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A CHOCOLATIER'S TASTING NOTES

Ghirardelli Product	Aroma	Texture	Flavor & Finish
Intense Dark Twilight Delight	Rich, deep smell of chocolate due to high cacao content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breaks firmly and crisply • Melts easily due to higher cocoa butter content • Smooth, velvety texture due to higher cacao content 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strong cacao taste created from hand-selected beans with a touch of sweetness • Intense cacao flavor throughout • Clean, satisfying taste
Intense Dark Citrus Sunset	Strong smell of orange and cocoa notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breaks firmly and crisply • Melts easily due to high cocoa butter content • Crunchy texture from caramel crunch 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complex, rounded flavor with harmonious blend of chocolate and orange flavors; • Soft notes of chocolate and orange through to finish
Intense Dark Toffee Interlude	Rich, deep chocolate smell with toffee undertones	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breaks firmly and crisply • Melts easily due to high cocoa butter content • Extra crunchy texture from toffee bits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Caramelized sugar and butter flavor notes show through dark chocolate
Intense Dark Espresso Escape	Rich, deep chocolate smell	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breaks firmly and crisply • Melts easily due to high cocoa butter content; smooth texture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full espresso flavor, not too bitter or acidic • Espresso and cacao flavors well balanced
Milk Chocolate with Caramel Filling	Rich caramel and dairy aroma notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crisp snap, • Fairly rapid melt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Buttery, brown caramel flavor with a hint of butterscotch along with dairy • Intense chocolate flavor notes • Sweet, buttery caramel finish
Dark Chocolate with Raspberry Filling	Fresh, raspberry aroma	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extra crisp snap • Medium body with some raspberry seeds • Melts more slowly than milk chocolate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bright, fresh raspberry flavor • Definite citric acid note • Slight roasted cacao note in the background
60% Cocoa Dark Chocolate with Caramel Filling	Rich, buttery caramel aroma	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extra crisp snap • Melts more slowly than milk chocolate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Buttery caramel notes • Cocoa flavor notes to spice it up
Mint Filled Dark Chocolate	Strong peppermint/spearmint	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extra crisp snap • Slow, even melt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creates a sweetness and cooling sensation • Follows with dark chocolate flavor notes • Produces cleansing, refreshing aftertaste
Ghirardelli Milk Chocolate	Mild dairy note	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Firm but slightly softer bite than dark chocolate; • Smooth mouth feel; not grainy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Straight forward intense chocolate throughout • Slight cream note • Sweetness in the background • Clean, milk chocolate note
Milk Chocolate with Caramelized Almonds	Toasted almonds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Firm but slightly softer bite than dark chocolate; • Layers of texture; crunchy mouth feel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freshly roasted almond and caramelized sugar flavor notes • Intense chocolate and dairy notes in the background
60% Cacao Dark Chocolate	Dark roasted character of cacao beans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very firm initial bite • Smooth texture • Slow and steady melt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dark roasted, • Moderately bitter character • Hint of dried cherry notes; • Slight acid in the middle to end of the profile to add brightness