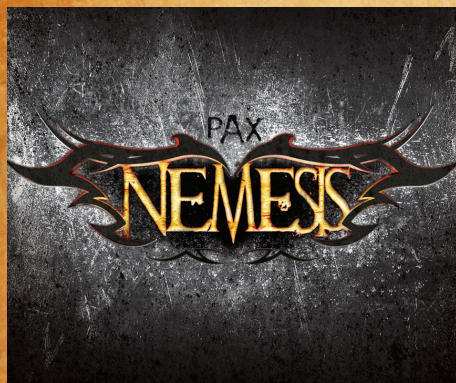


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Name: Pax Nemesis

Style: Imperial Alt

Alcohol Content: 11% abv

Color: Clear Copper

Bitterness: 45 ibu's

Gravity: 23 plato

Hop Variety: Columbus, Hallertau, Tettnang

Grains: Vienna Malt, Melanoidin Malt, Munich Malt

What's an Imperial Alt Ale?

The Imperial Alt Ale style is a newer derivative of the Northern German Altbier (or "old beer", from the traditional brewing methods employed) style, characterized by its crisp clean lager-like character and subtle malty/low noble hop aroma. Altbiers are light copper to light brown color and very clear with an off-white to white head with good retention. Typically, they are moderately bitter, yet well balanced by a smooth and sometimes sweet malt character and grainy or lightly caramel flavor. Altbiers feel smooth inside the mouth and finish dry, often with lingering slight bitterness. Alcohol is average, in the 4.5 to 5.2% alcohol by volume range... for a standard Altbier, that is....

Brew History

While Pax Nemesis Imperial Alt Ale takes its lead from the Northern German Altbier style, it pushes the style to a new level. Named for the Greek goddess of karmic balance, Pax Nemesis boasts a clean crisp mouthfeel, equal measures of hop bitterness and solid malt backbone, and a staggering alcohol content (11% alcohol by volume) well hidden by its perfect balance of hops, malt flavors and incredible drinkability.

Hop Level

Malty Hoppy

Body

Thin Heavy

Color

Light Dark

Tasting Notes

Aroma: Subtle malt tones with a clean, lager-like character and a very restrained ester profile.

Appearance: Very clear copper with a thin, off white head that dissipates rather quickly.

Flavor: Fairly bitter yet balanced with a smooth, sweet caramel malt character and slight alcohol presence.

Mouthfeel: Medium bodied with moderate carbonation and smooth texture.

Overall Impression: A very clean and relatively bitter beer that is balanced with a light, yet smooth malt character.



DuClaw History

DuClaw Brewing Company opened its first restaurant and brewery in 1996 in Bel Air, Maryland. Countless brewing awards later, brewing operations moved to an expanded facility in Abingdon, Maryland to keep up with the growing demand for barrels of DuClaw Brewing Company's ever growing line-up of specialty brews.

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