

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

BREWERY PROFILE

Meantime

London, U.K. (England)

Based in Greenwich, south-east London, since 2000. Meantime is unusual for a UK craft brewery as only a small proportion of output is cask-conditioned, commonly for that country kegs and bottles are in the minority.

Importer: [Artisanal Imports](#)

Distributor: S.K.I. Beer Distributors, tel. 1 718 821 7200.



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.

Coffee (aka Coffee Porter) (6.0%) ***** < - ROBUST PORTER - > – Deep brown beer packed with fair-trade coffee beans, hand-roasted.

Chocolate (6.5%) *** < - ENGLISH STRONG ALE - > – A very dark brown brew that has lots of chocolate bitterness and some hints of vanilla.

London Porter (6.5%) ***** < - BROWN PORTER - > – Dark ruby brown porter based on a recipe from the mid 18th century. Rich and chewy with chocolate and licorice notes.

India Pale Ale (7.5%) ***** < - ENGLISH IPA - > – Golden, authentic IPA liberally hopped with Fuggles and Goldings. Good for cellaring.

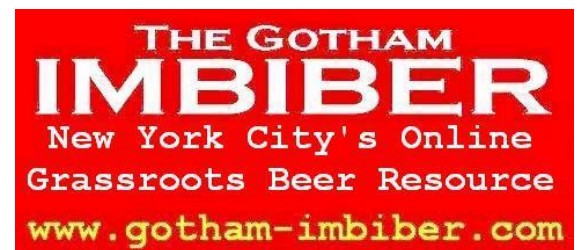
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Ratings and tasting notes are taken from Beer Demystifier New York City 2008-2009 by Alex Hall (published June 2008).

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