



PRINZ VON HESSEN

Name	PRINZ VON HESSEN Rosé VDP.Gutswein feinherb
Vintage	2017
Facts	Variety
	Taste Off-dry
	Quality Qualitätswein
	Alcohol 11 % by vol.
	Acidity 6,2 g/l
	Residual Sugar 14,5 g/l
	Serving Temperature 8 °C bis 10 °C
	Country of Origin Germany
	Winegrowing Region Rheingau
	Art. No. 1713
	EAN Bottle 4014984015130
	EAN Carton 4014984615132



Tasting Notes

Pale salmon pink shimmering in the glass. Exhilarating, fruity burgundy bouquet, rich in subtle aromas. This Rosé is lively and fresh underlined by a refined crispness.

Vintage 2017

2017 was a year full of challenges. Mid-April brought on several days of late frost leading to the first damages in our vineyards. At the beginning of August a devastating storm ravaged vineyards throughout the area. Strong winds tore branches from the vines. Hail knocked many bunches of grapes completely off and the remaining bruised ones were subject to rot. We were forced to begin the harvest much earlier than we would have liked. Thanks to our well-trained harvesting staff and strict selection of the grapes, we were able to bring in a small yield but one of superb quality.

Vinification

After harvesting and destemming, the grapes were crushed and macerated for 4 to 6 hours. This brief skin contact gives the wine its delicate pink color.

Prinz von Hessen

The wine estate, located in the town of Johannisberg in the small German wine-growing region of the Rheingau, is one of the most significant Riesling producers in Germany. International and domestic recognition reflects the excellence in quality of the wines and sparkling wines. Prinz von Hessen's Riesling grapes flourish in some of the best vineyard sites the Rheingau has to offer, amongst them Klaus in the town of Johannisberg, and Hasensprung and Jesuitengarten in Winkel. 95% of the cultivation is devoted to the Riesling grape.