

# Belgian Malts that Make Your Beer So Special

## **CHALLENGER**

### **BREWING QUALITY**

An excellent all round hop with good alpha and aroma properties. As the main copper hop, it provides a refreshing, full bodied, rounded bitterness, which makes an excellent platform for a late hop. As the late addition, it can give a very crisp, fruity character which has proved very popular in many beers.





## **ORIGIN / HISTORY**

UK origin. Introduced by Wye College in 1972.

#### **AGRONOMICS**

Good resistance to downy mildew but is susceptible to powdery mildew and Verticillium Wilt.

#### **ACID COMPONENTS**

Alpha Acids 6 - 9% w/w Beta Acids 3.2 - 4.2% w/w

Cohumulone 20 – 25% of alpha acids



#### **OIL COMPONENTS**

Total Oil 1.0 - 1.5 mls/ 100 grams

Caryophyllene 9.52% of whole oil
Farnesene 1.73% of whole oil
Humulene 29.52% of whole oil
Myrcene 30.49% of total oil

**Leaf Hops** 

**T90 Hop Pellets** 



Possible Substitutions: Northdown, Northern Brewer, First Gold



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