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America's Best Beer releases list of each state's best breweries

SEATTLE, WA, July 20, 2016 - To find the best beer in American beer, over 800 breweries were analyzed and the results combined with an online poll to determine the top breweries in each state. The complete list is available online. [List of America's best breweries.](#)

There are more than 4000 breweries in all corners of America, ranging in size from Anheuser-Busch's 142-acre megacomplex in St. Louis, MO which makes million of barrels of beer every year to locally-owned microbreweries. With more breweries opening every day and the desire for more delicious and interesting beer on the rise, inquiring minds want to know ... what are the best breweries in America?

Using historical data from 3 major beer competitions, 2 online beer rating websites, the results of an extensive online poll and countless ground truthing samples, the best breweries in America have been determined through a combination of beer judging experts, public opinion and math.

They combed through bushels of beer data to curate a list of each state's top breweries. Then augmented the results with time tested American voting in order to select the three best breweries in every state. With the addition of 3 breweries from Washington, D.C. and 3 extra from California (because of its general brewery dominance) 156 American breweries stood out above the rest of the crowd.

From the vast expanses of Alaska's wild north to the tropical beaches of Hawaii; from the high alpine, snow-capped peaks of New England to the sun drenched, low lying lands of the Deep South, a diverse selection of quality American breweries saturate the USA.

Is a seasonal brew from 49th State Brewing Company (Healy,AK) different from one at Wynwood Brewing Company (Miami, FL)? Could the IPAs at Maine Beer Company (Freeport,

ME) possibly vary from ones at Ballast Point Brewing Company (San Diego,CA)? Would the Pub Ale from the middle of our country at Tallgrass Brewing Company (Manhattan, KS) define American beer, or is it a starting point to embrace the variety of styles and tastes? You make the call.

Drink American Beer.

So without further ado here are the winners.

The best breweries in America by state:

Alabama

[Back Forty Beer Company, Gadsden](#)
[Good People Brewing Company, Birmingham](#)
[Straight to Ale, Huntsville](#)

Alaska

[49th State Brewing Company, Healy](#)
[Alaskan Brewing Co., Juneau](#)
[Midnight Sun Brewing Company, Anchorage](#)

Arkansas

[Core Brewing Company, Springdale](#)
[Diamond Bear Brewing Company, North Little Rock](#)
[Ozark Beer Company, Rogers](#)

Arizona

[Barrio Brewing Co., Tucson](#)
[Four Peaks Brewing Company, Tempe](#)
[Lumberyard Brewing Company, Flagstaff](#)

California

[Ballast Point Brewing Company, San Diego](#)
[Figueroa Mountain Brewing Co., Buellton](#)
[Firestone Walker Brewing Company, Paso Robles](#)
[Russian River Brewing Company, Santa Rosa](#)
[Sierra Nevada Brewing Co., Chico](#)
[Stone Brewing Co., Escondido](#)

Colorado

[Avery Brewing Company, Boulder](#)
[Odell Brewing Co., Fort Collins](#)
[Oskar Blues Brewery, Longmont](#)

Connecticut

[Back East Brewing Company, Bloomfield](#)
[New England Brewing Co., Woodbridge](#)
[Two Roads Brewing Company, Stratford](#)

Delaware

[Dogfish Head Craft Brewery, Milton](#)
[Fordham & Dominion Brewing, Dover](#)
[Mispillion River Brewing, Milford](#)

Florida

[Cigar City Brewing, Tampa](#)
[Funky Buddha Brewery, Oakland Park](#)
[Wynwood Brewing Company, Miami](#)

Georgia

[Southbound Brewing Company, Savannah](#)
[SweetWater Brewing Company, Atlanta](#)
[Terrapin Beer Co., Athens](#)

Hawaii

[Big Island Brewhaus, Waimea](#)
[Kona Brewing Company, Kailua-Kona](#)
[Maui Brewing Co., Kihei](#)

Idaho

[Boise Brewing, Boise](#)
[Grand Teton Brewing, Victor](#)
[Laughing Dog Brewing, Ponderay](#)

Illinois

[Half Acre Beer Company, Chicago](#)
[Revolution Brewing, Chicago](#)
[Two Brothers Brewing Company, Warrenville](#)

Indiana

[3 Floyds Brewing Co., Munster](#)
[Mad Anthony Brewing Company, Fort Wayne](#)
[Sun King Brewing Company, Indianapolis](#)

Iowa

[Great River Brewery, Davenport](#)

[Peace Tree Brewing Company, Knoxville](#)
[Toppling Goliath Brewing Company, Decorah](#)

Kansas

[Blind Tiger Brewery & Restaurant, Topeka](#)
[Free State Brewing Company, Lawrence](#)
[Tallgrass Brewing Company, Manhattan](#)

Kentucky

[Against The Grain Brewery & Smokehouse, Louisville](#)
[Country Boy Brewing, Lexington](#)
[West Sixth Brewing, Lexington](#)

Louisiana

[Bayou Teche Brewing, Arnaudville](#)
[Great Raft Brewing, Shreveport](#)
[New Orleans Lager & Ale Brewing Company \(NOLA\), New Orleans](#)

Maine

[Allagash Brewing Company, Portland](#)
[Baxter Brewing Co., Lewiston](#)
[Maine Beer Company, Freeport](#)

Maryland

[Flying Dog Brewery, Frederick](#)
[Heavy Seas, Halethorpe](#)
[Union Craft Brewing, Baltimore](#)

Massachusetts

[Cisco Brewers, Nantucket](#)
[Tree House Brewing Company, Monson](#)
[Wormtown Brewery, Worcester](#)

Michigan

[Bell's Brewery, Kalamazoo](#)
[Founders Brewing Co., Grand Rapids](#)
[Short's Brewing Company, Bellaire](#)

Minnesota

[Mankato Brewery, North Mankato](#)
[Summit Brewing Company, St. Paul](#)
[Surly Brewing Company, Minneapolis](#)

Mississippi

[Lazy Magnolia Brewing Company, Kiln](#)
[Lucky Town Brewing Company, Jackson](#)
[Southern Prohibition Brewing, Hattiesburg](#)

Missouri

[4 Hands Brewing Co., St. Louis](#)
[Boulevard Brewing Company, Kansas City](#)
[Mother's Brewing Company, Springfield](#)

Montana

[KettleHouse Brewing Co., Missoula](#)
[Lewis & Clark Brewing Company, Helena](#)
[Überbrew, Billings](#)

Nebraska

[Empyrean Brewing Co., Lincoln](#)
[Nebraska Brewing Company, Papillion](#)
[Zipline Brewing Co., Lincoln](#)

Nevada

[Brasserie Saint James, Reno](#)
[Great Basin Brewing Co., Sparks](#)
[Tenaya Creek Brewery, Las Vegas](#)

New Hampshire

[7th Settlement Brewery, Dover](#)
[Smuttynose Brewing Company, Hampton](#)
[The Portsmouth Brewery, Portsmouth](#)

New Jersey

[Carton Brewing Company, Atlantic Highlands](#)
[Flying Fish Brewing Company, Somerdale](#)
[River Horse Brewing Company, Ewing](#)

New Mexico

[La Cumbre Brewing Company, Albuquerque](#)
[Marble Brewery, Albuquerque](#)
[Santa Fe Brewing Company, Santa Fe](#)

New York

[Brewery Ommegang, Cooperstown](#)

[Captain Lawrence Brewing Company, Elmsford](#)
[Great Adirondack Brewing Co, Lake Placid](#)

North Carolina

[Carolina Brewery, Chapel Hill](#)
[Foothills Brewing, Winston-Salem](#)
[Wicked Weed Brewing, West Asheville](#)

North Dakota

[Fargo Brewing Company, Fargo](#)
[Laughing Sun Brewing Co., Bismarck](#)
[Souris River Brewing, Minot](#)

Oklahoma

[Choc Beer Company, Krebs](#)
[Coop Ale Works, Oklahoma City](#)
[Prairie Artisan Ales, Tulsa](#)

Ohio

[Columbus Brewing Company, Columbus](#)
[Fat Head's Brewery, North Olmsted](#)
[Hoppin' Frog Brewery, Akron](#)

Oregon

[10 Barrel Brewing Co., Bend](#)
[Barley Brown's Beer, Baker City](#)
[Rogue Ales, Newport](#)

Pennsylvania

[Fegley's Brew Works, Allentown](#)
[Sly Fox Brewing Company, Phoenixville](#)
[Tröegs Independent Brewing, Hershey](#)

Rhode Island

[Foolproof Brewing Company, Pawtucket](#)
[Grey Sail Brewing of Rhode Island, Westerly](#)
[Revival Brewing Company, Cranston](#)

South Carolina

[Holy City Brewing Company, Charleston](#)
[Thomas Creek Brewery, Greenville](#)
[Westbrook Brewing Company, Mt. Pleasant](#)

South Dakota

[Crow Peak Brewing Company, Spearfish](#)
[Firehouse Brewing Company, Rapid City](#)
[Wooden Legs Brewing Company, Brookings](#)

Tennessee

[McHale's Brewhouse, Chattanooga](#)
[Wiseacre Brewing Co., Memphis](#)
[Yazoo Brewing Company, Nashville](#)

Texas

[Austin Beerworks, Austin](#)
[Community Beer Company, Dallas](#)
[Saint Arnold Brewing Company, Houston](#)

Utah

[Epic Brewing Company, Salt Lake City](#)
[Moab Brewery, Moab](#)
[Uinta Brewing Company, Salt Lake City](#)

Vermont

[Hill Farmstead Brewery, Greensboro Bend](#)
[Lawson's Finest Liquids, Warren](#)
[Long Trail Brewing Company, Bridgewater Corners](#)

Virginia

[Blue Mountain Brewery, Afton](#)
[Hardywood Park Craft Brewery, Richmond](#)
[Port City Brewing Company, Alexandria](#)

Washington

[Chuckanut Brewery & Kitchen, Bellingham](#)
[Elysian Brewing Company, Seattle](#)
[Fremont Brewing, Seattle](#)

West Virginia

[Big Timber Brewing Company, Elkins](#)
[Greenbrier Valley Brewing Company, Maxwelton](#)
[Mountain State Brewing Co., Thomas](#)

Wisconsin

[Central Waters Brewing Company, Amherst](#)
[New Glarus Brewing Company, New Glarus](#)

[Titletown Brewing Company, Green Bay](#)

Wyoming

[Black Tooth Brewing Company, Sheridan](#)

[Snake River Brewing, Jackson](#)

[Wind River Brewing Company, Pinedale](#)

Washington D.C.

[3 Stars Brewing Company](#)

[DC Brau Brewing Company](#)

[Right Proper Brewing Company](#)

Cheers!

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