KILCHOMAN
DISTILLERY



Kilchoman Distillery was founded in 2005 and is the first distillery to be built on Islay for over 120 years. Kilchoman displays all that is great about the grass-roots traditions of Scotch whisky distilling. As well as being one of only a handful of distilleries still practicing floor malting, barley is also grown on the farm, making Kilchoman the only distillery to complete all parts of the whisky making process on site. Kilchoman truly is Islay's farm distillery – from barley to bottling.



100% Islay 14th Edition Single Malt

'The 10 Most Important Scotch Whiskies of the Last 25 Years' -Vinepair

"Farm distilling has become common in American craft whiskey, but the concept — though ancient in practice — is still relatively unknown in Scotch. The modern industry largely sources grain through commercial suppliers, both because it's cheaper and because growing barley in Scotland's fickle climate is a gamble. Kilchoman, an independent distillery opened in 2005 on Islay, was willing to take that gamble, farming 2,300 acres every year for this expression. It's the only whisky that is 100 percent produced on the island, from planting the seeds to malting the barley over local peat to bottling the final product. The effort and expense are considerable, but they yield a whisky that's chock-full of character and provenance. A handful of other Scotch distilleries farm their own barley, including Lochlea, Arbikie, and Daftmill. Provenance and local sourcing are increasingly important within Scotland's whisky industry. But Kilchoman remains the only producer to do everything — seed to sip — in one location, proof that it's possible, even if it's not easy."

Our 100% Islay range is the world's only Single Farm Single Malt Scotch Whisky. It represents the revival of traditional farm distilling; growing our own barley before malting, distilling, maturing and bottling every bottle of our 100% Islay range on site. The 100% Islay 14th Edition was distilled from our 2013 and 2014 barley harvests before being matured in selected bourbon and oloroso sherry casks for a minimum of 9 years.

95 Points – Gold – International Wine and Spirits Competition – *"Wonderful fruity: sweet blackcurrants and strawberry jam. Milk chocolate, nuts, honey and grass line a palate lifted by lemon zest. Long, sweet and smoky finish. Sublime."*



‘Machir Bay’ Single Malt

Machir Bay, our signature peated single malt, is a vatting of Kilchoman matured in both bourbon and sherry casks. Named after Islay’s most spectacular beach, the high proportion of bourbon barrels create a distinct balance of classic Islay character and fresh floral complexity.

Nose: Soft cooked fruits with strong peaty aromas.
Palate: Soft mixed fruits and vanilla with an intense sweetness.
Finish: A Classic Islay malt now showing the benefit of additional ageing. A long lingering finish.

Gold Medal – Spirits Business Scotch Masters 2024 & 2022

Gold - San Francisco World Spirits Competition 2023

‘Top 15 Whiskies of 2021’ - 92.97 Points - International Whisky Competition

95 Points - Ultimate Spirits Competition 2021



‘Sanaig’ Single Malt Whisky

Sanaig has a predominantly Oloroso Sherry Cask influence with some Bourbon Barrels.

Nose: Soft cooked fruits, caramel and vanilla
Palate: Toffee, peat and citrus dances throughout
Finish: Balanced fruit and sweetness

Gold - Ultimate Spirits Challenge 2024

91 Points - Ultimate Spirits Competition 2021

‘Best Islay Single Malt – No Age Statement’ – Master Medal
– Spirits Business Scotch Masters 2022

Gold Medal – “Exceptional spirit that is near the pinnacle of achievement and sets the standard for its category.” -San Francisco Spirits Competition



‘Sanaig’ Cask Strength Single Malt Whisky

Created from the same recipe of casks as our regular Sanaig release, Sanaig Cask Strength was matured predominantly in Oloroso Sherry casks. However, instead of adding water once the casks have been selected and vatted, this limited edition Sanaig Cask Strength has been bottled at its natural cask strength of 57.8% alc./vol.

92 Points – Whisky Advocate

“Smoke on the nose, Grape-Nuts, tasty peat smoke, and barbecue. The palate has heat but is flavorful and not at all spiky, showing pleasant flavors of raspberry compote and an earthy note of pipe tobacco. The finish is long, with red berries, smoke, and peat embers. Smoky, with lively fruit notes that rise above the peat.”



Loch Gorm 10-Year 2026 Release

Named after the famously dark, peaty loch overlooked by the distillery, the Loch Gorm 2026 Edition was matured in Oloroso Sherry butts for a minimum of 10 years. The Sherry-soaked casks from Bodega José y Miguel Martín add layers of rich spices, dark chocolate, and dried fruit character; which balance beautifully with Kilchoman's peat smoke and citrus flavors.

Nose: Dried red fruits, barbecued meats, toasted walnuts and rich peat smoke

Palate: Candied orange and tropical fruits, salted caramel and dried prunes with warming cinnamon, nutmeg and integrated rich smoke

Finish: Toasted dark chocolate and liquorice with balanced peat smoke

Gold - International Spirits Challenge 2025
Gold - The Spirits Business Scotch Whisky Masters 2021
Gold - International Spirits Challenge 2021



13-Year Limited Edition

This limited release has been matured for 13 years in a combination of bourbon barrels, octaves and calvados casks. The whisky exudes an abundance of juicy fresh fruits, intense sweetness and waves of Islay maritime peat smoke.

92 Points - Whisky Advocate - *"Excellent balance on the nose with pear, star fruit, heather honey, summer blooms, sand dunes, and breezy peat smoke. An opulent mouthfeel with harmonious transitions between flavors, it shows syrupy orchard fruits, brioche loaf, peppery smoke, creamy almond, vanilla sponge, dried pear, and orange peel. A mouth-coating finish brings sweet honey, woodsmoke, and banana. No water needed."*