



Potrero Grande is a microregion at the top of Volcan de Santa Ana, between Palo Campana and Buenos Aires. At Potrero they have not planted many hybrids as they have elsewhere (Catimor in Buenos Aires) so the general quality of the cup is top notch. And this year we've seen very consistent ripe picking so we're very excited about this lot.

The Rio Zarco mill has a cherry receiving station in the middle of Potrero Grande, making it easy for farmers to drop off their bags after they're done picking. Here they do an initial screening and all bags are tagged with I.D.s telling us the farm, variety and quality of picking.

When the bags arrive at the mill, Rio Zarco takes samples from each bag and put the results through a computer program which calculates the percentage of ripe cherries as opposed to green, semi-ripe, dry and floating cherries. This way there isan objective standard to measure quality and farmers who have picked will receive a bonus.

ID# 6247

Origin	El Salvador
Region	Potrero Grande, Santa Ana
Farm	Small Producers
Variety	Bourbon, Typica, Kenya
Altitude	1480-1720m
Proc. Method	Honey

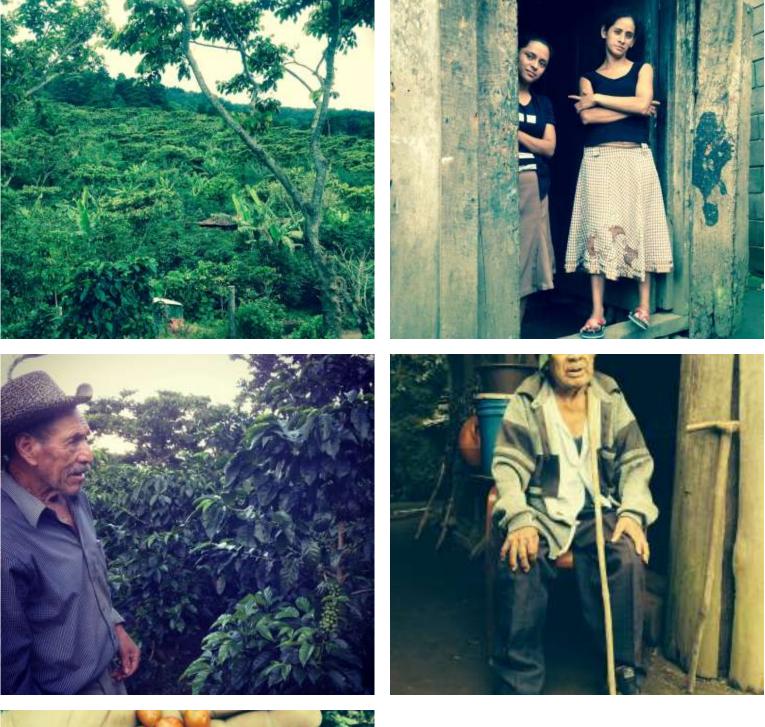


Location Map

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Gallery Potrero Grande - Honey (GrainPro)





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