



## High West Distillery Backgrounder

### Who We Are

High West Distillery is Utah's first legal distillery since 1870, located at 7,000-foot elevation in the stunning Wasatch Mountains in historic Old Town Park City. High West brings the adventurous spirit of the Great American West to the art of making extraordinary whiskey. Our passion for whiskey extends to ryes and bourbons, vodkas, mixed cocktail blends, and, coming soon, our own exclusive whiskeys. Because we're not the type to sit still for long, we're always experimenting with new tastes and flavor profiles, which translates into our fantastic limited edition whiskeys every year.

### Grab a Taste

High West Distillery offers a portfolio featuring four excellent whiskeys:

#### *American Prairie Bourbon*

A complex, delicious blend of straight bourbons, American Prairie is a whiskey with a mission: High West donates 10% of after tax profits from each bottle toward the preservation of the American Prairie Reserve, a 5,000-square-mile land tract in Montana. (\$34.99)

#### *Double Rye!*

Another blend of two straight rye whiskeys, one 2-year-old and one 16-year-old, the complex Double Rye! offers a spicier, smoother, more balanced taste profile than other ryes of similar lineage. (\$34.99)

#### *Rendezvous Rye*

A blend of two exotic straight rye whiskeys, Rendezvous Rye marries the aromatic qualities of a 16-year-old rye with a bold, spicy 6-year-old to produce a full flavored, complex whiskey. (\$59.99)

#### *Campfire*

High West Whiskey Campfire is the world's only blend of rye, bourbon, and Scotch. A distinctive, delicious whiskey, Campfire offers notes of sweet honey from ripe bourbon, floral fruity spice from a mature rye, and smoke from a peated Scotch whiskey. (\$64.99)

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Known for its best-in-class sourced whiskey blends, High West is also currently distilling rye and malt in its 1,600-gallon-capacity stills to produce and release its **own exclusive whiskey** very soon.

The High West Distillery also makes clear spirits and acclaimed bottled cocktails.

### *High West 7000' Vodka*

Looking for a clear spirit? The High West Distillery filters pure snowmelt from its mountains, located at exactly 7,000-foot elevation, in deep rock aquifers, to produce wonderful tasting water with well-balanced mineral content. Combining that water with carefully distilled, locally sourced oats, High West produces a silky-smooth vodka with a rich mouth feel. (\$29.99)

### *High West Silver Whiskey – Western Oat*

High West Silver Whiskey is a smooth oat-based whiskey that has just seen the inside of a barrel. We call it silver because we distill it in old town Park City, one of the west's richest silver mining towns. (\$32.99)

### *36<sup>th</sup> Vote Barreled Manhattan*

Named for the key 36<sup>th</sup> vote cast (and carefully orchestrated) to end Prohibition, our barreled Manhattan is made from two parts of High West's Double Rye! Whiskey, one part sweet red vermouth, and two dashes of Angostura bitters for every 2.5-ounce serving. It was then aged in a 2-year-old rye whiskey barrel for 3-6 months. (\$49.99)

### *The High West Barreled Boulevardier*

To create the High West Barreled Boulevardier, we mix bourbon with Vya sweet vermouth and Gran Classico, a bitter amaro from Switzerland. We marry the mixture in American oak bourbon barrels where it rest until it reaches perfection. (\$49.99)

### *Limited Releases*

Always hungry (and thirsty!) for something new, High West produces highly coveted **limited edition whiskeys**, such as A Midwinter Night's Dram (\$TK), Bourye (\$79.99) and Yippee Ki-Yay (\$64.99).

### *Distillery Exclusives*

From time to time we come across something special in a limited quantity (or just feel like experimenting!) that we release as a special surprise for visitors to our distillery. The most recent distillery exclusive is our 14-Year Light Whiskey (\$99.99), a grain whiskey produced corn at MGP and aged in second-fill barrels.

### **Come Visit:**

High West is Utah's first legal distillery since the 1870. In 2008, High West Distillery and Saloon opened on the main street of historic Old Town in Park City at 7,000 feet elevation, surrounded by stunning mountains and some of the country's best skiing. Reachable by the Quitting Time ski lift, the saloon became the world's first ski-in, ski-out gastropub distillery, offering innovative locally sourced food and whiskey pairings alongside whiskey being made firsthand, in our traditional 250-gallon copper pot still.

The 30,000-square-foot High West Distillery and Tasting Room opened up just outside Park City at Blue Sky Ranch in Wanship, Utah, for a full-immersion western distillery tour and tasting experience. Blue Sky is a working cattle ranch, and is expanding into a luxury guest ranch and

wellness and event center. The High West Saloon in Terminal E at the Salt Lake City Airport offers the best food and drink of any airport restaurant west of the Mississippi.

Fun fact: Prior to 1870, Mormons distilled whiskey—for medicinal purposes only.

### **They Like Us, They Really Like Us!**

High West has received Whisky Advocate's Pioneer of the Year Award, and has been awarded high marks from Jim Murray's Whisky Bible, Tasting Panel, and a rare spirits rating from Robert Parker's Wine Advocate. Readers of Salt Lake City Weekly voted High West Distillery and Saloon Park City's best restaurant in 2011, 2012, and 2013. The restaurant was a semifinalist for a James Beard Award. The Daily Meal ranked High West Saloon in the top 10 of its 150 Best Bars in America.

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