

**Duncan Taylor NC2
(distilled at Imperial)
1997 13 year old**

Pale straw. One of a seemingly never-ending stream of Imperials from Duncan Taylor, all of which show remarkable consistency and are rarely over-wooded, thereby allowing the distillery character to shine. Here are echoes of Loire Sauvignon Blanc — nettles, gooseberry, cut grass, fennel tops, and fresh herbs — with a hint of Imperial's giveaway American cream soda softness. The palate is as soft as soy milk. Classic Imperial. £38

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