ULTIMATE SPIRITS CHALLENGE

NO SHORTCUTS. JUST HONEST, IMPARTIAL JUDGING.

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Cocktail Commendations

Suitable products such as unflavored vodka, tequila, most rums, gin etc. were assessed in a category-relevant cocktail. Products deemed not suitable are flavored or long-aged spirits.
Spirits that scored well in their assigned cocktail are designated as Delicious (2½-3 Stars), Very Delicious (3½-4 Stars) and Drop Dead Delicious (4½-5 Stars).

Brandy

Brandy Daisy

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Christian Drouin XO, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Christian Drouin Selection, 40% abv**

Brandy

Pisco Punch

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Alto del Carmen Essence of Muscat, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Pisco Porton Acholado, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**La Caravedo Puro Quebranta, 41% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Pisco Porton Mosto Verde Acholado, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Alto del Carmen, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**La Caravedo Puro Torontel 2011, 41% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Ocucaje Quebranta, 44% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**CAPEL Premium, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Pago de Los Frailes Puro Acholado, 43% abv, 1 L**

Brandy

Sidecar

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product

Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Cognac Frapin VSOP Grande Champagne, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**E&J VS, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Leyrat X.O Elite, 40% abv, 700 ml**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Courvoisier XO, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Cognac Frapin Extra Grande Champagne, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Delamain Pale & Dry XO Grande Champagne, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Pierre Croizet, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**St-Rémy XO, 40% abv, 700 ml**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Cognac Frapin V.I.P. XO Grande Champagne, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Courvoisier VS, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**St-Rémy Réserve Privée , 40% abv, 700 ml**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Tesseron Lot 53 XO, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Christian Brothers Sacred Bond, 50% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Hine Rare VSOP, 40% abv**

Gin

Tom Collins

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Plymouth, 41.2% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Stonecutter Spirits Single Barrel, 45% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Beefeater, 47% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Bombay Sapphire East, 42% abv, 1 L**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Booth's Cask Mellowed, 45% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Fifty Pounds, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**FORDS GIN, 45% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**The West Winds Gin "The Cutlass", 50% abv, 700 ml**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Brazos Barrel Select, 46.25% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Plymouth Navy Strength, 57% abv**

Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Seagram's Extra Dry, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Tommyrotter Distillery American, 42% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Conniption Navy Strength, 57% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Darnley's View, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Half Moon Orchard, 46% abv, 1 L**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Hendrick's, 44% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Seagram's Distillers Reserve, 47% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**The West Winds Gin "The Broadside", 58% abv, 700 ml**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**UNGAVA Canadian Premium, 43% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Conniption American Dry, 44% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**DIPLOME Original 1945 Recipe, 44% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Farmer's Organic, 46.7% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Junipero, 49.3% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**New Amsterdam, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Russell Henry Dark, 45.6% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Beefeater 24, 45% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**The West Winds Gin "The Captain's Cut", 63% abv, 500 ml**

Rum

Hemingway

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Cane Run Number 12 Blend, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**BACARDI Superior, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Cruzan Aged Light, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Appleton Estate White, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Brugal Especial Extra Dry, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Kōloa Kauai White, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**PRIVATEER Silver Reserve, 40% abv**

Delicious	3 Stars	**The Naked Turtle White, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Damoiseau 110 Proof Blanc, 55% abv, 1 L**

Rum

Mai Tai

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Appleton Estate Special, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Cruzan Single Barrel, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Marauda Steelpan, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**PARCE 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Damoiseau XO, 42% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Don Q Signature Release Single Barrel 2005 10 Years Old, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Ron Viejo de Caldas 3 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Appleton Estate Reserve Blend, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**BACARDI Gold, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**BACARDI Black, 40% abv, 1 L**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Bartlett Rusticator Organic, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**MOUNT GAY XO Reserve Cask, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**PRIVATEER True American Amber, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Rumson's, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Appleton Estate Signature Blend, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Cruzan Estate Diamond Dark, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Malecon 10 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Mezan Single Distillery 2006 9 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**MOUNT GAY Black Barrel, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Pusser's Blue Label, 42% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Rumson's Grand Reserve, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Brugal Anejo, 38% abv**

Delicious	3 Stars	**Brugal Extra Viejo, 38% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Brugal XV, 37.5% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Brugal 1888, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**CANA BRAVA Reserva Aneja 7 Years Old, 45% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Mezan Single Distillery Rum 2000 15 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Rhum Barbancourt Réserve Spéciale (5 Star) 8 Years Old, 43% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Stonewall American, 42% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**BACARDI Gran Reserva Ocho Años 8 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Cruzan Aged Dark, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Kōloa Kauai Gold, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Mezan Single Distillery Rum 2005 10 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**PARCE 8 Years Old, 40% abv**

Tequila/Other Agave

Classic Margarita

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Blue Nectar, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Blue Nectar Founder's Blend, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Chinaco, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Corazon, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**DÉCADA Single Estate, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Pueblo Viejo, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Santera, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Blue Nectar Extra Blend, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Cabo Wabo, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Cruz, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**El Tesoro, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**El Tesoro, 40% abv**

Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Partida, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Partida, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Pueblo Viejo, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Roca Patrón, 42% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Siete Leguas, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Siete Leguas, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**TEQUILA CABEZA, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**AGAVE 99, 49.5% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Corazon, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Familia Camarena, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Herradura, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Herradura, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Olmeca Altos, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Roca Patrón, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Roca Patrón, 44% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Santera, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Santera, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Siete Leguas, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**AGAVE 99, 49.5% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Chamucos, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**El Mayor, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Familia Camarena, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Malinalli, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Cabo Wabo, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Chinaco, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Exotico, 40% abv**

Delicious	2½ Stars	**Herradura Coleccion De La Casa Directo De Alambique, 55% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Hornitos Black Barrel, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Olmeca Altos, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Partida, 40% abv**

Vodka/Aquavit

Cosmopolitan

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Belvedere, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Empire Spirits 1972 Private Club, 40% abv, 1 L**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Khortytsa Platinum, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Medea, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Platinum 7X, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Snow Leopard, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Western Son Texas, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Crop Organic Artisanal, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Kozak, 40% abv, 1 L**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Mamont, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**OCEAN Organic, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Prime Superior, 40% abv, 1 L**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Purus Organic Wheat, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Quartz, 41% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**VDKA 6100, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Wyborowa Wybo, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**360, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Belvedere Unfiltered, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Belvedere Intense, 50% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Born and Bred, 40% abv**

Delicious	3 Stars	**BOTECO, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Boyd & Blair Potato, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Chase Potato, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Emory, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Fris, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Hanson of Sonoma Organic Vodka - Original, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Luksusowa, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**New Amsterdam, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Smithworks, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Sobieski, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Sobieski Estate Single Rye, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Virus, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**XDar Wheat, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Zodiac, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**AYLESBURY DUCK, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Balls, 40% abv, 1 L**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Finlandia Classic, 37.5% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Fuzzy's Ultra Premium, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Wheatley, 41% abv**

Whisk(e)y

Rusty Nail

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Dalwhinnie 15 Years Old, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Highland Park 12 Years Old, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Highland Park 15 Years Old, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Oban 14 Years Old, 43% abv**

Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Oban Little Bay, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Old Pulteney Navigator, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Powers Signature Release, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Aberlour 12 Years Old, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Aberlour A'bunadh Batch 52, 59% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**anCnoc Rascan, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Ardbeg 10 Years Old, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Buchanan's Deluxe 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Bunnahabhain 12 Years Old Islay, 46.3% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Cutty Sark Prohibition Edition, 50% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Dewar's White Label, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Glenmorangie Original 10 Years Old, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**JOHNNIE WALKER Green Label 15 Years Old, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Knappogue Castle 14 Years Old, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Midleton Barry Crockett Legacy, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Old Pulteney 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Redbreast 15 Years Old, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Sia, 43% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**The Glenlivet Nadurra First Fill, 63.1% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**The Glenlivet Founder's Reserve, 40% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Tullibardine 500, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Ardbeg Uigeadail, 54.2% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Auchentoshan 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Balblair 2002, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Benromach 15 Years Old, 43% abv**

Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Buchanan's Master, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Dewar's The Monarch 15 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Glenmorangie Lasanta 12 Years Old, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Highland Park Dark Origins, 46.8% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**John Barr Reserve Blend, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Label 5 Gold Heritage, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Laphroaig 10 Years Old, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Redbreast 12 Years Old, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**The Dalmore 15 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**The Glenrothes Vintage Reserve, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**The Glenrothes Bourbon Cask Reserve, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Yellow Spot 12 Years Old, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Aberfeldy 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**anCnoc 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Auchentoshan Three Wood, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Benromach 10 Years Old, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Chivas Regal 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Chivas Regal Extra, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Dewar's The Ancestor 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Glenmorangie Nectar D'Or 12 Years Old, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Glenmorangie Milsean, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Hankey Bannister Original, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Jameson, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Jameson Caskmates, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Jura Origin 10 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Kavalan ex-Bourbon Oak Single Malt, 46% abv**

Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Laphroaig Select, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Midleton Very Rare 2015, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Powers Gold, 43.2% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Powers John's Lane, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Redbreast Cask Strength 12 Years Old, 57.7% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Talisker 10 Years Old, 45.8% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Teeling, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Teeling, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**The Quiet Man 8 Years Old, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Writer's Tears, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Auchentoshan American Oak, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Bain's Cape Mountain, 43% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Balblair 1st Release 2005, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Barrelhound, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Bowmore 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Bowmore Darkest 15 Years Old, 43% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Deanston 12 Years Old Highland, 46.3% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Glenmorangie Quinta Ruban 12 Years Old, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Highland Queen 8 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**JOHNNIE WALKER Select Casks Rye Cask Finish 10 Years Old, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Kavalan Sherry Oak Single Malt, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Kinahan's, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Kinahan's 10 Years Old, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Label 5 Classic Black 3 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**MacPhails Collection Glenrothes 8 Years Old, 43% abv**

Delicious	3 Stars	**Nikka Coffey Grain, 45% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Speyburn 10 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Speyburn Braden Orach, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**The Dalmore 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**The Famous Grouse, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**The Glenlivet 12 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Bastille Single Malt, 43% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Dewar's White Label Scratched Cask, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Green Spot, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Pure Scot, 40% abv, 700 ml**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Talisker Storm, 45.8% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**The Famous Grouse Smoky Black, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**The Glenlivet Nadurra Peated, 61.5% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**The Quiet Man Traditional Blend 4 Years Old, 40% abv**

Whisk(e)y

Ward Eight

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Clyde May's, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Knob Creek 9 Years Old, 50% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**Old Forester Signature, 50% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Barrell Bourbon Batch 006, 61.45% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Blanton's Original Single Barrel, 46.5% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Eagle Rare Single Barrel 10 Years Old, 45% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Hillrock Solera Aged, 46.3% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Hirsch Small Batch Reserve, 46% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Hochstadter's Vatted, 50% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Knob Creek Single Barrel Reserve 9 Years Old, 60% abv**

Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Old Forester Birthday Bourbon 2015, 50% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**Wild Turkey Rare Breed, 56.4% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**1792 Port Finish, 44.45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Amador Whiskey Co. Double Barrel, 43.4% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Barrell Bourbon Single Barrel #22, 66.7% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Benchmark Old No. 8, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Blade and Bow, 45.5% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Buffalo Trace, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Chattanooga Whiskey 1816 Cask, 56.8% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Col. E.H. Taylor Single Barrel, 50% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Colkegan , 46% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Four Roses Single Barrel, 50% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Four Roses Limited Edition Small Batch 2015, 54.3% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**I.W. Harper 15 Years Old, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Jim Beam Black, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Jim Beam Pre-Prohibition Style Kentucky, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Legacy, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Old Forester 1897, 50% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Old Forester 1870 Original Batch, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Parker's Heritage Collection Kentucky 8 Years Old, 54% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Rebel Yell, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Rebel Yell Small Batch Reserve, 45.3% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Rebel Yell Small Batch, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Russell's Reserve 10 Years Old, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**The Hillhaven Lodge, 40% abv**

Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Van Winkle Special Reserve "Lot B" 12 Years Old, 45.2% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Westland American, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Westward Single Barrel Oregon, 45% abv, 375 ml**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Woodford Reserve Kentucky, 45.2% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Woodford Reserve Master's Collection 1838 Style White Corn, 45.2% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Woodford Reserve Double Oaked, 45.2% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Balcones '1' Texas Single Malt Whisky, 53% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Boondocks Cask Strength 11 Years Old, 63.5% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Breckenridge, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Chattanooga Whiskey 1816 Reserve, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Clyde May's Special Reserve, 55% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Col. E.H. Taylor Small Batch, 50% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Cooper's Craft, 41.1% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Crown Royal Hand Selected Single Barrel, 51.5% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Crown Royal Cornerstone Blend, 40.3% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Hudson Whiskey Maple Cask Rye Whiskey, 46% abv, 375 ml**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**I.W. Harper, 41% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Kentucky Tavern, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Knob Creek, 50% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Low Gap 2010 Bavarian Hard, 45.5% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Millstone 100 Months, 100% Rye Whisky, 50% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Orphan Barrel The Gifted Horse, 57.5% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Pendleton Midnight, 45% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Pike Creek, 40% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Rough Rider, 45% abv**

Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Shay's Rebellion 2012, 43% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Stagg Jr., 64.85% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Westland Distillery American Peated, 46% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Woodford Reserve Distiller's Select, 45.2% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Yellowstone Select, 46.5% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**1792 Small Batch, 46.85% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Barrell Cask Strength, Batch # 007 5 Years Old, 61.2% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Barrell Bourbon Batch 005, 63.25% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Blanton's Gold Edition Single Barrel, 51.5% abv, 700 ml**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Boondocks 11 Years Old, 47.5% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Bowman Brothers Small Batch, 45% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Caribou Crossing Single Barrel, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Crown Royal Northern Harvest Rye Canadian Whisky (Canada), 45% abv, $29.99**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Evan Williams Single Barrel 2007, 43.3% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**J.P. Wiser's 18 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**J.P. Wiser's, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Jefferson's Ocean, 45% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Jim Beam Single Barrel, 47.5% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Jim Beam Devil's Cut, 45% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Pike Creek 10 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Ransom The Emerald 1865 Straight, 43.8% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Rebecca Creek Texas 4 Years Old, 40% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Rieger's Kansas City, 46% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Wild Turkey 81 6 Years Old, 40.5% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Yellow Rose Blended, 40% abv**

Delicious	3 Stars	**Zackariah Harris, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Crown Royal Deluxe, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Elijah Craig Small Batch, 47% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Four Roses Yellow Label, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Jefferson's, 41.15% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Jim Beam Bonded , 50% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Lot No. 40, 43% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Old Forester, 43% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Texas Ranger Blended, 40% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Thomas H. Handy Sazerac, 64.6% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Wild Turkey 101 6 Years Old, 50.5% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Yellow Rose Outlaw, 46% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Yellow Rose, 45% abv**

Vermouth

50:50 Martini

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**MARTINI Riserva Speciale Ambrato, 18% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**La Quintinye Vermouth Royal Blanc, 16% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**MARTINI Bianco, 15% abv**
Delicious	3 Stars	**Alessio Bianco Vermouth (Italy), 18% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**Boissiere Extra, 18% abv**

Vermouth

Reverse Manhattan

Cocktail accolade	Score	Product
Drop Dead Delicious	5 Stars	**La Quintinye Vermouth Royal Rouge, 16.5% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**del Professore Rosso, 18% abv**
Drop Dead Delicious	4½ Stars	**MARTINI Rosso, 15% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Alessio Vermouth di Torino Rosso Vermouth (Italy), 17% abv**

Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Boissiere, 18% abv**
Very Delicious	4 Stars	**Cinzano Rosso, 15% abv**
Very Delicious	3½ Stars	**Dubonnet Rouge, 19% abv**
Delicious	2½ Stars	**MARTINI Riserva Speciale Rubino, 18% abv**