SINGLE MALT WHISKEY

DISTILLED FROM BARLEY MALT MASH

This Single Malt Whiskey is made from a single Scottish malt and aged for 2 years on new charred American oak barrels. Aromas of malted barley are followed by floral essence, caramel, toasted sugar, and oak. Subtle peat smoke lingers on the pallet accompanied by a sweet, clean finish.

- Distilled at Willow Creek Distillery in Paso Robles on the CA Central Coast
- 90 Proof / 45% ABV / 750ml / $65
- Head Distiller: Kevin Coulton

DISTILLER NOTES

"Distilled from a single Scottish malt, this Single Malt Whiskey is smooth, sweet, nutty, and complex. Proofed at 45% ABV, it possesses intricate aromas, remaining smooth and sophisticated, with rich flavor and subtle smoke on the nose. After mashing, the malted barley undergoes a 1-2 week fermentation process. After fermentation, the mash is then distilled through our two stage process of stripping and finishing runs through our copper column still. Once distillation is complete, it is aged for 2 years on new American oak barrels, imparting caramel, oak, and toasted sugar undertones."

PEAT INFORMATION

In order for Single Malt to obtain its characteristic sweet, smoky finish, barley is spread out across a floor to dry, while peat moss is burned in a kiln, filling the drying room with peat smoke. The smoke and heat aids in the drying process, as well as imparting a smokey finish on the final product that Single Malt Whiskey drinkers are familiar with. Single Malt whiskey is nutty, floral, and aromatic. We believe the peat smoke should compliment the finish, as opposed to being the main component. As the name suggests, this Whiskey is made from a single malted barley making up 100% of the mash bill.

ABOUT WILLOW CREEK DISTILLERY

Willow Creek Distillery specializes in a diverse range of small-batch, limited-release spirits that are available online and at the distillery tasting room in westside Paso Robles. Willow Creek was created in 2013 by Opolo, an iconic family-owned Paso Robles winery. Willow Creek's spirits are made using the finest barrels, botanicals and locally sourced ingredients, some of which are grown in the estate vineyard and organic orchard.