SPRINGBANK
SINGLE MALT

SPRINGBANK PRODUCTION METHOD:

The original Springbank whisky has been distilled legally on the site of the present distillery since 1828, and probably illicitly since well before then!

Known and loved amongst whisky enthusiasts the world over, Springbank is produced using lightly-peated barley and a unique two-and-a-half-times distillation. This gives the whisky a character all of its own, making it stand out as a must-have dram on anyone's shelf.

Produced using the most traditional of production techniques, from floor malting all the way through to the bottling stage, Springbank can best be described as a "hand-made" single malt.

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Springbank distillery is unique. It is the oldest independent family owned distillery in Scotland. Founded in 1828 on the site of Archibald Mitchell's illicit still, the Springbank Distillery is now in the hands of his great great great grand son, Hedley G. Wright.

Owned by Mr. Wright's J&A Mitchell & Co Ltd, Springbank is the only distillery in Scotland to carry out the full production process on the one site. 100% of the traditional floor malting maturation and bottling is done at the distillery in Campbeltown.

It produces the most handmade whisky in Scotland, with traditional production methods being used throughout the process, and human involvement at each and every stage.

It is the only distillery in Scotland to have never chill-filtered, nor do we add any artificial colorings to any of our single malts.

It is the only distillery in Scotland to produce three different single malts, Springbank, Longrow and Hazelburn, using there different production methods.

J&A Mitchell & Co Ltd also owns Mitchell's Glengyle Distillery in Campbeltown, where Kilkerran single malt is distilled, the first new distillery built in Scotland this millennium. J&A Mitchell is also the sister company of the Campbeltown based, world-famous independent bottler Wm Cadenhead Ltd, which also bottles Old Raj Gin and a range of rum from around the Caribbean.

Springbank 10 Yr

NOSE: A gentle Kintyre coastal breeze, redolent with damp peat, identifies this as one of Campbeltown's finest. Fresh orchard fruit, orange zest, heather and honey combine with malt and vanilla notes to offer a warm welcome to Springbank's flagship malt.

PALATE: Equal measures of complexity and robustness with an oily mouth feel and plenty of spice, pepper, nutmeg and cinnamon. The orchard fruit and malt notes from the nose continue, providing balance and character.

FINISH: Sweet salted caramel, toffee and drying peat prolong to round off this signature malt.

CASK TYPE: 60% bourbon, 40% sherry

Springbank 12 Yr Cask Strength

NOSE: A fruity and nutty combination; cherries, apricot jam, pistachios and toasted oats. Salted caramel and marzipan begin to emerge.

PALATE: Sweet and delicious, Scottish tablet, prunes and honey. The classic Campbeltown style develops; sea salt and a light smoke coat the mouth.

FINISH: A long and warming finish; honeycomb, orange marmalade and licorice closely followed by Demerara sugar, almonds, oats and prunes.

CASK TYPE: 70% sherry, 30% bourbon

Springbank 15 Yr

NOSE: Springbank's gentle giant. This dram is big and bold with notes of cured meat, barbecued beef jerky, clove, mint, iodine, oxo cube and tinned prunes all evident from the Oloroso cask maturation, while lobster creels hint at Springbank's characteristic maritime influence.

PALATE: The peaty character is now evident with sooty kiln smoke and tobacco leaves prominent in this viscous tipple alongside prunes, walnuts, figs, Demerara sugar, cocoa powder and smoked meats.

FINISH: The finish grows and develops with notes of soot, leather and walnuts prominent before easing off like ebbing tide over one of Kintyre's pebble beaches.

CASK TYPE: 100% sherry

Springbank 18 Yr

NOSE: Elegant with a light briny overtone expected of a Campbeltown dram. Fresh doughy pretzels, almonds, vanilla, shortbread, a touch of sherbet and marzipan.

PALATE: Gentle and refined. Milk chocolate and vanilla notes are prominent alongside caramel, barely sugar, apple crumble and bung cloth.

FINISH: Lasting with dried peat, licorice, smoky fruit, raisins, butterscotch and pencil shavings.

CASK TYPE: 60% sherry, 40% bourbon

Springbank 21 Yr

NOSE: A burst of heather and freshly mowed grass followed by honey, pear skin and wood shavings. Hints of butter; cheesecake, fresh cream and digestive biscuit.

PALATE: Elegant and gentle. Butterscotch and vanilla, sugar cane and molasses develop as the influence from the rum cask engulfs the palate with apricots, peaches and paprika.

FINISH: A soft smokiness is present in the background, Toffee apples, raisins and oat biscuits emerge. In the foreground; peppercorn, almonds and apricot jam are promiment.

CASK TYPE: 70% rum, 30% bourbon

Springbank 25 Yr

NOSE: Initially parma violets and rhubarb. Barbecued meats and sugar cane molasses follow alongside tropical fruits and oloroso sherry notes.

PALATE: Maturity and complexity at its best. A perfect balance of sherry and rum casks married in harmony. As it breathes; cured meat notes with a presence of tropical fruits and muscat wine.

FINISH: Oh yes, it's definitely a true Springbank with coastal and earthy/musty dunnage warehouse notes, with sugary molasses in the finish.

CASK TYPE: 60% sherry, 40% rum

Springbank 2003 15 Yr Guyanan Rum Single Cask

NOSE: Lemon meringue, candy floss and icing sugar.

PALATE: Mango, pineapple, banana peel with a touch of dry peat.

FINISH: Butterscotch, vanilla ice cream and salted caramel.

Springbank 2007 11 Yr Refill Sauternes Single Cask

NOSE: Dunnage warehouse, gum drops, caramelised sugar, Chipotle, fudge and hints of treacle.

PALATE: Oily, almonds, figs & dates, marshmallow.

FINISH: Dry, mint leaves and chalky.