

SHERRY FINISH RYE WHISKEY

FIVE & 20 SPIRITS AND BREWING, WESTFIELD, NY

ALCOHOL

GRAIN BILL

99 proof 49.5% ABV 80% NY rye and 20% NY barley malt

AGING

Minimum 18 months in charred American oak barrel, then finished in American Sherry casks for an additional 3 and a half years.



NY International Spirits Competition – NY Rye Distillery of the Year 2019

DISTILLING NOTES/ AGING NOTES

This whiskey started out in new, charred American oak barrels that provides the robust caramel and vanilla notes which balance the spiciness of the rye. After this initial aging, the whiskey is transferred into freshly emptied American "Sherry" wine casks from our own winery – Mazza Vineyards. Because the "Sherry" casks came from our own winery, they were filled with whiskey within 24 hours of the wine being removed. This ensures the freshness of the barrels which provides the maximum flavor and aroma impact. The longer aging in these "Sherry" casks gives the whiskey a rich, nutty character that complements the spice and caramel notes of the rye whiskey.

TASTING NOTES

The sherry notes are immediately evident on the nose, complementing the rye's inherent spicy and even tannic nature. Look for citrus, cocktail cherry, raisin and rancio notes underscored by deep barrel character, complex and layered mouthfeel and a long, lasting finish.

DIETARY NOTES

Vegan



Enjoy this special expression of our bourbon neat, on the rocks, or with a splash of water.

