

## Carl Graff Riesling QBA 2023


### Producer


Carl Graff is one of the main brands from Valckenberg and presents Riesling wines from famous vineyard sites of the Mosel region, like Graacher Himmelreich


### Vintage report

The 2023 wine year will go down in history as one of the fastest harvests on record. Capricious weather brought extreme drought, which was followed by weeks of heavy rainfall that culminated in an extremely warm late summer. With September temperatures of up to 30 degrees, the grapes were collected in the cool night and morning hours so that the must did not end up overheated in the vats. The main challenge of the year was to bring in healthy grapes. In many places, diligent pre-selection was done in the vineyards, which on the one hand reduced the quantities, but on the other hand also ensured a good to exceptional quality overall. The first young wines of 2023 are already very fruit-driven, pleasantly lean, and with a fine acidity.

### Characteristics

 yellow stone fruits

 perfect balance of fruit and acidity

 fish, seafood, spicy cuisine

### Facts

Grape Variety	Riesling
Terroir	Slate soil, collective vineyard site Mosel.
Appellation	Mosel
Vinifikation	This wine is made exclusively from 100 % Riesling from the steep vineyards of the Mosel

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
10.5 %vol	36 g/l	6.9 g/l



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