



ESTD 1895

GORDON & MACPHAIL

SINGLE MALT SCOTCH WHISKY



## IMPERIAL

1985

BOTTLED AT 57.9% VOL

**COLOUR:** GOLDEN.

**NOSE:** FRAGRANT **VANILLA POD** AROMAS GIVE WAY TO CRISP **APPLE** AND **CITRUS ZEST**. **HONEYDEW MELON** NOTES LEAD TO **CRYSTALLISED VIOLETS** AND MATURE **OAK**.

**TASTE:** BRIGHT **SEVILLE ORANGE** FLAVOURS LEAD TO SUBTLE **HONEYCOMB** AND TART **GRAPEFRUIT**. SWEET **POACHED PEAR** DEVELOPS ALONGSIDE SUBTLE **GUAVA** AND **BLACK PEPPER**.

**FINISH:** **TROPICAL FRUIT** LINGERS ON THE TONGUE. LONG **SPICY** FINISH

### DISTILLERY

Inverleven

### REGION

Lowlands

### DISTILLED

22 January 1985

### BOTTLED

17 February 2023

### ABV

57.9%

### YEARS OLD

38

### CASK NO.

563

### CASK TYPE

Refill Bourbon Barrel

### OUTTURN

82 Bottles

### BATCH

23/020

FOR MORE THAN **125 YEARS** GORDON & MACPHAIL HAS BEEN DRIVEN BY A SIMPLE MISSION: **TO CREATE SINGLE MALT SCOTCH WHISKY OF EXCEPTIONAL QUALITY.**

### CONNOISSEURS CHOICE

Created in 1968 by whisky visionary, 'Mr George' Urquhart, the **Connoisseurs Choice** range has featured more than 2,000 bottlings from almost 100 Scottish distilleries.

Each **Connoisseurs Choice** whisky's story is told through its label: cask type, bottling date, strength, vintage and tasting note.

Always non-chill-filtered, these rare single cask and small batch expressions have been created by Gordon & MacPhail's unique expertise in matching spirit to oak casks, handed down through four generations of the same family.