BRUICHLADDICH

Traditional
Sophisticated Islay
Lightly Peated
Non Chill-Filtered
Colouring-Free
Distillery of the Year
2001 & 2003
12
AGED YEARS
Second Edition

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TASTING NOTE

Colour Polished Copper.

Body Firm and muscular with a solid oak foundation and sweet viscous texture.

Nose All the Bruichladdich key notes emerge, gently led by the fruitiness of passion fruit, pear, gooseberry, apricot and apple, encased in sweet and mellow seasoned oak with just a hint of bourbon and soft vanilla. This moves onto butterscotch and floral aromas of mountain thyme, wild gorse, primrose and buttercup. Then it's the turn of the toasted malted barley, sweet and crisp, bringing contrast and balance to the olfactory matrix.

Palate The spirit is amazingly sweet, thanks to the slow distillation and fresh American oak. It's a whisky with sunshine in its soul and a spring in its step, confident in its quality and ability to deliver single malt satisfaction. The malt, oak, fruit, and floral flavours meld into a delectable gratifying experience that only unchilfiltered caramel free spirits can provide.

Finish Fairly lengthy, the natural oils in the spirit ensuring the flavours remain sweet and viscous on the palate longer than most malts of a similar age.

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