

Schätzel Riesling Qba

COUNTRY	REGION	GRAPE	VINTAGE
Germany	Rheinhessen	100% Riesling	2020

ABOUT THE DOMAINE

The Schätzel family has been producing wine since 1350, making them the oldest winemaking family in the Rheinhessen. The red slate of the vineyards around Nierstein, where the estate is based, spans six hectares, of which the majority is Riesling. In 2008, when Kai Schätzel took over his family's estate, he transformed it to organic and biodynamic farming and reintroduced traditional winemaking methods. He has developed a reputation for his unique style which involves less alcohol, less exuberant fruit, more minerality and a more cutting and distinctive flavour profile. Both his dry and sweet wines have gained distinction as of late. In 2016, he was included into the prestigious VDP, his single vineyards were certified Grosses Gewächs, and his 2013 ReinSchiefer Riesling was awarded top honours by the Drinks Business Magazine.

WINEMAKING

Harvest done by hand. Alcoholic fermentation in stainless steel tanks. Biodynamic and organic.

TASTING NOTES

Dry (trocken) style. Vibrant and fresh with a hint of wet stone and lemon flowers with passion fruit. A perfect wine to pair with goats cheese or fresh seafood.



Alcohol by volume 11%

Vegan

