



# PRINTHIE

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## Printhie Wines Tasting Notes

Wine Name	Printhie Topography Andesite
Vintage	2023
Varietal	Riesling 46%, Pinot Gris 28%, Gewurztraminer 26%
GI	Orange 100%
Vineyard(s)	Newbridge (950m ASL, 100%)
Key Characteristics	The three-way Riesling, Pinot Gris, Gewurztraminer is a traditional and much-loved blend in the Alsatian region of France and with good reason. These varieties of often interplanted within the same vineyard in Alsace and make lovely, aromatic wines that are both attractive in their youth but can gain greater complexity with bottle age.
Production Notes	The vineyard is managed by the Printhie team. Whilst the different varieties are not interplanted in the vineyard they are in separate blocks within the same vineyard area. The different varieties were all harvested on the same day. They were then crushed and pressed as a single batch. There was light fining, no acid adjustment and we racked lightly cloudy juice from the heaviest grape juice solids before fermentation. Ferment was mainly in tank but there were a couple of 500 litre French oak barrels used to provide some additional texture. The wine was bottled early to capture all the alluring aromatic freshness.
Tasting Notes	Water white colour and intensely aromatic. The Riesling provides citrus and an acid backbone. The Gewurztraminer bring floral, musky aromas and palate weight and the Pinot Gris provides some textural richness from being the ripest variety. Genuine fruit complexity. Alluring aromatics. Fine textural tannins elongate the palate flavour. A hint of natural residual sugar adds richness. Very more-ish.
Analysis	Alc – 12.3%, pH - 3.29, TA – 7.1g/L, RS – 4.6g/L

Cellaring	Very appealing young and fresh. However, this wine will evolve in the cellar for a good decade. The choice is yours.
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Bottling Date	July 2023
Release Date	July 2023