

Winery Emmerich KNOLL

WINE

Wine name/ Variety	Riesling Loibenberg
Style	Federspiel
Viticulturist	Knoll family
Location	Wachau/ Unter-Loiben
Elevation/ Altitude	280 - 380 m
Exposition	South
Soil type	Gneiss based primary rock soil
Vineyard's style	warmest climate, creamy, intense, round and yellow wines, sometimes flavour of tobacco
Methods of training	modified Moser Training System
Density of planting	5'000 – 6'500 per hectare / 1.40 – 1.80m row spacing
Average vine age of this vineyard	8 to 45 years, average: 25 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	cultured and natural yeast
Fermentation vessel – size & material	cask and stainless steel tank from 500 to 5'000 litres depending on batch quantity
Fermentation – length & temperature	5- 10 days, 20 -22 degrees
Malolactic – when & where	no

ELEVAGE/ MATURATION

Lees ageing & batonnage 3 months, no bâtonnage

Racking – how often twice

BLENDING

no blending / single vineyard wines

FINISHING

Clarification/ Filtration filtration

Any bottle ageing before release 1 month

Closure natural cork

VINTAGE 2012

Analytics Alcohol 12,5%
Acidity 5,7 g/l
Sugar 1,1 g/l

Falstaff 2013 91 points