# A Contrast and Comparison of the Many Variations of India Pale Ale

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# Objectives

- Review "all things IPA"
- Discuss different IPA styles, including:
  - Historical English
  - Modern Craft
  - Double IPA
  - Dark IPA
  - Session IPA
  - Belgian IPA
  - Wit IPA
  - Fruit and Spice IPA
- Old assumptions vs. new realities
- What's coming...





# **Today's Beer Selections**

- Stone Delicious IPA
  - American/ "West Coast" IPA
  - Features El Dorado and Lemondrop hops
  - Gluten Reduced
- Stone Go To IPA
  - Session IPA
  - Modified hop bursting
  - Features Mosaic hops

# 4 periods of IPA Brewing

- London Years late 1700s(George Hodgson and Hodgson's Bow Brewery)
- Burton Years: IPA's heyday in the 1800s
- The Temperance Years: The 1900s when prohibition, temperance movements, wars, taxation, and corporate conglomeration almost killed the style
- The Craft IPA Revolution



# Historical English IPA 1820-1900

- Characteristics:
  - Very pale
  - Very dry
  - 16.25-17.5°P (1.065-1.070 SG) OG
  - 70 IBU
  - Described as "sparkling, champagne-like, with a peculiar, fine flavor"

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- Malt: 100% Extra Pale (or White) Malt
- Hops: 100% East Kent Goldings
- Yeast: Burton or London Ale Yeast
  - Mixed culture?
- Water: Very hard water

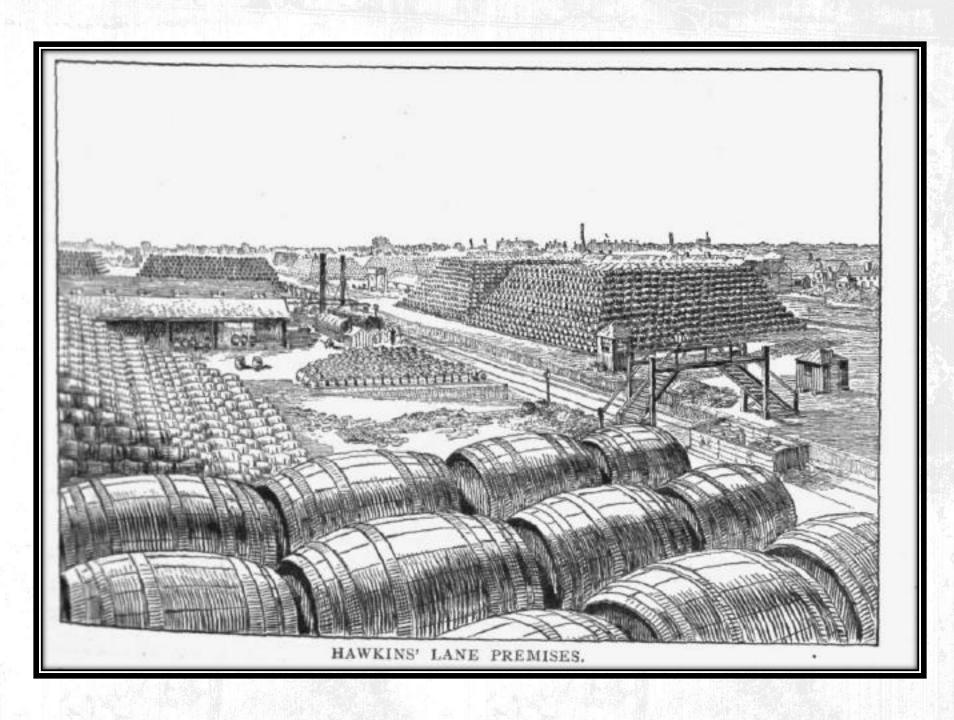


#### **1800s IPA Brewing procedures**

#### Burton IPAs

- Infusion Mash
- Double/triple mash or sparge
- Collect worts of different gravities and blend to hit target final gravity (partigyle)
- Low intensity, long (3 hour) boil (Burton)
- Hopped at 5-9 pounds/bbl
- Hopback for straining and trub removal
- Scottish and American variations

Extra long aging: Up to 1-1.5 years in oak barrels



#### **Summary of IPA Brewing Parameters**

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		Historical Burton IPA	Scottish IPA	Early 1900's English IPA	Contemporary English IPA	American IPA	Double IPA	Black IPA
Malts	Pale Malt %	100%	100%	85-95%	85-100%	85-100%	95-100%	88-95%
	Crystal Malts used	no	no	none	15-40L	10 to 60L	10 to 20 L	10 to 20 L
	Typical crystal %'s	na	na	na	0-10%	3-15%	0-5%	5-10%
	Adjuncts	none	none	Maize, sugar	maize, sugar	none	Dextrose, Candi Sugar	none typically
	%'s	na	na	5-15%	0 to 15%	none	0-10%	na
	Roasted Malts			1.	Munich	Munich		Dehusked Black Ma Black Malt Extract
	Typical %'s	none	none	none	0-10%	0-10%	none	3-7%
	Mash conversion	na	na	na	0-10%	0-10%	none	3-7%
	Temperature Mash Conversion	148-150	150-154	152-154	150-155°F	148-153°F	148-150°F	148-153°F
	Time	120 minutes	120-180 minutes	90 minutes	15-30 minutes	15-60 minutes	60-120 minutes	15-120 minutes
Mashing	OG °P (SG)	15.0-18.75 (1.060- 1.075)	14.0-17.5 (1.056- 1.070)	12.5-15 (1.050-1.060)	12.5-18.75 (1.050- 1.075)	12.5-18.75 (1.050- 1.075)	18.75-22.5 (1.075-1.090)	) 14.0-18.0 (1.056-1.0
	Fermentability	High!	High!	High!	70-80%	75-82%	80-86%	75-82%
	Target TG °P(SG)	0.75-5 (1.003-1.020)	0.75-3.0 (1.003-1.012	) 2.5-4.0 (1.010-1.016)	3.0-4.5 (1.012-1.018)	2.5-4.0 (1.010-1.016)	2.0-3.75 (1.008-1.015)	3.0-4.5 (1.012-1.01)
	abv target	5-7%	5-7%	4-6.5%	5-7%	6.3-7.5%	7.5-10.5%	6-7.5%
	Typical Hopping	6.5.5	1.1		×	- (1	Selfina -	
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	Rates Pounds per barrel	5.0-6.0	1.25-3.0	1.0-2.0	.75-2.5	.75-2	3.5-8	1.5-4
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### American Craft IPA

- American malts
- American hops:
  - -4 C's
  - New varieties
  - 2, 3+ hop additions in brewhouse
  - Dry hop-.75-1.5 lbs/bbl (11-22 grams/gallon)



# Classic "Old School" IPA vs "New School" IPA

- Old School
  - 4 C's hopping (Cascade, Chinook, Centennial, Columbus)
  - 15-16°P (1.060-1.064 SG)
  - 6.5-7.5% abv
  - 55-70 IBUs
  - Crystal malts 5-10% medium color
  - Munich Malts
  - Dry Hop .5-1 lbs/bbl (7-15 grams/gallon)

New School

- What's the new hop?
- Hop Bursting
- 16-18 °P (1.064-1.072 SG)
- 7-8% abv
- 70+ IBUs
- No crystal malts or lightest color versions at small %
- Small amounts colored malts
- Dry-hop 1-2 lbs/bbls (15-30 grams/gallon)



#### East Coast vs West Coast

- Conventional Wisdom:
  - East Coast IPAs have:
    - more influence from English beers
    - More crystal malt (amber colored)
    - Lower bitterness: 45-60 IBU
    - More malt/hop flavor balance
  - West Coast IPA's have:
    - American ingredients
    - No crystal malt
    - High bitterness-70 IBUs or more
    - Strong dry-hop intensity. Trend is 2#/bbl (29 grams/gallon)

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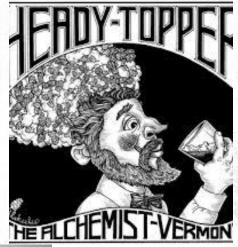
• Drier, more hop forward taste



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California	7.53	15.9	1.01172	3	58.77	14.7	82.07	78.1
California	6.7	14.1	1.01123	2.9	62.33	15.6	81.1	45.6
California	7.66	10.6	1.00803	2.1	66.04	16.5	87.21	65.9
California	6.5	8.7	1.01188	3	61.51	15.4	79.76	48.6
California	7.82	7.9	1.01028	2.6	69.45	17.4	84.41	65.5
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Mountain	7	9.5	1.0128	3.2	66	16.5	80.5	60
Vidwest	7.5	8.5	1.0136	2.5	68	17.0	80	87
Vidwest	5.95	10	1.0184	4.6	62	15.5	70.3	55
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### The "New" East Coast IPA ?

- Wheat malt 5-20%
- Unfiltered
- Chill haze and yeast content
- Hopped like West Coast IPA
- American hops-newer varietals
- Southern Hemisphere hops???







# Imperial/Double IPA

- 18 °P+
- 8-10% abv
- No crystal malts
- Mash: Low temp/long conversion-Dry!
- Sugars can be used to boost abv
- Neutral yeast strain
- Hop 1.5-2 lbs/bbl (22-30 grams/gallon) in dry hop
- Hop schedules:
  - Multiple BH additions: Target 90+ IBU
  - 1-2 dry hop charges



# Triple IPA

- >10% abv
- 100+ IBU
- Commercial examples:
  - Pliny The Younger
  - Knee Deep Simtra
  - Green Flash Green Bullet
  - Alpine Exponential Hoppiness
  - Stone RuinTen IPA
  - DFH 120 minute IPA (18% abv!)
- Quadrupel IPA??? Hop Wine?





# Black/Brown IPA

- Formulate like a classic IPA or Double IPA with a small addition of dark malt
- To mill or not to mill?
- Malts to avoid:
  - Black Patent
  - Chocolate
  - Roast Barley
- Malts to use 3-5%:
  - Carafa dehusked black malt
  - Midnight wheat.
  - Pearled black barley
  - Sinamar





#### Session IPA

- Just a hoppy pale ale??
- 9-11 °P starting gravity
- 4.5% abv or less
- Hop like an IPA or Double IPA
- Avoiding thin character?
- Malt choices:
  - Limit crystal?
  - Carapils?





# Wheat/Rye IPA

- Standard IPA recipe using wheat or rye as a large % of the base malt
- Provides additional malt complexity
- Flaked or torrified versions
- Lautering issues?





# Coffee IPA

- Apparent disconnect, but coffee pairs well with citrusy hops-Citra, Centennial, Mandarina Bavaria
- Hot side addition
  - Mash-whole beans 2.5 lbs/bbl (37 grams/gallon)
  - Late kettle or whirlpool steep 1 lb/bbl (15 grams/gallon)
- Cold Side addition
  - Cold Steep in chilled beer 1lb/bbl (15 grams/gallon)
- Addition rates for non mash additions: 10-20 grams/gallon



# IPA w/ Tea

- Traditional teas-Green Tea, Black Tea
- Earl Grey-Bergamot
- Flavored teas
- Hot side vs cold side
- Addition rates: 20-30 grams/gallon





# **Belgian IPA**

- 2 brewing techniques:
- Brew an IPA and ferment with Belgian yeast
- Brew a Triple or Belgian Golden and hop the crap out of it
- Both work!





# Wit IPA

- 2 brewing techniques:
- Brew an IPA, ferment with Wit yeast, and add coriander and orange peel
- Brew a Wit and hop the crap out of it
- Both work!
- Chamomile





#### **IPL-India Pale Lager**

- Standard IPA recipe, except:
  - Pilsner malt
  - Lager yeast
- Classic IPA hops or German hops?
- Imperial Pils





# **Brett IPA**

- Primary fermentation with Brett:
  - Victory Wild Devil, Evil Twin Femme Fatale, Crooked Stave Hop Savant, SuperFriends IPA
- Secondary Fermentation with Brett:
  - Avery Brett IPA, Stone Enjoy After IPA
- Wood Age?
- Brett Drei, bruxellensis, claussenii, anomalus, Trois



# IPA w/ other ingredients

- Chocolate/cacao:20-60 grams/gallon
- Coconut: Use lots-4-5lbs/bbl (58-88 grams/gallon). Hot and cold side
- Spices: 5-10 grams/gallon starting point
  - Jasmine
  - Juniper
  - Ginger
  - Hibuscus
  - Sage
  - Lemon Verbena
  - Mint





# Fruit IPA

- Citrus
  - Peel: 2-10 grams/gallon 1.5#/bbl. Double that if using fresh peel.
  - Juice or juice concentrate 1-2-5 gallon/bbl (4-8-20 oz/gallon) or for concentrate: 1/3-2/3 gallon/bbl (1-3 oz/gallon)
- Stone fruits and berries (peach, Apricot): Old rule of thumb-1 lb/bbl.
  - Juice addition rate 1-2-5 gallon/bbl or 1/3-2/3 gallon/bbl
  - Puree-10-25 pounds/bbl (5-12 grams/gallon)
- Peppers-Habanero, Jalapeno, etc:
  - 1/3 to 1+ lbs/bbl
  - Highly variable



## What else is coming-trends

- Estate IPAs
- Hop Regionalization
- "IPA-ify" other classic beer styles?
- Hoppy Lagers
- Barrel aged IPA
- Marijuana IPA?





# QUESTIONS?????





# 1878 English Military Specifications for purchased IPA

- IPA had to be brewed with 100 percent malt.
- OG had to be 15 °P (1.060 SG) minimum.
- • Hops had to be used at 20 pounds per quarter minimum (about
- 4–5 pounds per barrel), plus 11 pounds new hops in the dryhop
- in barrels.
- Beer had to be casked not more than 21 days after brewing.
- • Casks were required to be made from well-seasoned Baltic or Bosnian
- oak staves, free from sap, strong, stout, and well made. Casks
- had to be steamed at a temperature of not less than 230° F (110°
- C), and the staves were required to be one inch thick.
- • Beer had to be brewed between November 1 and May.
- Beer for bottling was to be kept on hand for 9–12 months before
- bottling and to have one summer and one autumn fermentation
- before bottling.



#### WATER ANALYSIS DIFFERENT BREWING REGIONS (all in ppm, or mg/L) Burton- on -Trent Pilsen Munich Dublin Dortmund London Milwaukee St. Louis Stone 300 Calcium 7 75 260 90 35 26 117 22.1 640 Sulfate 3 54 283 58 18 80 16.5 10 60 Magnesium 2.5 19 4 23 4 11 8 8.88 54 Sodium 32 10 12 69 24 19 38 36 Chloride 5 2 19 106 18 5 23 996.6 Hardness 27.78 265.59 308.94 744.53 241.44 132.71 97.88 91.8 236 Alkalinity 23 253 300 21 43



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Lbs. T. 50 quarters)4320, 0(86.4 per quarter. Total Extract.

Fermentation-

Tuesday,	6 р.т.	 64 degrees.	Lbs. T.
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Cleansed into 4 barrel casks on Stillions (not Unions). Saturday racked into delivery casks,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pounds of hops per barrel, put in dry. Shived; no porous spiles required.

Lbs. T. 168 Barrels; Heat, 57 degrees; Weight, 7.5 per barrel.

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Dring and Fagé Saccharometer.

This Gyle was brewed at Burton, by my Instructor, in olden times, when the Ales, from that locality, were *perfect* in every sense of the word.

I was not present, but this is a correct copy from his Brewing Book; in those days only the best East and Mid Kent Hops were used.

The large quantity of Hops, used at that time, for the reason, that E. I. A. was in those days Bitter Ale, now the quantity is what suits the pocket of the Brewer.

Liquor without Carbonate of Lime, half the quantity of Hops would give as much bitter.

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# AMSINCK'S No 25 EAST INDIA PALE ALE

- Brewing liquor: hard Burton Water, boil for 15 minutes and let cool to strike temperature
- Malt Bill: 100% New Burton White Malt
- Mashing:
  - Double mash system
  - No sparging
  - 1<sup>st</sup> mash:
    - 165°F (74°C) strike temperature
    - 1.3 qts water/pound malt (2.7:1)
    - Hold 2 hours. Expected temp drop to 150°F
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> mash
    - 1.3 qts 180°F (82°C) water/pound malt
    - Hold 1 hr, Expected temp drop to 165°F (74°C)



# AMSINCK'S No 25 EAST INDIA PALE ALE

- **Hopping:** East and Mid Kent Goldings split evenly among the 2 boils: 2.5 oz/gallon (5 lbs/bbl)
- Boil:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> wort: boil 2 hours with 50% of hops. Transfer through a hop back and leave the hops in the hopback.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> wort: Boil 2 hours with the rest of the hops. Run wort over 1<sup>st</sup> hops in hopback.

#### Fermentation:

- Combine worts
- Pitch at 58°F and allow free rise to 72°F over 4 days
- Rack at about 7°P. Cask at 7 days.



# AMSINCK'S No 25 EAST INDIA PALE ALE

- Dry-Hop: 0.77 oz/gallon (1.5 lbs/bbl) EKG
- Age extended time on dry hops
- Analytical targets:
  - OG 16.8°P (1.067 SG)
  - TG 3°P (1.012 SG)
  - IBU ~159 Calculated
  - ABV ~7%



