



Insider Tip from Hungary: Fine Spirits in Top Quality!

Small, but very noteworthy – an apt description for the Zimek distillery, the home of fine spirits from Zamárdi in Hungary. The fruit brandies offered by the German couple Roland and Martina Zimek are among the best in Hungary, a country known for sensuous enjoyment.

This land of the Magyars is not only renowned for tasty food and drink, but also for its high standards.

And world-class fine fruit brandies are the Zimeks' contribution:

8 gold medals at the World Spirits Awards 2008, a fourth place among select distilleries at the Destillata 2007, and three times the title of Best Distillery in Hungary in 2006, 2007 and 2010, awards that speak for themselves.

Exclusive fruit brandies on offer: elderberry, wild peach 55%

Irsai Olivér – grape brandy, blueberry and raspberry – deliciously fruity sensations.

Other specialities include brandies that have matured in barrels, in particular apple brandy from barrique vats with its slightly smoky flavour.

The reasons for such success are obvious: Hungary has always been the 'orchard of Europe'. Thanks to more than 2000 hours of sunshine a year, the countryside around Lake Balaton is one of the sunniest regions in Europe. This unique continental climate is intensified by the constellation of sunshine with the reflective effects of the water in the largest lake in Europe.

The result: Perfectly ripened fruit that is full of flavour – the most important ingredient for special fruit brandies.



Spitzenbrand Traube Irsai Olivér: angenehm haltvoll und fruchtig.
Goldmedaillengewinner bei den World Spirit Awards 2008. Foto: Zimek
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Top quality Irsai Olivér grape brandy: pleasantly rich and fruity.
Gold medal winner at the World Spirit Awards 2008. Photo: Zimek Manufaktúra

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