

BEER PANEL ANALYSIS

Basic Beer Panel: extracts, alcohol, pH, color, bittering units Volume: 24 oz

Finished Beer Panel: extracts, alcohol, pH, color, bittering units, CO₂, air, yeast / mold / bacteria (UBA, MRS) Volume: 24 oz

Stability Panel (Chill Haze):

tannin and protein content, stability recommendation Volume: 24 oz

Filterability Panel:

pre and post NTU readings, filter sheet recommendation Volume: 2 gallons (additional samples needed for multi-sheet test)

Membrane Filterability Panel:

clogging index value to determine if beer is ready for sterile filtration Volume: 36 oz *Note: should not be done more than 5 days prior to sterile filtration / bottling*



MICROBIOLOGICAL TESTS

Microscopic Exam

scan for microbes and debris (plating may be recommended to determine viability) Volume: 2 ml

Culture, Direct – unpackaged beer

yeast / mold / bacteria – UBA, MRS Volume: 2 ml

yeast / mold only – UBA Volume: 2 ml

bacteria only – MRS Volume: 2 ml

Culture, Membrane Filtration – packaged beer yeast / mold / bacteria – UBA, MRS Volume: 12 oz

yeast / mold only – UBA Volume: 12 oz

bacteria only – MRS Volume: 12 oz

Yeast Count Viability NucleoCounter Volume: 100 ml

CHEMICAL TESTS

Calories Volume: 24 oz

Mineral & Metal Analyses iron / copper / calcium / sodium Volume: 50 ml

All samples for analysis must be dropped off or mailed to Gusmer Analytical Services, 640 Airpark Road, Suite D, Napa, CA 94558. For any questions regarding samples or for the lastest pricing please contact the Gusmer Napa Laboratory at 707.224.7903.