

Country Scotland

Type Single malt

Distillery Jura

Region Island

Name Prophecy

ABV 46

Cask French Limousine oak

Colour Rich, amber gold with shimmering highlights.
A lustrous copper gold and cherry wood hue.

Bottle volume 1 litre

Price €/cl 0.56

Recommended retail price €/cl 0.60

Place of purchase Düsseldorf airport

Notes Limited annual release: 10,000 bottles only.



Nose Some peat, aniseed, oily, dry, pungent. Heavily peated with fresh cinnamon and spicy sea spray. Smells like it comes from across the Sound of Islay. Heavier peat than the Superstition, still has the lightly tarry, medicinal note, but there's more smoke here, burning hay and leaves. Though there's a fair amount of sweetness, the fruit is a bit more pungent and less sweet with notes of chocolate covered fruit, orange pith and apple cider. Chocolatey grain, dried hay, and anise round things out.

Palate Smoky and dry, a muscular, powerful Jura with notes of nutmeg, cardamom, sea spray. Coal tar. Oily mouthfeel with an initial raisin-y, fudge-y, almost sherried sweetness that quickly gives way to the growing peat and smoke. Sweetly medicinal at first, the greenish wood smoke grows and grows towards the finish. Clove and cinnamon and a little salt and pepper spice up the smoke towards the end and give it even more punch.

Finish Good length, with punchy, dry peat smoke and dry herbal notes. Medium-longish, mouth-watering, and satisfying with white pepper, peat and smoke.

Ratings 4/5 (masterofmalt.com), 75/100 connosr.com, 88.5/100 allthingswhisky.com, 729 proof66.com