



Job Title	Distilleries Technical Innovation Chemist
Job Level	
Location	Girvan Travel will be required between WGS sites for periods of time
Business Unit	Distilling & Technical
Function	Technical
Leader	Technical Leader
People Leadership	No direct reports
Role Purpose	
To provide practical support for development or change to existing distillery operations or invent new processes at lab or pilot scale to ensure raw material effectiveness, process effectiveness, develop new processes or develop new flavours in new make spirit under appropriate controls before applying and validating in distillery operations	
Responsibilities	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify technical opportunities to address current plant issues, capacity constraints, productivity increases, environmental improvement initiatives and future state projects • Responsible for development of concept & processes to create new liquids from our distilleries through trials. Ensure process mitigation parameters are considered and tested were feasible • Perform R&D and trials to assess feasibility and efficacy – plan and complete lab and plant trials • Ensure pilot or distillery innovation trials have the relevant due diligence requirements documented, tested, and reported for raw materials and liquids • Analyse samples in accordance with standard operating procedures, ensuring accurate record keeping for report writing • Accountable for collection and prioritisation of innovation initiatives from sites/key stakeholders to inform the development of the annual innovation plan. • Consultation with site stakeholders and preparation of relevant documentation • Preparation of budget requirements for all trials – including SR and where required capital estimations • Compiling relevant data and reporting results to interested parties and key stakeholders and determining next steps 	