MASTIC TEARS DRY EVA DISTILLERY





TYPE : MASTIC LIQUEUR

PRODUCER: EVA DISTILLERY

ALCOHOLIC VOLUME (%): 30

BOTTLE SIZE : 50, 200, 500, 700ml

ABOUT

Dry with elegant but bold aromatic character. Mastic Tears Dry is a sophisticated liqueur distilled from tree resin found on the beautiful island of Chios, Greece. Exceptionally balanced taste. Crystal clear with intense mastic aromas.

PRODUCTION

Mastic Tears Dry starts by distilling 96% ABV pure ethyl grain alcohol in copper stills along with mastiha resin. The distillate that is collected after the process is 80% vol. This mastic distillate is a flavoured alcoholic solution which is then mixed with 96% pure ethyl alcohol, and finally sugar is added. The mix is then diluted with softened water leading to a final ABV of 30%.

MASTIC TREE

The ground around the tree trunk is weeded and the soil is cleansed and leveled so that any mastic "tears" that fall on to the ground can be easily gathered. The "kentima", as the carving of small scars on the bark is called, is done with the help of a small, sharp metal tool with grooved ends. Mastic is gathered before the first autumn rain. It is sieved and diligently cleaned with olive oil, mild natural soap and rain water. Large and medium sized mastic tears are cleaned one by one with a needle or small knife.



CHARACTERISTICS:

Dry and delicate Bold, distinctive mastic taste Sweet, lingering aftertaste



SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Enjoy well chilled as a shot, in cocktails or as an after dinner digestive drink.

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