




Troubleshooting: Common Draft Problems

Condition	Temperature	Pressure	Equipment	Improper Pour	Glassware
 Wild Beer Beer, when drawn, is all foam, or too much foam and not enough liquid beer.	Too Warm	Too High	Needs Cleaning	See Pouring Checklist	Ice inside of glass
 Flat Beer Foamy head disappears quickly; beer lacks brewery fresh flavor.	Too Cold	Too Low	Needs Cleaning	See Pouring Checklist	Detergent film inside of glass
 Cloudy Beer Beer in glass appears hazy not clear.	Too Cold	Contaminated CO ₂ Gasses	Needs Cleaning	See Pouring Checklist	Needs Cleaning
 False Head Large soap like bubbles, head dissolves very quickly.	Too Warm	Too Low	Needs Cleaning	See Pouring Checklist	Household detergent and dust

How To Pour The Perfect Glass Of Beer

- QUICK CHECKLIST:** Temperature 36-38° F Pressure: 12-14PSI Clean Before New Keg
- READY TO POUR:** Start with a beer clean glass that has been wetted in cold water.



1 Place the glass at a 45° angle, one inch below the faucet. Do not let the glass touch the faucet. Open the faucet all the way.



2 After the glass has reached half full, gradually bring the glass to an upright position.



3 Let the remaining beer run straight down the middle. This insures proper release of CO₂ by producing a 3/4" to a 1" foam head.



4 Close the faucet completely and quickly.