Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold (Bronze) Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses (Sherry) (Sweet) Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty (Vanilla) Oily Peppery (Raisins) Intense Grassy (Caramel) Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty (Sherry) (Sweet) (Smoky) Malty Peat ? Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light (Medium) Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp (Mouth-coating) Silky Velvet (OILY)

Finish: Short Medium (Long) Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 2 2.5 (3) 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 94 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** Jim

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels, ~ 25% French wine casks.**

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: Pale Yellow (Yellow) Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry (Sweet) Smoky Pungent (Sea Air) Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty (Vanilla) Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy (Caramel) Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 (1.5) 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 87 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** Jim

Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold (Bronze) Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry ~~Sweet~~ Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily mildly ~~Peppery~~ Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral (Citrus)

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry (Sweet) Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium Full Smooth Rich (Creamy) ~~Textured~~ Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 (2) 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 89 **Notes:** the palate evolves **Name:** Frank

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

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Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels, ~ 25% French wine casks.**

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow (Gold) Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty (Vanilla) Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive (Delicate) Bland

Body: Light Medium Full Smooth Rich (Creamy) Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 (1.5) (2) 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 85 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** Frank

Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold (Bronze) Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty (Oak) Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate (Woody) Zesty Vanilla (Oily) Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy (Caramel) Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

(Honey) Coconut Nutty Sherry (Sweet) Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive (Balanced) Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light (Medium) Full (Smooth) Rich (Creamy) Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating (Silky) Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense (Tingling) Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 (1.5) 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 89 **Notes:** Easy Like Sunday Morning **Name:** Jeff Roy

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels**, ~ **25% French wine casks**.

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: (Pale Yellow) Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody (Zesty) Vanilla Oily (Peppery) Raisins (Intense) Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp (Mouth-coating) Silky Velvet

Finish: Short Medium (Long) Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 (4) 4.5 5

Score: 92 **Notes:** For me "Meh" **Name:** Jeff Roy

Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold (Bronze) Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet (Smoky) Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry (Sweet) (Smoky) Malty Peat Rich/Earthy (Salty)

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium (Full) Smooth (Rich) Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 (2) 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 89 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** Mike

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels**, ~ **25% French wine casks**.

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow (Gold) Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry (Sweet) Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody (Zesty) Vanilla Oily (Peppery) Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light (Medium) Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 (2) 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 86 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** Mike

Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow (Gold) Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty (Oak) Nutty Molasses (Sherry) (Sweet) Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty (Sherry) (Sweet) Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty (Oak)

Alive (Balanced) Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light (Medium) Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust (Oaky) (Crisp) Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 (1.5) 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 89 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** _____

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

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Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels**, ~ **25% French wine casks**.

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: Pale Yellow (Yellow) Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty (Vanilla) Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy (Caramel) Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry (Sweet) (Smoky) (Malty) Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive (Balanced) Abrasive (Assertive) Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium (Full) Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky (Crisp) Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 (2) 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 91 **Notes:** complex/interesting/memorable **Name:** [signature]

Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze (Deep Amber) Mahogany

Nose: Floral (Citrus) Grass ~~Honey~~ Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry (Sweet) Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody (Zesty) Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy (Caramel) Berries Chocolate Floral (Citrus)

(Honey) Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: (Light Medium) Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short Medium Long (Abrupt Bitter) Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 (2) 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 91 **Notes:** _____ **Name:** Tony Vinson

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels**, ~ **25% French wine casks**.

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

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Score: 92 **Notes:** My choice **Name:** Tom Vinson

Glenturret Triple Wood Highland. 44% ABV
1.Sherry American Oak. 2.Sherry European Oak. 3. Bourbon

Nose

- Sweet dried fruits: raisins, sultanas, maybe prune.
- Vanilla, caramel, honeyed syrup.

Palate

- Generally sweet and rich upfront: caramel, honey, toffee, golden syrup.
- Dried fruit carryovers: raisins, maybe apricot or prune.
- Citrus zest / peel (orange, maybe lemon) appears, balancing sweetness.

Finish

- Medium length, not extremely long. The sweetness fades somewhat as oak and spice linger.
- Finish shows oak, dryness, and sometimes bitter orange peel or dried citrus peel.

What people like:

- The layered cask maturation: blending different sherry and bourbon influences gives complexity.
- Approachable but with character — sweet, fruity, balanced with spice and oak. Good "entry" complexity.
- The sweet & oak interplay, especially in nose and palate, tends to be very pleasing.

Color: Pale Yellow Yellow (Gold) Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: Floral Citrus Grass (Honey) Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses (Sherry) Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody (Zesty) Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel (Berries) Chocolate Floral Citrus

(Honey) Coconut Nutty (Sherry) (Sweet) Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive (Balanced) Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium Full (Smooth) Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: Short (Medium) Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust (Oaky) Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 (4) 4.5 5

Score: 85 **Notes:** Well balanced, Sweet, Slightly Fruity **Name:** Scott Wildey

Meeting Date: 9/20/2025

Bruchladdich Barley Single Malt
50% ABV. 8YO Islay Distillery

Cask split: ~ **75% first-fill American whiskey barrels**, ~ **25% French wine casks.**

Appearance Pale straw or light barley gold.

Nose Generally delicate, floral, and malt-driven. Expect aromas of pear, green apple, soft citrus (lemon/lime), honey and vanilla. Some sea breeze / maritime salty air.

Palate Creamy mouthfeel; sweet and approachable despite the relatively youthful age. Malt, barley sugar/honey + fruit (pear, melon, sometimes orange or even kiwi) combined with vanilla, possibly some toffee / brown sugar notes. The oak influence gives mild spice, a touch of tannin or dryness especially toward the mid-palate. Some cereal or porridge texture.

Finish Medium length. Lingering sweetness from the malt and fruit, but balanced by mild oak dryness / tannin. Some reviewers find a salty & coastal finish ("sea breeze" or "saline tang"). Also notes like salted caramel, brown sugar.

Balance between fruit / sweetness and oak. The cask proportions seem to give enough support without overwhelming the barley..

Color: Pale Yellow (Yellow) Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

Nose: (Floral) Citrus Grass Honey Coconut (Malty) (Oak) Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet (Smoky) Pungent Sea Air Peat

Palate: Woody Zesty (Vanilla) Oily (Peppery) Raisins (Intense) Grassy Caramel Berries Chocolate Floral Citrus

Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced (Abrasive) Assertive Delicate Bland

Body: Light Medium Full (Smooth) Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

Finish: (Short) Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling (Robust) Oaky Crisp Delicate

Length of finish (minutes): (1) 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 80 **Notes:** Intense, Smoky **Name:** Scott Wildey