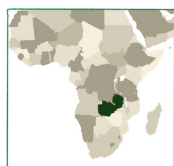




# ZAMBIA



PRIMARY GROWING REGION 

ARABICA COFFEE AREAS 

ARABICA ALTITUDE  
4,265 ft - 5,249 ft  
(1,300 m - 1,600 m)

PRIMARY VARIETALS  
Catimor

PRIMARY PROCESSING METHODS  
Washed, Natural, Honey

HARVEST  
October - March

The small country of Zambia is a mountainous, emerging origin with extraordinary potential. Its impressive terroir is ideal for growing excellent coffee. Coffee was first introduced in Zambia in the 1950s by missionaries who had imported seed stock from Tanzania and Kenya. In the 1970s coffee production expanded with funding by international support organizations.

Producers have found ways to overcome the unique challenges of being a landlocked country with difficult terrain and lack of transport infrastructure. Increased access to more information and technology has enabled the country to quickly embrace sophisticated farming, processing and environmental protection techniques, allowing the world access to these rare beans.



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