

# WHISKY:EDITION

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## Allt-a-Bhainne (2008/2019) Scottish Roadsign Edition No. 11 - Flickenschild

The Allt-a-Bhainne Distillery, more of a hidden champion of the Speyside region, surprises time and again with unique bottlings. The Scottish Roadsign Edition No. 11 from independent bottler Flickenschild brings an exciting side of this distillery to light - raw, powerful and surprisingly nuanced at the same time.

TYPE	COUNTRY	REGION	DISTILLERY
Single Malt	Scotland	Speyside	Allt-a-Bhainne
BOTTLER	AGE	ABV	PRICE/LITER
Flickenschild	10 Years	59.1% Vol.	78.50 €/l

### TASTING NOTES

#### NOSE

The very first sniff reveals that this whisky is not for the faint-hearted. Lovage literally jumps into the nose and is reminiscent of a savoury kitchen aroma. This is accompanied by unusually distinctive notes of tobacco, followed by a softer sweetness reminiscent of caramel and rape honey. Delicate hints of toasted bread and a slightly cakey fragrance resonate in the background, giving the whole a warm base.

#### PALATE

A veritable rollercoaster unfolds on the palate. The entry is intense and direct - fruitcake with a hint of apricot, before a wild shift to maritime notes. Dried seaweed, a hint of iodine and even something reminiscent of wall paint give the whisky an industrial, almost wild flavour. Mint and heather add a refreshing complexity that gives the character depth. Particularly exciting is the slightly chemical impression of thinner, which blends surprisingly well into the overall picture.

#### FINISH

The finish is rather short, but concise. A sweetish spiciness lingers on the tongue, like a fleeting moment that lingers in the memory longer than you initially expect.

### THOUGHTS

#### MARCEL

The Allt-a-Bhainne 2008/2019 Scottish Roadsign Edition No. 11 is a bold character whisky that really delights with its rough, maritime notes and sharp spiciness. Not a whisky for the faint-hearted, but a genuine pleasure for adventurers and lovers of unusual flavors. Perfect paired with caramelized nuts or smoked salmon – a dramatic tasting experience you won't soon forget.

#### SASCHA

The Scottish Roadsign Edition No. 11 from Allt-a-Bhainne impresses with its complex balance between maritime, industrial, and sweet elements. Its clear structure, featuring nuances of lovage, caramel, and a surprising chemical note, makes it an exciting Speyside whisky full of character. Due to its intense aromatic profile, this bottling is especially recommended alongside hearty dishes like smoked salmon or spicy rye bread.

### RATINGS

MARCEL  
**74/100**  
Very good

SASCHA  
**74/100**  
Very good

VALUE FOR MONEY  
**4/5**  
Good

