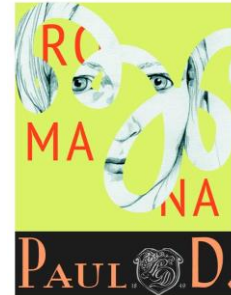


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## Paul Direder Romana Müller Thurgau

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**Winery:** Paul Direder  
**Category:** Wine – Still - White  
**Grape Variety:** Müller Thurgau  
**Region:** Wagram/Austria  
**Vineyard:** Hundsberg & Kirchenberg  
**Feature:** Sustainable  
**Winery established:** 2005



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## Product Information

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**Soil:** deep loess

**Age of vines:** 30-40 year old vines

**Vinification & Yield:** stainless steel fermented

**Tasting Note:** The color is clear, bright yellow with a hint of green. In the nose hints of fruit, fresh grass, floral and aromatic, elderflower, dried apricot. On the palate fresh, green pepper, elderflower, crisp, clean aromatic finish.

**Müller-Thurgau** is a white grape variety which was created by Hermann Müller from the Swiss Canton of Thurgau in 1882. It is a crossing of Riesling with Madeleine Royale. Also called Rivaner.

**Production:** very small quantity

**Alc:** 13%

**Residual Sugar:** 3.2g/l

**Acidity:** 6.2g/l

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## Producer Information

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At the age of 16, when Paul Direder was still a student and with the support of his mother, he leased his grandparent's farm. Since then he has managed the farm alone to much acclaim. Initially, the farm consisted only of 86 acres of agricultural land and 10 acres of vineyards. Paul expanded the farm by 5 times within the first 10 years! After only 2 years, he started exporting his wine to the United States. Meanwhile, Paul Direder graduated with a degree in viticulture and enology as well as agriculture. Paul pours passion and love into his wines, born in 1989 as one of eight grandchildren of the Direder family in Kirchberg am Wagram, he adopted from his grandfather's the passion for wine. Total annual production: 60,000 bottles.

**Wine Region Wagram:** The Wagram, a 25-mile long and 100-foot-high ridge between the towns of Krems and Tulln, consists of thousands of years old gravel sediments from the ancient Danube River. Layers of *loess* formed in the Ice Age cover the substrate of marine deposits and river gravels (the name *Wagram* comes from "Wogenrain" meaning "shore") and shape the landscape.