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Strata®



BASIC BREWING NOTES

Hard to imagine “taking it to 11” in such an elegant manner. Passionfruit, melon, strawberry, grapefruit, rock concert cannabis and dried chili peppers. Hard to resist.

BREWING CHARACTER BY BEER STYLE

West Coast IPA

Combine Strata with some Chinook or Cascade and “old school” turns “new school” real fast. It seems that with late hot-side additions and mid-fermentation dry hopping, more of the passionfruit and strawberry come out; whereas with post fermentation dry hopping the ruby red grapefruit and rock concert cannabis seem to show more.

New England IPA (Hazy)

When Jimi Hendrix wrote Purple Haze, he must have been thinking of Strata. The deep, bluesy mix of fruit and joint smoke is so smooth you’d think it was developed for NEIPA. Dumb luck though, ‘cause hazies weren’t even around when we started working on this hop.

Pale Ale

Strata will completely fill out your pale with strawberry and passionfruit tied together with wafting, sticky cannabis smoke. It wasn’t long ago that many brewers said they couldn’t convince young beer drinkers to drink a pale ale, but it wasn’t long ago that Strata came on the scene either.

Lager (Helles / Pils / Kölsch)

We’re generally skeptical of high alpha, high oil hops in a lager beer. It seems there’s always something that gets in the way somehow. But a lot of brewers surprised us with Strata lagers. Maybe it’s the German Perle heritage, but the lagers stay clean and the strawberry most notably comes out to play in a refreshing way.

CHEMISTRY

ALPHA ACIDS RANGE – 12% - 15%

BETA ACIDS RANGE – 5% - 6%

TOTAL OILS RANGE – 2.3 - 3.5 ml / 100g