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2023 MARCOBRUNN Riesling trocken VDP.GROSSES GEWÄCHS

98 P

Very flinty, herbal and radical, this is a wine you'll either love or push away in preference for something more charming. Monumental power at the compact core, which is enormously structured for just under 13% alcohol. Then comes the extremely powerful and dark finish that just won't let go. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink from release.



2023 SCHÖNHELL Riesling trocken VDP.GROSSES GEWÄCHS

98 P

Extremely cool and delicate with a wealth of dried herb and candied citrus peel aromas, this very sophisticated dry riesling combines a sleek and compact medium-bodied palate with tremendous freshness and precision. The yellow fruit aromas expand steadily as the wine aerates in the glass, then at the finish the wild berry and slate notes twirl themselves around your tongue in the most extraordinary manner. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink from release.



2023 JUNGFER Riesling trocken VDP.GROSSES GEWÄCHS 98 P

If you ever doubted that wine could taste minerally, then here is hardcore minerality that should convince the most skeptical wine drinker. As straight as a laser beam extending out toward infinity. The almost supernatural vibrancy is so dominant that I have to force myself to consider matters such as concentration and balance, but they are far above any norm, even for the GG category. From an east-facing site with very poor quartz soil. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink from release.



2023 NUSSBRUNNEN Riesling trocken VDP.GROSSES GEWÄCHS

96 P

At once succulent and gentle, yet also highly structured and very elegant. Delicate apricot and peach aromas with a lovely minty freshness. Glides gracefully over the palate in spite of the racy acidity that drives the long, stony finish. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink from release.



2023 Hallgartener Frühernberg Riesling trocken VDP.ERSTE LAGE



This great dry riesling shows what makes Hallgarten a unique niche in the Rheingau. Fabulous aromas of ripe white and yellow peaches plus notes of citrus blossoms and jasmine are married to terrific concentration on the very focused and sleek, medium-bodied palate. Extremely long wet-stone finish that tingles on your tongue. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold.



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2023 Hallgartener Hendelberg Riesling trocken VDP.ERSTE LAGE

The deep nose of wild herbs and flint pulls you inexorably into this incredibly focused and fundamentally minerally dry riesling that also has great mountain freshness. So much power and drive is packed into the medium-bodied palate, as if extra physical dimensions were somehow hidden inside the wine. Gigantically energetic wet stone finish. From biodynamically grown grapes. Wild-fermented. Drink or hold.



2023 JUNGFER Riesling Kabinett VDP.GROSSE LAGE

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This flashing diamond of a riesling Kabinett is a prototypical example of this modern German wine style that combines fabulous freshness and purity of flavor with a brilliant slatey minerality that must be tasted to be believed. There's also an abundance of red apple, wildflower and garden herb aromas. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold. Screw cap.



2023 JUNGFER Riesling Spätlese VDP.GROSSE LAGE

95 P

Welcome to mangosteen heaven. So succulent and creamy on the medium-bodied palate. It's also incredibly bright and pure with a slatey freshness that drives the very long, juicy finish off toward the horizon. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold.



2023 Hallgartener Riesling trocken VDP.Ortswein

94 P

Usually village wines are all there from release, but this sleek and precisely contoured, mediumbodied dry riesling has an exciting touch of youthful funk at first. As this blows off, the white peach and garden herb aromas expand dramatically. Then comes the stunningly long wet-stone finish. This has fantastic balance and elegance. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold. Screw cap.



2023 Riesling feinherb "vom bunten Schiefer" VDP.Gutswein 93 P

For an entry-level dry riesling this is joyful and deep all at once. Terrific red apple and white peach fruit. Super-crisp but also wonderfully juicy, this has a primal freshness that's a beauty to behold. Very long, delicate, slatey finish. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold. Screw cap.



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2023 Riesling trocken VDP.Gutswein 92 P

For an entry-level dry Rheingau wine this has remarkable fruit—all the colors of the apple, plus white peaches—and wonderful tension on the barely medium-bodied palate. Long, very straight and clean finish with pronounced wet stone minerality. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold. Screw cap.

Only available at the Rheingau VDP.auction:



2023 JUNGFER Riesling Kabinett Goldkapsel VDP.GROSSE LAGE



The exotic fruit aromas explode from the glass of this extraordinary riesling Kabinett. So concentrated and succulent yet so fresh, with an energy that knocks you back in your chair. Perfect balance and such precision. How could you reject it just because there's some natural sweetness accentuating all of its natural beauty? Great aging potential. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drink or hold.



2023 Le Cœur Riesling trocken VDP.AUKTIONS RÉSERVE



Incredible concentration and racy energy combine to give a wine with enormous charisma and finesse. So focused and precise, even though the white tree fruit aromas are only just beginning to open up. Fantastic brilliance in the extremely long and refined finish that is dangerously fresh. From the steep and stony, high-altitude Hendelberg site. From biodynamically grown grapes. Drinkable now, but best from 2026.



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