

Cask Strength

Caol Ila 10yo

"Sherry Finish PX"



A finish for 18 months in first fill Pedro Ximenez hogsheads enriched this very smoky Islay malt with a particular robustness of body. The interaction between the peat and the wine gave life to a delicious interplay of flavours, which is immediately noticeable at the first whiff from the glass: there is a slightly fruity hint, of red and black cherries, and a touch of the sourness of balsamic vinegar, but it remains very tarry and smoky. There is an earthy and leathery trait too. At the palate, it's very intense and it might need a drop of water to release its balsamic beauty. It has a lovely balance of sweet and sour, of orange marmalade and red fruits, and then it evolves into camphor, mint, eucalyptus, all on top of the huge salty and peaty character. Quite mineral, too, and with a lively touch of black pepper.



CODE	W&M481	Cask type	Refill Hogshead
Distilled	2012	Finish	1st fill Sherry Hogshead PX
Bottled	2023	N°	#317365/69/318263
Age	10yo	Outturn	900
Strength	57,7%		

