PABU COCKTAILS | パブのオリジナル

PONYO ketel one vodka, pamplemousse, lemon	13
TOKYO 75 bombay gin, sparkling wine, cherry blossom, yuzu	13
SUPER X tito's vodka, kina l'aero d'or, velvet falernum, lemon	14
SHISO codigo blanco, cucumber, lime, campari	16
LIP MY STOCKINGS! barsol pisco, lychee, lime, sel gris	13
YIN & YANG 2.0 aylesbury duck vodka, coconut, passion fruit, soy milk	13
WOMAN ON THE OTHER SHORE kinobi japanese gin, yuzu, citrus, togarashi bitters	18
HAIKU brugal rum, grapefruit, sudachi, maraschino, orgeat	15
CLASSIC LOLITA mars iwai whisky, okinawa sugar, bitters	15
1944 suntory toki, honey, ginger, single malt scotch	14
YAKUZA 7.0 kaiyo 7 year, earl grey, pear	19
EVENING TEA rittenhouse rye, genmaicha, ginger, angostura	15
LAST TRAIN HOME rittenhouse rye, montenegro, sherry	16

SAKE BY THE GLASS I CARAFE 日本酒 グラス | カラフェ 9ººº

JUNMAI 純米	GLASS	C A	RAFE
AIZU CHUSHOU FUKUSHIMA light, quince, white chocolate	13	•	27
KIKU MASAMUNE KOUJO KINKI floral, dried stonefruit, banana skin	14	•	29
GUNMA IZUMI CHOTOKU GUNMA structured, umami, earthy	17	•	35
HONJOZO 本醸造			
KATAFUNE TOKUBETSU NIIGATA round, umami, papaya	14	•	29
JUNMAI GINJO 純米吟醸			
KIRINZAN NIIGATA clean, fresh, structured	22	•	44
JOZEN PINK NIIGATA mineral, peach skin, savory	18	•	37
GINJO 吟醸			
MATSUNO KOTOBUKI TOCHIGI cucumber, eucalyptus, clean finish	14	•	29
JUNMAI DAIGINJO 純米大吟醸			
TSUJIZENBEI TOBINGAKOI TOCHIGI complex, juicy plum, racy acidity	29	•	59
NIGORI, JUNMAI にごり			
DAKU NIIGATA dry, light whipping cream	17	•	35
YUZU-SHU 3ºº			
IINUMAHONKE KINOENE YUAGARI CHIBA fresh, yuzu citrus, lemoncello-like	13	•	38
HOT SAKE BY THE CARAFE お燗			
HAKKAISAN HONJOZO NIIGATA soft, fresh, honey, serve jo-kan (40-45°C)			32
SAWAHIME TOKUBETSU TOCHIGI lighter-bodied, stone fruits, serve jo-kan (45-50°C)			32

EXTREMELY LIMITED. RARE OR COMPETITION SAKE

JUNMAL DAIGINJO

BORN YUME WA MASAYUME 1000ML

FUKUI

35% 635

kiwi, pineapple, strawberry, melon

Aged for a full five years at -5 degrees Celsius. An intense, resonating, beautiful production. Born sake is among the best sakes produced anywhere in Japan. It is made by the famous Katoukichibee Shouten brewery at Sabae in the Fukui prefecture; established in 1860. The brewery uses only traditional methods, highly polished yamada nishiki and gohyakumangoku rice grains and a home-cultured yeast.

DASSAI BEYOND YAMAGUCHI 18% 1295

layered, supremely elegant, polished

The entirety of this production is classified with unpublished details. The concept behind this sake is "To make something Beyond the limit of 23%". For the past 4 years Dassai went through 8 tanks until the last brought them to a breakthrough. They use similar specifications o their already famous Dassai 23%, however "Beyond".

KIKUSUI KURAMITSU NIIGATA 23% 449

white peaches, stonefruit, honeysuckle

This very special sake uses only the highest quality Uonumasan Koshi Hikari rice and carefully milled down to an astounding 23% of the original grain size with a slightly sweet style. Founded in 1881, the snow melt water from Niigata provides a lush, smooth, supple experience.

NANBU BIJIN 10 YEAR IWATE 35% 1695

apple, peach, melon, smooth

This extremely rare and limited brew is not available for purchase in Japan by traditional channels, and when it runs out it will never be produced again; After brewing, the sake mash is not pressed but rather is allowed to drip gently away from the lees by the power of gravity alone - a technique used almost exclusively in competition-level sake. The sake is then aged in small batches for a full 10 years in exceedingly cold temperatures

TATENKOKAWA 18 YAMAGATA 18% 395

cantelope, lychee, pear

Tatenokawa 18 pushes the boundaries of sake production. By using Yamadanishiki rice and polishing to a lofty 18%, the team press this sake using a 'fune' – a device that delicately & carefully presses simply under the weight of gravity – and then they select only the best 3rd of the pressed brew, the middle third cut known as "nakadori".

TENTAKA SILENT STREAM TOCHIGI 35% 345

nectarine, lychee, spice, thyme

Out of the 24 grades of Yamada Nishiki rice, this sake is made from the very highest (Toku A Tokujo-Mai) and then made in the non-pressed, free run juice "shizuku" style; resulting in extreme purity.

JUNMAI DAIGINJO | 純米大吟醸

AIZU CHUSHOU FUKUSHIMA melon, plum, minerality	265
DASSAI 39 YAMAGUCHI strawberry, stonefruit, viscous	134
GASANRYU GOKUGETSU YAMAGATA purity, rose petals, ripe berries	159
KAKUREI NIIGATA well-balanced, fuji apple, mineral	325
KIKUSUI SAKAMAI NIIGATA orange zest, lychee, honeysuckle	111
KIMINOI YAMAHAI NIIGATA smooth, earthy, umami	171
KIRINZAN NIIGATA structured, orange blossom, mineral	218
KUBOTA KANTO structured, orange blossom, mineral	112
NANBU BIJIN SHINPAKU IWATE lime peel, honeydew, light wood spice	99
OHMINE YAMAGUCHI white peaches, stonefruit, honeysuckle	338
RYUJIN DRAGON GOD NAMAZUME GUNMA red apple, fragrant, soft	135
SHICHIHON YARI SHIZUKU SHIGA creamy, earthy, white fruits	169
WAKATAKE ONIKOROSHI SHIZUOKA orchid, pear, ample acidity	109

DAIGINJO | 大吟醸

KAKUREI NIIGATA mineral, lilac, clean	128
KONTEKI KYOTO mango, marigold, full	86
KAIKA TOBINDORI SHIZUKU TOCHIGI magnolia, sea water, melon	277
OKUNOMATSU SHIZUKU COMPETITION FUKASHIMA fragrant, round, precise, fresh	279
JUNMAI GINJO 純米吟醸	
JOZEN HIYAOROSHI NAMAZUME NIIGATA	98
melon, round mouthfeel, user-friendly	
HAKKAISAN SNOW AGED GENSHU NIIGATA layered, butterscotch, umami, viscous	159
KAKUREI NIIGATA green apple, banana, white flower	88
KIKUSUI ORGANIC NIIGATA 300ML banana, honeydew, horchata	49
SUIGEI KOIKU 54 DRUNKEN WHALE KOCHI pineapple, umami, anise	79
TSUKI NO KATSURA YANAGI KYOTO savory, bitter melon, round	108
YAMATO SHIZUKU KIMOTO TOKUBETSU AKITA crisp, umami, round	115

GINJO | 吟醸

KIKUSUI JUKUSEI NIIGATA • 200ML cocoa, toffee, bold	15
JUNMAI「純米」	
CHIYONOSONO SHUHAI KUMAMOTO orange peel, mascarpone, umami	64
FUKUCHO HIROSHIMA fennel, white pepper, all spice	75
JOZEN MIZUNOGOTOSHI AQUA NIIGATA round, white chocolate, orange peel	69
KAETSU ANCIENT TREASURE YAMAHAI GENSHU KOSHU NIIGATA umami, yuzu, pistachio, smoked sea salt, aged 10 years	195
KIRINZAN NIIGATA apple, balsam wood, kiwi	86
MATSUNO KOTOBUKI TOCHIGI 14 TOCHIGI blood orange, roasted banana	75
TAKENOTSUYU YAMAGATA dried cherry, tropical fruit, velvety	83

JUNMAI | 純米

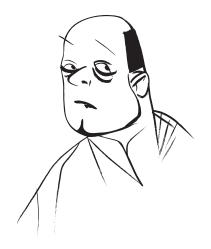
UONUMA NOUJUN NIIGATA savory, persimmon	73
YUHO ISHIKAWA umami, blood orange citrus	64
YUHO KIMOTO RYTHYM OF THE CENTURIES ISHIKAWA mushroom, soy caramel, bergamot, aged 4 years	84
YUKI NO BOSHA YAMAHAI AKITA full-bodied, roasted chestnuts, dark cherry	74
HONJOZO「本醸造」	
GUNMA IZUMI GUNMA cremini mushroom, lilac, umami	64
HAKKAISAN NIIGATA sweet spice, mango, nougat	79
KATAFUNE NIIGATA full-bodied, mushroom, papaya	72
MATSUNO KOTOBUKI <i>отоко но YUJO</i> тосніві cantaloupe, burnt caramel	73

NAMAZAKE「生酒」

AMABUKI HIMAWARI JUNMAI GINJO SAGA • 200ML CUP wild flower, anice, smooth	16
AMABUKI STRAWBERRY JUNMAI GINJO SAGA wild strawberry, savory, floral	83
BORN MUROKA JUNMAI DAIGINJO GENSHU FUKUI savory, umami, yogurt	138
JOZEN MIZUNOGOTOSHI JUNMAI GINJO NIIGATA citrus, apple blossom, shiso	97
SEIKYO OMACHI MIRROR OF TRUTH JUNMAI GINJO OKAYAMA	81

NIGORI「濁り酒」

DASSAI 50 JUNMAI DAIGINJO YAMAGUCHI	• 300ML	48
light cream, strawberry, cotton candy		



HOT SAKE BY THE BOTTLE 720ML 熱燗 - 四合瓶

HITO - HAI	DA KAN	ひとはだ燗
35-40°C (95-10	4°F)	

KATAFUNE HONJOZO NIIGATA full-bodied, mushroom, papaya	67
CHIYONOSONO SHUHAI JUNMAI KUMAMOTO orange peel, mascarpone, umami	64
NURU - KAN ぬる燗 40-45°C (104-113°F)	
GUNMA IZUMI YAMAHAI HONJOZO GUNMA crimini, lilac, umami	64
UONUMA NOUJUN JUNMAI NIIGATA savory, brown rice, persimon	73
JO- KAN 上燗 55-50°C (113-122°F)	
HAKKAISAN <i>TOKUBETSU</i> HONJOZO NIIGATA sweet spice, honey, koji rice	79

WINE BY THE GLASS & BOTTLE



WHITE WINE BY THE GLASS | グラスワイン

SPARKLING

CHARDONNAY +	SZIGETI • ÖSTERREICHISCHER SEKT G. Udry, violets, wild currant • neusiedlersee, aut	<i>I.</i> 16
CHENIN BLANC +	MÉRIEAU BULLES lemon, pear, citrus • touraine, fr	13
PROSECCO	LE COULTURE SUPERIORE BRUT honeysuckle, orange oil • valdobiaddene, it nv	12
CHAMPAGNE		
CHARDONNAY+	KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE .375ML elegant, long finish • reims, fr mv	65 • 135
PINOT NOIR+	RUINART BRUT <i>ROSÉ</i> .375ML feminine, delicate • reims, fr nv	38 • 89
WHITE		
CHABLIS	DES HATES seashell, mineral, super clean • chablis, fr 17	18
SANCERRE	BLONDEAU CUVEE DE MOULIN BALES stony, lean, crisp • sancerre, fr 18	16
SAUVIGNON BLANC	WILLIAM FEVRE clean, structured, chablis-like • saint bris, fr 17	1 5
GRUNER VELTLINER	MARKUS HUBER OBERE STEIGEN pear, haricot vert, zesty herbs • traisental, au 17	1 5
SAUVIGNON BLANC	MÉRIEAU HEXAGONALES wet pear, juicy, stony • touraine, fr 17	13
CHARDONNAY	PASCAL CLEMENT lightly oaked, precise • burgundy, fr 16	1 5
CHARDONNAY	LIOCO baked apple, rounder, edgy • sonoma, ca 18	16
RIESLING	THANISH TROCKEN DRY wet stone, gala apple • mosel, ge 18	12

RED WINE BY THE GLASS | グラスワイン

ROSÉ

MALAGOUSIA +	MYLONAS floral, crushed fruit, savory, saline • attiki, gr 18	13
RED		
PINOT NOIR	HOLLORAN STAFFORD HILL burgundian, tea leaves, restrained • willamette, or 17	14
TOURIGA NACIONAL	TOURIGA VAI NUA <i>NATURAL WINE</i> soft, floral, lambrusco-like • alentejano, po 17	16
NEBBIOLO	ANTONOLIO JUVENIA brick dust, polished, bouquet garni • langhe, it 18	15
BLAUFRANKISCH	GLATZER RESERVE spiced black fruit, bright, athletic • carnuntum, aus 15	12
BARBERA	CASCINA LUISIN MAGGIUR dark fruit, cocoa, bright acidity • piemonte, it 18	16
CABERNET SAUVIGNON	GRAVEL BAR black fruit, smoke, structured • columbia, wa 17	14
CABERNET SAUVIGNON	SUBSTANCE <i>cs</i> smooth, oaked, juicy • columbia, wa 16	14
SWEET (2.5°2)		
SHERRY	VALDESPINO <i>VIEJO OLOROSO 20YR</i> rich, hazelnuts, incense • jerez, sp nv	14
NEBBIOLO	G.D. VAJRA BAROLO CHINATO black fruit, herbs, bittersweet • piedmont, it nv	18
MOSCATEL	ORDONEZ SELECTION NO 1	10

candied orange, white flower, honey • malaga, sp 15

SPARKLING WINE BY THE BOTTLE

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DOMAINE CARNEROS SPARKLING WINE <i>ROSÉ</i> carneros, ca nv	95
GUY AMIOT CRÉMANT DE BOURGOGNE BRUT <i>ROSÉ</i> burgundy, fr nv	77
MOUILLARD CRÉMANT DU JURA côtes du jura, fr nv	65
SAUSKA BRUT tokaj, hun nv	75
A M P A G N E	
CAMILLE SAVÈS CARTE BLANCHE 1 ^{ER} CRU bouzy, fr nv	121
GUY LARMANDIER BRUT ZERO - 1ER CRU VERTUS cotes des blancs, fr 12	129
JACQUESSON EXTRA BRUT <i>CUVÉE 741</i> eperney, fr 12	139
KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE reims, fr nv	449
LOUIS ROEDERER CRISTAL reims, fr 09	575
MARC HÉBRART 1ER CRU CUVÉE SÉLECTION - VIEILLES VIGNES valle de la marne, fr nv	129
PIERRE PETERS BLANC DE BLANCS - CUVÉE DE RÉSERVE cotes de blancs, fr nv	159
SALON BLANC DE BLANCS le mesnil-sur-oger. fr 02	995

WHITE WINE BY THE BOTTLE

OLD WORLD

DÖNNHOFF RIESLING <i>SPÄTLESE NORHEIMER KIRSCHHECK</i> 1.5 liter nahe, ge 12	235
DÖNNHOFF RIESLING <i>TROCKEN, DRY SLATE FONSCHIEFER</i> nahe, ge 12	68
J.J.CHRISTOFFEL RIESLING URZIGER WURZTGARTEN mosel, ge 15	68
LOIMER GRÜNER VELTLINER <i>SPIEGEL</i> kamptal, aus 14	128
LOIMER RIESLING STEINMASSL kamptal, aus 13	118
PRAGER GRÜNER VELTLINER SMARAGD <i>BODENSTEIN</i> wachau, aus 13	196
RUDI PICHLER RIESLING SMARAGD TERRASSEN wachau, aus 15	71
DANIEL DEFAIX CHARDONNAY <i>VIEILLES VIGNES</i> chablis, fr 13	89
DANIEL DEFAIX CHARDONNAY 1 ^{ER} CRU SECHETS chablis, fr 03	149
TESTUT CHARDONNAY 1 ^{ER} CRU MONTEE DE TONNERRE chablis, fr 16	118
PERUSINI, PINOT GRIGIO <i>CRU</i> colli orientali del friuli, it 18	59
LA CAÑA ALBARIÑO rias baixas, sp 17	48
LA VAL TREIXADURA rias baixas, sp 17	48

WHITE WINE BY THE BOTTLE

OLD WORLD

BRET BROS. CHARDONNAY SOUFRANDIÈRE 1.5 liter pouilly-vinzelles, fr 14	187
BRUNO CLAIR CHARDONNAY marsannay, fr 15	89
DARVIOT-PERRIN CHARDONNAY 1 ^{ER} CHARMES meursault, fr 13	279
JEAN-NOEL GAGNARD GRAND CRU BÂTARD-MONTRACHET 1.5 liter puligny / chassagne-montrachet, fr 09	1495
BENJAMIN LEROUX ALIGOTE VIEILLES VIGNES bouzeron, fr 17	69
TRIMBACH RIESLING GRAND CRU GEISBERG alsace, fr 11	285
BRANGER MUSCADET SUR LIE LES GRAS MOUTONS muscadet, fr 16	49
DECHAMPS SAUVIGNON BLANC <i>LES CHAMPS DE CRI</i> pouilly-fume, fr 15	69
LUCIEN CROCHET SAUVIGNON BLANC <i>LE CHENE MARCHAND</i> sancerre, fr 17	115
SERGE LAPORTE SAUVIGNON BLANC CUVEE DES M.A.G.E.S sancerre, fr 16	98
VILLIBOIS SAUVIGNON BLANC <i>SILEX</i> sancerre, fr 15	85
GASTON HUET, CHENIN BLANC-SEC CLOS DE BOURG vouvray, fr 18	98
DU PELICAN SAVAGNIN <i>OUILLE</i> arbois, fr 14	102

WHITE WINE BY THE BOTTLE

NEW WORLD

CAPENSIS CHARDONNAY western cape, sa 13	168
COPAIN CHARDONNAY TOUS ENSEMBLE mendocino, ca 15	64
FREEMAN CHARDONNAY <i>RYOFU</i> russian river, ca 15	115
HOLLORAN CHARDONNAY <i>LE PAVILLON</i> dundee hills, or 14	89
RHYS CHARDONNAY <i>ALESIA</i> ESTATE anderson valley, ca 16	109
RHYS CHARDONNAY BEARWALLOW VINEYARD anderson valley, ca 15	159
SANDHI CHARDONNAY santa barbara, ca 15	77
CONSTANTIA GLEN SAUVIGNON BLANC constantia, sa 17	5 6
SCHOLIUM PROJECT VERDELHO NAUCRATIS central valley 2014	72
ILLAHE VIOGNIER willamette, or 17	5.9
HOLLORAN RIESLING dundee hills, or 14	45
ROSÉ WINE	
BRUNO CLAIR PINOT NOIR marsannay, fr 18	65
BEDELL MALBEC + TASTE long island, ny 17	47

RED WINE BY THE BOTTLE OLD WORLD

ALBERT BICHOT POMMARD 1 ^{ER} CRU LES RUGIENS côte de beaune, fr 10	379
BERTAGNA VOUGEOT 1 ^{ER} CRU CLOS DE LA PERRIÈRE côte de nuits, fr 12	289
CLAUDE JOBARD RULLY <i>LA CHAUME</i> côte de nuits, fr 14	68
DROUHIN-LAROZE GRAND CRU BONNES MARES côte de nuits, fr 11	415
DROUHIN-LAROZE GRAND CRU CHAPELLE-CHAMBERTAIN côte de nuits, fr 11	389
GOISOT PINOT NOIR LES MAZELOTS irancy, fr 17	86
JEROME CHEZEAUX NUITS ST GEORGES 1 ER AUX BOUDOTS côte de nuits, fr 12	245
JEROME CHEZEAUX NUITS ST GEORGES 1 ER LES PRULIERS côte de nuits, fr 12	249
GROS FRÈRE ET SOEUR GRAND CRU CLOS VOUGEOT côte de nuits, fr 11	449
GROS FRÈRE ET SOEUR GRAND CRU ECHEZEAUX côte de nuits, fr 12	489
MICHEL SARRAZIN GIVRY 1 ^{ER} CRU CHAMP LALOTS côte de nuits, fr 16	109
VINCENT GIRARDIN SANTENAY TERRE D'ENFANCE côte de nuits, fr 15	89
COULY-DUTHEIL CABERNET FRANC BARONNIE MADELEINE chinon, fr 02	69
PIAUGIER GRENACHE + SABLET cotes du rhone, fr 17	59
SCHEU PINOT NOIR pfalz, ge 15	63

RED WINE BY THE BOTTLE OLD WORLD

PIGNAN GRENACHE+ CORALIE ET FLORIANE chateauneuf-du-pape, fr 16	179
YVES CUILLERON LES VILLAGE cornas, fr 15	135
D'ARMAILHAC CABERNET + paulliac, fr 11	149
GOULEE CABERNET + COS D'ESTOURNEL medoc, fr 09	169
GLATZER BLAUFRANKISCH RESERVE carnuntum, aus 15	59
ANTONOLIO NEBBIOLO OSSO SAN GRATO gattinara, it 12	179
AR.PE.PE NEBBIOLO <i>VIGNA REGINA RISERVA</i> valtellina, it 05	245
AR.PE.PE NEBBIOLO ROCCE ROSSE RISERVA valtellina, it 07	255
CORINO NEBBIOLO <i>VECCHIE VIGNE</i> barolo, it 99	289
G.D. VAJRA NEBBIOLO langhe, it 17	65
SEBASTE NEBBIOLO MONVIGLIERO barolo, it 01	271
UCCELLIERA SANGIOVESE brunello di montalcino, it 05	185
PAOLO BEA SAGRANTINO SECCO PAGLIARO montefalco, it 10	251
SCOPELLO FRAPPATO BELLUS sicilia, italy 16	51
CALABRETTA NERELLO MASCALESE ESTATE sicilia, italy 10	66

RED WINE BY THE BOTTLE

NEW WORLD

BAILEYANA PINOT NOIR <i>FIREPEAK VINEYARD</i> edna valley, ca 17	59
FORAGER PINOT NOIR sonoma, ca 15	68
HAHN PINOT NOIR <i>ESTATE</i> santa lucia highlands, ca 17	59
FREEMAN PINOT NOIR <i>AKIKOS CUVÈE</i> sonoma, ca 14	148
LEMELSON PINOT NOIR <i>THEAS SELECTION</i> willamette, or 17	7 4
PEAY PINOT NOIR <i>SCALLOP SHELF</i> sonoma, ca 15	139
RHYS PINOT NOIR <i>FAMILY FARM VINEYARD</i> san mateo, ca 16	189
TYLER PINOT NOIR <i>DEIRBERG VINEYARD - BLOCK 5</i> santa maria valley, ca 16	118
CRUSE WINE CO GRENACHE + MONKEY JACKET north coast, ca 16	69
CASSONE CABERNET SAUVIGNON <i>OBRA PRIMA</i> mendoza, arg 14	65
CONSORTIUM CABERNET SAUVIGNON napa, ca 14	98
FOLEY JOHNSON CABERNET SAUVIGNON napa, ca 17	78
KNIGHTS BRIDGE CABERNET SAUVIGNON sonoma, ca 15	265
GRAMERCY GRENACHE + THIRD MAN columbia valley, wa 14	118
FAUSSE PISTE SYRAH GARDE MANGER columbia valley, or 15	77

CRAFT BEER SELECTIONS | クラフトビール

DRAFT

ORION <i>RICE</i> LAGER okinawa, jp 4.7% abv	9
ASAHI SUPER DRY LAGER osaka, jap 5.0% abv	10
ZERO GRAVITY LITTLE WOLF AMERICAN PALE ALE burlington, vt 4.7% abv	9
TOPPLING GOLIATH <i>POMPEII</i> IPA iowa 6.2% abv	11
BOTTLE & CAN	
SAPPORO <i>PREMIUM 22°^z</i> LAGER canada 4.9% abv	14
GINGA KOGEN HEFEWEIZEN iwate, jap 5.0% abv	18
ECHIGO FLYING IPA niigata, jap 5.5% abv	12
ECHIGO RED ALE niigata, jap 6.0% abv	15
NIIGATA BREWING GOLDEN KOLSCH niigata, jap bottle conditioned 7% abv	14
SEKINOICHI SANSHO ALE iwate, jap 5.0% abv	1 4
SHOCHU BY THE GLASS 焼酎 グラス	
SHIRO KAGOSHIMA	11
ARK JAKUUNBAKU FUKUOKA mugi – barley	13
KUROKAME KAGOSHI MA imo – sweet potato	10

Two of the most influential figures in the history of japanese whisky are shinjiro torii & masataka taketsuru. Torii was a pharmaceutical wholesaler and the founder of kotobukiya (later to become suntory). He started importing western liquor and he later created a brand called akadama port wine, based on a portuguese wine which made him a successful merchant. However, he was not satisfied with this success and so he embarked on a new venture which was to become his lifes work: making japanese whisky for japanese people. Despite the strong opposition from the companys executives, torii decided to build the first japanese whisky distillery in yamazaki, a suburb of kyoto, an area famous for its excellent water.

Torii hired masataka taketsuru as a distillery executive. Taketsuru had studied the art of distilling in scotland, and brought this knowledge back to japan in the early 1920s. Whilst working for kotobukiya, he played a key part in helping torii establish the yamazaki distillery. In 1934 he left kotobukiya to form his own company, dainipponkaju, which would later change its name to nikka. In this new venture he established the yoichi distillery in hokkaido.

THE FLIGHT | ウィスキー飲み比べ 30

enjoy an ounce a whisky from three of japans most celebrated houses. each whisky offers not only a stylistic contrast between the houses, but also a comparison of different ways in which whisky in japan is made.

WHITE OAK AKASHI•BLENDED

clove, cocoa, caramel

NIKKA COFFEY GRAIN melon, grapefruit, vanilla

MARS IWAI

pear, quince, ginger

AKASHI SHERRY CASK . SINGLE MALT

GRAPEFRUIT, CONCORD GRAPE, PEPPERMINT

an extremely rare whisky amongst collectors, this whisky is bottled only 1 to 2 times a year. aged for 5 years in oloroso sherry casks and sitting at a 100 proof, this whisky is meant for slowly sipping with just a touch of room temperature water to bring out the fine flavors.

CHICHIBU ON THE WAY . SINGLE MALT

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BRIGHTLY OAKED. YOUNG PEAR. FENNEL SEED

bottled in 2013, this whisky named after ichiros journey to make his first 5 year old. currently aged in one mizunara oak cask & then two american oak, ex-bourbon, casks. a very powerful chichibu, truly showing the beauty from the use of mizunara oak.

CHICHIBU THE PEATED 3 YEAR . SINGLE MALT

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VANILLA, WHITE PEACH, SCENTED AROMATIC SPICES

ichiro akuto took a whisky which was already good & elevated it to the next level with higher alcohol and heavy peating, still capturing all the flavor & power, but approaching slowly to woo the palate.

CHICHIBU THE FLOOR MALTED . SINGLE MALT

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LEMON, ALMOND, APRICOT

founded by ichiro akuto in 2004, chichibu is a very hands-on with very small production, and their limited releases are much sought after. from malting their own barley in england to building their own casks, their attention to detail and love of whisky have helped them pick-up a well-deserved cult following.

ICHIROS MALT & GRAIN . BLENDED

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VANILLA, WHITE PEACH, SCENTED AROMATIC SPICES

A blend from ichiro akuto, this is the more recent "premium" version of the popular malt and grain bottling bottled at an increased strength of 50% abv. A rather complicated blend, the mix includes whisky from his own stocks of hanyu and karuizawa, as well as chichibu.

ICHIROS THE US 2018 EDITION . SINGLE MALT

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VANILLA, WHITE PEACH, SCENTED AROMATIC SPICES

This is the first edition of an Ichiro single malt blended specifically for the US market. It consists of four ex-bourbon barrels and one hogshead with Mizunara oak heads. All whisky in this single malt ranges from five to six years of age. Ichiro's distillery is currently in its tenth year of operation and has recently increased capacity, although remaining very small.

ICHIROS MALT WINE WOOD RESERVE . BLENDED

64

BERRIES, WALNUT, WHITE PEPPER

a pure malt whisky from the ichiros malt series, containing whisky from the closed hanyu distillery and matured, vatted and bottled at the chichibu distillery. this edition was given a finishing period in french wine casks.

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HAKUSHU 25 YEAR . SINGLE MALT

276 • oz

WOOD SMOKE, TOFFEE, NUTMEG

incredibly rich nose, packed with sweet spice, rich fruit, toast, peat, smoke and barley. rich and full on the palate with intense flavors and smoothness. everything on the nose repeats in the mouth with extra complexity from butterscotch, touch of caramel and vanilla.

HIBIKI 30 YEAR . BLENDED

512 · oz

MARZIPAN, QUINCE, CHAMOMILE

an absolutely stunning release from hibiki. This was awarded the trophy at the international spirits challenge in 2004, 2006 and 2008. it was also awarded the coveted title "worlds best blended whisky" at the world whiskies award in 2007 and 2008.

KAIYO CASK STRENGTH . DOUBLE-DISTILLED

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DRIED STONEFRUIT, CACAO, MIZUNARA OAK

this is cask-strength and a rare beast at 53°, as there's not much Mizunara – Japanese oak – available; only a tiny amount gets turned into whisky casks. It's worth the effort, as it adds a incense-laden spiciness to a barrel proof offering, high marks for this bottling.

KAIYO THE PEATED . DOUBLE-DISTILLED

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SMOKE, SEA SALT, MIZUNARA & MADEIRA CASK

The nose sees only moderate smoke, but ample iodine, notes of dried berries, and sandalwood. palate is a delightful melange of wood, peat, and fruit that requires some time to unpack. There are notes of almonds, tea leaf, toasty grains, all of which is filtered through a soy-like savoriness that conveys umami and wood notes. 2 years in Madeira casks before Mizunara cask aging.

KAIYO • BLENDED

WARM CHERRY, VANILLA, MIZUNARA OAK

Kaiyo's stock of Mizunara oak casks is its pride and joy. known to impart a subtle and unusual collection of aromas and flavours to whisky during maturation, it's this wood which is often credited with setting Japanese whisky apart. Kaiyo doubles down on its cask maturation, sending the full casks off to sea for months at a time. cider apples, dusty sandlewood followed by layering in notes of green olive, beef jerky, and vanilla all on top of one another. the finish is chewy, sweeter than it would let on, reminiscent of Japanese pickles, and lots of black tea notes.

SUNTORY TOKI 16

GRAPEFRUIT, GREEN GRAPE, PEPPERMINT

coined as the premium everyday whisky, this light-bodied whisky is a blend of single grain & single malt whiksies from all three of suntorys distilleries. aged for at least three years in american & spanish oak.

WHITE OAK AKASHI . BLENDED

19

CLOVE, COCOA, CARAMEL

this small production distillery, akashi, is named after its hometown in the hyogo prefecture. white oak ages in bourbon casks before finishing in sherry casks making this a unique selection.

WHITE OAK AKASHI . SINGLE MALT

MARSHMALLOW, RAW CORN, VANILLA BEAN

perhaps the least known japanese whisky producer yet it is still one of the countrys oldest with a license to make whisky since 1919, their production only lasts for one month each year making availability limited.

NIKKA COFFEY GRAIN . SINGLE GRAIN

18

33

HAZELNUT, SWEET CORN, CARAMEL

coffey grain gets its name after its inventor, aeneas coffey & was a still that moved from scotland to japan in 1963. corn is the primary ingredient along with wheat & unmalted barley while on a continuous still without having any alternate batches.

NIKKA COFFEY MALT . SINGLE MALT

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CLOVE, CINNAMON, LEMON

named after the stills inventor aeneas coffey, coffey stills are typically used for grain whisky production, making this 100% malt whisky unique. surprisingly rich texture, body, with a flirty sweetness.

NIKKA YOICHI . SINGLE MALT

28

SOFT PEAT, WINTER SPICE, SALTY CARAMEL

located in japans most northern & coldest prefecture, hokkaido, this location

was chosen for the elevation & proximity to the forest. unlike miyagikyo, yoichi uses direct coal -fired pot stills, a rarity even outside of scotland.

NIKKA TAKETSURU 17 YEAR . PURE MAIT

59

BLOOD ORANGE, VANILLA, HINT OF CHOCOLATE

one of the most coveted japanese whiskys in the american market as it is praised as possibly one of the best from nikkas port folio, thisis a 50/50 blend between both of nikkas single malt distilleries.

NIKKA TAKETSURU 21 YEAR . PURE MALT

69

SOFT CHRISTMAS SPICES, GROUND PEPPER, FRESH GINGER

selected as the worlds best blended malt in 2010, the whisky is blended single malt as opposed to blended whisky, there is no grain added, this offers more age & richness than its 17 year old brother.

MARS IWAI 14

PEAR, QUINCE, GINGER

this shinshu distillery used to only produce whisky during the winter months but eventually closed in 1992 due to sluggish demands. in 2011 the production was resumed and the first recovered whisky hit the market in 2007. the pot stills used were designed by kiichiro iwai & were a close resemblance to those stills used by masataka taketsuru at the yoichi distillery, a wonderful distillery by nikka.

MARS IWAI TRADITION

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WHEAT, HONEY TOFFEE, CHERRY

tradition is a blended whisky whose case is an unblended whisky distilled in the pot still to achieve perfect balance. the shinshu distillery is located on the central alps of japan which contributes to the beautifully rich water source.

MARS KOMAGATAKE RINDO . SINGLE MALT

75

ASIAN PEAR, BANANA, TOFFEE

a new single malt whisky that was bottled at a high alcohol contect of 52% abv to maintain the integrity of its aromatic profile. this will introduce you to a rich and beautiful universe of taste and it represents the mountain flowers of the nagano region where the distillery is located.

MARS KOMAGATAKE LIMITED EDITION 2018 • SINGLE MALT

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TOASTED BANANA, PEAR, APRICOT

floral hint of licorice and marshmallow, cinnamon and allspice, moving into ripened plum. Cashews lurking in the background. Thick on the tongue, it heats up towards the end with some nice vanilla cookies. Peat smoke fills the mouth as the last of the whisky begins to clear out. Just then, a path through a peppermint forest leads us right down to the seashore.

MARS SHERRY & AMERICAN OAK CASK . SINGLE MALT

75

DATE, FIG, APRICOT

distilled in 2011 and aged for 3 years. It is bottles at 57% abv which is a strong alcohol content allowing a better preservation of aromas despite its young age. the desire to bring out the best flavors despite the youth of the whisky, was already successfully adopted by the now famous chichibu distillery.

KARUIZAWA CASK 8383

1978 35 YEAR • SINGLE MALT MARMALADE, BUTTERSCOTCH, RAISIN

613 · oz

a vintage cask release from the mighty karuizawa. this is more unusual for them as they are famed for producing sherry monster drams, but this one is a bourbon cask release.

KARUIZAWA CASK 6207

1981 30 YEAR • SINGLE MALT TOBACCO, EUCALYPTUS, BLACK CHERRY

538 • oz

from the legendary karuizawa distillery comes this 1981 single sherry cask release. bottled at cask strength, this whisky has been matured in a first fill sherry cask and has been reported to be an "exceptional cask".

KARUIZAWA THE BACK OF FUJI

FROM THE MINOBU RIVER BATCH 6
1999-2000 • SINGLE MALT
TOFFEE, NUTMEG. SANDALWOOD

507 • oz

thirty-six views of mount fuji is a series of landscape prints by the japanese artist hokusai. each depicts mount fuji from different locations in various weather conditions. the label of this karuizawa features one of these striking prints. A unique bottling drawn from casks of 1999 and 2000 vintages and bottled at cask strength.

BOURBON

ANGELS ENVY	16
BAKERS	17
BASIL HAYDENS <i>8 year</i>	1 5
BOOKERS	19
BULLEIT	12
EAGLE RARE 10 YEAR	13
ELIJAH CRAIG <i>12 year</i>	13
HIRSCH <i>small batch</i>	14
JEFFERSONS <i>ocean aged at sea</i>	24
MAKERS MARK	14
MICHTERS US-1 10 YEAR	18
MICHTERS SOUR MASH 30 YEAR • 1/2 OUNCE	200
NOAHS MILL	16
ROWANS CREEK	13
RYE	
BULLEIT	13
E.H. TAYLOR	19
HUDSON <i>manhattan</i>	22
KNOB CREEK	14
MICHTERS US-1 <i>single barrel</i>	1 5
RITTENHOUSE	11
WHISTLE PIG <i>old world 12 year</i>	28
WHISTLE PIG <i>farmstock</i>	33
OTHER	
HIGHWEST <i>bourye</i>	22
HIGHWEST <i>omg silver rye</i>	15
JACK DANIELS	12

SINGLE MALT SCOTCH

SPEYSIDE

GLENFIDDICH 15 YEAR	17
THE DALMORE 12 YEAR	19
THE DALMORE 18 YEAR	54
HIGHLAND	
ABERFELDY 12 YEAR	16
GLENMORANGIE QUINTA RUBAN 12 YEAR	17
OBAN 14 YEAR	22
SAMAROLI TOMINTOUL 1967	99
LOWLAND	
AUCHENTOSHAN THREE WOOD	18
ISLANDS	
HIGHLAND 18 YEAR	34
ISLAY	
ARDBEG 10 YEAR	17
BOWMORE 15 YEAR	20
LAPHROAIG 10 YEAR	19
BLENDED SCOTCH	
GREAT KING STREET ARTISTS BLEND	16
JOHNNIE WALKER <i>black label</i>	15
JOHNNIE WALKER BLUE LABEL	45
IDIO!!	
IRISH	
BUSHMILLS	15
GREEN SPOT	12
JAMESON	14
REDBREAST 12 YEAR	16
CANADIAN	
PENDELTON 12 YEAR	11

TEQUILA & MEZCAL

PLATA

CODIGO 1530	14
CÓDIGO 1530 ROSA	19
ESPOLÓN	9
HERRADURA	12
PUEBLO VIEJO	9
TEQUILA OCHO	14
REPOSADO	
CÓDIGO 1530	19
HERRADURA	13
PARTIDA	15
AÑEJO	
CÓDIGO 1530	28
DON JULIO 1942	40
HERRADURA	16
TEQUILA OCHO	20
EXTRA AÑEJO	
SIEMBRA AZUL <i>PIÑERA</i>	40
MEZCAL	
DEL MAGUEY CHICHICAPA	18
DEL MAGUEY VIDA	13

COGNAC

HINE VSOP	15
CHÂTEAU MONTIFAUD <i>xo</i>	26
PIERRE FERRAND 1840	18
TESSERON LOT 53 XO	84
ARMAGNAC	
DE MONTAL 1958	124
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GRAPPA	
NONINO <i>chardonnay</i>	14
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CALVADOS	
CHRISTIAN DROUIN <i>cœur de lion sélection</i>	13
LECOMPTE 18 YEAR	28
OTHER	
OTHER	
BARSOL PISCO <i>quebranta</i>	11
LAIRDS APPLEJACK BRANDY <i>Bonded</i>	11
R(H)UM & CACHAÇA	
ANGOSTURA <i>gran añejo 7 year</i>	11
APPLETON ESTATE 12 YEAR	13
BANKS 5	12
DIPLOMÁTICO <i>exclusiva</i>	11
MOUNT GAY <i>eclipse</i>	10
NEISSON <i>agricole blanc</i>	10
PRIVATEER <i>NAVY YARD</i>	14
RON ZACAPA <i>centenario 23 year</i>	16
SAILOR JERRY <i>spiced</i>	11
ZAYA 12 YEAR	15
CACHAÇA	
AVUÁ <i>prata</i>	10

GIN

ANCHOR <i>genevieve</i>	13
ANCHOR <i>Junípero</i>	12
ANCHOR <i>old tom</i>	12
AVIATION	12
BARR HILL	12
BEEFEATER	11
BERKSHIRE <i>GREYLOCK</i>	11
BOMBAY <i>sapphire</i>	12
HENDRICKS	13
KINOBI	16
MONKEY 47	1 9
NO.3 LONDON DRY	13
PLYMOUTH	12
ROKU	12
PRINCIPE DE LOS APOSTOLES <i>mate</i>	11
RANSOM OLD TOM	12
RUTTE	11
V O D K A	
ABSOLUT ELYX	13
BELVEDERE	13
CHOPIN	13
GREY GOOSE	13
HAKU	12
KETEL ONE	13
NIKKA COFFEY	12
SKYY	12
STOLI ELIT	15
ST. GEORGE <i>all purpose</i>	11
TITOS	12
INFUSED	
HANGAR ONE BUDDHAS HAND CITRON	12
HANGAR ONE <i>kaffir lime</i>	12
KETEL ONE <i>oranje</i>	12

AMARO

BIGALLET <i>viriana china-china</i>	12
FERNET BRANCA	12
LUXARDO <i>abano</i>	10
MONTENEGRO	11
NONINO <i>quintessentia</i>	15
TEMPUS FUGIT FERNET DEL FRATE ANGELICO	16
VARNELLI <i>sibillia</i>	11
DIGESTIF	
BÉNÉDICTINE D.O.M.	11
CHARTREUSE <i>green</i>	14
CHARTREUSE <i>vep green</i>	28
CHARTREUSE <i>yellow</i>	14
VERMOUTH	
CARPANO ANTICA FORMULA	10
CARPANO <i>punt e mes</i>	10
TEMPUS FUGIT ALESSIO BIANCO	10
TEMPUS FUGIT ALESSIO DI TORINO	10
ABSINTHE & VARIANTS	
SAMBUCA MOLINARI	11
ST. GEORGE ABSINTHE	14
NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	
FIJI WATER	8
BADOIT SPARKLING WATER	8
COCA-COLA	5
DIET COCA-COLA	5
SPRITE	5
FEVER TREE GINGER BEER	5
O° SANS	
GREAT WHITE TELEPHONE	6
coconut-matcha cream, lime, soda water	
SAKURA SPRITZER	6
lychee, yuzu	
NIHON ARNOLD PALMER	6
yuzu, lemon, simple, green tea	