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**GRANDDAD JACK'S CRAFT DISTILLERY
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Our Spirit

DISCOVERY OF TASTE

Australia is a long way from many of the world's traditional spirits-producing regions. For years, that distance was viewed as a disadvantage. Today, it is one of the industry's greatest strengths.

Freed from centuries of convention, Australian distillers have developed a reputation for doing things differently. Rather than replicating established styles, they have embraced innovation, experimentation and a deep connection to place.

That place offers extraordinary possibilities. From native botanicals and unique grains to fresh fruit, coastal influences and diverse agricultural regions, Australia's natural landscape provides distillers with an unrivalled palette of ingredients. The result is a category defined by originality and a distinctly Australian sense of identity.

Australian spirits often combine familiarity with discovery. A gin, whisky, rum or vodka may reflect a recognised style, yet take on an entirely new character with the use of Australian botanicals, locally grown ingredients or production techniques shaped by the country's unique environment.

Behind every bottle is a passionate community of producers. The Australian distilling industry is made up predominantly of small businesses, founded by people from diverse backgrounds including farming, winemaking, hospitality, science and entrepreneurship. What unites them is a commitment to quality, craftsmanship and innovation.

For importers, distributors and retailers, this represents a significant opportunity. Australian spirits offer consumers something different: new flavours, authentic provenance, compelling stories and products with a genuine sense of place.

The producers featured in this directory represent the breadth, quality and diversity of Australia's modern distilling sector. Together, they showcase an industry that is ambitious, world-class and internationally award-winning.

This directory is an invitation to discover Australian spirits, the people behind them, and the opportunities they offer in markets around the world. **Taste the Australian Spirit!**

GRANDDAD JACK'S CRAFT DISTILLERY



Granddad Jack's Craft Distillery is owned and operated by father and son, David and Luke Ridden and was built to honour their Grandfather, 'Granddad Jack'. The diverse and high-quality spirits produced by this boutique distillery regularly surprise and impress the most discerning of connoisseurs worldwide and are exported around the world to countries like Japan, Denmark, Sweden, Singapore, Malaysia & New Zealand. Our spirits are made with mostly Australian, organic ingredients and are all gluten-free and vegan-friendly. Inspired by Granddad Jack's real-life story, they continue to be carefully crafted, distilled and bottled by hand, frequently incorporating native Australian ingredients and crafted to the highest Australian production standards.

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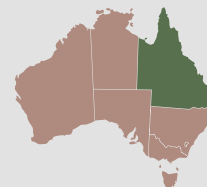


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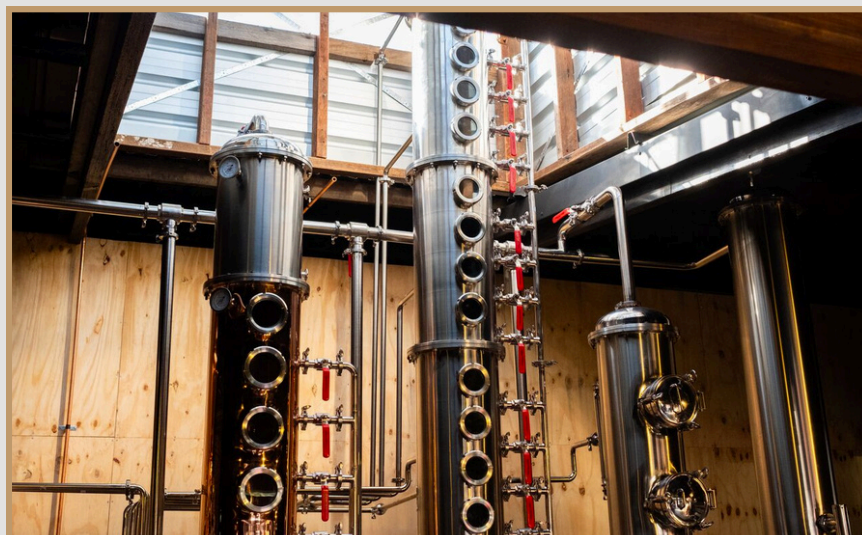
LOCATION



Miami,
QUEENSLAND

KEY PRODUCTS

Gin, Liqueur, Vodka,
Whiskey



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65 MILES GIN

Category: Gin
ABV % 57%
Bottle Sizes: 500 ml
RRP: \$85.00 AUD
Availability: All Year

Sit down to sip this navy strength gin. 65 Miles is fierce but worthy and the ultimate testimony to Granddad Jack. A spiced heat balanced with juniper & full of cinnamon, clove, orange, star anise & cardamom. Named after the incredible ride he made every week at fourteen: 65 miles by bike with a mate to find work on a sheep station. It even made the local paper.

- Gold Medal 95 points (IWSC 2023)
- Gold Medal (Gin and Tonic Category IWSC 2023)
- *Private label services available*
- *Bulk spirit supply available*



GREENHOUSE GIN

Category: Gin
ABV % 37.5%
Bottle Sizes: 500 ml
RRP: \$75.00 AUD
Availability: All Year

A gentle, botanical gin with a combination of cucumber, rosehip, lemon myrtle, grapefruit peel and juniper. This is a light & refreshing gin that tastes exactly how a beachside gin should: relaxed, soothing & fresh. Named after Granddad Jack's beloved garden & greenhouse, which became a place for people to drop in for a visit to sit and chat.

- Double Gold Medal 98 points (Bartender Spirits Awards 2022)
- *Private label services available*
- *Bulk spirit supply available*



TWO PENCILS GIN

Category: Gin
ABV % 40%
Bottle Sizes: 500 ml
RRP: \$80.00 AUD
Availability: All Year

A London Dry gin through & through. Smooth and rich with proper juniper tones. Two Pencils is the just-juniper-gin you've been craving. Named after young Granddad Jack's first business: he bought pencils, cut them in half, sharpened both ends and sold them at the Timaru racetrack for a penny each, doubling his money.

- Gold Medal (Tasting Australia 2020)
- Gold Medal (Australian Gin Awards 2019)
- Gold Medal (Australian Distilled Spirits Awards 2019)
- *Private label services available*
- *Bulk spirit supply available*



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BARBERSHOP COFFEE LIQUEUR

Category: Liqueur
ABV % 25%
Bottle Sizes: 500 ml
RRP: \$70.00 AUD
Availability: All Year

This is a delightfully delicious liqueur made using locally sourced coffee and infused with coconut, vanilla, eucalyptus & cinnamon for a delightful velvety nightcap, espresso martini or simply enjoyed on the rocks. Made to honour Granddad Jack's love of coffee and the 48 years he spent as a barber, where he only charged \$4 a cut until retiring at age 70!

- Gold Medal (Bartender Spirits Awards 2022)
- Double Gold Medal (SIP Awards 2021)
- Double Gold Medal & World's Best Coffee Liqueur (San Francisco World Spirits 2020)
- *Private label services available*
- *Bulk spirit supply available*



PENNY VODKA

Category: Vodka
ABV % 40%
Bottle Sizes: 500 ml
RRP: \$75.00 AUD
Availability: All Year

A grape-based Vodka that's smooth, clean and crisp. This vodka stays true to the style of the spirit with no added flavourings or sweeteners. The perfect vodka for enjoying neat or with a mixer or cocktail of your choice. Penny Vodka is named for the first money he ever earned: sent on an errand with a shilling, he took the shortcut through the paddocks and spent the penny change on a cinnamon bar.

- Silver Medal (Australian Distilled Spirits Awards 2019)
- Silver Medal (Tasting Australia 2019)
- *Private label services available*
- *Bulk spirit supply available*



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BAILIFF WHISKEY (SINGLE BARREL SERIES)

Category: Whiskey
ABV % 45 - 46%
Bottle Sizes: 500 ml
RRP: \$450.00 AUD
Availability: Limited Release

Bailiff Whiskey is our small-batch, single barrel series, distilled, matured and bottled by hand at our Gold Coast distillery. Each release comes from one barrel, or a considered pairing of two, rested by the coast where Queensland's subtropical climate drives deep, rich maturation. No two batches are the same, with notes ranging from dark chocolate and roasted coffee to dried fruit, tobacco and cigar box. Named for the Bailiff who, in 1932, stamped Granddad Jack's ledger "paid" when he made the final payment on the family farm.

- Private label services available
- Bulk spirit supply available



EXPORT PROFILE

Exporting Years: 5 years

Actively Exporting to:

Denmark, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, Singapore, Sweden

Actively Seeking Export Opportunities to:

France, Germany, Netherlands, Spain



Connect

WITH AUSTRALIAN DISTILLERS

Looking to bring Australian spirits to your market?

The Australian Distillers Association represents a diverse community of Australian distillers producing spirits across a wide range of categories, styles and regions.

The producers featured in this directory are open to international opportunities, with export markets and areas of interest outlined throughout their profiles.

To connect with a distillery, contact them directly using the details provided in their profile.

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