8: Strong British & American Ales

These sipping beers are high in alcohol and malt flavors. The American style strong ales and barleywine ales typically have higher bitterness and hop flavors than the English style barleywine ales and strong ales.

8A. American Strong Ale

SoCo American Strong Ale

All Grain Link

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This 8.5% American style Strong Ale is high in malt and hop flavors. This beer features Chinook, Centennial, and Simcoe hops which provide plenty of citrus, pine, and grapefruit flavors and aromas. This beer is perfect if you are wanting a strong beer but don't want a beer as strong as an American Barleywine.

8.5% ABV

76.2 IBU

12.9 SRM

SoCo Texas Strong Ale

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An 8.6% ABV American style Strong Ale that features Wildfire Pale Malt from TexMalt in Fort Worth, Texas. Amarillo hops and Centennial hops provide strong citrus, pine, and grapefruit flavors. Crystal malts and pale chocolate malt give this ale a deep amber hue.

8.6% ABV

76.9 IBU

15.9 SRM

8B. British Strong Ale

SoCo British Strong Ale

All Grain Link

Partial Mash Link

A strong English style ale with a dark hue, hints of chocolate and caramel, and earthy and woody hop flavors and aromas. This 7.0% ABV ale is great if you want a beer stronger than an English bitter but not as strong as a barleywine.

7.0% ABV

42.7 IBU

17.1 SRM

8C. Old Ale

SoCo - Old Ale

All Grain Link

Partial Mash Link

An old ale is lower in alcohol than an English Barleywine, but it still has a high amount of alcohol. Our Old Ale recipe has an ABV of 7.46% and focuses on the malty flavors of the maris otter and crystal 80L.

ABV: 7.46 IBU: 35.5 SRM: 16.9

8D. American Barleywine

SoCo - American Barleywine

All Grain Link

Partial Mash Link

This high alcohol ale is packed with American hops and rich maltiness. This beer features chinook and centennial hops that balance the IBU's with the high levels of sweet maltiness.

ABV: 10.48 IBU: 69.2 SRM: 16.2

8E. English Barleywine

SoCo - English Barleywine

All Grain Link

Partial Mash Link

This high alcohol ale is packed with English hops and rich maltiness. This beer features Challenger and East Kent Golding hops that balance the IBU's with the high levels of sweet maltiness from the Maris Otter and specialty malts.

ABV: 9.43 IBU: 44.5 SRM: 14.6

8F. Wheatwine

SoCo Wheatwine Ale

All Grain Link
Partial Mash Link

A high alcohol beer similar to an American Barleywine but lighter in color, less of an emphasis on hops, and includes a high percentage of wheat malt. This 10% ABV beer is a true sipping beer. 10% ABV 46.2 IBU 9.7 SRM