

THE BEER DEMYSTIFIER *NEW YORK CITY FILES* 2009-2010

BREWERY PROFILE

De Hoeve Brouwers Zottegem, Belgium

[Beers are contract brewed at present at de Graal, Brakel]

A future brewery project to be situated on a farm, where currently recipes are formulated on an 80 litre homebrew kit. Production beers are brewed at de Graal for the moment.

Importer: [12 Per Cent Imports](#)

Distributor:



Ratings

Each beer has been given a rating from one to five which should be interpreted as follows.

- * Bland, one-dimensional, or tasting of cheap adjuncts – unenjoyable. Not recommended.
- ** Nothing special but may be worth trying if nothing better is available.
- *** Good, recommended.
- **** Great, highly recommended.
- ***** Exceptionally good, very highly recommended.

Ratings are based on personal taste although, in certain instances, outside evaluations have been used when a particular beer has not been sampled by the author/webmaster.

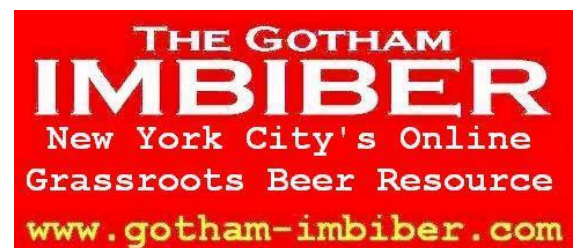
{S} after the beer name denotes seasonal availability.

Koekelaring (6.5%) *** < - BELGIAN DARK ALE - > – Deep brown with hints of cinnamon on the palate, but with a sweetness that's perfectly balanced by a strong hop presence in the back. The finish is dry. The names comes from a local brand of cinnamon cookie. Hopped with East Kent Goldings and Hallertau Mittelfrüh.

Toria (6.5%) **** < - BELGIAN PALE ALE - > – Refreshing blonde ale with a delicate bitterness and a dry finish. Subtle and highly drinkable, hopped with East Kent Goldings and Hallertau Mittelfrüh.

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