



# Belgian Malts that Make Your Beer So Special

## Spicy Blond Beer



ABV 7%

Color 27  
EBC

Bitterness  
25 IBU

### Description

A moderate-strength special beer that has a subtle Belgian complexity, slightly sweet flavor, and dry finish. Pours an amber-golden color with a beautiful white head. Nice touch of cinnamon, clove, and yeast aromas as well as slight malt notes.

### Service:

Glass: Beer Chalice  
Temperature: 4-8°C

### BREWER'S TIP

You can also add other spices to this recipe to make it even more complex.

This recipe is provided by Castle Malting®. Please note that this recipe is just a guideline. Some modification might need to be done to meet different technologies, efficiencies and ingredients yield as grain dry extract and hop alpha acid percentage.

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## Beer recipe

### RECIPE FOR 100L



#### MALT

Château Pilsen 2RS	80% / 19 kg
Château Melano	15% / 3.6 kg
Château Biscuit	5% / 1.2 kg



#### HOPS

Goldings (6.0% aa)	22.5 IBU / 150 g
Palisade (7.5% aa)	2.5 IBU / 50 g



#### YEAST

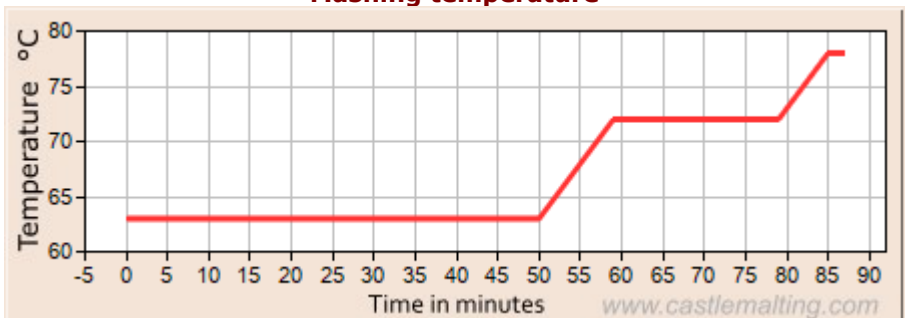
SafAle T-58	70 g
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#### SPICES

Cinnamon	26 g
Clove	2 g

### Mashing temperature



### Step 1: Mashing

Mash-in and follow the profile below:

pH	5.3	Mix Ratio	2.7 L/kg
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Mash-in at 63°C

Rest for 50min at 63°C

Rise to 72°C at 1°C/min

Rest for 20min at 72°C and do the **Iodine Test**

Rise to 78°C at 1°C/min

Rest for 2min at 78°C to **mash out**

Once the mash is done, filter and sparge with water at 78°C

### Step 2: Boiling

Boil for 60min.

Hop addition 1: After 10min add Goldings.

Hop addition 2: After 50min add Palisade.

Spices addition: After 55min add spices.

Whirlpool to remove the trub

Total evap	6.0%	Batch size	100L	OG	15.5°P	Efficiency	85%
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**Step 3: Fermentation and Maturation** Cool down the wort to 18°C and pitch the yeast. Ferment at 18°C for 2 days then rise to 22°C. Once the fermentation is done (FG reached and off-flavors removed – about 7 days), drop the temperature to 8°C and rest for 1 day, and then harvest the yeast. Drop the temperature to 2°C and rest for 7 days.

Attenuation	82%	FG	2.80°P
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**Step 4: Cold Aging and Packaging** Cold age the beer at -1°C for 5 days, remove the residual yeast, and carbonate until **2.8 volumes of CO2**. The beer is ready to package and drink. Enjoy! \*For refermentation in the bottle, add brewing sugar and SafAle F-2.

