



2014 DR. L RIESLING



DR. LOOSEN ESTATE

The Dr. Loosen estate has been in the same family for over 200 years. When Ernst Loosen assumed ownership in 1988, he realized that he had vines in some of Germany's best-rated vineyards. To maximize the potential of those vines, he dramatically restricts crop size, uses only organic fertilization, insists on very strict fruit selection, and employs gentle cellar practices with a minimum of handling.

THE MOSEL REGION

Located in far western Germany, the Mosel valley's steep, southfacing slopes create the perfect climate for Riesling, giving the vines ideal exposure to the sun. The cool climate allows the grapes to ripen slowly while retaining bright acidity.

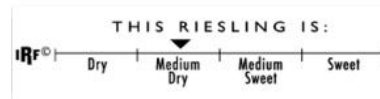
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This entry-level Loosen Bros. Riesling embodies the elegant and racy characteristics of steep, slate-soil Mosel vineyards at a very reasonable price. It is a bright, vibrant, fruit-driven wine made with grapes from contracted growers throughout the Mosel River valley who work very closely with brothers Ernst and Thomas Loosen to achieve excellent quality and superb concentration in every vintage.

We call it our "Welcome to the Mosel!" wine.

TECHNICAL INFO

- Grape variety: 100% Riesling
- Viticulture: Sustainable, according to strict German environmental regulations
- Vinification: Produced in 100% stainless steel; fermentation stopped by chilling
- Alcohol: 8.5%
- Residual sweetness: 40 grams/liter
- Total acidity: 8.5 grams/liter
- UPC: 18310300013



PRAISE FROM THE PRESS

[88] *Wine Enthusiast* — Best Buy —

"A dusting of pollen and saffron accentuates this bright, sunny Riesling full of peach and nectarine flavors. Off dry in style, it's juicy and thirst quenching, but thoroughly four-square in structure, bolstered by a foundation of fresh, revitalizing acidity." (April 2016)

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