



GIN TASTING

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1. How much alcohol must gin have to be considered a “true gin”
A: At least 35.5%
B: At least 37.5%
C: At Least 30%
D: At least 39.5%

2. What is the name of the sweet style of gin that is sometimes described as the missing link between Jenever and London Dry?
A: Old Man
B: Old Annie
C: Old Tom
D: Old Ruin

3. What is the name of the cocktail where gin is added in equal measures to Campari & Vermouth? **Negroni**

4. Which country drinks the most gin?
 - a. Russia
 - b. Philippines (43%)**
 - c. The Netherlands
 - d. UK
 - e. Brazil

5. In which film does a hermit get upset about his juniper berries? **Life of Brian (Monty Python)**

6. What is the difference between a martini and a dry martini? **Sweet or Dry Vermouth**

7. Why did the Royal Navy used to give its officers a gin and lime? **To help prevent scurvy**

8. Hogarth’s famous etching (picture) “Gin Lane” showing the evils of drinking gin was one of a pair. What was the other called?
 - a. Beer Street**
 - b. Ale Alley
 - c. Rum Road
 - d. Wine Square
 - e. Sambuca Avenue

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9. The World's most expensive gin sold for?
- a. £2000
 - b. £500
 - c. £800
 - d. £3000
10. In 1721 how many gallons of gin were drunk in Britain?
- a. 750.000
 - b. 3.5 million
 - c. 11.5 million
 - d. 36.5 million
 - e. None
11. At the Yalta Conference in 1945, how did Stalin solve the problem of no lemons for President Roosevelt's martini?
- a. Made him drink neat vodka
 - b. Substituted rhubarb, inventing a new drink
 - c. Made his servant run 30 miles to the nearest town for lemons
 - d. Ordered a plane to fly 1000 miles to fetch a lemon tree
 - e. Invaded Poland
12. Bathtub Gin made during the US period of Prohibition sometimes caused what problem?
13. Which gin is the favourite of rapper Snoop Dog?
- a. Bombay
 - b. Gordons
 - c. Brooklyn
 - d. Tanqueray
14. When is World Gin Day 2018?
- a. Everyday
 - b. 9th June
 - c. 27th April
 - d. 31st August
15. Why do bartenders normally disagree with James Bond? Martini should be stirred not shaken (shaking causes too much dilution)

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