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Discover the outstanding DAC wines with guaranteed origin from Styria – where hand harvesting is mandatory and steep-slope viticulture predominates. The winegrowers of Styria look forward to your visit.

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Wine from Steiermark

Steiermark, as the most mountainous wine-growing region in Austria, with its Illyrian climate offers optimal conditions for fragrant, juicy wines.

In addition to excellent wines, there are many more reasons to visit the Green Heart of Austria, in the south: the green, lush landscape, winegrowers who warmly welcome their guests in their family-run wineries and Buschenschanken, the Klapotetz and much more.

THE TERROIR OF STEIERMARK is SINGULAR: The unique interplay of climate, soils, vineyards and characteristics of the area allows the winemakers to press distinctive wines with their own unique character.

Wine from Steiermark is fruity, diverse and dry on all three levels:



Wein Steiermark

Wein Steiermark is the ambassador for wines of Steiermark at home and abroad and supports winemakers from Steiermark.

Wein Steiermark stands for variation, conviviality and capability. With communication and sales promotion measures, it pursues the goal of increasing the recognition of wine from Steiermark and Styrian wineries at home and abroad.

The association currently has around 460 members.

Steiermark

Origin with character

Did you know that more than half of the vineyards in Steiermark are mountain vineyards with extreme slopes of up to 90 percent? And did you know that hand-picking is mandatory in the DAC regions of Südsteiermark, Vulkanland Steiermark and Weststeiermark?

**Wine from the hills.
With hand and heart.**

The work in the steep vineyards is extremely demanding because most of the work can only be done by hand. Here, viticulture is carried out with a pure passion for producing distinctive wines with a special character of origin. It is the manual work of winegrowers who work sustainably and take responsibility for their landscape that guarantees the quality of the wines. The terroir of Steiermark is unique: the unique interplay of climate, soils, single vineyards and characteristics of the region enables winegrowers to produce unmistakable wines with an individual character. The DAC origin system Styria stands for „wine with protected origin“.

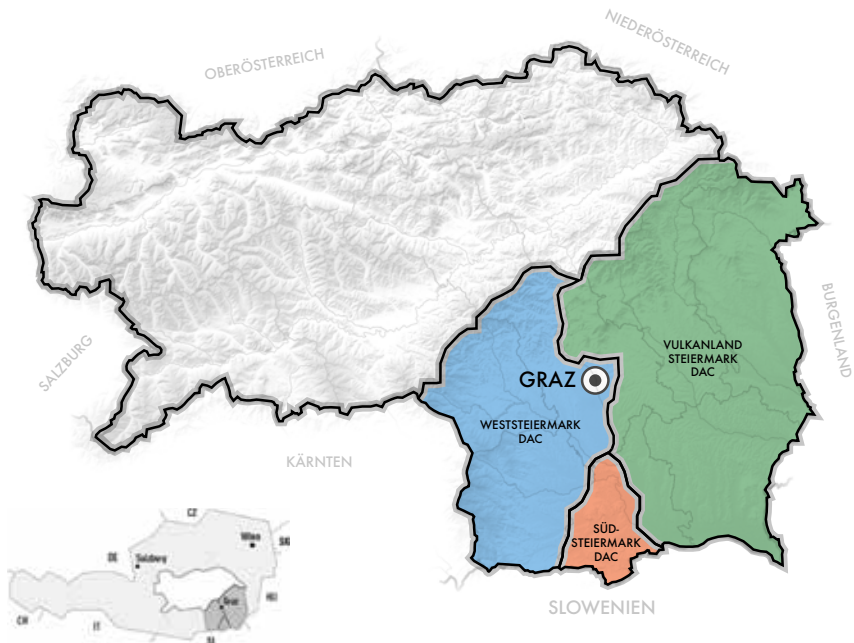
UNMISTAKABLE WINES

With its beautiful, delicate hilly landscape, Steiermark is a veritable treasure trove of exciting wines, which form the base for the three categories in the DAC system depending on their maturity and style.

SAUVIGNON BLANC

On the steep hills of Steiermark in the heart of Europe, Sauvignon Blanc finds ideal conditions. The Steiermark climate, soil and sites suit the grape variety very well, which is why Sauvignon Blanc has become increasingly important in recent years.

Steiermark is located in southeastern Austria near the Slovenian border. According to the 2020 wine register, Styrian winegrowers cultivate 5,096 hectares of vineyards, around 11% of the total area in Austria, and produced a total of 190,663 hectoliters of wine in 2023 according to Statistics Austria, accounting for around 9% of the Austrian wine harvest. There are about 1,900 wineries in the three wine growing areas Südsteiermark, Vulkanland Steiermark and Weststeiermark.



Over 80% of the vineyards in Steiermark are planted with the 9 varieties from the DAC system, consisting of Sauvignon Blanc, Welschriesling, Pinot Blanc, Gelber Muskateller, Chardonnay, which is known as Morillon in Steiermark, Pinot Gris, Traminer, Riesling and Schilcher. Sauvignon Blanc, the flagship variety and winner of numerous international wine awards, is the leading variety in all three DAC regions and also leads the grape variety rankings in terms of area with around 900 hectares.

Most grown grape varieties:

1. Sauvignon Blanc: 902 ha (17,7 %)
2. Welschriesling: 800 ha (15,7 %)
3. Weißburgunder: 698 ha (13,7 %)

- Weststeiermark DAC: 667 ha
- Südsteiermark DAC: 2,785 ha
- Vulkanland Steiermark DAC: 1,644 ha

The DAC pyramid shows the wine classifications in levels, starting at the base with Gebietsweine (regional wines) through to the Ortsweine (village wines) and Riedenweine (single vineyard wines).



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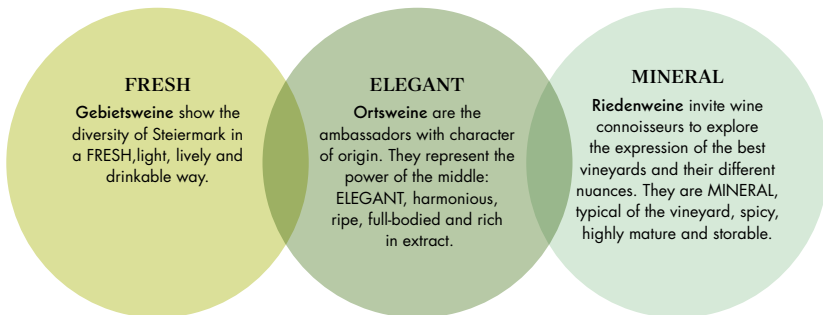




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THE DAC-VARIETIES

9 traditional grape varieties and their blends are permitted in the DAC system: Pinot Blanc, Pinot Gris, Morillon (Chardonnay), Sauvignon Blanc, Gelber Muskateller, Riesling, Welschriesling, Traminer and Blauer Wildbacher (Weststeiermark only).

BUSCHENSCHANK, KLAPOTZETZ AND THE HOSPITALITY OF THE STYRIANS

Countless wine festivals and wine routes with traditional and modern wine taverns invite you to linger and enjoy their culinary delights. Buying wine directly from the estate is possible all year, the Klapotetz, and the hospitality of the winegrowers guarantee pure wine enjoyment.

More information
on wines from Steiermark,
as well as winegrower and
Buschenschank searches
and events on



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Flight 1

1 Weingut Assigal

Origin/Local Wine	Südsteiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	"Alte Reben" Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Welschriesling
Vintage	2023
AL: 12.5 RS: 2.0 AC: 5.4	



2 Weingut Gross

Origin/Local Wine	Österreich (Steierland)
Vineyard/Brand/Style	"PRO." Landwein
Grape Variety	Welschriesling
Vintage	2023
AL: 12.0 RS: 1.1 AC: 5.5	



Flight 2

1 Weingut - Buschenschank Repolusk

Origin/Local Wine	Südsteiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Ried Oberglanz Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Gelber Muskateller
Vintage	2023
AL: 12.5 RS: 2.6 AC: 4.9	



2 Weingut Sternat Lenz

Origin/Local Wine	Österreich (Steierland)
Vineyard/Brand/Style	"vom Opok" Landwein
Grape Variety	Gelber Muskateller
Vintage	2024
AL: 10.5 RS: 0.4 AC: 5.5	



Flight 3

1 Weingut Neumeister

Origin/Local Wine Vulkanland Steiermark DAC / Straden

Vineyard/Brand/Style Qualitätswein

Grape Variety Sauvignon Blanc

Vintage 2025

AL: 12.5 RS: 3.8 AC: 6.3



2 Weingut Erwin Sabathi

Origin/Local Wine Südsteiermark DAC / Leutschach

Vineyard/Brand/Style Qualitätswein

Grape Variety Sauvignon Blanc

Vintage 2024

AL: 12.5 RS: 1.1 AC: 4.8



Flight 4

1 Weingut Wohlmuth

Origin/Local Wine Südsteiermark DAC / Kitzeck-Sausal

Vineyard/Brand/Style "Spätfüllung" Qualitätswein

Grape Variety Sauvignon Blanc

Vintage 2022

AL: 12.5 RS: 1.1 AC: 6.3



2 Weingut Potzinger

Origin/Local Wine Südsteiermark DAC

Vineyard/Brand/Style Ried Steinriegel (Kitzeck) Qualitätswein

Grape Variety Sauvignon Blanc

Vintage 2024

AL: 13.0 RS: 2.1 AC: 4.5



Flight 5

1 Familienweingut Tement

Origin/Local Wine	Südsteiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Ried Grassnitzberg Riff "1STK" Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Sauvignon Blanc
Vintage	2021
AL: 13.5 RS: 2.1 AC: 6.7	



2 Familienweingut Sattlerhof

Origin/Local Wine	Südsteiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Ried Sernauberg Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Sauvignon Blanc
Vintage	2021
AL: 13.5 RS: 1.1 AC: 6.6	



Flight 6

1 Weingut Gross

Origin/Local Wine	Südsteiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Ried Nussberg (Ehrenhausen) "Große STK Ried" Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Sauvignon Blanc
Vintage	2021
AL: 14.0 RS: 1.1 AC: 7.0	



2 Weingut Frauwallner Straden

Origin/Local Wine	Vulkanland Steiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Ried Stradener Rosenberg Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Sauvignon Blanc
Vintage	2021
AL: 13.0 RS: 1.1 AC: 6.2	



Flight 7

1 Weingut Pfeifer Daniel - ERUPTION

Origin/Local Wine	Vulkanland Steiermark DAC / St. Anna
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Weißburgunder
Vintage	2023
AL: 12.5 RS: 2.0 AC: 6.1	



2 Weingut Trummer

Origin/Local Wine	Südsteiermark DAC
Vineyard/Brand/Style	Ried Obegg Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Chardonnay
Vintage	2022
AL: 12.5 RS: 1.5 AC: 6.2	



Flight 8

1 Weingut Kollerhof am Eichberg

Origin/Local Wine	Steiermark
Vineyard/Brand/Style	"Bahnbrechend" Qualitätswein
Grape Variety	Souvignier Gris
Vintage	2022
AL: 13.1 RS: 3.9 AC: 5.7	
Price	€€



2 Weingut Michi Lorenz

Origin/Local Wine	Österreich (Steierland)
Vineyard/Brand/Style	"Aura" Landwein
Grape Variety	Sauvignon Blanc

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Ortswein districts of the
Südsteiermark



Zeichenerklärung Key to symbols

Ortsweingrenzen
Ortswein demarcations

Vulkangestein
Volcanic rock

Schiefergestein
Schist

Kalkstein
Limestone

Opok
Opok

Schotter
Gravel

Sand/Sandstein
Sand/sandstone



ORTSWEIN-GEBIETE

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Ortswein districts of the
Weststeiermark



Zeichenerklärung Key to symbols

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Ortswein demarcations

Vulkangestein
Volcanic rock

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Important words from Steiermark

Steirisches Backhendl

(engl. Styrian fried chicken)

It can be found in almost every restaurant in the area and is typically enjoyed with a green salad with pumpkin seed oil and a glass of wine from Steiermark.

Buschenschank

This is a wine tavern where wine from the winery is sold and can be enjoyed with cold food. Plenty of wine from Steiermark is sold directly at the Buschenschank.

Erzherzog Johann

Archduke John was part of the famous Habsburg family and responsible for Steiermark wine region. He not only established a grape vine research center, but is also said to have brought new varieties to the area, Sauvignon Blanc among others.

Klapotetz

Originally built to scare away birds in order to protect the grapes, today it also is an important part of the landscape in Steiermark.

Steirisches Kürbiskernöl

(engl. Pumpkin seed oil)

It is made from a special pumpkin variety, that is mainly grown in Steiermark. The oil is dark green with a nutty aroma and can be enjoyed with salad, eggs or vanilla ice cream. Pumpkin seed oil from Steiermark even is a protected designated origin in the European Union.

Schilcher

Schilcher is a particular dark rosé from Weststeiermark, made from the indigenous grape variety Blauer Wildbacher. It typically is fresh, fruity and has aromas of red currant and citrus.

Find out more about Steiermark:
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