

BALLISTIC BEER CO

HOME TASTING SHEET

BEER NAME: _____

BEER STYLE: _____

COLOUR/APPEARANCE



COLOUR SRM: _____

Light Yellow (1-1.5)	Straw (2-3)	Pale (4)	Gold (5-6)
Light Amber (7)	Amber (8)	Medium Amber (9)	Copper (10-12)
Light Brown (13-15)	Saddle Brown (16-17)	Brown (18-24)	Dark Brown (25-39)
Black (40+)			

CLARITY: BRILLIANT CLEAR SLIGHT HAZE HAZY

COLLAR OF FOAM & HEAD RETENTION/TEXTURE:

NONE MODERATE (15 To 60 Seconds) POOR (Up To 15 Seconds) GOOD (More Than 60 Seconds)

TEXTURE: THIN FLUFFY MOUSSE-LIKE

CARBONATION (VISUAL):

NONE SLOW MEDIUM FAST RISING BUBBLES

AROMA

SWIRL YOUR GLASS AND BREATHE DEEPLY, GETTING A GOOD WHIFF OF THE BEER BEFORE YOU TAKE YOUR FIRST SIP. WHAT DOES THE BEER SMELL LIKE? WHAT HOPS, MALT, YEAST OR OTHER AROMATICS JUMP OUT AT YOU?

HOPS: CITRUS, TROPICAL, FRUITY, FLORAL, HERBAL, ONION-GARLIC, SWEATY, SPICY, WOODY, GREEN, PINE, SPRUCE, RESINOUS, OTHER _____

MALT: BREAD FLOUR, GRAINY, BISCUIT, BREADY, TOAST, CARAMEL, PRUNY, ROAST, CHOCOLATE, COFFEE, SMOKY, ACRID, OTHER _____

ESTERS: APPLE, APRICOT, BANANA, BLACKCURRANT, CHERRY, FIG, GRAPEFRUIT, KIWI, PEACH, PEAR, PINEAPPLE, PLUM, RAISIN, RASPBERRY, STRAWBERRY, OTHER _____

PHENOL: CLOVE, CINNAMON, VANILLA, SMOKY, WHITE PEPPER, OTHER _____

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FLAVOUR AND AFTERTASTE

TAKE A SIP OF THE BEER AND LET IT WARM IN YOUR MOUTH BEFORE YOU SWALLOW. WHAT ARE YOUR FIRST TASTE IMPRESSIONS? HOW DOES THE FLAVOR COMPARE TO THE AROMA? ARE THERE ANY DOMINATING FLAVORS? IS IT BALANCED?

ALCOHOL: NOT DETECTIBLE, MILD, NOTICEABLE, HARSH, HOT

HOP FLAVOUR: CITRUS, TROPICAL, FRUITY, FLORAL, HERBAL, ONION-GARLIC, SWEATY, SPICY, WOODY, GREEN, PINE, SPRUCE, RESINOUS, OTHER _____

HOP BITTERNESS: RESTRAINED, MODERATE, AGGRESSIVE, HARSH

MALT: BREAD FLOUR, GRAINY, BISCUIT, BREADY, TOAST, CARAMEL, PRUNY, ROAST, CHOCOLATE, COFFEE, SMOKY, ACRID, OTHER _____

OTHER FLAVOURS: _____

MOUTHFEEL

TAKE ANOTHER DRINK AND SIT WITH THE FLAVORS THAT BUILD ON YOUR PALATE. WHAT TEXTURE DOES IT HAVE? WHAT SENSATIONS ARE STRONGEST? IS IT CARBONATED? ACIDIC? LIGHT- OR FULL-BODIED?

BODY: DRYING, SOFT, MOUTH-COATING, STICKY, VELVET, OTHER _____

NOTES:

OVERALL IMPRESSION

CONSIDER THE OVERALL TASTING EXPERIENCE, AND WRITE DOWN YOUR EVALUATION. WHAT DID YOU ENJOY? WHAT DID YOU NOT? HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THIS BEER TO A FRIEND?

NOTES: