



**Chichibu Ichiro's Malt  
On The Way Japanese  
Single Malt (2019  
Release)**



**51.5%**

Drawn from bourbon casks, refill  
chibidaru quarter casks, and  
mizunara-head hogsheads, this  
has barley, dried apricot, finely  
ground pepper, and sugared apple  
on the nose. Wafting peat smoke  
aromas are accentuated by  
dilution. Incredibly fruity with  
plenty of body, the initial apple,  
pear, and spike of pepper are  
overtaken by golden syrup,  
vanilla, pastry, candied fruits, and  
fruity desserts. Stick with cask  
strength: Water releases  
gooseberry sharpness and quells  
the spices. (11,000 bottles, 288 for  
U.S.)



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