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Fashioned after Holland's renowned malt wine genevers, Ransom Dry Gin combines the maltiness and hop aromas of the style with a decidedly more intense botanical infusion. The selection of botanicals for this gin was done with tradition in mind, but we also sought to capture the essence of our terroir with the inclusion of the iconic Oregon Marionberry and local hops. The result is a highly aromatic gin with the most compelling attributes of both genever and dry gin styles. We believe it speaks meaningfully to its Dutch heritage as well as its Oregon provenance.

Ransom Dry Gin begins with a base wort of malted barley and rye, which we mash and ferment at our distillery, and an infusion of botanicals in corn based spirits. We source the finest sustainably farmed botanicals in their natural form for the infusion. The gin is distilled using a direct fired alambic pot still in order to preserve the maximum amount of aromatics, flavor and body. Only the "heart of the hearts" (the very best portion of distillate) is retained for this bottling.

Technical Specifications:

Grain bill: Corn, malted barley, and rye.

Distillation: Pot Distilled in a direct fired Prulho 10 hectoliter alambic copper still.

Botanicals: Juniper berries*, lemon peel*, coriander seed*, angelica root*, caraway seed*, star anise*, marionberries, orris root, hops, cardamom pods*, and orange peel*. * = Certified Organic botanical.

Specifications: 44% alcohol by volume (88 proof). 750 mL bottle. Bar top closure with capsule.

Tasting Notes: Ransom Dry Gin opens with ethereal aromatics of hops and white flowers, set off by bass notes from fresh marionberry and juniper berries. The palate is rich and silky, with malt flavors punctuated by citrus and exotic spice piquancy from cardamom and coriander. The gin finishes with suppleness and power, with the viscosity and richness of malt carrying clean, focused botanicals.

Suggested Cocktails: Tom Collins, Improved Holland Gin, Bramble, or Kopstoot.

Selected Accolades: 93 Points – Beverage Tasting Institute 2017, Washington Cup Winner – 2014, Gold Medal – San Francisco World Spirits Competition 2015, Gold Medal – American Craft Spirits Association Judging 2015

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