

## **Blood & Sand**

The "Blood & Sand" is a classic cocktail with a mysterious origin. It was first mentioned in *The Savoy Cocktail Book* by Harry Craddock in 1930, though it's unclear whether he created it or simply included the recipe.

What makes this cocktail intriguing is its ingredients: scotch, sweet vermouth, cherry liqueur, and orange juice. It's a fantastic introduction to scotch for those new to the spirit.

Who would have thought?

## Ingredients

- 3/4-ounce scotch (choose one that isn't too peated)
- 3/4-ounce sweet vermouth
- 3/4-ounce Heering cherry liqueur
- 3/4-ounce orange juice, freshly squeezed
- Garnish: orange peel

## Steps

- 1. Add the scotch, sweet vermouth, cherry liqueur, and orange juice into a shaker with ice and shake until well-chilled.
- 2. Strain into a chilled coupe or cocktail glass.
- 3. Garnish with an orange peel.

## Cheers,

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