

HOPIKOPI SOUR

IN A NUTSHELL HOPPY, COFFEE, SOUR. JAFFA.

For our latest collaboration with coffee-fiend and Tour Down Underer Ben Kraus we decided to take a perfectly good IPA and ruin it. Twice. By 'ruin', we mean sour and caffeinate it — to surprisingly delicious effect.

The Sour: we took a Wheat and Acidulated-Malt heavy wort and kettle soured it with Yoghurt. This involved throwing literal bucket loads of Natural Greek Yoghurt into the warm wort and leaving the Lacto (Acidophilus & Casei) to produce its trademark tang over the next couple of days, dropping the pH to a brisk 3.6.

The Hopi: first wort Warrior aside, we reserved all of our Hops for the fermentor; double dry hopping with copious amounts of Amarillo, El Dorado and Enigma for a big orange/tangerine hit without the bitterness.

The Kopi: Rich Ballard (Black & Brew) brewed us a batch of cold brew concentrate which we added to Secondary — a super-light roast Ethiopian (Xade Burqa) from Two Fish Coffee; light, delicate and citrussy with mild acidity and only a hint of roast. A coffee that would play well with Hops.

Hopikopi Sour: fruity, tangy and earthy with bursts of candied orange and coffee — an absolute Jaffa!

STYLE HOPPY COFFEE SOUR

COLLABORATORS BEN (BR) & RICH (B&B)

MALT

ALE, WHEAT, ACIDULATED

HOPS

WARRIOR, EL DORADO, AMARILLO, ENIGMA **YEAST**

FERMENTIS US-05

OTHER

NATURAL YOGHURT, 'BLACK & BREW' COLD BREW COFFEE



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0G 1.051	PH 3.6	SRM 4.4
FG 1.008	ABV 5.5%	



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