

# bright note blend™

A Union of coffees from Central and South America

## tasting notes

A smooth and well-rounded coffee with just the slightest hint of citrus and spice overlaying this blend's delicious sweet hazelnut, milk chocolate and mollasses tones.

## varietal

100% Arabica

body ★★☆☆☆☆

acidity ★★☆☆☆☆

## blend contents

Bright Note brings together our Brazil Estate from Fazenda Lambari (for smoothness and tones of sweet hazelnut) with our Guatemala estate from the Santa Ana la Huerta farm (for spice and a slight smoky tone).

## guatemala estate

A Union Hand-Roasted exclusive. This coffee is grown and farmed by Rony Asensio and Luis Pedro Zelaya on their family owned farm which is located in an undeveloped portion of Guatemala called Sierra de las Minas. Union Hand-Roasted has committed to a long-term purchase from Santa Ana la Huerta at a sustainable price. By doing so, Rony and his family can continue to live their dream by producing high quality coffee while improving the living and working conditions for their farm workers. When brewed, our Guatemala Estate reveals all that is great about coffees from this most critically acclaimed and diverse origin. Enjoy its lively, complex flavour tones of honey, red fruit, butterscotch, dark chocolate and smoky-spice.

## brazil estate

Owned by the Rebetez Mariani family and located in the south of Minas Gerais state near the city of Poços de Caldas (Hot Springs), this farm produces coffee that is a consistent finalist in the National 'Cup of Excellence' competition. Lambari is a 'model farm' with exemplary commitments to social and environmental programmes having its own school for 360 children which also takes pupils from other local farms. All farm workers receive salaries substantially above Brazil's minimum wage plus weekly food baskets, free dental clinic, employment insurance and pensions. The coffee is harvested using the 'natural process', where a small amount of the cherry fruit is left on the bean so the sugars are absorbed during drying. This produces an incredibly sweet, rounded cup with tones of cocoa and almonds, yielding a flavoursome wake-up call and is delicious all through the day but particularly mid-morning with a sweet pastry.



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