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Aberfeldy 18 Years (2021) French Red Wine Casks

If there's one thing a whisky from the Highlands promises, it's character - and the Aberfeldy 2021, 18 years in French Red Wine Casks doesn't disappoint. This limited bottling shows how a mature spirit can shine with a touch of French elegance.

TYPE	COUNTRY	REGION	DISTILLERY
Single Malt	Scotland	Highlands	Aberfeldy
AGE	ABV	PRICE/LITER	
18 Years	43% Vol.	139.97 €/l	

TASTING NOTES

NOSE

Even the nosing of this whisky is an experience. Notes of dates and figs rise to the nose, carried by a gentle hint of light-coloured grapes and clove. An interesting 'sandy' undertone is reminiscent of a walk in an autumn landscape - earthy, slightly rough and inviting at the same time. After the first sip, increasingly fruity flavours unfold, intensifying the impression.

PALATE

On the tongue, the Aberfeldy 18 years is initially creamy - almost like a velvety wine. But then the Highlands make their unmistakable mark: oak and a hint of coloured pepper provide a spicy base, accompanied by subtle notes of red fruit. The slightly vinous note from the maturation in French red wine casks adds an elegant dimension without being too dominant.

FINISH

And then comes the finish - wow! The interplay of flavours reaches its climax here. A clear strawberry note leads into raspberry ice cream before everything dissolves into a creamy, spicy warmth. The strong spiciness leaves a lasting impression that lingers on the palate for minutes afterwards.

THOUGHTS

MARCEL

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RATINGS

MARCEL
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SASCHA
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VALUE FOR MONEY
4/5
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