

Beer Scoresheet

20th Annual Craft Beer Competition & Festival
2008 SAN DIEGO COUNTY FAIR

SAN DIEGO'S FAVORITE SPORT

Category # 16 Subcategory (a-f) B Entry # 6423

Subcategory (spell out) BELGIAN PALE

Special Ingredients: _____

Aroma (as appropriate for style) 8 /12

Comment on malt, hops, esters, and other aromatics

NICE BALANCE OF MALTY AND
FINNY AROMAS

Appearance (as appropriate for style) 3 /13

Comment on color, clarity, and head (retention, color, and texture)

NICE AMBER COLOR. CLEAR
WITH INITIALY CREAMY HEAD

Flavor (as appropriate for style) 14 /20

Comment on malt, hops, fermentation characteristics, balance, finish/aftertaste, and other flavor characteristics

PLEASANTLY FINNY WITH NICE
HOP BALANCE. CLEAN, MEDIUM
BITTER FINISH

Mouthfeel (as appropriate for style) 4 /5

Comment on body, carbonation, warmth, creaminess, astringency, and other palate sensations

NICE MEDIUM BODY +
PERFECT CARBONATION

Overall Impression 8 /10

Comment on overall drinking pleasure associated with entry, give suggestions for improvement

NICEY BALANCED WITH GOOD
FLAVOR + TEXTURE. NICE

Total 37 /50

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Special Ingredients: _____

Aroma (as appropriate for style) 9 /12

Comment on malt, hops, esters, and other aromatics

sweet malt, stone fruit, spicy / floral
hops

Appearance (as appropriate for style) 3 /13

Comment on color, clarity, and head (retention, color, and texture)

clear light amber, moderate
head retention

Flavor (as appropriate for style) 14 /20

Comment on malt, hops, fermentation characteristics, balance, finish/aftertaste, and other flavor characteristics

sweet nutty caramel malt flavor
moderate hop bitterness helps
balance malt sweetness, spicy
citrus hop flavor melds with some
light yeast fruitiness

Mouthfeel (as appropriate for style) 3 /5

Comment on body, carbonation, warmth, creaminess, astringency, and other palate sensations

full bodied, creamy, some
alcohol apparent, probably more
than style would like

Overall Impression 8 /10

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A bigger beer all around, high
sweetness and high hop levels,
though balance is very good
finishes clean and begs for another
drink.

Total 37 /50