

2008 BJCP Style Guidelines

<p>1. LIGHT LAGER 1A. Lite American Lager 1B. Standard American Lager 1C. Premium American Lager 1D. Munich Helles 1E. Dortmunder Export</p> <p>2. PILSNER 2A. German Pilsner (Pils) 2B. Bohemian Pilsener 2C. Classic American Pilsner</p> <p>3. EUROPEAN AMBER LAGER 3A. Vienna Lager 3B. Oktoberfest/Märzen</p> <p>4. DARK LAGER 4A. Dark American Lager 4B. Munich Dunkel 4C. Schwarzbier (Black Beer)</p> <p>5. BOCK 5A. Maibock/Helles Bock 5B. Traditional Bock 5C. Doppelbock 5D. Eisbock</p> <p>6. LIGHT HYBRID BEER 6A. Cream Ale 6B. Blonde Ale 6C. Kölsch 6D. American Wheat or Rye Beer</p> <p>7. AMBER HYBRID BEER 7A. Northern German Altbier 7B. California Common Beer 7C. Düsseldorf Altbier</p> <p>8. ENGLISH PALE ALE 8A. Standard/Ordinary Bitter 8B. Special/Best/Premium Bitter 8C. Extra Special/Strong Bitter (English Pale Ale)</p> <p>9. SCOTTISH AND IRISH 9A. Scottish Light 60/- 9B. Scottish Heavy 70/- 9C. Scottish Export 80/- 9D. Irish Red Ale 9E. Strong Scotch Ale</p> <p>10. AMERICAN ALE 10A. American Pale Ale 10B. American Amber Ale 10C. American Brown Ale</p> <p>11. ENGLISH BROWN ALE 11A. Mild 11B. Southern English Brown 11C. Northern English Brown Ale</p> <p>12. PORTER 12A. Brown Porter 12B. Robust Porter 12C. Baltic Porter</p> <p>13. STOUT 13A. Dry Stout 13B. Sweet Stout 13C. Oatmeal Stout 13D. Foreign Extra Stout 13E. American Stout 13F. Russian Imperial</p> <p>14. INDIA PALE ALE (IPA) 14A. English IPA 14B. American IPA 14C. Imperial IPA</p>	<p>15. GERMAN WHEAT AND RYE BEER 15A. Weizen/Weissbier 15B. Dunkelweizen 15C. Weizenbock 15D. Roggenbier (German Rye Beer)</p> <p>16. BELGIAN AND FRENCH ALE 16A. Witbier 16B. Belgian Pale Ale 16C. Saison 16D. Bière de Garde 16E. Belgian Specialty Ale</p> <p>17. SOUR ALE*** 17A. Berliner Weisse 17B. Flanders Red Ale 17C. Flanders Brown Ale/Oud Bruin 17D. Straight (Unblended) Lambic 17E. Gueuze 17F. Fruit Lambic</p> <p>18. BELGIAN STRONG ALE 18A. Belgian Blond Ale 18B. Belgian Dubbel 18C. Belgian Tripel 18D. Belgian Golden Strong Ale 18E. Belgian Dark Strong Ale</p> <p>19. STRONG ALE 19A. Old Ale 19B. English Barleywine 19C. American Barleywine</p> <p>20. FRUIT BEER</p> <p>21. SPICE/HERB/VEGETABLE BEER 21A. Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer 21B. Christmas/Winter Specialty Spiced Beer</p> <p>22. SMOKE-FLAVORED AND WOOD-AGED BEER 22A. Classic Rauchbier 22B. Other Smoked Beer 22C. Wood-Aged Beer***</p> <p>23. SPECIALTY BEER</p> <p>24. TRADITIONAL MEAD*** 24A. Dry Mead 24B. Semi-sweet Mead 24C. Sweet Mead</p> <p>25. MELOMEL (FRUIT MEAD)*** 25A. Cyser (Apple Melomel) 25B. Pyment (Grape Melomel) 25C. Other Fruit Melomel</p> <p>26. OTHER MEAD*** 26A. Methglin 26B. Braggot 26C. Open Category Mead</p> <p>27. STANDARD CIDER AND PERRY*** 27A. Common Cider 27B. English Cider 27C. French Cider 27D. Common Perry 27E. Traditional Perry</p> <p>28. SPECIALTY CIDER AND PERRY*** 28A. New England Cider 28B. Fruit Cider 28C. Applewine 28D. Other Specialty Cider/Perry</p>
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****Italicized styles are not eligible for the Rivertowne Award.*