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BRAND:

# Clase Azul Añejo

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CLOSURE: Cork

CASE SIZE: 6 x 70cl

ABV: 40%

ORIGIN: Mexico

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HISTORY:

Clase Azul is an ultra-premium Tequila made from 100% organic Tequilana Weber Blue Agaves. Clase Azul Añejo “Edición Indígena Mazahua” (or Mazahua-Edition) is the fruit of two worlds that meet. It symbolizes the union of authentic Mexican indigenous roots (represented by the unfired clay) with European glazing techniques that when combined, result in a combination of history, art and the highest quality tequila. The Añejo is offered in ceramic decanter in the iconic Clase Azul shape with extra ornamentation representing the evolution of tequila from the earth. The final flourish is a 24 Carat logo, which shows great love and care for the spirit inside the bottle. Each bottle is numbered by hand and signed by the master distiller and the individual Mazahuan artisan.

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#### PRODUCTION:

The Plata is produced in the town of Jesús Maria – one of the highest points in Los Altos, or highlands, region of the state of Jalisco which gives a very unique flavour profile to the tequila.

The hand-selected agave is matured for at least 9 years.

Immediately after Jimado the agave piñas are slow-cooked whole with steam for 72 hours in traditional stone ovens to eliminate the bitter honeys. After cooled, double fermentation is undertaken with secret proprietary yeasts and then carefully distilled in copper pot stills with a rigorous attention to detail on heads & tails to ensure the highest quality spirit. Triple filtration before extended ageing for 25 months in fine small American White Oak barrels selected by the master distiller.

#### TASTING NOTE:

Amber in colour, with a full and rich body. Mesmeric and enticing on the nose; it displays sumptuous notes of aromatic oak, fresh agave, almonds and apples wrapped in vanilla and caramel. These enthralling flavours are firmly carried through onto the palate, which is long and delicious. The ageing time gives this sipping tequila an amazing balance, body and flavour profile.

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