GENERAL HOP OIL

An almost colourless, clear liquid, containing the complete range of hop essential oils.



OVERVIEW

The use of hop oils provides significant advantages with regard to achieving a consistent hop aroma in beer.

There are 3 types of hop oils available: Type Dry, Type Noble and Type Noble Plus with the Type Dry product having the added benefit that it can be produced from specific hop varieties. Our hop oils are produced by distillation and a subsequent fractionation by CO2.

Basically, they can be distinguished by their concentration of the main components in the 3 types of hop oils.

TYPE DRY				
MYRCENE	55 - 75% (depending on variety)			
HUMULENE	8 - 15% (depending on variety)			
CARYOPHYLLENE	5 - 10% (depending on variety)			

TYPE NOBLE			
LINALOOL	8 - 15% Specific ratios		
	Linalool / Myrcene: > 0.5		
	Linalool / Caryophyllene: > 4		
	Linalool / Humulene: > 1		
	Linalool / Farnesene: > 10		

TYPE NOBLE PLUS				
LINALOOL	15 - 25% Specific ratios			
	Linalool / Myrcene: >5			
	Linalool / Caryophyllene: > 30			
	Linalool / Humulene: > 15			
	Linalool / Farnesene: > 25			

FLAVOUR					
TIME OF ADDITION	QUANTITY	TYPE DRY	TYPE NOBLE	TYPE NOBLE PLUS	
BREW KETTLE/WHIRLPOOL	3.0 - 5.0g/hr	Traditional hoppy character		(Less spicy compared to Type Noble)	
PRIOR TO FERMENTATION	0.5 - 2.0g/hr	Clean dry hoppy flavour			
POST FERMENTATION	0.05 -0.2g/hr	Typical dry hoppy flavour, strong herbal notes			
POST FERMENTATION Up to 600	Up to 20ug/l	Mainly hoppy, a bit herbal			
	Up to 6oug/l	Mild hoppy, herbal and flowery			
	Up to 100ug/l	Hoppy, herbal and flowery			
	Up to 20ug/l	Mild hoppy character			
POST FERMENTATION	Up to 6oug/l	Hoppy and flowery			
	Up to 100ug/l	Flowery, fruity and bit citrus			

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