

PCIC Pepsi Cans International Club

Autumn 2005 News



Dear friends, to make us more happy, Pepsi is launching new tastes all around the world (see *New Cans* section).

Bad news: our friend Claudio was in Slovenia and didn't find any can (only PET bottles). Same situation in Croatia. So, after Germany, seems more countries prefer plastic bottles to cans. We lost our contact in Korea: anybody should help otherwise we'll miss a lot of nice cans. Even Austria needs to be covered.

Anyway, we're facing the problem most of the members are not very active: job, family, personal problems could be the cause. But don't forget: if active in the network, at least 800 new cans per year can be added to your collection.

Have a Pepsi day

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NEW CANS



KOREAPepsi X Energy Cola
(*George*)



HONG KONGPepsi Blue
(*George*)



MALAYSIA Pepsi Tarik (with coffee) (internet)



PUERTO RICO Juanes (*Chris*)



EBAY CRAZY WORLD

ISRAEL, 500ml new look cans.

This size was unknown before, for Israel.





LET'S SPEAK THE SAME LANGUAGE DATING ARAB CANS

Arab countries of course use Arab writings on cans, including for numbers.

Recent cans have expiration date printed on bottom using western dates, but during the 80s and 90s, was quite common to find production and expiration dates using Arab calendar.

As you may know, this is about 500 years back than western in a way that for example 1993 is 1414. So having the Arab year you can understand the western year just adding 579.

You are probably now thinking: "ok, but how to read those signs to understand numbers?" I'm here to help, so...

US 14 oz CANS

Wal Mart stores in the USA are the only stores that sell the 14 ounce size Pepsi can. There were supposed to be 3 themes this year of the new size can – Nascar, baseball, and football. Right now, phase 3 cans (football) are supposed to be available. The cans have not been very successful. Stores are still filled with phase 1 cans (Nascar). Some of the phase 2 cans are starting to show up in stores. There will be 5 Diet Pepsi, and 5 Pepsi cans in phase 2 – baseball. So far, I have found cans 3, 5, and 9. Each can shows a different World Series baseball game.

(George Jen)

