Mutual Trading, Inc. Japanese Spirit Spec Sheet

Distillery	Sasanokawa Distillery
Founded	1765
Profile	Sasanokawa is Tohoku Japan's oldest sake brewery, and they began distilling whisky in 1946 - as such, the distillery boasts a long history of producing small batch craft whiskies for the local area, using the excellent quality Koriyama city water. Their original Asaka distillery located deep in the mountains was revitalized in 2016 to take over production of their ji-whisky (local Japanese Whisky). They are also famed for assisting Ichigo Akuto in the launch of Ichiro's Malt whisky line by holding on to casks from the closed Hanyu Distillery.

Product Name	Sasakawa Fine Whisky
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Item Number	10280
Case Contents	12 bottles
Size	750ml
Style	Whisky
Blend Ratio	50% Malt, 50% Grain
Still Type	Pot Still
Aged	3+ Years
Barrel Type	USA Bourbon, Oak
ABV	40%
Pour Color	Gold
Introduced In	N/A
Distillery Location	Fukushima Prefecture
Master Distiller	VP Kyoji Yamaguchi



LIGHT BODY	MEDIUM BODY	RICH BODY
	0	

LIGHT FLAVOR	MEDIUM FLAVOR	RICH FLAVOR
	0	

SHORT FINISH	MEDIUM FINISH	LONG FINISH
		0

NEAT	ON THE ROCKS	FOR COCKTAILS
0	0	0

Tasting Notes

A skilled blend of peated malt whisky aged in bourbon barrels imported from the USA and grain whisky aged in oak barrels. Both whiskies are put to rest for a minimum of 3 years before being blended. Soft aromas of vanilla cream, powdered sugar, with a hint of smoke and sea salt. Silky, easy to drink, and very well balanced. The whisky has a bold, smokey character and a mellow aftertaste. Perfect by itself, but does well on the rocks or as a cocktail base as well.