

Weißburgunder Ried Tatschler 2022

Leithaberg DAC, Riedenwein

Wine Description

The Ried Tatschler is a wind-protected basin site with a southeasterly orientation. The predominant crystalline primary rock with a light layer of limestone forms the basis for this powerful, spicy Weißburgunder (Pinot Blanc).

Tasting Notes

Light golden yellow, silver reflections. Distinctive nose, rich, ripe yellow pear fruit, quince, hazelnuts, salty minerality. Juicy, rich, delicate extract, robust, mineral texture, salty finish, a powerful Weißburgunder (Pinot Blanc) that skilfully hides its muscles behind the fine minerality.

Food Pairing

A versatile accompaniment to food, especially fish, seafood and white meat. But it also goes wonderfully with classic Viennese cuisine with traditional beef/veal dishes. Thanks to its complex, mineral structure, this wine will bring joy for many years. We recommend a large white wine glass (Burgundy glass).

Wine Type: still wine | white | dry

Alcohol: 13 % **Residual Sugar:** 1 g/l Acid: 5 g/l **Certificates:** vegan Allergens: sulfites **Drinking Temperature:** 10 - 12 °C **Aging Potential:** high **Optimum Drinking Year:** 2025 - 2032

Award

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Vineyard

Vineyard Site:





The Ried Tatschler, first mentioned in documents in 1570, is a sheltered basin east of Großhöflein. It is 12.8 hectares in size and faces southeast. The vines are exposed to the sun early in the morning, which causes the berries to dry quickly after rainfall or dew. This means that the grapes can remain on the vines for a long time in the autumn without being exposed to the risk of noble rot setting in too early. The steep, wooded slope above the Ried Tatschler brings cooler air masses into the vineyards in the evening hours, thus cooling them down and preserving a fruity acid structure in the wines. The vineyards in the Ried Tatschler extend from 203 to 238 meters above sea level and have slopes of up to 26 degrees. The crystalline primary rock that forms the core of the Leitha Mountains is exposed in the Ried Tatschler. The soil is of medium depth (23 percent clay) and has a light layer of lime (9 to 18 percent lime) and a good water supply. Together with a light layer of lime (9 to 18 percent lime), these conditions form the basis for spicy, powerful white wines.

Origin: Austria, Burgenland, Leithaberg, Grosshöflein

Quality grade: Leithaberg DAC
Site: Ried Tatschler

Normal Classification: Riedenwein Site Type: hillside

Varietal: Weißburgunder | 27 years

5200 liter/ha

Geografical Orientation: south east 203 - 238 m **Soil:** slate

lime loam

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.

Harvest and Maturing

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 9

Grape Sorting: manual **Malolactic Fermentation:** yes

Fermentation: spontaneous

Pre Clarification: yes | soft oak barrel | 500 L | used barrel

Skin Contact: 1 day(s)

Filter: filtered | coarse

Sulfur Added: yes

Maturing: oak barrel | 500 L | used barrel | 11 month(s)

Batonnage: yes

Time on the Full Yeast: 11 month(s)

Bottling: natural cork | Aug. 28, 2023 | 1254 x 0.75 l | Lot Number: L

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Product Codes

 Prüfnummer:
 N19823/23

 EAN:
 9120041300561

 EAN / carton 6:
 9120041300578

Winerv

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.