# THE TOP SHELF

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- CHARLES EAMES

# V O D K A



## TAIGA SHTOF SIBERIAN VODKA

#### €16

A premium vodka, blending the highest quality wheat and winter rye with the purest mineral water sourced from around the Siberian region. Made of 100% Alpha Spirit, it delivers a brutally smooth taste which brings drinkers back to the original experience of real vodka.

# BALLYKEEFE SMALL BATCH VODKA

#### €26

There was a time when family farm distilleries flourished all over Ireland... Today there is Ballykeefe. With only 1,200 bottles produced, we are the first bar in Dublin to offer this extremely hard to find product. We have the first bottle ever batched (BOTTLE: 0001) hidden away, but our conscience will not allow us to open it... yet. This limited-edition release was left to rest in two Rye Whiskey casks for 12 months.

## GIN

# BEEFEATER BURROUGH'S RESERVE OAK RESTED GIN

#### €18

The gin for free thinkers. Burrough's Reserve Batch was rested in French oak barrels, which formerly held the French Aperitif Reserve Jean de Lillet. The resultant spirit has a lovely, gentle golden color with notes of citrus and subtle spice.

# COGNAC



# REMY LOUIS XIII

#### €190

An experience like no other. First created in 1874, LOUIS XIII Cognac is an exquisite blend of up to 1,200 grapes eau de vie sourced 100% from Grande Champagne, the first cru of the Cognac region. Each eau-de-vie is matured slowly inside oak cask.

## REMY MARTIN XO

#### €24

Containing 85% Grande Champagne eau de vie, the Remy Martin XO Cognac offers exceptional ageing potential. The perfect expression of Fine Champagne opulence with mature flavours of juicy plums and candied oranges, with a hint of hazelnut and cinnamon.

# **HENNESSY XO**

#### €26

Blended from about 100 eau de vie, that have taken on the highest amounts of wood tannins to create a completely satisfying cognac: robust and rich with an incredible persistence.

# R U M



## HAVANA 15YO GRAN RESERVA

#### €26

Always extremely hard to find, the Havana Club 15 Year Old is a superb sipping rum that is great for serving up on special occasions or as a reward after a long week. The distillery does not have much older stocks in its inventory, so the 15 years old is one to treasure.

### APPLETON ESTATE 21YO

#### €36

With a limited number of bottles released, this is one of the best rums ever to be made available. Super-rich in flavour and texture with a silky soft mouthfeel and a finish that goes on forever.

# TEQUILA

## GRAN PATRON BURDEOS ANEJO TEQUILA

#### €66

This Tequila is produced from the highest quality Weber blue agave plants of Jalisco, Mexico. Matured in a blend of American and French oak barrels and aged for a minimum of 12 months. It is then distilled again before it is racked in vintage Bordeaux barrels, hand-selected from the great chateaux of France. This tequila is for sipping, and savouring.

# AMERICAN WHISKEY



# JACK DANIEL'S SINATRA SELECT

#### €19

A special edition from Jack Daniel's, celebrating one of the whiskey's biggest fans – Frank Sinatra. This release is not only bottled at a stronger 45%, but is also partly matured in 'Sinatra barrels', grooved on the inside to allow more interaction between the spirit and the wood, developing a deeper and more intense flavour.

# TAIWANESE WHISKEY

# KAVALAN SOLIST VINHO BARRIQUE SINGLE CASK STRENGTH

#### €29

Voted World's Best Single Malt Whiskey at the World Whiskey Awards, 2015. Vinho Barriqua is fully matured in used American oak wine barrels that have been toasted and recharred in a way that brings out fruity vanilla notes from the whiskey and wood overlaid on a delicate background of complex fruitiness. We suggest drinking Kavalan Solist Vinho Barrique Single Cask neat.

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# REDBREAST 1997 1ST FILL SHERRY CASK

#### €48

Laid down in the Midleton Distillery in October 1997, this is bottle number 049 of the 600 made available. A whiskey with huge, sherry cask richness.

## TULLAMORE DEW 18YO SINGLE MALT

#### €26

Small batch production. This is a very limited edition of Tullamore Dew. Bottled at 18 years old, this triple distilled single malt was matured in a complex mix of ex-bourbon, sherry, madeira and port barrels. Less than 2500 bottles have been made and once it's gone, it's gone.

### JAMESON 18YO CASK STRENGTH

#### €39

A special blend of rare pot still and grain Irish whiskeys. After ageing for almost two decades, these whiskeys are married together and spend their final finishing period in their original home, at the Jameson Distillery Bow Street in Dublin. Launched to the world in 2018, this whiskey is their rarest release and is bottled once per year, at cask strength. Once opened, depth and complexity join the conversation, sweet toffee notes slowly fade in, and toasted oak and spices linger long into the evening.

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# DRUMSHANBO PINOT NOIR CASK SINGLE POT STIL

#### €24

Drumshanbo Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey has been triple distilled at the Shed Distillery using Malted Irish Barley, Un-malted Irish Barley, and Irish Barra Oats. Aged in Sherry Oloroso and Kentucky Bourbon cas

# THE TAOSCÁN SINGLE MALT

#### €120

The Taoscán is the world's first Port & Chestnut finished whiskey; a unique blend of barrels brought together in perfect harmony. There is no whiskey on earth like The Taoscán. While its formative years in American Oak Bourbon casks and Sherry Oloroso butts imparted vanilla, cedar, oaked musk and notes of rich maple syrup, caramelised figs and juicy. The Taoscán is the world's first Tawny Port and French Chestnut single malt whiskey.

### MIDLETON BARRY CROCKETT

#### €40

This single pot still whiskey is mostly matured in first fill bourbon casks with a small amount going into virgin Amercian oak. There is no age statement, but some of the whiskey used is around 25 years old. Enjoy neat or with just a little water.

# SCOTCH



# **GLENMORANGIE SIGNET**

#### €29

One of the world's greatest whiskies without an age statement. Signet is made from a unique mix of standard malted barley along with a proportion of chocolate malt. A variety of casks are used for ageing, including some virgin oak barrels.

# JOHNNIE WALKER BLUE

#### €32

Johnnie Walker's top blend. Vatted from superior aged whiskeys, Johnnie Walker Blue Label sets the standard, with layers and layers of flavour from hand-selected, rare casks from across the distilling regions of Scotland. Its flavours are influenced by the smoke of the west and the rich, sweet whiskies of the east.

# MACALLAN RARE CASK

#### €94

A rare whisky, because this is made using the distillery's more peaty/smoky distilate which is only made on rare occasions at the distillery. Around 100 different casks were chosen to make up this bottling with the majority of them being the classic Macallan sherry casks on which the distillery built its reputation.