

# **Nova Coffee**





Origin: Northern Rwanda Region: Gicumbi District

Variety: Arabica Deep Red bourbon

**Altitude: 1,800 -2000 MASL** 

**Farmers:** 1040 (383 female)

Processing: Fully Washed Natural & Anerobic. Cup profile: Black tea, Hibiscus, lime and strawberries aromas, bright citric acidity, rich and elegant body with juicy flavour.

## For more information, contact us on:















Nova Coffee is one of Rwanda's foremost coffee growers, processors, and exporters of red Arabica Bourbon founded by Mrs Agnes Mukamushinja in 2013.

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Our coffee develops slowly with cherry maturing to a vibrant deep red from the beginning of April to the end of June. We work with a group of 383 women grouped into **Dukorerekawa Bukure Cooperative**,

-Agnes Mukamushinja

The coffees are fully washed and 100% sun-dried and the quality is taken care of throughout all the washing stages. The quality improves steadily because Nova Coffee encourages the growers to handpick and deliver well ripen cherries at the washing station and get a fair price in return.

In addition, Nova coffee is UTZ certified and is in the process of gaining the Organic, Café Practice and Rainforest Alliance certifications.

With the Naturals, you can expect a bigger, rounder body, and rich flavours of overripe fruits such as bananas, peach, and toffee. And the Anaerobic taste more Whiskey, toffee, and winey.

Agnes is an extraordinarily motivated and inspiring entrepreneur who helped to transform the coffee industry in Rwanda. She is passionate about creating a more women-friendly workplace.

She is always open to coffee farming opportunities with them to address significant changes and initiatives that enhance mutually beneficial interests. She will continue to strengthen the existing good partnerships with the communities by connecting, empowering, and advancing women in coffee.

Certification: Organic, Fair trade, UTZ Certified.

#### VISION

At Nova Coffee, we envisage driving the community's socioeconomic welfare through the enhancement of improved coffee farming practices.

#### MISSION

Nova Coffee is committed to developing the neighbouring community into specialized coffee farmers that produce high-quality coffee as well as enhancing social cohesion thus creating more job opportunities and eradicating poverty.