

LUXARDO MARASCHINO

Originale Cherry Liqueur

Supplier: Girolamo Luxardo S.p.A.

Name: Luxardo Maraschino Originale Cherry Liqueur

Alcohol strength: 32% alc/vol

Size: 750 ml

Description:

Luxardo Maraschino Originale is a classic, and has been the Luxardo flagship since 1821. The patented, hand-woven, straw-plaited bottle has become an iconic symbol of the brand.

Luxardo Maraschino is one of very few liqueurs produced by distillation. It is made from the marasca cherry, a sour cherry variety cultivated exclusively by Luxardo in the family owned orchards on the Euganean Hills, in the Veneto region of Italy. The distillate is allowed to mature for two years in Finnish ash vats – a wood that does not lend its color even after many years of maturing. The spirit is then diluted and sugared.

Characteristics:

Color: Clear.

Aroma: Typical of marasca distillate, with an intense aroma, fine and well amalgamated, without any aggressive notes.

Flavor: Smooth but stong; a sweet liqueur with a clear punch, clearly perceived despite the moderate alcohol content. A rounded taste and a surprisingly persistent aroma.

Packaging:

Patented round, green glass bottle, with a red capsule and a hand fitted straw wrap-around. The label includes some of the many medals won in international competitions from the mid-19th century to the present, on the back there are serving suggestions.

Serving suggestions:

- Neat or on the rocks as an after-dinner drink.
- With iced tonic water or added to coffee.
- In mixed drinks, and several classic cocktails such as the Aviation, Emerson, Mary Pickford, Cuba Libre, Daiquiri, Screwdriver, Derby Royale, York Special, Dewey Flip, Cider Cobbler and Gilmour Punch.
- To flavor confectionery goods and ice cream.

Awards:

SILVER– 2011 World Spirits Competition San Francisco

5 Stars– F. Paul Pacult's Spirit Journal, 2007

To date, Luxardo Maraschino has won 56 Gold Medals.

