

SELECTING THE RIGHT YEAST

Selecting the right yeast strain for the style of beer you are wishing to brew is critical. Each yeast strain will provide the beer with different flavor characteristics as well as body and clarity. Use the table below, as well as the yeast technical notes on the following pages, to ensure you select the best yeast for your chosen beer style.

Please note: Workhorse Beer Yeast is not mentioned in the below table as this can be used to ferment all beer styles. Workhorse Beer and US West Coast Yeast can also be used for brewing beers with lager characteristics, when cool fermentation temperatures are not achievable.

NATIONALITY	BEER STYLE(S)	RECOMMENDED YEAST STRAIN
British	Classic English Style Pale Ale	Burton Union Yeast
	India Pale Ale UK	British Ale Yeast
	English Style Dark Mild Ale	Newcastle Dark Ale Yeast
	English Style Brown Ale	Newcastle Dark Ale Yeast
	Ordinary Bitter	Burton Union Yeast
	Best Bitter	Burton Union Yeast
	English Style Extra Special Bitter	Burton Union Yeast
	British Style Imperial Stout	British Ale Yeast
	Barley Wine British	British Ale Yeast
	Strong Ale	British Ale Yeast
	Old Ale	Newcastle Dark Ale Yeast
	Golden or Blonde Ale or Summer Ale	Burton Union Yeast
	Porter	British Ale Yeast
	Foreign Style Stout	British Ale Yeast
Oatmeal Stout	British Ale Yeast	
American	American Style Lager	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	American Style Pale Ale	US West Coast Yeast
	India Pale Ale US	US West Coast Yeast
	Imperial India Pale Ale	US West Coast Yeast

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German	Bamberg Style Rauchbier	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	German/Bohemian Style Pilsner	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	Munich Style Helles	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	Dortmunder/European Style Export	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	Vienna Style Lager	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	German Style Schwarzbier	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	German Style Märzen/Oktoberfest	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	Traditional German Style Bock	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	German Style Heller Bock/Maibock	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	German Style Doppelbock	Bohemian Lager Yeast
	South German Style Hefeweizen	Bavarian Wheat Yeast
	South German Style Kristal Weizen	Bavarian Wheat Yeast
	South German Style Dunkel Weizen	Bavarian Wheat Yeast
South German Style Weizenbock	Bavarian Wheat Yeast	
Belgian	French and Belgian Style Saison	Belgian Ale Yeast
	Belgian Style Dubbel	Belgian Ale Yeast
	Belgian Style Tripel	Belgian Ale Yeast
	Belgian Style Quadrupel	Belgian Ale Yeast
	Belgian Style Pale Strong Ale	Belgian Ale Yeast
	Belgian Style Dark Strong Ale	Belgian Ale Yeast
Others	Traditional Scotch Ale	British Ale Yeast
	Scottish Style Heavy Ale	Newcastle Dark Ale Yeast
	Scottish Style Export Ale	Newcastle Dark Ale Yeast
	Classic Irish Style Dry Stout	British Ale Yeast
	Ciders	Cider Yeast
	Ginger Beer	Workhorse Yeast
	Fruit Beers	US West Coast Yeast