

WHISKY:EDITION

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Knockando 12 Years

Knockando 12 is considered the classic entry-level single malt, representative of Speyside, with a fruity, nutty flavour profile. Knockando mainly produces malts for blends. Nevertheless there are some own bottlings which are traded under the name of the distillery Knockando (Gaelic for: Little Black Hill).

TYPE	COUNTRY	REGION	DISTILLERY
Single Malt	Scotland	Speyside	Knockando
AGE	ABV	PRICE/LITER	
12 Years	43% Vol.	49.99 €/l	

TASTING NOTES

NOSE

As we would expect from a Speysider: nutty and fruity. We think of apple, pear and honey. A floral scent rounds off the bright, light fragrance.

PALATE

Tastes like cinema. A very cereal aroma inevitably makes us think of popcorn and canned corn. Some vanilla and oak sneak up behind. This scotch is very delicate.

FINISH

In the medium-long finish, the single malt becomes a tad bitter, but remains nutty and malty.

THOUGHTS

MARCEL

Light and delicate like a mild summer evening, but a bit too tame for true whisky adventurers. A nice dram for beginners, scoring points with its fruity and nutty character – but those seeking more depth will likely be disappointed.

SASCHA

A solid Speyside malt with balanced fruitiness and subtle vanilla notes, though it lacks a distinctive character and greater complexity. For the affordable price, the Knockando 12 Year offers a decent balance but remains somewhat one-dimensional overall.

RATINGS

MARCEL
65/100
Good

SASCHA
67/100
Good

VALUE FOR MONEY
4/5
Good

