

RARE VINTAGE

GLENBURGIE 1963 43%

In partnership with each respective distillery, all whiskies in our Rare Vintage range are uniquely labelled. In years gone by many of these unique designs were used 'officially' to bottle the whisky under license from the distillery. Today these trusted relationships with distillers enables Gordon & MacPhail to bottle exclusive vintages of single malt at various strengths – all with their unique distillery label.

Set close to the A96, near the village of Alves, lies Glenburgie Distillery which looks over the Moray Firth. The distillery was originally called Kilnflat, although in 1878 after a period of disuse, it was renamed Glenburgie. Nearby is Burgie Castle, which dates back to the 16th century.

For a short while Glenburgie also produced another single malt, Glenraig. This was produced using Lomond stills and is available in our Connoisseurs Choice range.

INFORMATION

Region: Speyside.
Alves, Nr Forres.
Founded: 1829.
Water Source: Local springs.
Owner: Chivas Brothers.
Status: Operational.



TASTING NOTE

Colour: Dark amber.

WITHOUT WATER:

Nose: Rum and raisins, with some floral influences. Sweet melted butter with a pronounced hint of vanilla - ice cream soda.

Palate: Sherry influences with a fruity edge - some citrus zest and a touch of marshmallow.

WITH WATER:

Nose: Delicate rum and raisin notes, with hints of ice-cream soda. Some delicate fresh esters and ripe soft fruits notes.

Palate: A subtle hint of warming spices, with a dark chocolate edge develops. Remains very smooth.

Body: Medium.

Finish: Long and smooth.

Cask Type(s): Sherry butt.

Whisky Style: Well rounded - easy drinking.



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