

Micro-brewery for medium- and small-scale production

Brewing Design Services, one of the world's important micro-brewery manufacturers based in the United Kingdom, has installed several micro-breweries in various countries. The company has adapted mainstream brewery design and operating techniques to the special requirements of small-scale brewing, which needs remarkably less space. A weekly output of 24 hectalitres of cask-conditioned ale is feasible in an area of about 40 m². Lager production requires about 70 m² of space.

Each miniature brewery is operated by a single individual and can produce a range of lagers and ales. The unit is equipped with wood-clad vessels that form a centrepiece behind the bar. *Contact: Brewing Design Services Limited, 81 Akeman Street, Tring, Hertfordshire HP23 6AF, the United Kingdom. Tel: +44 (1442) 890 679; Fax: +44 (1442) 890 740; E-mail: johnsriley@compuserve.com.* (Indian Food Industry, Vol. 19(1), January-February 2000)