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Finca La Esmeralda Micro-Lot NOUGAT - SPICED FRUIT - LEMON

Producer: German Angel Toro

Jimenz

Region: San Agustin, Huila

Cultivar: Typica, Caturra



Processing: Fully washed



Elevation: 1650 masl



Harvest: October - January











San Agustin municipality is located in the southern region of the Department of Huila, also known as the premier coffee growing region of Colombia. Huila is the largest producer of coffee in Colombia with fertile soil, an abundance of water and a mild climate allowing for high altitude growing regions. San Agustin is a remote region where coffee is a business passed down from generations. Small holders harvest their crop, at times calling upon their community to help, and typically use manual depulpers. The greenhouse drying method on raised beds is employed (otherwise known as Invernadero) to ensure the coffee is dried uniformly and protected from the elements. The micro-lot from Finca La Esmeralda is the work of farmer German Angel Toro Jimenz. The 6 bags have character, with chocolate, lemon, nougat, spiced fruit, and plum notes. The farm is 5 hectares and has 14,000 trees. The coffee is semi-shade grown with Plantano, Naranjo and Guamo trees planted amongst the coffee.