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Ceylon & South India

Teas grown in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) are known for their bright, light flavor and beautiful golden to red color. Teas grown in the Blue Mountains of Southern India are similar to Ceylon teas in many ways, and yet unique as well.

Ceylon, Indugushina Estate green

An unusual green tea out of Sri Lanka, this tea brews a very light, refreshing cup bordering on what we might expect from a white tea.

TE6020S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.20
TE6020	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.91
TE6020B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 30.30

Ceylon, Lumbini Estate FBOP

An exceptional black tea. Brews with a deep rich aroma and a gorgeous copper/red color. This tea is very full-bodied and complex; unusual for a Ceylon tea.

TE2010S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.90
TE2010	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 6.87
TE2010B1	1 lb. (about 200 cups)	\$ 23.36

Ceylon, Ratnapura Estate BOP

An excellent Ceylon tea! Full bodied tea with fruity elements in the aroma and flavor. Takes milk and sugar well.

TE2006S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.80
TE2006	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 5.65
TE2006B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 19.21

Mudi, Oothu Estate SFTGFOP1 Organic

From a Bio-dynamic certified estate in the Mudi region of south India, this fine black tea reminds one of brisk Ceylons. Medium to full bodied with sweet, ripe notes. Organic Bio-dynamic

TE1502S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.30
TE1502	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 9.90
TE1502B1	1 lb. (about 200 cups)	\$ 33.66

Ceylon, Pedro Estate FOP1

A bright, refreshing, slightly astringent, medium-bodied tea from Ceylon's highest estate.

TE2011S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.40
TE2011	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 11.04
TE2011B1	1 lb. (about 200 cups)	\$ 37.54

Ceylon, Vithanakanda Est. Extra Special

A classic Ceylon, this tea is medium bodied with a sweet, spicy note that sets it apart as "Extra Special"

TE2007S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 3.00
TE2007	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 15.26
TE2007B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 51.89

Nilgiri, Iyerpadi Estate OP Organic

A medium bodied, smooth tea with a very clean taste. Similar to a good Ceylon. Great for black iced tea and everyday sipping! Organic



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TE1504S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.70
TE1504	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 5.24
TE1504B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 17.82

Black Teas >> Darjeeling, Assam, Nepal

Teas from the northern edge of the Indian continent are incredibly varied and unique. Darjeeling teas, often called the Champagne of teas, are bright, floral, and dry. Assams are distinctly malty and make up the bulk of most traditional tea blends. Nepal teas compare well to Darjeeling teas, but are usually a little more mellow.

Darjeeling Blend

A blend of fine Darjeeling teas that provides a consistently bright, classic cup of tea.

TE3001S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.00
TE3001	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 7.69
TE3001B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 26.15

Assam Satrupa FBOP

A great everyday Assam. Very hearty and malty, but with a nice clean taste. This tea makes an excellent base for Chai.

TE1255S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.70
TE1255	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 5.03
TE1255B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 17.11

Nepal, Guranse Estate 1st Flush

A Darjeeling-like tea with slightly fruity notes, a crisp astringency without bitterness, and a lingering silky aftertaste. An excellent choice for 1st flush lovers.

TE1009S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.20
TE1009	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.91
TE1009B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 30.30

Darjeeling, Mullootar Est. FTGFOP1 Organic

From the first organic tea estate in the world, comes a nice 2nd flush with good body and weight. Fruity/muscatel notes give complexity to the taste, and a hint of astringency adds balance to the cup. Organic

TE1003S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.90
TE1003	4 oz (50 cup)	\$ 6.57
TE1003B1	1 lb (200 cup)	\$ 22.34

Assam Mangalam FTGFOP1

A top Assam with deep golden tips. Complex in flavor, with a lovely lingering aftertaste that is rare in Assam teas.

TE1257S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 3.00
TE1257	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 15.58
TE1257B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 52.98

Strong Assam

Definitely a wake up call! Its deep malty flavor stands up well to milk and sugar.

TE1253S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.10
TE1253	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.57
TE1253B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 29.14

Darjeeling, Puttabong Estate SFTGFOP1

An excellent 1st flush Darjeeling black tea. Striking aroma, some fruitiness, a little astringency, and a beautiful fresh taste distinguish this cup.

TE1006S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 3.00
TE1006	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 15.74
TE1006B1	1 lb. (about 200 cups)	\$ 53.52

Black Teas >> China black teas

Regional black teas from China including teas from Keemun, Fujian, and Yunnan. Bailin Gongfu is an ancient variety of tea that tastes much like contemporary Keemun teas, but can stand long infusion times without becoming bitter. Puerh teas are known for their earthy scent, smooth flavor, and tolerance for long infusion times.

Fujian, Bailin Gongfu

A black tea from the past. Bailin Gongfu yields a bold yet very smooth infusion. Good with or without milk. Makes an excellent iced tea.

TE2820S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.10
TE2820	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.58
TE2820B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 29.18

Puerh Tuo Cha

Puerh is a Yunnan tea that has been aged and fermented in a process that is still a carefully guarded secret. Puerh has a distinct earthy flavor, and will not become bitter with extended infusion time. This tea is pressed into small nests, about the size of a nickel. Use one nest per 8 oz of water. About 40 nests per 4 oz. package.

TE2750S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.20
TE2750	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 9.07
TE2750B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 30.84

Empire Keemun

The Chinese tea that was the original English Breakfast tea. The current English Breakfast blends were developed after this tea became unavailable to England as a result of war. This is a deep, rich tea with just a hint of brightness.

TE2254S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.90
TE2254	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 6.82
TE2254B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 23.19

Yunnan Puerh

Another excellent Yunnan puerh tea in loose leaf form rather than the pressed nest. Smooth, earthy, and rich.

TE2752S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.20
TE2752	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 9.60
TE2752B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 32.64

Yunnan TGFOP

Excellent everyday tea from the Yunnan region of China. Smooth and rich, a satisfying cup.

TE2500S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.20
TE2500	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.91
TE2500B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 30.30

Grand Keemun

A premium Chinese tea. It is a full bodied multi-flavored tea with a slight earthiness, lightly scented flavor, and delicate aroma. Truly grand!

TE2250S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.50
TE2250	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 11.57
TE2250B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 39.34

Black Teas >> Popular Blends

Selected premium black tea blends offer teas that are less dependent on the seasonal variations that affect estate teas. Our blends usually contain 6 to 10 component teas, compared to a typical "grocery store" tea which may be blended from as many as 40 components. This structure creates blends with more distinct flavor profiles, but also means they can change, or disappear, from year to year as the component teas change.

Lapsang Souchong

Superior quality Lapsang, cured in pine smoke. The unique process yields a smooth flavor with smoky undertones. Think of it as single malt scotch, without the alcohol!

TE3502S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.80
TE3502	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 5.90
TE3502B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 20.06

Highland Blend

A blend of teas from China and India that is dark and rich with a bright undertone.

TE3022S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.10
TE3022	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.02
TE3022B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 27.27

Russian Caravan

A traditional black tea blend that is slightly smoky and was favored by the Russian czars. The cup is smooth and well balanced with a distinct, but not overwhelming, smokiness.

TE3012S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.20
TE3012	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 9.07
TE3012B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 30.84

Irish Breakfast

This blend of teas from Assam, Nilgiri, and China is a little more robust than the typical English Breakfast tea.

TE3008S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.00
TE3008	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 7.28
TE3008B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 24.76

Samovar Blend

Select blend of Yunnan and Assam teas combined with green tea pearls. A smooth, tasty blend.

TE3501S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.10
TE3501	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 8.69
TE3501B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 29.55

Welsh Morning

Our version of English Breakfast. This blend is slightly stronger than most English versions and less malty than most Irish breakfast teas.

TE3017S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.00
TE3017	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 7.32
TE3017B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 24.89

Morning Blend, Organic

A blend of organic Assam and Darjeeling teas. It is full-bodied and aromatic with a pleasing brightness. Great at breakfast, also an excellent all-day sipping tea.

TE3009S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.30
TE3009	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 10.07
TE3009B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 34.24

Green Mountain Flower

A calming blend of black and green teas scented with Jasmine blossoms.

TE3007S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 1.90
TE3007	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 6.87
TE3007B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 23.36

Earl Grey White Tip

Made with the finest China teas including a large portion of white tips (the most prized leaf of the plant) and blended with the finest oil of bergamot available. Incredibly aromatic and flavorful.

TE3006S	0.5 oz sample	\$ 2.60
TE3006	4 oz (about 50 cups)	\$ 12.07
TE3006B1	1 lb (about 200 cups)	\$ 41.04