



## DOMÄNE ROLAND CHAN:

Domäne Roland Chan is the realisation of a dream of Roland Müsch and his family in 2017 – the creation of a boutique winery featuring the dry wall terraces in the heart of the Wachau. The terraces are tilled manually with deep respect for nature. The wines are a pure expression of the cultural heritage landscape. Since 2019 member of the Vinea Wachau. Since 2024 certified Sustainable Austria.

## Blend and Terroir:

To Hell and Back is a new play on the old tradition of inter-planting different varieties in the same vineyard. The steep labyrinth of Ried Höll is a wonderful remnant of this tradition where at least 6 varieties can be found. The main varieties each bring an important element to this field blend: Gelber Muskateller for the aromatics, Zweigelt for the structure and Riesling for the freshness.

## Vintage Note 2022:

The 2022 wine-growing season was marked by unusually warm and dry weather. A mild winter and early spring provided optimal initial growth conditions, while a particularly hot summer accelerated ripening. However, timely rainfall in late summer prevented drought stress and supported the development of healthy, balanced grapes. This vintage has yielded wines with concentrated flavours, vibrant acidity, and good structure, and a more delicate structure than the 2021s.

## Harvest dates: 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021

## Winemaking notes

The Hoell batch pressed immediately to avoid any colour leeching from the Zweigelt. The Riesling harvested a week later from the first Bach batch. The first batch was kept cold and blended together with the second batch for fermentation. Fermentation finished three weeks later and was taken off the gross lees and kept 9 months on the fine lees. Unfiltered, unfined. Minimal use of sulphur.

## Tasting note

Salmon tinges and pretty red berry aromas, exotic notes and a little herbaceousness followed by crisp acidity. Light footed, but the structure is rather present. There is a zesty finish. A great food wine for pairing with exotic dish

To Hell and Back 2022  
Prüfnummer: N 16242/23  
Production: 1450 bottles

Alcohol:	11.5%
Dry extract:	20.1g/l
Residual Sugar:	1.3 g/l
Acidity:	5.2 g/l
Total SO <sub>2</sub> :	95 mg/l

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