



BEER SCORESHEET



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AHA/BJCP Sanctioned Competition Program

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Judge Name (print) RON CHIPS

Judge BJCP ID _____

Judge Email _____

Use Avery label # 5160

Judge Qualifications and BJCP Rank:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Apprentice | <input type="checkbox"/> Recognized | <input type="checkbox"/> Certified |
| <input type="checkbox"/> National | <input type="checkbox"/> Master | <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Master |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honorary Master | <input type="checkbox"/> Mead Judge | <input type="checkbox"/> Cider Judge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Brewer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-BJCP | <input type="checkbox"/> Rank Pending |

Descriptor Definitions (Mark all that apply):

- ☐ **Acetaldehyde** – Green apple-like aroma and flavor.
- ☐ **Alcoholic** – The aroma, flavor, and warming effect of ethanol and higher alcohols. Sometimes described as “hot.”
- ☐ **Astringent** – Puckering, lingering harshness and/or dryness in the finish/aftertaste; harsh graininess; huskiness.
- ☐ **Diacetyl** – Artificial butter, butterscotch, or toffee aroma and flavor. Sometimes perceived as a slickness on the tongue.
- ☐ **DMS (dimethyl sulfide)** – At low levels a sweet, cooked or canned corn-like aroma and flavor.
- ☐ **Estery** – Aroma and/or flavor of any ester (fruits, fruit flavorings, or roses).
- ☐ **Grassy** – Aroma/flavor of fresh-cut grass or green leaves.
- ☐ **Light-Struck** – Similar to the aroma of a skunk.
- ☐ **Metallic** – Tinny, coin, copper, iron, or blood-like flavor.
- ☐ **Musty** – Stale, musty, or moldy aromas/flavors.
- ☐ **Oxidized** – Any one or combination of winy/vinous, cardboard, papery, or sherry-like aromas and flavors.
- ☐ **Phenolic** – Spicy (clove, pepper), smoky, plastic, plastic adhesive strip, and/or medicinal (chlorophenolic).
- ☐ **Solvent** – Aromas and flavors of higher alcohols (fusel alcohols). Similar to acetone or lacquer thinner aromas.
- ☐ **Sour/Acidic** – Tartness in aroma and flavor. Can be sharp and clean (lactic acid), or vinegar-like (acetic acid).
- ☐ **Sulfur** – The aroma of rotten eggs or burning matches.
- ☐ **Vegetal** – Cooked, canned, or rotten vegetable aroma and flavor (cabbage, onion, celery, asparagus, etc.)
- ☐ **Yeasty** – A bread, sulfury or yeast-like aroma or flavor.

Look up detailed descriptions in the BJCP vocabulary application:
<http://www.bjcp.org/cep/vocab/>

Category # 23 Subcategory (a-f) _____ Entry # SFS 1

Subcategory (spell out) BLACKBERRY/CHOCOLATE PORTER

Special Ingredients: _____

Bottle Inspection: ☐ Appropriate size, cap, fill level, label removal, etc.

Comments _____

Aroma (as appropriate for style) _____ /12

Comment on malt, hops, esters, and other aromatics

BLACKBERRY AROMA COMES THRU

Appearance (as appropriate for style) _____ /3

Comment on color, clarity, and head (retention, color, and texture)

GOOD HERE

Flavor (as appropriate for style) _____ /20

Comment on malt, hops, fermentation characteristics, balance, finish/aftertaste, and other flavor characteristics

NOT ACOT OF CHOCOLATE - TRY COCOA

NIBS IN SECONDARY

Mouthfeel (as appropriate for style) _____ /5

Comment on body, carbonation, warmth, creaminess, astringency, and other palate sensations

SLIGHTLY THIN

Overall Impression _____ /10

Comment on overall drinking pleasure associated with entry, give suggestions for improvement

INTERESTING BEER

MAYBE ADD SOME LACTOSE

TO BOIL FOR SWEETNESS

Total 26 /50

SCORING GUIDE

Outstanding	(45 - 50):	World-class example of style
Excellent	(38 - 44):	Exemplifies style well, requires minor fine-tuning
Very Good	(30 - 37):	Generally within style parameters, some minor flaws
Good	(21 - 29):	Misses the mark on style and/or minor flaws
Fair	(14 - 20):	Off flavors, aromas or major style deficiencies
Problematic	(0 - 13):	Major off flavors and aromas dominate

Classic Example		Stylistic Accuracy		Not to Style	
Flawless	<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Merit	<input type="checkbox"/>	Significant Flaws	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Wonderful		Intangibles		Lifeless	
Flawless	<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Merit	<input type="checkbox"/>	Significant Flaws	<input type="checkbox"/>
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