

# Coope Libertad RL

## Background:

*Coope Libertad RL was founded in April 9, 1961*

## Basic information:

- The co-op:

Name	Coope Libertad RL
Creation	9th of April 1961
Location	Contiguo al Auto Mercado, Heredia
General Manaer	Mr. Miguel Varela
Yearly porduction (69 kgs bags)	60.000
Number of growers	1545 (559 are members of the Cooperative)
Harvesting period	November / February
Shipping period	February / June
Coffee Region	Central valley
Buying area	Heredia – Alajuela – Santa Ana – Moravia – Tibás – Tres Ríos
Wet milling	Natural fermentation
Dry milling	Guardiolas
Number of fixed employees	62
Number of seasonnal employees	54
Certifications	Fair Trade, Rainforest Alliance, C.A.F.E. Practices

## Comercial brand:

Brand name	Libertad especial
Coffee region	Central Valley
Buying area	Heredia
Range of altitude	1.100 / 1.500 mts
Yearly production (69 kgs)	30.000 bags
Varietals	Caturra y catuai
Grade	Stricktly Hard Bean
Soil	Volcanic
Average precipitation (mm per year)	198 mm
Average of temperatures	15 – 28 centigrades
Flowering season	April / May
Harvesting period	December / January
Shipping period	February / June
Certification	Rainforest Alliance, Utz, Fair Trade, C.A.F.E. Practices
Wet milling	Natural fermentation
Dry milling	Guardiola

Maps:

Cupping characteristics:

*Libertad Especial is a round and balanced cup, with good body and sweetness and a medium acidity. Chocolate and vanilla flavors with hints of cinnamon and a caramel fragrance.*