

## Akkeshi Blended Whisky Taisho

HOKKAIDO JAPAN

The Akkeshi Taisho is the eighth release in their "24 Seki Series" and represents the peak of hot summer months. The indigo blue of the label is a nod to yukata, light summer kimonos worn during warmer months. The signature Akkeshi peated sweetness is ever present to balance the dry temple incense of mizunara casks and bright citrus peel. Taisho evokes dry evenings below colorful festival lights and the distant smell of fireworks carried along the warm summer breeze.

SI7F ALCOHOL

48% ABV 700 ML

STYLE **PEATED** 

NA **BLENDED WHISKY** 

STILLS AGING

**NAS** COPPER POT STILL

BOTTLE RELEASE CASK TYPES

**492 BOTTLES EX-BOURBON, SHERRY RED WINE** 

& HOKKAIDO MIZUNARA **FOR USA** 



## HOKKAIDO AKKESHI DISTILLERY

Located in Japan's northern most island of Hokkaido and further east than any other distillery in the country, the Akkeshi Distillery began production in 2016. The town of Akkeshi has a cool, moist climate with frequent rolling sea fog that rolls in from the marshes of the Bekan-Beushi wetlands. Fog and marshes like these are indispensable to the production of whisky with similar characteristics to the salt and smoke forward malts of Islay, Scotland. Operating in this delicately bountiful environment, the Akkeshi Distillery is committed to being a sustainable enterprise in harmony with its surrounding nature. The company's goal is to blend traditional Scottish methods with the unique flavors of the surrounding Akkeshi terroir. With extremely unique aromas and flavors unlike anything else, these whiskies will be a delight to aficionados worldwide.

