

Fat Tire

From New Belgium Brewing who have made a fortune cloning recipes from the Belgian monks. This beer is an amber Dubbel style. It is rich, nutty, with a raisin tone from Belgian Special 'B' malt.

OG: 1.050 FG 1.015 ABV 5%

Extract Recipe:

7 lbs Light Malt Extract
1 lb Special 'B'
1/2 lb Crystal Malt 120L
1/2 lb Munich Malt
1 oz Northern Brewers Hops 7 HBUs (Boiling)
1 oz Sterling/Saaz Hops (Flavor) 15 min

Wyeast 1214 Belgian Abbey Ale

For Bottling:

1 1/4 cup Dry Malt Extract Or 3/4 cup Corn sugar

- Add cracked grains in a steeping bag to 2 gals of cold water and bring to a boil.
- When boiling starts, remove the grain and shut off the heat.
- Add malt extract, and stir until fully dissolved.
- Return to heat and bring to a boil for 5 minutes, then add the boiling hops. (1 oz N Brewer)
- Continue boiling for 45 mins then add 1 oz of Sterling/Saaz hops.
- Continue to boil for 15 mins.
- Fill your fermenter with 2 gals of cold water(40°).
- Remove and rinse(sparge) the hops with 1 quart of cold water into the fermenter.
- Add the wort to the fermenter with cold water to make 5 gals.
- Add yeast when the temp reaches 70°. Aerate the wort(shaking works well).
- Ferment at 65° to 70° for 1 week.
- Rack to a secondary fermenter. Let it age to clarity, then bottle or keg.

All Grain Recipe:

10 lbs 2 Row Malt
1 lb Special B Malt
1/2 lb Crystal Malt 120L
1/2 lb Munich Malt

Infusion Mash at 152° for 1 hour. Sparge to 6.5 gals of wort. Boil for one hour using the hop schedule above. Remove hops and cool to 70°. Pitch the yeast and aerate. Follow the fermenting schedule above.