

# JAPANESE WHISKY

Japanese Whisky is the pillar of **SUSHISAMBA**.

Our Japanese Whisky list is a vast and finely curated selection for both an experienced and novice audience. This selection is largely attributed to the three Founding Fathers: Kiichiro Iwai of Mars, Masataka Taketsuru of Nikka and Shinjiro Torii of Suntory and the new generation of whisky: Ichiro and Akashi distilleries.

## MARS

- MARS IWAI** Vanilla toasted oak notes and touch of melon on the nose. Pound cake, vanilla, and lychee on the palate. 13.
- MARS IWAI TRADITIONAL** Sweet barbecue, cinnamon, prunes, raisins, buttery biscuits and milk chocolate on the nose. Ripe banana and whoppers malted candy on the palate. 17.
- MARS "KOMAGATAKE" 3YR SHERRY CASK SINGLE MALT** Raisin, coffee and hints of smoke on the nose. Berry, raisin, cocoa, delicate wood and peat on the palate. 68.
- MARS "KOMAGATAKE" RINDO SINGLE MALT** Citrus peels, tobacco, orchard fruits on the nose. Marzipan, white peach, nutmeg, hint of menthol and briny smoke on the palate. 55.
- MARS MALTAGE 3 PLUS 25 ALL MALT AGED 28 YRS** 160.  
**WINNER OF THE WWA ~(WORLD WHISKY AWARDS) WORLD'S BEST BLENDED MALT**  
An intriguing blend of 3 year old Whiskies from Kagoshima and Yamanashi distilleries which was then aged in Nagano for a other 25 years.
- MARS LUCKY CAT 'ASH 99' BLENDED WHISKY** Crisp with a hint of mint and herbs on the nose. Candied orange, zesty, sweet, vanilla pods and baked dough on the palate. 34.
- MARS KOMEGATAKI SINGLE MALT REVIVAL 2011** Vanilla, caramel, oak and spices, with a hint of smoke on the nose. Spicy with rich and sweet caramel and licorice on the palate. 58.
- MARS "KOMAGATAKE 30YR SINGLE MALT"** The complexity of oak, spirit, and alpine air intermingling for decades is revealed in each sip. The lush textures are surprising for a cask strength whisky, with a finish that is near eternal. 588.
- MARS LUCK CAT "MINT" BLENDED WHISKY** Dry and woody on the nose. Honey and vanilla, on the palate giving way to a soft mellow mint aftertaste. 34.
- MARS "KOMAGATAKE" KOHIGANZAKURA SINGLE MALT** Marzipan, apricot and nectarine on the nose. Tobacco notes of strawberry, nectarine and mint on the palate. 38.
- MARS "KOMAGATAKE" SHINANOTANPOPO SINGLE MALT** Summer berries and vanilla ice cream on the nose. Blueberries, caramel with mint and honeysuckle on the palate. 39.

## NIKKA

- NIKKA MIYAGIKO SINGLE MALT** Malted barley, bananas, burnt wood, white flowers, beeswax on the nose. Ginger, cinnamon, chocolate, coconut and fresh tobacco leaf on the palate. 28.
- NIKKA COFFEY GRAIN** Vanilla, corn spice and herbs on the nose. Sweet, fruit, melon, thick syrup, buttermilk biscuits and fresh vanilla on the palate. 18.
- NIKKA COFFEY MALT** Butterscotch and vanilla malty sweetness on the nose. Malt, fruit, nuts, vanilla, butterscotch and burnt pastry on the palate. 21.
- NIKKA TAKETSURU PURE MALT** Sherry soaked plums, raisins, green apple, honey and black pepper on the nose. Espresso beans, milk chocolate, tobacco leaf and a touch of smoke on the palate. 20.
- NIKKA TAKETSURU 17YR PURE MALT** Fresh and fruity, berries, vanilla fragrant wood and honey on the nose. Spicy and rounded, vanilla, blood orange and a little chocolate on the palate. 59.
- NIKKA TAKETSURU 21YR PURE MALT** Oak, soy sauce, cocoa, espresso beans on the nose. Black pepper, ginger, citrus peels marmalade on the palate. 66.
- NIKKA YOICHI SINGLE MALT** Gentle peat smoke, dried citrus peels and fresh kindling on the nose. Firm with smoke, melon, almonds and light salt on the palate. 33.

## SUNTORY

<b>HIBIKI HARMONY</b> Rose, lychee, hint of rosemary, mature woodiness, sandalwood on the nose. Honey-like sweetness, candied orange peel and white chocolate on the palate.	21.
<b>HIBIKI 17</b> Peach, apricot, melon, rose, lily and lemon on the nose. Toffee, black cherry, vanilla and mizunara (Japanese oak) on the palate.	59.
<b>HIBIKI 21</b> Cooked fruit, blackberry, ripe banana, caramel on the nose. Sandalwood, honeycomb, dried apricot and mizunara (Japanese oak) on the palate.	89.
<b>YAMAZAKI 12YR SINGLE MALT</b> Peach, pineapple, grapefruit, clove, candied orange, vanilla, mizunara (Japanese oak) on the nose. Coconut, cranberry and butter on the palate.	38.
<b>YAMAZAKI 18YR SINGLE MALT</b> Raisins, apricot, café au lait, mizunara (Japanese oak) on the nose. Blackberry, strawberry, dark chocolate and strawberry jam on the palate.	88.
<b>SUNTORY TOKI</b> Basil, green apple and honey on the nose. Grapefruit, green grapes, ginger, peppermint and thyme on the palate.	14.
<b>HAKUSHU 12YR SINGLE MALT</b> Pine needle, basil, and green apple on the nose. Sweet pear, mint, kiwi on the palate.	30.
<b>HAKUSHU 18YR SINGLE MALT</b> Ripe pears, dried mint, oregano and hint of smoke on the nose. Jasmine, mango, quince and menthol on the palate.	80.

## AKASHI WHITE OAK

<b>WHITE OAK AKASHI SHERRY CASK</b> only 500 bottles have been produced of this rare sherry cask. Rich sherry notes, demerara sugar, vanilla, caramel pudding, notes of cloves and cardamom on the nose. Sherry notes take center stage, clear acidity, slightly dried citrus and fresh fruits on the palate.	70.
<b>WHITE OAK AKASHI SINGLE MALT</b> Malty, citrusy aromas with scents of black cherry, toffee and oak on the nose. Vanilla and pine nuts on the palate.	28.
<b>WHITE OAK AKASHI PINOT NOIR 5 YR SINGLE MALT</b> Only 500 bottles have been produced of this very rare single malt. Malt, red fruits, and floral notes on the nose. Rich and amazing texture with hints of leather on the palate	59.
<b>WHITE OAK AKASHI</b> Honey, spices, wasabi, pepper, citrus and vanilla on the nose. Wood, cinnamon, citrus and vanilla on the palate.	14.

## ICHIRO'S

<b>ICHIRO'S SINGLE MALT CHICHIBU "THE FLOOR MALTED"</b> Honeysuckle, kiwi, vanilla, cedar and citrus on the nose. Tobacco, anise, peach and spice with creamy texture on the palate.	58.
<b>ICHIRO'S SINGLE MALT "THE PEATED"</b> Smokey with a hint of citrus on the nose. Velvety texture of citrus and ripe apple lingering on the palate.	72.
<b>ICHIRO'S MALT &amp; GRAIN</b> Apricot, popcorn, toffee, vanilla cream and meyer lemon zest on the nose. Toffee, chestnuts, gingerbread, vanilla and black pepper on the palate.	29.
<b>ICHIRO'S MALT THE SINGLE CASK</b> Only 304 bottles have been produced of this very rare single cask whisky.	98.

## OTHER DISTILLERS

- SENSEI** Honey, sweet caramel, Japanese plum, balanced oak, peat, and toffee with hints of sandalwood, coconut and green tea. 13.
- KIKORI** Wood, spice and almonds on the nose. Cinnamon, apples and melon on the palate. 13.
- KURA** Warm mixed nuts and raisins. A hint of vanilla and almonds up front - and a youthful spice. 17.
- OHISHI WHISKY SHERRY CASK** Rich vanilla, citrus, dried dark fruit, oily nuts, ash, oak and a strange but alluring sweetness. 22.
- FUKANO DISTILLERY WHISKY** fresh wood, tropical notes and pepper on the nose. Vanilla and caramel apple on the palate. 24.
- FUKANO 12 YR SINGLE CASK** Toffee, vanilla crème brulee, and candy corn on the nose. Dark brown sugar and tobacco on the palate. 28.
- FUKANO SHERRY CASK WHISKY** Sherry, citrus, rice sweetness, vanilla, cinnamon butterscotch on the nose. Dried cherries, brûlée, herbal spice and bit of leather on the palate. 28.
- KAIYO "THE PEATED"** Smokey aroma with hints of fresh cherry blossom, ripe fruit and honey. A sweet, long, drying finish. 30.

# JAPANESE WHISKY FLIGHT EXPERIENCE

Carefully curated to showcase a selection of some of our finest whiskies.

## MARS FLIGHT 38

### *MARS IWAI*

Vanilla toasted oak notes and touch of melon on the nose. Pound cake, vanilla, and lychee on the palate.

### *MARS IWAI TRADITIONAL*

Sweet barbecue, cinnamon, prunes, raisins, buttery biscuits and milk chocolate on the nose.  
Ripe banana and whoppers malted candy on the palate.

### *MARS LUCKY CAT "MINT" BLENDED WHISKY*

Dry and woody on the nose. Honey and vanilla, on the palate giving way to a soft mellow mint aftertaste.

## NIKKA FLIGHT 59

### *NIKKA COFFEY GRAIN*

Vanilla, corn spice and herbs on the nose. Sweet, fruit, melon, thick syrup, buttermilk biscuits and fresh vanilla on the palate.

### *NIKKA TAKETSURU 17YR PURE MALT*

Fresh and fruity, berries, vanilla fragrant wood and honey on the nose. Spicy and rounded, vanilla, blood orange and a little chocolate on the palate.

### *NIKKA TAKETSURU 21YR PURE MALT*

Oak, soy sauce, cocoa, espresso beans on the nose. Black pepper, ginger, citrus peels marmalade on the palate.

## SUNTORY YAMAZAKI DISTILLERY 98

### *HIBIKI HARMONY*

Rose, lychee, hint of rosemary, mature woodiness, sandalwood on the nose. Honey-like sweetness, candied orange peel and white chocolate on the palate.

### *HIBIKI 17*

Peach, apricot, melon, rose, lily and lemon on the nose. Toffee, black cherry, vanilla and mizunara (Japanese oak) on the palate.

### *HIBIKI 21*

Cooked fruit, blackberry, ripe banana, caramel on the nose. Sandalwood, honeycomb, dried apricot and mizunara (Japanese oak) on the palate.

## SUNTORY HAKUSHU DISTILLERY 75

### *SUNTORY TOKI*

Basil, green apple and honey on the nose. Grapefruit, green grapes, ginger, peppermint and thyme on the palate.

### *HAKUSHU 12YR SINGLE MALT*

Pine needle, basil, and green apple on the nose. Sweet pear, mint, kiwi on the palate.

### *HAKUSHU 18YR SINGLE MALT*

Ripe pears, dried mint, oregano and hint of smoke on the nose. Jasmine, mango, quince and menthol on the palate.

Each flight is served in three 1 ounce portions.