NOORDPOORT
COFFEE B.V.

Uganda robusta 1800

Item: UG-2300

Commercial

Descriptors: Nuts, caramel, fruits
Acidity: Low
Body: Medium to high

Score: 80,5

Variety: Local varieties

Processing: Natural

Size: 18

Crop: 26/27

Package: Jute

Uganda is the seventh-largest coffee producer in the world. Territory of modern Uganda (and the Democratic Republic of the Congo) are considered the birthplace of Robusta coffee. Robusta accounts for the majority of coffee grown, accounting for 85%. Relatively small amounts of Arabica are grown in the mountainous regions of the west and east of the country. The Ugandan government actively promotes coffee production and has achieved significant success not only in production volume but also in improving quality. The primary focus is on Robusta.

Approximately 1.8 million families are involved in coffee production. 85-90% of coffee is grown by smallholder farmers.
Uganda uses its own export quality standards for coffee. Arabica is classified by region of origin and processing method, and grades further determine the size and number of acceptable defects in the green bean in a sample. For Robusta, there is no distinction by region. The Robusta grade determines the size and number of acceptable defects in the green bean in a sample.

There are unofficial substandards (i.e. "No black beans") that additionally take into account the presence of certain types of defects. However, each manufacturer establishes its own approach to such substandards.

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