Claims

[Claim 1]

A beer-taste beverage having:

a real extract value of from 0.55 mass% or more to 2.30 mass% or less;

a content of pyroglutamic acid of from 15 mg/L or more to 250 mg/L or less;

a content of linalool of from 5 to 100 ppb by mass;

an alcohol content of 1.5 (v/v)% or more;

a bitterness value of 5.0 BUs or more; and

a ratio [(X)/(Z)] of the content of pyroglutamic acid (X) (unit: mg/L) to a carbohydrate content (Z) (unit: g/100 mL) of from 30 to 450.

[Claim 2]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1, wherein a malt ratio is 50 mass% or more.

[Claim 3]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the real extract value is less than 1.50 mass%.

[Claim 4]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a content of dietary fiber is less than 0.5 g/100 mL.

[Claim 5]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a malt ratio is less than 67 mass%.

[Claim 6]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a carbohydrate content is 2.0 g/100 mL or less.

[Claim 7]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the carbohydrate content is less than 1.0 g/100 mL.

[Claim 8]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a ratio [(X)/(Y)] of a content of pyroglutamic acid (X) (unit: mg/L) to a content of linalool (Y) (unit: ppb by mass) is from 0.5 to 32.

[Claim 9]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a ratio [(X)/(Y)] of a content of pyroglutamic acid (X) (unit: mg/L) to a content of linalool (Y) (unit: ppb by mass) is from 0.5 to 15.

[Claim 10]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a ratio [(X)/(Z)] of a content of pyroglutamic acid (X) (unit: mg/L) to a carbohydrate content (Z) (unit: g/100 mL) is from 30 to 300.

[Claim 11]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a ratio [(Y)/(Z)] of a content of linalool (Y) (unit: ppb by mass) to a carbohydrate content (Z) (unit: g/100 mL) is from 5 to 200.

[Claim 12]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the beer-taste beverage is a top-fermented beer-taste beverage.

[Claim 13]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the beer-taste beverage is a bottom-fermented beer-taste beverage.

[Claim 14]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the beer-taste beverage is beer.

[Claim 15]

The beer-taste beverage according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a total polyphenol amount is from 20 to 250 ppm by mass, and a total nitrogen amount is from 5 to 100 mg/100 mL.