

HINCH

COUNTY  DOWN

IRISH WHISKEY

DISTILLED BY THE BOLD. CHARACTER IS EVERYTHING.

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5 YEAR OLD - DOUBLE WOOD

43 % ABV (86 Proof)

Mash Bill - 75% Grain / 25 % Malt

Hinch 5 Year Double Wood is a premium whiskey expression which combines the tradition of Irish whiskey matured in Bourbon casks with the innovation of additional maturation in Virgin Oak. The flavours are pronounced and intense yet retain great silkiness on the palate. Bottled at 43% to maximise flavour.

Only the finest Ex Bourbon Casks are selected for four years of maturation. Virgin American Oak Barrels are then used for a minimum of one year. This second maturation gives the whiskey subtle depth, natural colour and character as befitting the use of "two woods".

Appearance - Golden Brown.

Nose - Distinct citrus Fruit on the nose.

Taste - Big Spice and Mocha note matched with fruit undercurrent.



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THE PAST

Hinch is from Ballynahinch meaning 'Town of the Island' in Irish. Our own corner of the island, County Down, has a unique beauty and heritage. It is less than 50 miles from Scotland, and since medieval times there has been a constant ebb and flow of people across the Irish Sea. It is a cultural melting pot, where Irish and Scottish traditions, methods and ideas have been exchanged and assimilated over the centuries. We celebrate the cultural connection this specific area has had with Scotland ever since medieval times when a Scotus meant an Irishman.



County Down also has a strong distilling history and from the late 18th to the early 20th century was home to seven Irish Whiskey producing distilleries.

Combined, these are the inspirations behind Hinch Irish Whiskey. Shaped by the past, building for the future, on this island which we all call home.

THE FUTURE

At Hinch Distillery we're incredibly proud of our past but perhaps even more excited about our future. At our purpose-built distillery on the Killaney Estate, Ballynahinch we are doing something bold, modern and exciting. We have installed the very latest distilling equipment and will employ innovative techniques to create whiskeys inspired by the unique heritage of our region. We will use water from the Mourne Mountains, traditional Irish mashing processes and a proud history of triple distillation for mellowness. However, we are proud to buck convention by bringing new ideas to the Mash House, Still House and wood maturation program which will deliver exciting new flavours to our whiskeys. We are proud of the diversity of our people and of the diversity of flavours we have harnessed in our whiskeys.

We are committed to giving back to our community and wider society through initiatives which help our people and planet to grow stronger.

THE PERFECT SERVE



HINCH OLD FASHIONED

- 2oz - Hinch 5 Year Old Double Wood
- 0.3oz - Demerara Syrup (2 to 1 ratio)
- 3 dashes of Angostura Bitters
- Garnish: Orange zest

How to Make: Add all the ingredients to an ice filled mixing glass and stir to the desired dilution, strain into an ice filled Old Fashioned glass and garnish.

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SCORE - 93/100

“Complex, as you would hope. Nutty, as you wouldn’t expect; light liquorice as you well might. But the malt pulses through, too...as it should. Very attractive...; the delivery isn’t immediately interested in cask selection: it is the malt which explodes of the palate – youthful, sprightly and robust. Slowly the tannins zero in and make their mark, bringing a lot of spice into play in the process. The midpoint is probably the highlight, with barley sugar candy in rich association with warm tannins and red liquorice; much softer oak, but remains rich; a malt which works very well indeed, and deserves to. And even more so if at a greater strength and non-filtration. Impressive and highly enjoyable Irish which gives you minimum blarney and the truest flavour profile. 43%. The Time Collection.”

