

## 【Luxury Cut Glass Series from Toyo-Sasaki Glass for your Dining】

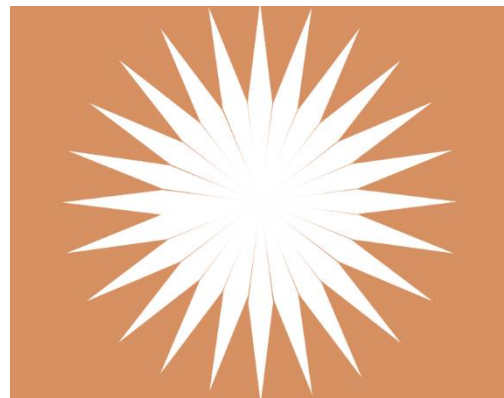
Cut glass is said to have come across from Europe to Japan in early 19<sup>th</sup> century, when one of the craftsmen been fascinated by its technique and unique design. When they become a part of life of Japanese culture, people called them Kiriko (切子). Kiri (切) means “cut” and Ko (子) is thought to have had a different character but with the same sound Ko (粉) meaning “powder” expressing the glass shaving. As its name, they are made one by one with the hand of craftsmen using the abrasive wheel. Its unique pattern with deep and thin chase creates beautiful reflection of light in glass, precisely because Japanese craftsmen knows about light and shadow. Their sensibility was amassed though their living, house with eaves, paper door and glass sash, they were always together with natural sunlight.

Edo Kiriko (江戸切子) from castle town of Tokyo, and Satsuma Kiriko (薩摩切子) from Kagoshima, are the representatives of Japanese Traditional Kiriko Glass. The main difference is how the color layers are made. Edo Kiriko has strong contrast between colored and clear glass layer, on the other hand Satsuma Kiriko tends to have soft gradation with using thicker layer of colored glass.

There are more than 8 basic patterns for Edo Kikiro and about 10 of them for Satsuma Kiriko. Nevertheless, as each craftsmen continuously developed their one and only unique design by combining several patterns together, there are tremendous numbers of cut designs. Each traditional patterns for Kiriko has meanings and wishes for good fortune. Yarai (矢来) for example is a pattern with grid-like design presenting the shape of a fence made of bamboo, believed to have the effect of an amulet. Kiku (菊) or Kikkamon (菊花紋), a star-like pattern of chrysanthemum express perpetual youth and longevity.



【Yarai (矢来) Pattern】



【Kiku (菊) / Kikkamon (菊花紋) Pattern】

As like the traditional Kiriko Glass, our cut glass series are engraved with using an abrasive wheel and not by molding. Chase are very deep and sharp, and so creates luxury light reflection. They can also be served at professional dining scenes, like hotels and restaurants, with our HS (Hard Strong) toughening technique applied, and are dishwasher-safe. Below are one part of our cut glass series, with recommended cocktail recipe. Hope you will find your favorite cut glass.

【M68 CUT ~Modernized Yarai (矢来) cut~】

Modernized Yarai (矢来) cut is engraved on two size ranges, rocks with 370ml (12oz) and long tumbler with 400ml (13oz). Limited design for oversea customers.

- Glass Rim Toughened, Dishwasher-safe
- Material: Soda-lime Glass



【Modernized Yarai (矢来) cut on bottom half】

<Recipe 1. Improved Whiskey Cocktail by @stevethebartender>

B-09123HS-M68 Rocks 370ml (12oz)



In Carafe...

60ml Rye Whiskey

7.5ml Maraschino Liqueur

7.5ml Simple Syrup

2 Dashes of Angostura Bitters

Add ice & Stir them well

Absinthe rinse over the rocks glass B-09123HS-M68

Pour the mixed drink

Add in the cube ice

Finish with lemon squeeze to add the scent

<Recipe 2. Sherry Cobbler by @stevethebartender>

B-09124HS-M68 Tumbler 400ml (13oz)



In Glass...

Few slices of citrus fruits with your choice

15ml Simple syrup

Smash them together

120ml Amontillado Sherry

Add crushed ice

Stir them well

Add more crushed ice to fill the top

Add mint leaves and garnish with your favorite fruits

**【NEW LAMBDA C559 ~Straight cut~】**

Straight shape with straight cut through the very top end creates strong, crystal like light reflection on all over surface. We have up to 7 size ranges and the most popular lines are as same as the M68 lines, 370ml (12oz) and 400ml (13oz).

- Full-Surface Toughened (Premium HS), Anti-Scratch, Dishwasher-safe
- Material: Soda-lime Glass



**【Straight cut to the very top end】**

<Recipe 1. Rum with garnish on fire by @todays\_tipple >

B-09123CS-C559 Rocks 370ml (12oz)



In Glass...

45ml Aged Rum

10ml Oloroso Sherry

35ml Apple Juice

20ml Lemon Juice

10ml Cinnamon Syrup

Shake all ingredients with ice

Double strain over fresh ice

Garnish with charred rosemary and cinnamon

<Recipe 2. Spring Vodka Soda>

B-09124CS-C559 Tumbler 400ml (13oz)



In Glass...

45ml Japanese Vodka

20ml freshly squeezed lemon juice

15ml honey syrup

90ml soda water

1 sprig fresh rosemary (for garnish)

1 pinch lavender salt (for garnish)

【Others...CUT GLASS C703 & C704】

- Glass Rim Toughened, Dishwasher-safe
- Material: Soda-lime Glass



【T-20113HS-C703 with Cross Cut】



【T-20119HS-C704 with Deep Leaf Cut】

Tracing down the traditional Kiriko glass, our cut glass series have unique, classic yet modern design to fit your daily dining scenes. Popular among dining professionals in hotel, bar and restaurants with hand-fitting shape with wide size ranges, and foremost its durability. Our second to none toughening technology have broaden the capability of cut glass to be used with safe, easy handling. Anti-scratch and dishwasher-safe feature also fulfill long time use, which furthermore is eco-friendly.

Hope you will find your favorite cut glass among our series, and expand the choice of beverages.

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