

## INTRODUCTION:

The Malt Flavour wheel has been designed by the team at PureMalt to assist food and beverage technologists in understanding the correlation between colour and flavour development in speciality malts.

By attributing common flavour descriptors familiar to the human palate, we hope that we can help improve your understanding of speciality malts and their contribution to food and beverage products.

## USEFUL INFO:

The wheel has been developed around the 'EBC' (European Brewing Convention) method of colour determination. Learn more about EBC Colour [here](https://www.puremalt.com/ebc-colour).



## GUIDLINES:

There is no strict method to using this tool. Ultimately it is designed as a reference.

However you might like to try one of the following:

### "STARTING WITH FLAVOUR?"

1. Identify a flavour or group of flavours on the wheel
2. Refer to the EBC colours indicated inside the flavours
3. Identify the source malt used in the centre of the wheel

### "STARTING WITH COLOUR?"

1. Identify a target colour or colour range
2. Find the closest flavour match within your target colour range
3. Refer to the base malt used to obtain the target colour/flavour combination

### "STARTING WITH THE MALT?"

1. Identify the malt you intend to use in the centre of the wheel
2. Specify your target colour/colour addition using the EBC scale
3. Find the closest flavour match within your target colour range