

Cask Strength

Ben Nevis 18yo

"Sherry Wood"



We think that the old distillery of the McDonald clan is sadly underrated, so to show what it's really capable of we wanted to find a really stunning cask. It didn't take too long to stumble on Butt 657, in which the Oloroso sherry character perfectly matches the robust spirit. At the nose it's ultra-complex: grapefruit, mixed tropical fruits, wine poached pears, maraschino cherries, sweet oranges and tangerines, ending in a slightly waxy and smoky note. At the palate it's intense but smooth, requiring just a tiny drop of water. All the aromas keep showing up here too, especially the cherries, for a very pleasant balance of sweet and spicy, with a tannic note of black tea and a long, lingering finale which becomes increasingly peppery.



CODE	W&M166	Cask type	Butt
Distilled	1995	Finish	Sherry Wood
Bottled	2013	N°	#657
Age	18yo	Outturn	611
Strength	55,5%		

