



**Duncan Taylor (distilled
at Bunnahabhain) 1997
vintage 12 year old
46%**



More mature peated
Bunnahabhain Islay whiskies are
emerging (like this one). Indeed,
tarry, peat ash notes are evident
throughout this one (especially on
the finish!), along with nutty
toffee, nougat, smoked olive,
glazed ginger, and candied lime.
Pretty even-keeled, not as
medicinal and aggressive as its
cousins on the southern end of the
island. The smoke and layered
sweet notes balance nicely. If
you're looking to ease your way
into smoky Islay whiskies, this
would be a good start.



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