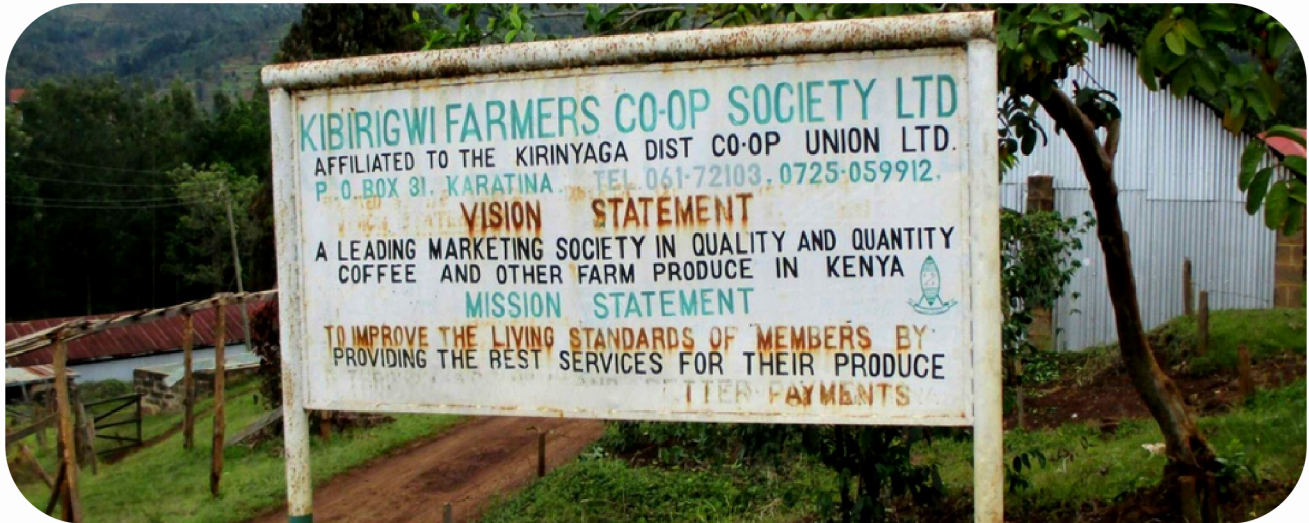


PB KIBIRIGWI NGUNGU-INI

KENYA GREEN COFFEE | GENUINE ORIGIN



Coffee Details

ORIGIN

Kirinyaga County, Kenya

PRODUCER

Kibirigwi Farmers
Cooperative Society,
Ngungu-ini factory

PROCESSING

Washed

HARVEST SCHEDULE

April - July

VARIETY

SL34, SL28, Ruiru 11

ALTITUDE (MASL)

1400-1600

Coffee Background

The Ngungu-ini Factory is part of the Kibirigwi Farmers' Cooperative Society, which includes eight other factories in the region. The Ngungu-ini factory was founded in 1958. Today it draws coffee from 1,200 smallholders from Kirinyaga County at the foothills of Mount Kenya

In Kirinyaga, the hills are lush with deep red volcanic soil, rich in organic matter. At altitudes ranging from 1,600 to 1,800masl, the SL-34, SL-28, and Ruiru 11 coffee varieties that grow here develop into vibrant, fruit-forward coffees.

Kenyan coffee is graded by screen size. The grades range from E (Elephant Bean), PB (peaberry), AA, AB, C, and other subsequent lower grades. This lot is a highly sought-after Kenya PB, where only a single coffee bean grows inside a cherry instead of the typical twin beans. Because only one bean matures, the peaberry usually develops with more sugars and nutrients than twin beans that share a cherry. That's also why peaberries are rounder and denser than most coffee beans.

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