



Valinch & Mallet

- INDEPENDENT SPIRITS -



SPIRIT PROFILE

Spirit: Pot Still Rum
Distillery of Origin: Uitvlugt
Maturation: 20 years
Cask Type: Ex-bourbon barrel
Bottling Strength: 59.2% ABV CASK STRENGTH
Total US Release: 114 bottles

UITVLUGT DISTILLERY PROFILE

Region: British Guyana
Founded: Uitvlugt, 1750
Current Capacity: Closed and Demolished
Note: Closed in 2000 when its famous double wooden pot still was moved to Diamond Distillery.

FROM DAVIDE ROMANO, OWNER of VALINCH & MALLET

“Nose: Crayolas, plasticine, shoe polish, balsa wood, green gunpowder tea and a touch of oyster plant.

Mouth: a lot of tarry, smoky wax, camphor, and perhaps green chartreuse.

“Distilled in Uitvlugt but not using the original Savalle still (like the Diamond 15) but the Double Wooden Pot Still coming originally from Port Mourant, and transferred to Uitvlugt when the distillery closed.

Being distilled in 1998 is one of the last years where it was used before the closure of Uitvlugt in December 1999 and the subsequent transferring of the 3 stills it had (the Savalle, the Port Mourant double wooden Pot Still and the single wooden pot still from Versailles through Enmore) to Diamond.

Very little tropical maturation here, almost 4 years while the rest was performed in Europe, thus providing a rum less oriented toward tannins and astringency (as it may easily happen after a long tropical ageing due to the accelerated extraction) but more toward a rounder and multi-dimensional character.”