





## SINGLE-ORIGIN

COFFEE

Single-origin coffee is coffee grown within a single known geographic origin. Sometimes, this is a single farm, or a specific collection of beans from a single country. The name of the coffee is then usually the place it was grown to whatever degree available. Single-origins are viewed by some as a way to get a specific taste, and some independent coffee shops have found that this gives them a way to add value over large chains.





**Location:** Northwestern Guatemala

**Altitude:** 1,185-1,645 masl

Varietals: Caturra & Mundo Novo

**Process:** Fully Washed

**Drying:** Sun-Dried on Patios

Harvest: December-March

Export: February-June

**Location:** San Ramón **Altitude:** 1,500-1,900 masl **Varietals:** Caturra, Catuai

**Process:** Washed

**Drying:** Sun-Dried on Patios **Harvest:** November-January

Export: January-June





**Location:** Department of Nariño

**Altitude:** 1,800-1,900 masl

Varietals: Caturra, Colombia & Castillo

**Process:** Washed

**Drying:** Dried on parabolic beds

Harvest: May-July

**Export:** October-November

Location: Sidama, Ethiopia
Altitude: 1,800-2,220 masl
Varietals: Ethiopian Heirloom

**Process:** Natural

**Drying:** Sun-Dried on raised beds **Harvest:** November-January **Export:** April-September







## SPECIALTY COFFEE

BLENDS

Blends are a staple on most coffee shop menus, and something every roaster should master. However, designing and roasting one presents several unique challenges, from knowing which coffees to mix to roasting beans of different origins, varieties, densities, and more.















