

ANCHOR BREWING

SAN FRANCISCO

Anchor Porter®

Intimidating color. Unexpected taste. Welcome to American Porter.



Anchor Porter® became the first modern American porter style beer when it was introduced in 1972. With deep brown color, a thick, creamy head, rich chocolate, toffee and coffee flavors, and full-bodied smoothness, Anchor Porter® is the epitome of a handcrafted dark beer. A blend of specially roasted pale, caramel, chocolate, and black malts, along with our top-fermenting yeast, creates complexity without bitterness. The brew is hopped at a high rate, and naturally carbonated. The result is dark in the glass, but surprisingly light on the palate.

APPEARANCE Deep dark brown, almost opaque with mahogany accents, topped with thick tan head.

AROMA Roasty, toasty, caramelized burnt sugar aromas, with a hint of earthy grassy hops.

TASTE Slight sweetness, astringency, and back end bitterness.

MOUTHFEEL Smooth, silky and full without being chewy or heavy.

FINISH Subtle smokiness, slight bitterness and astringency with some lingering sweetness.

BREW FACTS

FIRST BREW
1972

FIRST BOTTLING
1974

STYLE
American Porter

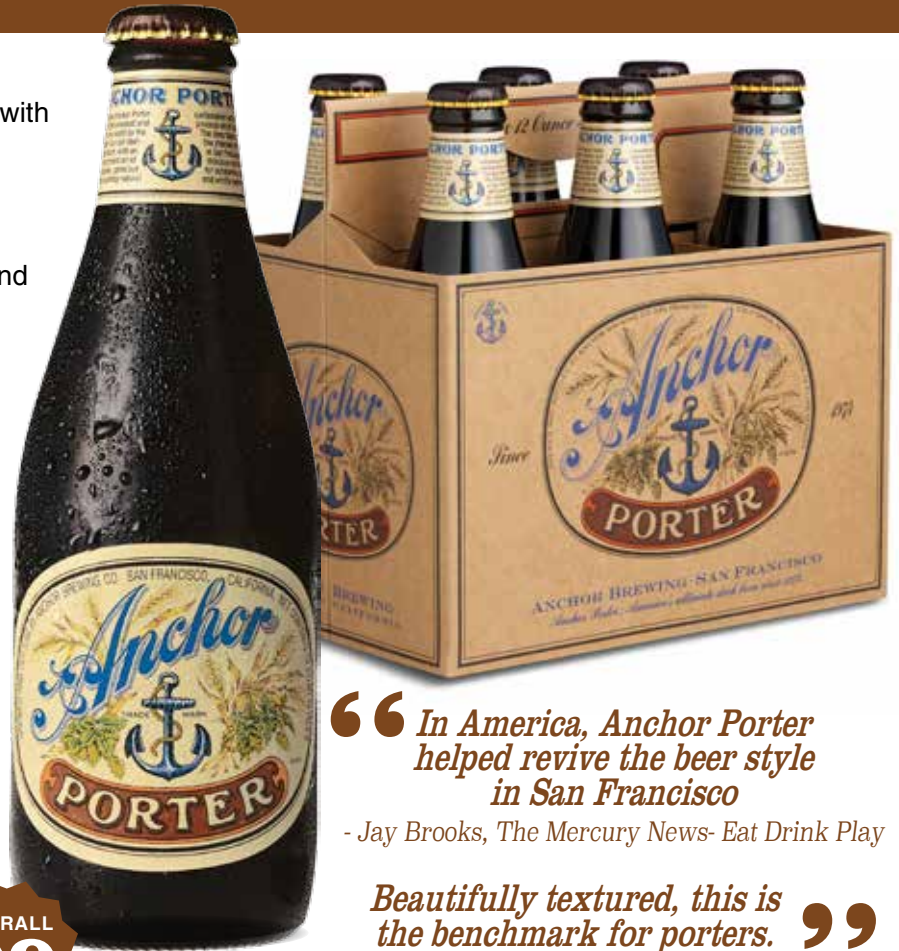
ALC. BY VOLUME
5.6%

IBUs
44

MALT
Blend of 2-Row Pale,
Caramel, Black &
Chocolate

HOPS
Northern Brewer

AVAILABILITY
Year-round in
bottles and
on draught



“ *In America, Anchor Porter helped revive the beer style in San Francisco*

- Jay Brooks, The Mercury News- Eat Drink Play

Beautifully textured, this is the benchmark for porters. ”

- Colin Campbell, Herald Scotland



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WELCOME TO AMERICAN PORTER



First Modern American Porter

Introduced in 1972, it was the first post-Prohibition porter to be brewed in the United States.

Robust and Balanced

Defined as a Robust Porter by the BJCP (Beer Judge Certification Program), Anchor Porter® is surprisingly smooth and light on the palate.

Handcrafted for Over 40 Years

The same hand-crafted brewing methods used in 1972 are being used today, making this brew a time capsule into the history of American Porter.



Anchor Porter
12 oz. Bottle



Anchor Porter
6-Pack Bottle



Anchor Porter
4/ 6-Pack Bottle



Anchor Porter
22 oz. Bottle



Anchor Porter
12 x 22 oz. Case



Anchor Porter
5.16 Gal. Keg



Anchor Porter
13.2 Gal. Keg



Anchor Porter
15.5 Gal. Keg

