

Vibrant and juicy, with bright pineapple and red fruits. It shines when brewed as a latte, where it develops a delicate, rose-like character. As filter, it softens into a mellow, rounded cup with dried fruit and chocolate.



**Country:** Ethiopia

**Location:** Shantawene Village, Bensa, Sidama

**Producer:** Daye Bensa

**Process:** Natural

**Cultivar:** 74158

**Altitude:** 1920 – 2020 masl

**Harvest:** December – February

A coffee that can be brewed as a filter to start your day and as an espresso with milk before bed as a midnight dessert. It beautifully showcases flavours of delicate fruit and florality, tasting exceptional with milk – almost like enjoying a Turkish delight.

### MORE ABOUT THE PRODUCER

Our Odaco Natural Lot is named to honour the cultural heritage of Shantawene, Sidama. "Odaco" refers to a significant tree in the village, under which the local community gathers to resolve conflicts – a long-standing tradition that symbolises unity and wisdom across generations. Similar practices exist throughout Ethiopia, such as the "Oda" tree among the Oromo people.

The cherries for this lot are sourced from 563 Daye Bensa member farmers across the Shantawene area, as well as directly from our Gatta Farm. Situated at 1920–2020 meters above sea level, Gatta Farm lies in the heart of Shantawene Village, surrounded by natural forest, rivers, and century-old indigenous trees that provide ideal shade and biodiversity for coffee cultivation. The farm was originally discovered and developed by co-founder Mulugeta Dukamo, with coffee planting beginning in 2013 and processing operations commencing in 2017.

The extended maturation period at this altitude allows for slow cherry development, producing dense, flavour-rich beans. After careful handpicking, cherries are dried naturally on raised beds for 14–18 days under carefully controlled conditions. Plantation, harvesting, and processing work is primarily carried out by local residents, with women playing a key role in quality control and processing.