



Northdown



Use in brewing:

An excellent all round dual-purpose hop with good alpha and aroma properties. Very popular used either on its own or in conjunction with an aroma variety. A slightly richer flavour than Challenger although quite similar in many other ways.

Substitutions:

Challenger, Northern Brewer

Origin/History:

Northdown was released by Wye College in 1970; it is a seedling of Northern Brewer, crossed with a Downy mildew-resistant male. It is an "aunt" of Challenger and Target. It provides cheaper alpha acid than many traditional varieties, while having excellent flavour properties

Organic Status:

Also available in Organic

Storage:

Very Good.



Cedar, Pine, Spicy



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Alpha Acid	6-9%
Beta Acid	4.5-6.5%
Cohumulone	24-29
Oil Composition	Myrcene: 25% Humulene: 37% Farnesene: <1%
Total Oil	1.2-2.2ml/100g
Flavour Intensity	7

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