

## XISHUI WINE (习酒)

**Country of origin:** China

**Type of product:** Liqueur of beer and wheat grains

**Geographical Area:** Xishui County in the Guizhou Province

**Specificity of the Product:** Xixiang, adhering to the traditional Chinese liquor technology, uses solid-state brewing grain. It also uses local quality waxy sorghum, wheat, and water as raw materials. It is produced via a complex process that involves yeast fermentation, special refining at a high temperature, accumulation of fermentation, and long-term storage. Its varieties use different rounds, different typical body, and different alcohol contents. It is "yellowish transparent, Maotai prominent, full-bodied, long aftertaste, empty cup lasting fragrance" – these are its typical style characteristics.



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