



HMS FORMIDABLE

ADMIRAL GEORGE B. RODNEY, 1ST BARON RODNEY KB (1718-1792)

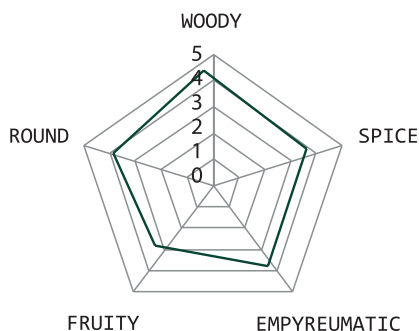
Admiral G. Rodney was a brilliant naval strategist, an inveterate gambler and an unscrupulous collector of the spoils of war. He will forever be remembered as the Admiral who broke the French line at the Battle of the Saints thus ensuring British domination of the Caribbean.

The Admiral Rodney series of award winning rums celebrates this famous naval battle and toasts the courage and valour of British sailors who “broke the line” and vanquished the French fleet.

Launched in August 1777 **HMS Formidable** was Admiral Rodney’s flagship in the famous Battle of the Saints. Formidable was in the centre of the British fleet and took advantage of a sudden change of wind to “break the line” and sail into the French fleet unleashing her 98 guns on Admiral de Grasse’s ships. Fighting with gusto and courage Formidable’s gallantry has inspired us to create an exceptional rum that celebrates valour, honour and service.

HMS Formidable contains rums aged in American white oak bourbon casks. The base distillates have been aged for a minimum of 10 to 15 years in tropical heat which significantly speeds up maturation.

Intense dark golden colour with a nose wonderful honeyed raisin fruit, spices and vanilla. Complex palate of luscious sweet sultans fruit and balancing toasty oak. Long finish to leave a lasting impression of the brilliance of great rum.



The Admiral Rodney series of rare and matured rums are handcrafted at St. Lucia Distillers using traditional methods and an unbreakable commitment to quality.

All Admiral Rodney rums are distilled using our 45 plates Coffey still which was commissioned in 1984. Admiral Rodney rums are extracted from the bottom plates of the Coffey still as these distillates have the balance of flavours which enable a long maturation period to provide intensity and complexity.