

# BARRIO

## COCINA Y TEQUILERIA

### TEQUILA

Tequila is the distilled spirit from the heart of the *agave* (ah-GAH-vay) plant - a spiky succulent of the lily family. Tequila comes from the states of Jalisco, Nayarit, Tamaulipas, Michoacan and Guanajuato. Mexico claims exclusive global use of the word "Tequila" and only alcoholic beverages made with Blue Weber Agave, grown in the officially demarcated area within Mexico, and under the rules of the Official Norma of Tequila, can be labelled as "Tequila".

### BLUE WEBER AGAVE

In Mexico alone there are more than 200 hundred varieties of agave plants. However, only Blue Weber Agave is suitable for the production of Tequila. The plant was classified in 1905 by German botanist Franz Weber, from whom this variety took its name.

### HARVEST & DISTILLATION

The agave plant takes a minimum of 6-8 years to mature. A harvester, known as a Jimador (Him-adore), removes the leaves and roots from a fully mature agave which resembles a huge pineapple weighing 80 to 150 lbs called a piña (peen-ya). The piña is quartered then cooked to convert starch to sugar. The juice is extracted, fermented and double distilled to get its alcohol content up to 38-40% (76-80 proof). Before bottling, the tequila is held in whisky/bourbon oak barrels whose insides are scraped and charred.

### VARIETALS

Different kinds of tequila are produced by over 150 registered companies in Mexico.

**100% AGAVE TEQUILA** is the best you can buy and is made from only Blue Weber Agave. The label will simply state 100% Agave and nothing else.

**MIXTO OR BLENDED TEQUILA** is made using a minimum of 51% Blue Weber Agave and the remainder is mixed with Sugarcane or Corn sugars. Tequila and 100% Agave Tequila are generally sold in 5 different categories based on their age. These are Blanco, Gold, Reposado, Anejo, and Extra Anejo.

**BLANCO** also known as silver, plata or white tequila is clear and bottled within 60 days of distillation.

**GOLD** uses white tequila or 100% Agave Tequila mixed with caramel or matured tequila to intensify the character.

**REPOSADO** or literally "rested" is matured for 2 to 12 months in white oak barrels or vats.

**ANEJO** or 'old/aged' is matured from one to three years in barrels.

**EXTRA ANEJO** is ultra aged tequila kept in barrels for at least 3 years. In practice, the aging period is normally longer and depends on the characteristics each company wants to give to the final product.

**MEZCAL** is made from Agave potatorum, which grows primarily in the state of Oaxaca. This is the drink famous for the worm in its bottle although there is no technical reason for, or any improvement in its characteristics from adding the worm. Mezcal's smoky flavor comes from the wood used when heating the stones in underground pits when the agave is cooked. Mezcal's fermentation and distillation processes are similar to those of Tequila.

### FEATURED FLIGHTS

THREE 1/2 SHOTS SERVED W/ SANGRITA CHASER

<b>CABO BLANCO, REPOSADO, ANEJO</b>	15
CASAMIGOS BLANCO, REPOSADO, ANEJO	21
<i>DON JULIO BLANCO, REPOSADO, ANEJO</i>	19
el Jimador silver, reposado, anejo	8.5
<b>HERRADURA SILVER, REPOSADO, ANEJO</b>	18
<i>milagra silver, reposado, anejo</i>	13.5

### MEZCAL

	1/2	FULL
Del Maguey Pechuga	18	36
Del Maguey Tobala	14	28
Del Maguey Vida	4.5	9
Los Amantes Reposado	6.5	13
Los Amantes Anejo	8	16
Monte Alban	3.5	7
Montelobos Joven	5	10

### FLAVORED

	1/2	FULL
Cabo Diablo Coffee	4	8
1800 Silver Coconut	4	8
Hornitos Spiced Honey	3.5	7
Jose Cuervo Cinge	3	6
Patron Citronage Lime or Orange	3.5	7
Patron XO Café Incendio	4	8
Tanteo Jalapeno	7	14
Tarantula Azul Citrus	3.5	7
Terremoto Churros	3.5	7
Terremoto Jalapeno Lime	3.5	7

### WHISKEY & SCOTCH

American Born Sweet Tea Moonshine	9.5
Elijah Craig 12 yr	8
Evan Williams Single Barrel	8
Canadian Club	8
Crown Royal	8
Dewars White Label	8
Glenfiddich	8
Gentlemen Jack	9
Jack Daniels Old 7 Black	7
Jameson	6
Maker's Mark	9
Old Forester 86	7
Rittenhouse Rye	7
Russell's Reserve Rye	9
Russell's Reserve Single Barrel	10
Two James Grass Widow	9
Wild Turkey 101	7
Wild Turkey Rare Breed	10
Woodford Reserve	9

# TEQUILA

## MICHIGAN'S LARGEST TEQUILA SELECTION 150+

	1/2	FULL		1/2	FULL		1/2	FULL
123 Organic Reposado "2"	7	14	Corzo Silver	6.5	13	Kah Blanco	6.5	13
123 Organic Anejo "3"	8	16	Corzo Reposado	7	14	Kah Blanco End of Days	7.5	15
1800 Silver	4	8	Corzo Anejo	8	16	Kah Reposado	7.5	15
1800 Reposado	4	8	Cruz Silver	7	14	Kah Anejo	8.5	17
1800 Anejo	4.5	9	Cruz Reposado	7.5	15	Kah Extra Anejo	30.5	61
1921 Blanco Tequila	5.5	11	Deleon Platinum	7	14	Lunazul Blanco	2.5	5
Antiguo Blanco	3.5	7	Deleon Reposado	8	16	Lunazul Reposado	2.5	5
Asombroso Silver	4	8	Deleon Extra Anejo	40	80	Lunazul Anejo	3	6
Asombroso Extra Anejo	28	56	Don Eduardo Silver	4	8	Lunazul Primero	4	8
Avion Silver	5.5	11	Don Eduardo Reposado	4	8	Maestro Dobel Diamond	7	14
Avion Reposado	6	12	Don Eduardo Anejo	5	10	Maestro Dobel Reposado	7	14
Avion Anejo	6.5	13	Don Julio Blanco	6.5	13	Maestro Dobel Anejo	8	16
Avion Extra Anejo Reserva	16.5	33	Don Julio Reposado	7	14	Margaritaville Silver	2	4
Blue Nector Silver	5.5	11	Don Julio Anejo	7.5	15	Margaritaville Gold	2	4
Blue Nector Reposado	6	12	Don Julio 1942	10	20	Milagro Silver	4	8
Blue Nector Anejo	7	14	Don Julio Real Extra Anejo	37.5	75	Milagro Reposado	4.5	9
Cabo Wabo Blanco	5	10	Dos Lunas Silver	4	8	Milagro Anejo	6	12
Cabo Wabo Reposado	5.5	11	El Charro Silver	2	4	Milagro Select Silver	7	14
Cabo Wabo Anejo	6	12	El Charro Reposado	2	4	Milagro Select Reposado	8.5	17
Cabresto Silver	3	6	El Charro Anejo	3.5	7	Milagro Select Anejo	13.5	27
Cabresto Reposado	3.5	7	El Jimador Blanco	3	6	Monte Alban Silver	2	4
Cabresto Anejo Reserva	5	10	El Jimador Reposado	3	6	Monte Alban Reposado	2	4
Cabresto Extra Anejo Res	15	30	El Jimador Anejo	3.5	7	Olmecca Altos Plata	4	8
Cabrito Blanco	2.5	5	El Mayor Blanco	4	8	Olmecca Altos Reposado	4	8
Cabrito Reposado	2.5	5	El Mayor Reposado	4	8	Patron Silver	4.5	9
Camarena Silver	3	6	El Mayor Anejo	4.5	9	Patron Reposado	5	10
Camarena Reposado	3	6	Espolon Blanco	3.5	7	Patron Anejo	6	12
Campeon Silver	6	12	Espolon Reposado	3.5	7	Patron Rocca Silver	9	18
Campeon Reposado	6.5	13	Espolon Anejo	5	10	Patron Rocca Reposado	10.5	21
Campeon Anejo	7	14	Espolon Extra Anejo	11	22	Patron Rocca Anejo	12	24
Casa Noble Crystal	5.5	11	Exotico Blanco	3	6	Gran Patron Piedra Ex Anejo	48.5	97
Casa Noble Reposado	7	14	Exotico Reposado	3	6	Peligroso Silver	4	8
Casa Noble Anejo	8	16	Gran Centenario Plata	4	8	Peligroso Reposado	4.5	9
Casamigos Blanco	7	14	Gran Centenario Reposado	4	8	Peligroso Anejo	5	10
Casamigos Reposado	7.5	15	Gran Centenario Rosangel	4	8	Pepe Lopez Premium Silver	2	4
Casamigos Anejo	8	16	Gran Centenario Anejo	5	10	Pepe Lopez Premium Gold	2	4
Cava del Oro Extra Anejo	15	30	Gran Centenario Leyenda	33.5	67	Pura Vida Silver	4.5	9
Cazadores Blanco	3.5	7	Herradura Repo Scotch	11	22	Pura Vida Reposado	5	10
Cazadores Reposado	4	8	Herradura Silver	6	12	Pura Vida Anejo	5.5	11
Cazadores Anejo	5	10	Herradura Reposado	6	12	Pura Vida Extra Anejo	10	20
Centinela Blanco	4.5	9	Herradura Anejo	7.5	15	Sauza Silver	2.5	5
Centinela Reposado	5	10	Herradura Select Suprema	37.5	75	Sauza Gold	2.5	5
Centinela Anejo	6	12	Hornitos Plata	3.5	7	Sauza Tres Generaciones	6	12
Centinela Anejo 3 Anos	20	40	Hornitos Reposado	3.5	7	Siete Lagunas Silver	5.5	11
Clase Azul Plata	8.5	17	Hussong's Reposado	5	10	Siete Lagunas Reposado	6	12
Clase Azul Reposado	11	22	Jose Cuervo Especial Gold	2.5	5	Siete Lagunas Anejo	6.5	13
Clase Azul Anejo	55	110	Jose Cuervo Especial Silver	3	6	Sparkle Donkey Silver	3.5	7
Corazon De Agave Blanco	3.5	7	Jose Cuervo Platino Res	7.5	15	Sparkle Donkey Reposado	3.5	7
Corazon De Agave Repo	4	8	Jose Cuervo De La Familia	23.5	47	Tequila Cabeza	4.5	9
Corazon De Agave Anejo	4	8	Jose Cuervo Trdcnl Silver	3	6	Terremoto Silver	3.5	7
Corralejo Silver	3.5	7	Jose Cuervo Trdcnl Repo	3.5	7	Terremoto Gold	3.5	7
Corralejo Reposado	3.5	7	Juarez Silver	2.5	5	Tres Agaves Blanco	4	8
Corralejo Triple Distilled	5.5	11	Juarez Gold	2.5	5	Tres Agaves Reposado	4.5	9
Corralejo Anejo	5.5	11				Tres Agaves Anejo	5.5	11
Corralejo Anejo 99K Horas	6.5	13						