

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

CABO BLANCO, REPOSADO, ANEJO	12.5
CASAMIGOS BLANCO, REPOSADO, ANEJO	18
<i>DON JULIO BLANCO, REPOSADO, ANEJO</i>	18.5
el Jimador silver, reposado, anejo	9.5
HERRADURA SILVER, REPOSADO, ANEJO	16.5
<i>milagro silver, reposado, anejo</i>	12.5

MEZCAL

	FULL
Del Maguey Pechuga	35
Del Maguey Tobala	22
Del Maguey Vida	8
Los Amantes Reposado	12
Los Amantes Anejo	14
Monte Alban	7
Montelobos Joven	9

FLAVORED

	FULL
1800 Silver Coconut	7
Hornitos Spiced Honey	6
Jose Cuervo Cinge	6
Patron Citronage Lime or Orange	7
Patron XO Café Incendio	7
Tanteo Jalapeno	9
Tarantula Azul Citrus	6
Terremoto Churros	6
Terremoto Jalapeno Lime	6

WHISKEY & SCOTCH

Elijah Craig 12 yr	7
Evan Williams Single Barrel	8
Canadian Club	5
Crown Royal	7
Dewars White Label	7
Glenfiddich	10
Gentlemen Jack	8
Jack Daniels Old 7 Black	8
Jameson	7
Maker's Mark	7
Old Forester 86	6
Rittenhouse Rye	7
Russell's Reserve Rye	10
Russell's Reserve Single Barrel	12
Two James Grass Widow	12
Wild Turkey 101	7
Wild Turkey Rare Breed	9
Woodford Reserve	9

XXX "Un Lugar Para Damas Y Caballeros" XXX

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MICHIGAN'S LARGEST TEQUILA SELECTION 150+

	FULL		FULL		FULL
123 Organic Anejo "3"	12	Corzo Silver	11	Lunazul Blanco	6
1800 Silver	7	Corzo Reposado	12	Lunazul Reposado	6
1800 Reposado	7	Corzo Anejo	13	Lunazul Anejo	6
1800 Anejo	8	Cruz Reposado	11	Lunazul Primero	7
1921 Blanco Tequila	11	Deleon Platinum	8	Maestro Dobel Diamond	12
Antiguo Blanco	7	Deleon Reposado	9	Maestro Dobel Reposado	12
Asombroso Silver	8	Deleon Extra Anejo	92	Maestro Dobel Anejo	13
Asombroso Extra Anejo	45	Don Eduardo Silver	7	Milagro Silver	7
Avion Silver	9	Don Eduardo Reposado	8	Milagro Reposado	8
Avion Reposado	11	Don Eduardo Anejo	9	Milagro Anejo	10
Avion Anejo	12	Don Julio Blanco	12	Milagro Select Silver	11
Avion Extra Anejo Reserva	28	Don Julio Reposado	12	Milagro Select Reposado	13
Blue Nector Silver	9	Don Julio Anejo	13	Milagro Select Anejo	19
Blue Nector Reposado	11	Don Julio 1942	24	Monte Alban Silver	5
Blue Nector Anejo	13	Don Julio Real Extra Anejo	88	Monte Alban Reposado	5
Cabo Wabo Blanco	7	El Charro Silver	5	Ocho Plata	12
Cabo Wabo Reposado	8	El Charro Reposado	5	Ocho Reposado	13
Cabo Wabo Anejo	10	El Charro Anejo	6	Ocho Anejo	14
Cabresto Silver	7	El Jimador Blanco	6	Ocho Extra Anejo	33
Cabresto Reposado	8	El Jimador Reposado	6	Olmecca Altos Plata	7
Cabresto Anejo Reserva	10	El Jimador Anejo	7	Olmecca Altos Reposado	7
Cabresto Extra Anejo Res	21	El Mayor Blanco	7	Patron Silver	11
Camarena Silver	7	El Mayor Reposado	7	Patron Reposado	12
Camarena Reposado	7	El Mayor Anejo	7	Patron Anejo	13
Campeon Silver	15	Espolon Blanco	7	Patron Extra Anejo	18
Campeon Reposado	17	Espolon Reposado	7	Patron Rocca Silver	14
Campeon Anejo	18	Espolon Anejo	8	Patron Rocca Reposado	16
Casa Dragones Blanco	14	Espolon Extra Anejo	19	Patron Rocca Anejo	18
Casa Dragones Joven Sipping	78	Exotico Blanco	6	Gran Patron Piedra Ex Anejo	100
Casa Noble Crystal	9	Exotico Reposado	6	Peligroso Silver	7
Casa Noble Reposado	11	Gran Centenario Plata	8	Peligroso Reposado	8
Casa Noble Anejo	12	Gran Centenario Reposado	8	Peligroso Anejo	9
Casamigos Blanco	11	Gran Centenario Anejo	9	Pura Vida Silver	9
Casamigos Reposado	12	Herradura Silver	10	Pura Vida Reposado	10
Casamigos Anejo	13	Herradura Reposado	11	Pura Vida Anejo	11
Cava De Oro Platinum	14	Herradura Anejo	12	Pura Vida Extra Anejo	18
Cava De Oro Repo	16	Herradura Ultra Anejo	22	Sauza Silver	5
Cava De Oro Anejo	19	Herradura Select Suprema	87	Sauza Gold	5
Cava De Oro Ex Anejo	27	Hornitos Plata	7	Sauza Tres Generaciones	10
Cazadores Blanco	7	Hornitos Reposado	7	Siete Lagunas Silver	11
Cazadores Reposado	7	Hornitos Anejo	8	Siete Lagunas Reposado	12
Cazadores Anejo	9	Hornitos Black Barrel Anejo	7	Siete Lagunas Anejo	13
Centinela Blanco	8	Hussong's Reposado	9	Sparkle Donkey Silver	6
Centinela Reposado	9	Hussong's Platinum Anejo	10	Sparkle Donkey Reposado	6
Centinela Anejo	10	Jose Cuervo Especial Silver	6	Suerte Blanco	10
Centinela Anejo 3 Anos	30	Jose Cuervo Especial Gold	6	Suerte Reposado	11
Clase Azul Plata	16	Jose Cuervo Platino Res	12	Suerte Anejo	13
Clase Azul Reposado	19	Jose Cuervo De La Familia	28	Suerte Extra Anejo	24
Clase Azul Anejo	118	Jose Cuervo Trdcnl Silver	6	Tequila Cabeza	9
Corazon De Agave Blanco	6	Jose Cuervo Trdcnl Repo	6	Terremoto Silver	6
Corazon De Agave Repo	7	Kah Blanco	12	Terremoto Gold	6
Corazon De Agave Anejo	8	Kah Blanco End of Days	14	Tres Agaves Blanco	7
Corralejo Silver	7	Kah Reposado	12	Tres Agaves Reposado	8
Corralejo Reposado	8	Kah Anejo	13	Tres Agaves Anejo	9
Corralejo Triple Distilled	10	Kah Extra Anejo	41		

HALF SHOTS AVAILABLE AT HALF PRICE