

Santa Maria Premium (T11)



An extremely rare bottle of Japanese rum.

The Premium version of lejima rums, dating from 2012

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50cl - alc. 60% vol.

Product Type: Japanese rum
Category: Sugar cane juice base
Alcohol: Alc. 60% Vol.
Format: 50cl bottle
Producer: lejima Distillery
Region: Pref. of Okinawa
Ingredients: Sugar cane juice

About the distillery : lejima Distillery is a young factory since it only exists since 2011. It is located on the island of lejima, west of the main island of Okinawa. Historically, it is a relatively poor place in Japan because the lack of water in these semi-tropical regions has never allowed the cultivation of rice. In contrast, sugar cane has been grown locally since 1630. It is from this local cane that a former Awamori distiller produces Santa Maria rum. The factory policy is very clear: to intervene as little as possible on the steps before distillation (no refrigeration of fermentation tanks for example). The idea being that by working as naturally as possible, the soul of the island of lejima will be transmitted to rum and will allow it to travel outside the limits of the island.