



## ROBERT WEIL 2020 Kiedricher Riesling Trocken

**A lively and invigorating dry Riesling from vineyards in Kiedrich, hometown of the Rheingau's most highly acclaimed estate.**

This village wine (official German designation: "VDP.Ortswein") is produced from parcels of younger vines in the Robert Weil estate's three hillside sites in the village of Kiedrich. It is lively and effusive, with balanced acidity and a stately Baroque body. Charming stone fruit aromas and citrus flavors are woven into a refined minerality giving it the versatility to accompany a wide variety of cuisine.

### THE ROBERT WEIL ESTATE

Founded in 1875, Weingut Robert Weil is one of the finest producers in the Rheingau region. Wilhelm Weil, the great-grandson of the estate's founder, carries on the uncompromising, quality-oriented vineyard and cellar practices that have been the hallmark of this elite estate for four generations. The Rheingau is a small section of the Rhine River valley, near the city of Mainz. Notable for steep, south-facing slopes in a protected valley along a climate-moderating river, this legendary wine region has the ideal conditions for growing ripe, full-bodied Riesling.

### THE 2020 VINTAGE

While the 2020 growing season wasn't as obviously hot as some recent years, it nevertheless goes into the record books as the warmest overall since records have been kept. The ability of our vines to develop at all throughout the extremely dry summer can be directly attributed to the water banked during the rainy winter months. The high quality of the fruit, which showed perfect health and physiological ripeness, came thanks to the very warm, sunny and dry September weather, including the cool nights necessary for optimal aroma formation. There wasn't much botrytis for the nobly sweet wines, but we were able to harvest small quantities of highly concentrated BA and TBA.

### [93] James Suckling

*"Plenty of mineral depth. Delicate white-fruit aromas with some yellow-peach and floral notes. Long and precise, dry finish."*

— Stuart Pigott, August 2021

### [92] Wine Advocate

*A precise and intensely aromatic, finely flinty and coolish bouquet of perfectly ripe stone fruits intertwined with finely stony, floral and herbal notes.*

— Stephan Reinhardt, Sept. 2021

### TECHNICAL INFO

**Vineyard Sources:** Kiedrich Gräfenberg, Klosterberg and Turmberg

**Alcohol:** 12.5%

**Residual Sweetness:** 7.3 grams/liter

**Total Acidity:** 7.7 grams/liter

**Total Production:** 10,000 cases

**UPC:** 810404020371

### NUTRITION INFO

**Calories:** 110 per serving (5 oz.)

**Carbohydrate & Sugar:** 1.1 grams per serving

**Fat & Cholesterol:** None

**Sustainably Grown**

**Pesticide & Herbicide Free**

**GMO Free**

**Gluten Free**

**Vegan**

THIS RIESLING IS:

