waves. Thanks to timely rainfall in August, the vines were able to complete their ripening process well. The harvest began somewhat earlier than average and yielded healthy, aromatically concentrated grapes with good acidity. Especially in the higher elevations of the Leitha Mountains, balanced conditions were found for elegant, mineral wines. Overall, the 2022 vintage promises wines with finesse, aging potential, and regional expression.

Cellar

After the selective hand-picking, the grapes are destemmed and lightly crushed. In order to release as many ingredients as possible from the skins, the fresh juice is left on the skins for a day. This is followed by a particularly slow and gentle pressing. The must obtained is only left to settle for a few hours (sedimentation) before it is filled into the oak barrels intended for fermentation and maturation. In these, fermentation and malolactic fermentation takes place naturally. The entire maturation period is 11 months on the full yeast without the addition of sulphur. The wine is only drawn off the mother yeast and lightly sulphurized shortly before bottling. In order to preserve as much of the wine's natural character as possible without "clouding" future enjoyment, the young wine is only subjected to a light, clarifying filtration during bottling.

Harvest: handpicked | September 11



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Grape Sorting:	manual
Malolactic Fermentation:	yes
Sulfur Added:	yes
Skin Contact:	1 day(s)
Fermentation:	spontaneous
	Pre Clarification: yes soft
	oak barrel 500 L
Filter:	filtered coarse
Maturing:	oak barrel 500 L 11 month(s)
	Batonnage: yes
Time on the Full Yeast:	11 month(s)
Bottling:	natural cork Aug. 28, 2023 1200 x 0.75 L Lot Number: L
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	natural cork Aug. 28, 2023 18 x 1.5 L Lot Number: L
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Data

Wine Type:	Still wine white dry
Alcohol:	13.5 %
Residual Sugar:	1.4 g/l
Acid:	5 g/l
Certificates:	vegan
Allergens:	sulfites
Drinking Temperature:	10 - 12 °C
Aging Potential:	high
Optimum Drinking Year:	2025 - 2032

Awards

Falstaff:	94
Vinous Media:	90

Product Codes

Prüfnummer:	N19824/23
EAN:	9120041300349
EAN / carton 6:	9120041300356

Wine Description

For over a hundred years, limestone in its purest form as chalk has been mined on the south-western slopes of the Leitha Mountains near Müllendorf. The dazzling white rock walls of the quarry can be seen from afar and are always fascinating to look at. Only a narrow stretch of forest separates the quarry from our vineyards in the Kreidestein vineyard. The barren soil and the cooling influence of the forest ensure wines with a deep minerality and cool elegance.

Tasting Notes

Light yellow gold, silver reflections. Delicate roasted aromas, some hazelnut, fine yellow fruit, stone fruit, floral touch, a hint of caramel. Juicy, white stone fruit, nuances of linden blossom, with all the freshness and finesse, the wine shows a delicate extract sweetness and pleasant density, beautiful mineral, delicately salty finish

Food Pairing

Thanks to its complex, mineral structure, this wine is a wonderful wine for contemplation, meditation and philosophizing and will bring joy for many years. We recommend a large white wine glass (Burgundy glass).

Winery

The Wagentristl winery in Burgenland, in the Leithaberg region, is a family-run business with a long tradition. Generations of the family combine traditional craftsmanship with modern techniques to produce high-quality wines full of character. The diversity of grape varieties and the special terroir of the Leithaberg are reflected in elegant and authentic wines that stand for quality and closeness to nature.