



## **COLOMBIA ORGANIC TOLIMA MANOS DE MUJER ECOTACT**

Notes: CHERRY, TOFFEE, BROWN SUGAR, ALMOND, CUSTARD

### **ORIGIN INFORMATION**

Grower	53 producer members of Asociación Agropecuaria y Ambiental del Sur del Tolima ( UNICHAPARRAL)
Variety	Caturra, Castillo, Colombia, Tabi, Pink and Red Bourbon
Region	Chaparral, Rioblanco, and San Antonio, Tolima, Colombia
Harvest	October - December   March - August
Altitude	1,600 – 1,950 masl
Soil	Clay minerals
Process	Fully washed and dried inside solar dryers to protect from the rain.
Certifications	Organic

### **BACKGROUND DETAILS**

#### **Women Producers**

Looking to support women in coffee? This lot was sourced from 53 female producers who are members of the Asociación Agropecuaria y Ambiental del Sur del Tolima (UNICHAPARRAL).

#### **Sourcing Details**

As conflict in Tolima has subsided in recent years, locally organized associations have taken the lead in creating market access through certifications and best organic practices. UNICHAPARRAL has added another layer of differentiation with their focus on gender equality at all levels of the organization. During the harvest, each producer carefully harvests and sorts of cherries before depulping, fermenting,



washing, and drying the coffee using their own micro-mills. Traceability, quality control and the certification throughout the post-harvest process along with logistical support for things like storing coffee and preparing it for export are carried out by UNICHAPARRAL.