

WATERFORD SFO Hook Head Edition 1.1 Whiskey

Ireland



Product code	FFo6NVFC
Grapes	Spirits
Country	Ireland
ABV%	50%
Case Size	6
Closure Style	Vinolok
Producer	
Vintage	NV



Producer

The Worlds first Biodynamic Whisky. One of only four organic Whisky's In Britain and Ireland. 'The integrity of what Waterford is, is incorruptible' - Mark Reynier on their whole approach. Unashamedly influenced by the world's greatest winemakers, they obsessively bring the same intellectual drive, methodology and rigour to barley – the very source of malt whisky's complex flavour. Extolling a hundred exclusive farms of Irish-grown barley, they search for natural flavours via three paths: their Single Farm Origins pursue the individualism of terroir-derived flavour; they are the building blocks of our Cuvées, where the whole is greater than the sum. Finally their Arcadian Barley expresses the intensity of flavour from exploring the old ways – of Organic, Biodynamic, Heritage and even Irish-peated barley. Indeed, so thorough is their exploration of the frontiers of natural flavour that they are the world's largest producer of organic and biodynamic whiskies

Tasting Notes

It's a spice bomb up front then finishes dry, but it leaves a lasting oiliness that holds the spiciness for a long time.

Viticulture

The lighthouse at Hook Head stands resolute against the full force of the Atlantic Ocean on Ireland's southern coast, 10 miles from the distillery – so close that Oliver Cromwell vowed to take Waterford 'by hook or by crook' in the 17th century. In its shadow, Martin Foley grows barley on clay/loam soils derived from limestone, belonging to the Elton series. Exposed to the full range of salt-laden storms, sea mists & ocean breezes, it's an extreme maritime terroir.