

ANSGAR CLÜSSERATH

MOSEL WEINGUT

TASTING NOTES 2018 STEINREICH Riesling dry

AC1804

THE WINE

The majority of the fruit for this wine comes from the Trittenheimer APOTHEKE. The vineyard's top layer of soil is a distinctive mix of blue and weathered slate, all above an equally stony subsoil. As a result, this wine typically expresses an intense and spicy minerality laced with a delicate salinity. It's refreshing, playful agility and marked minerality are balanced by fruity citrus aromas of pineapples and grapefruit. Structured and focused, the wine offers a complex body with clear acidity and a long, intense finish.

VINIFICATION

As befits a premium wine, the grapes are always hand harvested and gently pressed. The must is then fermented using native yeasts in traditional Mosel fuder barrels and left on the lees until May.

PRESS REVIEWS

James Suckling - **92 Points**: „[...] This elegant dry riesling, with just 11% alcohol and pronounced slate character, is just the thing. The long, mineral finish pulls you back for more [...].“

Robert Parker Wine Advocate - **89 Points**: „The 2018 Riesling Steinreich opens with a pure, fresh, precise and flinty/oily slate aroma. Intense and juicy on the palate, with fine tannins [...].“

ALCOHOL 11,0 %

GRAPE VARIETY: RIESLING

