



CASK #2345

BRAEMAR MALT EX-BOURBON 6YR

YEAR OF THE BOAR

SAITAMA, JAPAN

NOSE

Balanced notes of stone fruit, honey & hay that evolves into a malty fruit basket when opened up.

PALATE

Classic lushness synonymous with Chichibu whiskies with initial notes of allspice followed by deep notes of warm dates, citrus peel & toffee.

FINISH

Long, lingering & rich with beautiful hints of almond brittle and a subtle sweetness to match.

ALCOHOL

63.5% ABV

AGED

6 YEARS

CASK TYPE

EX BOURBON

BARLEY

BRAEMAR

BATCH SIZE

400 KG

PRODUCTION

204 BOTTLES

CARAMEL COLORING

NONE

WASHBACKS

MIZUNARA 8X

STILLS

2000L POT

CHILL FILTRATION

NONE

HEATING

INDIRECT SYSTEM

CONDENSER

SHELL & TUBE

SPECIAL NOTES

2 STRAIGHT HEAD TYPE DOWNWARD LINE ARMS



CHICHIBU DISTILLERY

Akuto Ichiro is an icon of the whisky world, a 21st century whisky maker who embraces the heritage and heart of the Scots while perfectly executing the precision and art of the Japanese and their shokunin philosophy.

It started three centuries ago when the first of Ichiro Akuto's grandfather began making alcoholic beverages in countryside of Saitama, Japan. His grandfather opened the now legendary Hanyu Distillery in the mid-1940's and began making malt whiskies. However, when the bubble burst in the 1990's, Hanyu distillery had to close their doors indefinitely. Ichiro saved his grandfathers' last remaining whisky casks and slowly released them in a variety of bottlings. His final release, The Playing Card Series, is now legendary with individual bottles being considered the unicorns of the Japanese whisky world.

With this success Ichiro saw that the revival of artisan Japanese whisky was imminent and opened his own distillery in the beautiful Chichibu region two hours west of Tokyo. Uniquely, Chichibu Distillery also built its own cooperage and floor malting facility on site. The distillery is also the only in the world to use 100% Mizunara Japanese oak washbacks.

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