



THE GERMAN
WINE COLLECTION

About the Winery

Weingüter Wegeler is a family-run business founded in 1882. The fourth generation of the Wegeler family continues the long tradition, supported by Ralf Frenzel as speaker of the owner families. All operations are run by managing director Richard Grosche. Weingüter Wegeler has two winery sites on the Rhine and Mosel rivers, all of which focus on Riesling. In 2007, the addition of the 5-hectare Krone estate at Assmannshausen contributed a small but fine share of Pinot Noir to the line-up.

Vintage Notes

After a grand finale to a very labor-intensive and turbulent wine year, German wine producers are very satisfied with the qualities brought in. According to the German Wine Institute, thanks to a perfect late summer, well-matured and very healthy grapes were harvested throughout Germany.

Tasting Notes

In the glass, the wine appears bright silver-yellow and brilliant. Fruity on the nose, with notes of young stone and pome fruit. The scent of yellow fruits, apple, peach, apricot and nectarine. During tasting, the citrus aromas come into their own with their striking acidity. The whole young strength of the wine is firmly on the palate. The focus is on the harmony between fruit sweetness, acidity and extract.

Vineyard Notes

Up to 15 different Erste Gewächs vineyards from the middle and lower Rheingau are combined in a vintage cuvée from the privy councilor "J". According to the principle of the first wines of Bordeaux, the first privy councilor "J" was vinified with the 1983 vintage. The internal quality requirements for this wine are still above the standard for first growths. Secret Council "J" is only vinified in good to excellent years. In rather weak vintages, such as 1984, 1987 and 1991, no privy councilor "J" wine was made.

Pairing Notes

Turbot and Chorizo on Tomato-Lime-Salsa

Winery	Weingüter Geheimrat J. Wegeler GmbH & Co. KG
Winery Location	Friedensplatz 9, 65375 Oestrich-Winkel
Wine Maker	Michael Burgdorf
Owner	Ralf Frenzel as speaker of the owner families
Wine Name	Geheimrat J Spätlese trocken
Vintage	2016
Prädikat:	Spätlese
VDP Classification:	VDP.Gutswein
Region	Rheingau
Sub Region	Johannisberg Area
Appellation	Rheingau
Soil Type:	Loess soils of the central Rheingau
Total Production:	
Ratings:	Robert Parker 96 Points
SKU	1626060413
UPC	756029464568
Varietal(s) with %	Riesling 100%
Alcohol ABV	12.50%
Öechsle:	91
Residual Sugar g / L:	9,3 g/l
Acidity g / L:	7,6g/l
Style	
Gluten Free, Vegan	No
Organic, Biodynamic	No
Winemaking details	
<p>Predominantly vinified in stainless steel for about eight to nine months, the assemblage is made in late spring.</p>	
Closure:	Cork
Bottle in ml	750ml
Bottle in gram	1510g
Bottle height & diameter:	370 x 76 mm
Packing per Case	6 bottles per Case
Case Dimensions	380x230x180 mm
Case Weight in gram	9600
Cases per Pallet	60

