

## IVAI TRADITION WINE CASK FINISH

NAGANO, JAPAN

A limited release, Chateau Mars produces both Cabernet and Pinot Noir. Some of those casks are then reused to finish their whisky.

## **TASTING NOTES**

Subdued aromas of raisin and apricots are integrated with the vanilla and toast of this classic whisky.

ALCOHOL VOLUME
40% ABV 750 ml

AGED CASK TYPE

NAS PINOT NOIR, CABERNET, EX-BOURBON



## **MARS DISTILLERY**

Mars Whisky is located between Japan's soaring Southern Alps and the towering Central Alps. The Hombo family have been distilling for more than a century and added whisky to their repertoire in 1949. At that time the distillery was located in the Tsunuki region of Kagoshima Prefecture on the southern-most island of Kyushu.

Until 1984, it was the southernmost whisky made in Japan, which ended when the Hombo clan moved the distillery to the idyllic alpine setting of Miyada village in southern Nagano Prefecture, Central Japan. They chose this site for its cool temperature, which slowed maturation, and the plentiful soft granite filtered snowmelt fed aquifers.

