



SANTANDER

Coffee from the Andes' Western Slopes



Region	_____	Santander
Altitude	_____	1,300-1,900 M.A.S.L.
Producers	_____	Smallholders
Av. Farm size:	_____	2.5 ha
Variety:	_____	Caturra, Colombia
Processing:	_____	fully-washed, sun-dried
Harvest	_____	November - February

Santander is located in the northern Colombia – around 9° north of the equator. Santander is one of the traditional coffee regions, and one of the first regions in Colombia to produce coffee for export. Santander stretches between the Magdalena river and the western slopes of the Cordillera Oriental. It offers a unique topography from the river valley to steep mountain slopes, as well a unique biodiversity.



The growing conditions here are quite similar to other Central American coffee origins and the region receives a relatively high amount of sunlight. Therefore shade trees are essential. Farmers normally use Guamo, Guayacan and Tachuelos trees to filter the sun's intensity, providing much needed shade to their plantations. The shade trees also help maintain more stable, cooler temperatures allowing for slower bean development and maturation. In turn, this facilitates sugar accumulation which is reflected in the well-developed cup profiles. This shade grown coffee offers great balance and bright citric acidity

SENSORIAL ANALYSIS | SANTANDER SUPREMO

Flavours _____ citrus, stone fruits, bakers chocolate, floral notes

Cupping Score _____ 83.50

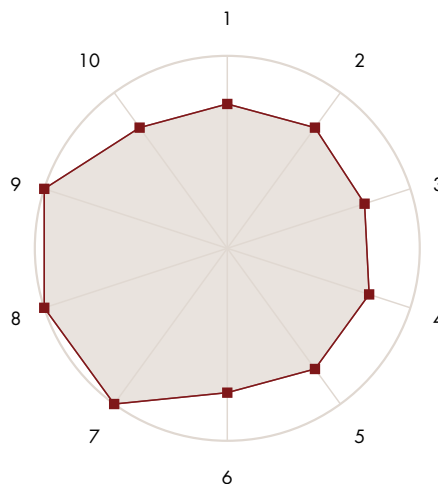
Body intensity



Acidity intensity



7.50	1- Fragrance / Aroma
7.75	2- Flavour
7.50	3- After-taste
7.75	4- Acidity
7.50	5- Body
7.75	6- Balance
10	7- Uniformity
10	8- Clean cup
10	9- Sweetness
7.75	10- Overall grade



SENSORIAL ANALYSIS | SANTANDER EXCELSO

Flavours _____ refreshing citrus fruits, floral hints, milk chocolate

Cupping Score _____ 83

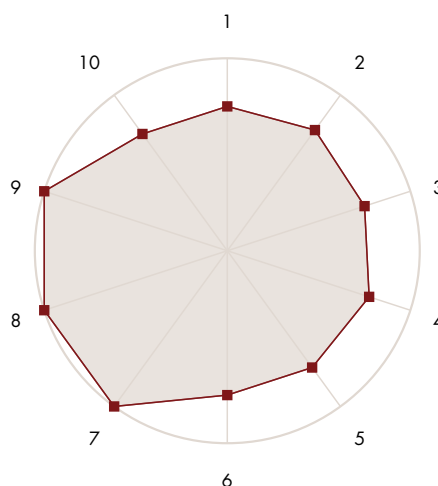
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