EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT TEQUILA

Tequila is a spirit distilled from the blue agave plant. It is a destination of origin product.

Meaning it can be produced only in a specific region in Mexico.
# There Are 2 Categories of Tequila

**Mixto**
- At least 51% Blue Agave
- Found in cheap, popular brands
- Hangovers probably worse

**100% Agave**
- Made only from Blue Agave
- More body & stronger flavor
- Look for "100% Agave" on the bottle

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# 5 Varieties of Tequila

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<th>Color</th>
<th>Silver/Blanco/Plata</th>
<th>Gold/Joven/Oro</th>
<th>Reposado (Rested)</th>
<th>Añejo (Aged)</th>
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<td>Age</td>
<td>0–2 mos.</td>
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<td>2–12 mos.</td>
<td>1–3 yrs.</td>
<td>3+ yrs.</td>
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<td>Flavor</td>
<td>Clean Agave</td>
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