

Certificate

Within a certification audit the organization

Fürstlich Castell'sches Domäneamt e.K.

at the site

Schlossplatz 5, 97355 Castell

has proved that an integrated sustainability management system was established and is successfully applied in accordance with the requirements of



The EcoStep Wine 5.1 PLUS system meets the industry-standard core requirements for a management system for

- Quality
- Environment
- Occupational health and safety
- Food Safety
- German Sustainability Code - Criteria for viticulture

for the following activity

Winery with own grape production, winery and marketing

This certificate is valid from 2024-01-10 until 2027-01-09.

Berlin, 2024-01-10

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Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jan Uwe Lieback
Director

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Andreas Lemke
Head of Certification Office



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Information about the EcoStep Wine PLUS Certificate

EcoStep is an integrated, process-oriented management system for small and medium-sized enterprises. It meets the core requirements of the internationally recognised ISO standards for quality management, environmental management and occupational health and safety in companies.

Developed specially for the viticulture as an industry solution EcoStep Wine also considers the core requirements of food safety and industry-specific requirements such as HACCP (hygiene management in viticulture) and the requirement for traceability. This industry system was developed in cooperation with the Katalyse Institute and the Geisenheim University of Applied Sciences.

EcoStep is an integrated management system in the non-accredited sector. The verification of conformity regarding the core requirements laid down for EcoStep is carried out by an audit with appointed auditors from GUT Zertifizierungsgesellschaft für Managementsysteme mbH.

EcoStep is a practice-oriented alternative to the conventional ISO standards. Combined in one system, it uses the most important standard requirements of the following standards from an SME perspective:

DIN EN ISO 9001:2015 Quality management

DIN EN ISO 14001:2015 Environmental management

DIN ISO 45001:2018 Occupational health and safety

DIN EN ISO 22000:2018 Food Safety

German Sustainability Code - Criteria for viticulture

Through EcoStep, potentials for cost reduction are uncovered, controlling and indicator systems are implemented to support management and legal certainty is increased.

In this way, process orientation is promoted in companies and the basis for sustainable development is created by integrating the systems.



Andreas Lemke
Head of Certification Body