

Winery Emmerich KNOLL

WINE

Wine name/ Variety	Riesling Kellerberg
Style	Smaragd
Viticulturist	Knoll family
Location	Wachau/ Dürnstein
Elevation/ Altitude	250 - 350 m
Exposition	South – south east/ stone terraced vineyards
Soil type	Gneiss based primary rock with some Löss components
Vineyard's style	coolest climate, very mineralic wines, fruity: peach and white fruit
Methods of training	modified Moser Training System
Density of planting	4'500 – 5'500 per hectare / 1.80 – 2.40m row spacing
Average vine age of this vineyard	10 to 18 years, average: 15 years
Yield restriction	the yield for our wines is set depending on growing conditions and variety and varies every year, legally max 9'000 kg/ ha
Harvesting	by hand rarely green harvest
Selective harvest/ sorting tables	yes / no sorting tables

VINIFICATION

Destemming, whole bunch, carbonic maceration, press type	no destemming, skin contact, no carbonic maceration, pneumatic press
Yeast	cultured and natural yeast
Fermentation vessel – size & material	cask and stainless steel tank from 500 to 4'000 litres depending on batch quantity
Fermentation – length & temperature	10 - 20 days, 23 - 26 degrees
Malolactic – when & where	no

ELEVAGE/ MATURATION

Lees ageing & batonnage 6 - 8 months, no bâtonnage

Racking – how often twice

BLENDING

no blending / single vineyard wines

FINISHING

Clarification/ Filtration Filtration

Any bottle ageing before release 1 month / release in September

Closure natural cork

VINTAGE 2009

Analytics Alcohol 13%
Acidity 6,8 g/l
Sugar 2,8 g/l

Production 5'200 bottles

Tasting note peel of tangerine and orange, delicate yellow tropic fruits, blossom honey, elegant and balanced. Sweet extracts, fine lemon ideas, stays good on the palate, mineralic finish