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## A Hydrogen Whiskey Highball?





Suntory Spirits
successfully completes
the world's first
hydrogen direct-fired
distillation trial

# Now here's an application for hydrogen that will make many people happy



- Direct firing is the traditional method of distilling.
- It uses a direct flame to heat the still at much higher temperatures than steam coils.
- It is believed to create higher quality spirts.

But does the use of hydrogen impact that quality?



## Using hydrogen in place of natural gas posed a quality challenge

### Replacing Natural Gas with Hydrogen



- The hydrogen pilot was conducted at a smallscale distilling R & D facility.
- It produced the spirit with the same quality and taste – a key milestone in the company's effort to decarbonize whiskey manufacturing.



# The spirits industry isn't in the top 10 of emitters but every little bit helps

### A Toast to Suntory



### Next up:

In partnership with Supercritical Solutions, decarbonizing its whiskey manufacturing in Scotland using green hydrogen.





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#### Unbiased and Unfiltered

- An honest assessment of the climate change effort.
- I cover what's working but more important the issues/roadblocks that the industry would prefer to ignore.
- A must-read for anyone with a desire to understand what's really going on with renewable energy and climate change.



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