

HHC's GOOGLE FORMS-BASED PEOPLE'S CHOICE E-SCORESHEET



BACKGROUND

Helderberg Homebrew Club (HHC) competitions may be adjudicated by qualified BJCP judges OR independent, non-BJCP judges OR all interested club members in “people’s choice” competitions OR a combination of these. The club developed a Google Forms-based e-scoresheet for people’s choice judging that aligns with the BJCP scoring system and allows for an efficient and accurate judging process on competition days.

Although the HHC e-scoresheet is based on the official BJCP scoring system, it uses only approximately half the number of points to accommodate Forms’ limitations.

Comparing the HHC & BJCP scoring systems: Criteria & maximum points						
System	Criteria					Total
	Aroma	Appearance	Flavour	Mouthfeel	Overall	
HHC	5	3	10	3	5	26
BJCP	12	3	20	5	10	50

HOW TO USE THE FORMS-BASED E-SCORESHEET

1. You’ll need a smartphone and internet access to use the e-scoresheet.
2. A specific link and/or QR code will be supplied to you via your preference of WhatsApp, email and/or a hard copy to scan before judging starts.
3. Follow the link to access the online form - you do not need a Google account to access the form.
4. Scroll down and enter a username (you could use an anonymous identifier if you want to).
5. Beer nr 1’s scoresheet will now be displayed. Select your scores for the different criteria (as detailed in the table above & the tasting notes below) and press the “**Next**” button when you have finished scoring the beer.
6. Beer nr 2’s scoresheet will now be displayed. Continue as above.
7. Repeat for all the beers. The nr of beers to be scored should equal the nr of entries. Should there be a last minute withdraw, you can just leave the scoresheet of the last beer(s) empty.
8. As for any system it is critical to ensure you score the right beer under the right nr/ID.
9. Note that you can press the “**Back**” button to revisit previous beers’ scores.
10. When you have finished scoring all the beers, press the “Submit” button. Your scores will then be uploaded to the online data sheet.
11. Pls verify that you receive the “**Your response has been recorded.**” confirmation before exiting Google Forms.