



THE GERMAN  
WINE COLLECTION

Winery	Mönchhof
Winery Location	Ürzig
Wine Maker	Philippe Conzen
Owner	Veingüter M & C Management GmbH
Wine Name	Mönchhof Mosel Slate Riesling Spätlese
Vintage	2021
Prädikat:	Spätlese
VDP Classification:	-
Region	Mosel
Sub Region	Erden
Appellation	Treppchen
Soil Type:	blue slate soil with iron deposits
Total Production:	8000 BTL
Ratings:	-
SKU	2108060423
UPC	767946101023
Varietal(s) with %	Riesling 100%
Alcohol ABV	8.00%
Öechsle:	88
Residual Sugar g / L:	65
Acidity g / L:	8.5
Style	Spätlese / fruity
Gluteen Free, Vegan	no
Organic, Biodynamic	no
Winemaking details	

Hand harvested in the second week of October, second selective picking run, less than 5% botrytis, immediate pressing, 50% of must fermented with indigenous yeast, other 50% of must fermented with added yeasts, all in stainless steel tanks, 3 months on lees, bottled in May 2022.

Closure:	Stelvin Screw
Bottle in ml	750
Bottle in gram	1250
Bottle height & diameter:	33 cm / 7 cm
Packing per Case	12
Case Dimensions	32x24x33.4 L x W x H (cm)
Case Weight in gram	15 000
Cases per Pallet	56 (4 x 14)

### About the Winery

The Mönchhof estate is mentioned first as belonging of the Cistercian abbey of Himmerod in the Eifel in 1177. 1804, after the Secularisation under Napoleon the Eymael family bought the estate on an auction in Paris from the French state. The Mönchhofs top-sites Ürziger Würzgarten, Erdener Prälät, and Erdener Treppchen are planted to 100% Riesling with mostly original European rootstocks. Many of the wines are up to 120 years-old producing some of the finest berries.

### Vintage Notes

Even though 2021 was a wet and cold year our excellent vineyards in the Ürziger Würzgarten, Erdener Treppchen and Erdener Prälät have given us ripe, healthy grapes. Also the acid values in our locations were not as high as in other locations of the Mosel. The great strength of the steep slope vineyards is to capture enough heat and sunlight for the vines even in cool years. That is why Würzgarten, Treppchen and Prälät have been considered Grand Crus of the Mosel for centuries.

### Tasting Notes

Pristine fruit aromas of pear, ripe apples with subtle notes of crushed slate and flintiness. Sleek and elegant on the palate. Fruity flavours of honey, pear and green apple supported by a limey acidity.

### Vineyard Notes

Erdener Treppchen, blue slate soil with iron deposits, 30-50 year old vines

### Pairing Notes

Try it with spicy BBQ or Asian cuisine, or pair with your favourite cheeses.

