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### **OUR TEA PACKAGING**

Our teas are packed in a variety of gram-weight sizes, including a sample size that yields approximately 3-6 cups of tea. Samples provide a great opportunity to try our teas and find new favorites.

Our silver poly-foil packets are heat-sealed to preserve freshness. Smaller sizes are resealable with a convenient zip-lock closure. When ordering the largest size packets (-H and -K), we recommend dispensing a portion of the tea into a small canister, which can serve for daily use. Select teas are also offered in a plug-top British-style tea tin (-T). We suggest ordering only the amount of tea that will be consumed in 3-6 months.

We will gladly personalize your tea packet with your name or the name of your gift recipient. This personalization is free of charge and adds a wonderful personal touch to your tea.

## **OVERALL SATISFACTION GUARANTEE**

We have one simple goal: to be your source of fine teas for many years. To that end, we strive to ensure that every experience with Upton Tea Imports is 100% to your satisfaction.

All of our teas come with a complete customer satisfaction guarantee. If you are not pleased with a tea for any reason, kindly let us know within 30 days of receiving your order. If we made an error in fulfilling your order, we will correct it immediately. If the tea is not what you expected, you may return the unused portion within 30 days, and we will issue a credit for the purchase price of the tea. With over 400 teas on our extensive list, we know that not every tea will be pleasing to every palate. To avoid unnecessary disappointment, we suggest trying a sample size first if you are unfamiliar with one of our teas.



## **UPTON TEA IMPORTS ORGANIC CERTIFICATION**

Upton Tea Imports is certified by Baystate Organic Certifiers as a handler and repacker of organic teas. Under the guidelines of the USDA National Organic Program (NOP), we only label teas as organic if they are NOP certified.

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A Note to our Valued Customers:

In this issue of our *Upton Tea Quarterly*, we are excited to share guidance and tips about hosting your own tea party to celebrate the Labor Day holiday and end of summer. Enjoy reading and planning as you sip our latest anniversary tea, NT100: Champs de Lavande, a fragrant white tea flavored with lavender and vanilla. This premium offering is the second of our four anniversary teas being introduced this year. We invite you to sign up on our website to receive our emails so you will be notified as soon as we release more of these very special teas to celebrate our 35th anniversary. Stay tuned for a unique, versatile tea from Kenya and a delicious holiday tea with the flavor of a classic British dessert.

Our full and up-to-date list of teas is always available on our website. Our Tea Consultants would be delighted to help you with any tea-related questions or to consult on a tea order. Please phone us at (800) 234-8327 (Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. ET).

As always, we are grateful to our Valued Customers for your continued business and support.

Happy tea drinking,

The Staff at Upton Tea Imports

## INTRODUCING OUR NEW LIMITED-EDITION ANNIVERSARY TEA





NT100S	15g sample	\$2.00
NT100	100g packet	\$13.75
NT100T	100g tin	\$14.50
NT100D	250g packet	\$26.25

#### CHAMPS DE LAVANDE WHITE TEA

This naturally flavored white tea evokes the beautiful lavender fields of France. The pale golden liquor glows like sunshine and exudes a perfumed aroma with notes of lavender, brown sugar, and vanilla. The lavender notes become more pronounced in the buttery-smooth cup, complemented by a warm vanilla crème note and hints of honey. The finish lingers with a fleeting vegetal nuance. We are honored to offer this fragrant white tea to you in celebration of Upton Tea Imports' 35th anniversary.

Look for all of our other new teas this quarter by finding the

## **VALUED CUSTOMERS' REVIEWS**

"I have been your customer since the beginning when I saw the tiny Smithsonian ad. I always tell my friends about your wonderful tea!" – Ilse Shelton from FL

"I love your teas, they are superb. Of all the teas I've tried, no other company compares!" - Lorraine Bosche from CA

"I have ordered your teas for years and love them. The Valued Customer program is like a little present!" – Ruth Paris from MA

"I've loved your tea for 17 years - ever since a friend gave us some Upton tea for a wedding present! The friend and I are both British citizens, so you can guess how much tea we have drunk over the years. THANKS!" - Caroline Kendall Orszak from MA

## **FEATURED FALL TEAS**

These carefully curated fall-inspired blends are perfect to cozy up with as the leaves begin to change and the air turns crisp.



#### **PUMPKIN SPICE CHAI**

As the fiery colors of autumn blaze across the landscape, this delightful Chai selection will bring a rich warming flavor to your teacup. A sweet cinnamon aroma portends notes of warming spices that provide the perfect complement to the luscious pumpkin flavor. The finish lingers with a velvety smoothness. Add a dollop of cream and sweetener for a decadent treat! May be enjoyed hot or iced at any time of year.

NT35S	15g sample	\$4.25
NT35	125g packet	\$20.00
NT35T	125g tin	\$22.25
NT35D	250g bag	\$38.00



#### CINNAMON APPLE CHAMOMILE **HERBAL BLEND**

The comforting aroma and flavor of cinnamon apple complements the dreamy smoothness of chamomile flowers in this calming caffeine-free blend. At the end of your busy day, take a moment to quiet your mind and enjoy a cup of tranquility.

BH103S	7g sample	\$2.75
BH103D	60g packet	\$13.00
BH103K	120g packet	\$24.50



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#### **NEW ENGLAND AUTUMN TEA**

This full-bodied, fall-inspired black tea is fragrant with pronounced cinnamon apple notes, complemented by hints of honey and clove. The velvety-smooth cup invites that first sip with its cinnamon-forward mélange of rich, warming spices, which supports notes of sweet apple and a whisper of orange. The finish lingers on a crisp note. This tea blend is the perfect choice for cozy warmth on a brisk autumn day.

NT99S	12g sample	\$2.50
NT99	100g packet	\$17.25
NT99D	200g packet	\$33.00
NT99H	400g packet	\$64.50



#### **CINNAMON SPICE CHAI**

A pronounced cinnamon aroma and flavor pair well with a licorice sweetness in this full-bodied black tea Chai. The warmth of the cinnamon balances well with the zest of the ginger, both complemented by hints of cardamom. Enhance the rich spiciness of this Chai with the addition of milk/cream and sweetener.

NT31S	15g sample	\$4.25
NT31	125g packet	\$20.00
NT31T	125g tin	\$22.25
NT31D	250g packet	\$38.00
NT31H	500g bag	\$74.25



Carefully selected for their great value, our Season's Pick teas are the perfect choice for your everyday cup. See the complete list of Season's Pick teas at www.uptontea.com.



### 🕮 SEASON'S PICK JAPANESE SENCHA ORGANIC 🛛 SEASON'S PICK ASSAM GFOP ORGANIC

A sweet, delicate fragrance introduces this organic Japanese Sencha tea. The yellow-jade cup has a light vegetal character with savory hints of umami. A gentle sweetness complements the clean finish. A great value. This tea is the perfect choice to enjoy with a spoonful of our Wildflower Honey (on page 43).

TJ00S	15g sample	\$2.50
TJ00D	250g packet	\$24.25
TJ00K	1kg bag	\$91.50



This Assam selection produces a dark cup with a full flavor profile. Notes of cocoa and a delicate caramel hint complement a sweet and toasty aroma for an enjoyable cup.

12g sample	\$1.50
200g packet	\$11.00
800g bag	\$37.75
	200g packet



#### **SEASON'S PICK GOLDEN MONKEY**

A plethora of downy golden tips decorates long, twisted leaves in this superb China black tea selection from Yunnan province. The aroma is fragrant with the sharp, sweet scent of spiced cocoa. The velvety-smooth cup is rich and chocolatey with an enduring dark molasses sweetness. The finish lingers with a warming kick. A great selection for a cold winter day.

ZY104S	6g sample	\$2.25
ZY104D	100g packet	\$16.25
ZY104K	400g bag	\$60.00



#### SEASON'S PICK MOZAMBIQUE BREAKFAST **BLEND ORGANIC**

From the Monte Metilile Estate, small, well-made leaves produce a smooth, robust breakfast blend with a toasty aroma and rich mouthfeel. Hints of stone fruit add a sweetness to both the aroma and the dark-amber cup. Delicious with or without a splash of milk, this organic tea is the perfect choice to accompany something sweet.

TK33S	15g sample	\$2.50
TK33D	250g packet	\$21.75
TK33K	1kg hag	\$80.00













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	TEAS OF INDIA			
SINGLE-ESTATE F	IRST FLUSH DARJEELING TEAS			
DARJEELING 'JETHI Plucked on February to as "Jethi Kupi," ar the Rohini Estate. Bo cup rich with the fres like a sugar cookie, with notes of cornsi of lavender, bloom a A smooth, lingering	ST FLUSH MOONLIGHT FTGFOP1 (2024 EX-1) KUPI'  2, 2024, this exemplary first flush Darjeeling tea auspicious title given to the earliest first flush had tea leaves with silver-sage tips produce a pale a hness of a spring morning. A pronounced sugary envelops the buttery-smooth liquor and aromalk and vegetal hints. Notes of spring flowers, rest the cup cools, accented by hints of fresh spring flowers a memorable tea experience, suit is referred to as the "champagne of teas."	is referred narvests at mber-gold sweetness, a, fragrant eminiscent ng greens.	TD232S Sample \$8.50	<b>TD232 40g</b> \$27.00
Originally planted in near the India-Nepal feet, with a scenic vi- peak in the world. offering, flecks of br bold, olive-green leav sunshine. The sweet meadow flowers, con liquor exhibits a live are accented by a n	ST FLUSH FTGFOP1 (2024 DJ-11)  1869, the venerable Seeyok Estate is located border and sits at an altitude averaging 4,700 ew of Kanchenjunga Mountain, the third highest In this superlative 2024 first flush Darjeeling ight green leaves and silver tips thread through ves, which produce a mouth-filling cup of golden aroma is fragrant with notes of honey and explemented by a fresh vegetal hint. The smooth ly, spring-like character, with floral notes that wance of oak. The crisp, pungent finish is well ering honey sweetness. A staff favorite.	TD240S Sample \$3.50	<b>TD240 60g</b> \$23.00	<b>TD240D 120g</b> \$43.50
(2024 DJ-13) DARJE This impressive 202 Estate, which is local The well-made, att aromatic with a floral vegetal hint. The mewith rich floral notes The subtly crisp, lir	RST FLUSH FTGFOP1 CL ELING 24 first flush selection is from the Thurbo ated in the verdant Mirik Valley of Darjeeling. ractive leaves yield a golden-amber liquor, I essence, a pronounced sweetness, and a fresh dium-bodied cup has a lively character, bursting a tropical fruit whisper, and a hint of mineral agering finish leaves a pleasant sweetness on an an enjoyable tea experience.	TD239S Sample \$3.25	TD239 60g \$22.25	TD239D 120g \$42.25
(2024 EX-4) DARJEE With its invigorating first flush offering e heady aroma is a ri and spring greens. I gold liquor as well.	g, full-bodied cup, this 2024 Snowview Estate xhibits a classic European-style character. The ch bouquet of sweet flowers, fresh corn silk, these notes enliven the flavor of the sparkling Hints of tropical fruit and apricot linger in the palate with a refreshing crispness. The perfect	TD236S Sample \$3.50	<b>TD236 60g</b> \$23.00	<b>TD236D 120g</b> \$43.75
(2024 DJ-04) DARJE With its fresh her undertones, this su invites you to take filling the palate w	FIRST FLUSH FTGFOP1 FLOWERY ELING baceous aroma hinting of tropical fruit wit perb 2024 first flush Darjeeling from Balas that first sip. The golden-amber cup is butter ith classic floral notes that are enhanced by . A burst of tropical fruit sweetness lingers in	un Estate y smooth, y hints of	TD238S Sample \$3.25	TD238 60g \$22.25





SINGLE-ESTATE FIRST FEOSIT DARGELLING TEAS (COILLING	cuj		
VICTORIA'S PEAK ESTATE FIRST FLUSH SFTGFOP1 (2024 EX-4) DARJEELING  Accented by beautiful silver tips, the attractive well-made leaves of this 2024 first flush Darjeeling selection yield an amber-gold cup with a fresh aroma that hints of a sweet floral meadow. The invigorating, full-bodied liquor fills your palate with a buttery-smooth, creamy mouthfeel, which complements notes of flowers, tropical fruit, and honey. A vegetal whisper and citrus nuance lead to a brisk, lively finish that lingers with a delightful sweetness. This outstanding offering comes from the Victoria's Peak division of the prestigious Steinthal Estate.	TD237S Sample \$3.50	TD237 60g \$23.00	TD237D 120g \$43.75
NORTH TUKVAR ESTATE FIRST FLUSH SFTGFOP1 (2024 EX-9) DA Bold, well-crafted leaves, in a wide range of olive-green shades, mingle downy tips in this superlative first flush Darjeeling from North Tukvar silky-smooth cup glows with a golden light and exudes a honeyed floral accented with hints of corn silk and dried fruit. Upon first sip, the liquid palate with pronounced floral notes, complemented by a tropical fruit und whisper of oak. A lingering sweetness adds a satisfying touch to the clean, or	with silver, Estate. The fragrance, or fills the lertone and	TD233S Sample \$1.75	TD233 50g \$12.25
HILLTON ESTATE FIRST FLUSH FTGFOP1 CL (2023 DJ-9) DARJEELING An herbaceous aroma is enhanced by a subtle floral perfume and sweet hints of brown sugar, which sets the stage for the rich, invigorating character of this 2023 first flush Darjeeling. A silky-smooth mouthfeel embraces notes of spring flowers and hints of tropical fruit in the light amber cup. In the finish, a crisp bittersweet note is balanced with lingering notes of honey. A tea lover's tea!	TD220S Sample \$5.25	<b>TD220 50g</b> \$20.25	TD220D 100g \$38.50
PUTTABONG ESTATE FIRST FLUSH FTGFOP1 CL (2023 DJ-7) DARJEELING First planted in 1852, the Puttabong Tea Estate is notable as one of the first tea gardens in Darjeeling. With a sweet floral aroma reminiscent of a blooming spring meadow, this 2023 first flush Darjeeling tea selection invites you to take your first sip. Bold, dark-olive leaves, sprinkled with downy silver tips, produce a light amber-gold liquor that delights the palate with its fresh, buttery smoothness and classic, honeyed floral flavor. A smooth, clean finish completes a memorable Darjeeling tea experience.	TD219S Sample \$9.00	TD219 50g \$36.25	TD219D 100g \$69.00
bold, dark-olive leaves, with a fresh herbaceous aroma. With its p sweet floral fragrance and flavor, the golden-amber cup invites tha	PANA ESTATE FIRST FLUSH FTGFOP1 (2023 DJ-4) DARJEELING s 2023 first flush Darjeeling offering, flecks of spring green brighten dark-olive leaves, with a fresh herbaceous aroma. With its pronounced floral fragrance and flavor, the golden-amber cup invites that first sip. tery-smooth mouthfeel leads to a clean finish that lingers with a honey		
TINDHARIA ESTATE FIRST FLUSH FTGFOP1 (2022 EX-1) DARJEEL A profusion of downy silver tips decorate the olive-green leave produce a fragrant golden liquor redolent with buttery floor suggestive of honeysuckle. The silky-smooth cup fills your mage a lively feel that awakens the palate. Classic floral notes pair with sweetness reminiscent of juicy pineapple, which linger into the craft A truly delightful way to enjoy a tea moment at any time of day.	res, which ral notes outh with the a fruity	TD204S Sample \$17.50	<b>TD204 40g</b> \$47.00
A truly delightful way to enjoy a tea moment at any time of day.  TINDHARIA ESTATE FIRST FLUSH FTGFOP1 (EX-1) DARJEELING  The very first plucking of the first flush season at Tindharia Estate, this outstanding selection displays beautiful leaves in shades of green, sprinkled with delicate, silvery tips. The fragrance is fresh and sweet, with hints of corn silk. The sparkling amber-gold cup is bursting with honey sweetness and rich floral notes reminiscent of a spring garden. A buttery-smooth mouthfeel supports light vegetal hints and a crisp, lively quality that lingers long into the finish. Savor each sip of this stellar offering.			
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DARJEELING BLENDS						
	best value in Darjeeling tea. This vorful BOP blend offers a great cup at a		<b>TD06 125g</b> \$14.75	TD06T 125g Tin \$17.00	TD06D 250g \$27.75	<b>TD06H 500</b> g \$53.50
PARJEELING FTGFOP1 PREMIUM IF From its inviting aroma to it full-bodied cup, this blend of Darjeeling teas has many fine processider. Fruity notes join toasty/nu in the dark-amber liquor. The finis with a gentle astringency. An excelle for an everyday Darjeeling.	its rich, premium points to utty hints the lingers	TD60S Sample \$3.50	<b>TD60 125</b> g \$16.75	<b>TD60T 125g Tin</b> \$19.00	<b>TD60D 250</b> g \$31.50	<b>TD60H 500g</b> \$60.75
NO. 1 TIPPY ORTHODOX GFOP DARJEELING An exceptional golden tip Darjeeling blend. We first introduced this tea in 1990, and it continues to be our most popular Darjeeling.	TD50S Sample \$2.75	<b>TD50 125</b> g \$11.50	TD50T 125g Tin \$13.50	TD50D 250g \$21.25	<b>TD50H 500g</b> \$41.00	TD50K 1kg \$77.25
With its smooth satisfying flavor and Darjeeling tea blend is the perfect The bold, dark-brown leaves produ toasty aroma, fragrant with a dried-f hints. A silky mouthfeel complemen	SEASON'S PICK SECOND FLUSH DARJEELING BLEND With its smooth satisfying flavor and great value, this second flush Darjeeling tea blend is the perfect choice for your everyday cup. The bold, dark-brown leaves produce a dark-amber liquor with a toasty aroma, fragrant with a dried-fruit sweetness and woody spice hints. A silky mouthfeel complements notes of honey and warming spices, joined by a deep, rich toastiness, which lingers in the finish.					TDB10K 640g \$118.00
SINGLE-ESTATE SECOND FLUS	H DARJE	ELING TE	AS			
SAMABEONG ESTATE SECOND FLUSH FTGFOP1 BURGUNDY (2023 DJ-9) DARJEELING  Juxtaposed with stunning silver-gold tips, the ultra-bold leaves of this unique second flush offering from Samabeong Estate are a testament to the meticulous handcrafting of the teamakers' art. Layers of fruity fragrance — muscatel, grape, and stone fruit — are complemented by a fresh-bread toastiness, a honey sweetness, and a hint of rose. The amber cup is rich and full-bodied with notes of muscatel, wildflower honey, and Burgundy. A hint of citrus zest sets the tone for a crisp, lingering finish, accented by hints of meadowsweet and lilac. This exemplary selection has quickly become a staff favorite.				TD234S Sample \$2.25	<b>TD234 40g</b> \$14.75	
CASTLETON ESTATE SECOND FLUX (2023 DJ-170) DARJEELING The Castleton Estate is known for cra This 2023 second flush offering The chestnut-colored liquor has a the aroma and flavor, with hints of sweetness. The smooth, full-bodied honey nuances, which linger in the	afting top- g is true lively fru muscatel a cup has a	notch Darje to its r vity bouque and a ripe a rich mou	reputation. et in both stone fruit thfeel and	TD225S Sample \$4.75	<b>TD225 80g</b> \$35.00	TD225D 160g \$66.50

	MUSCATEL (2023 DJ-179) DARJEELING From its bold, well-made leaf style to its rich, lively cup, this 2023 second flush offering, from one of our favorite estates, has many excellent points to consider. The aroma is fragrant with notes of muscatel and hints of black cherry. Layers of muscatel, apricot, honey, a biscuit-like toastiness, and a whisper of mahogany weave together to create an immensely satisfying flavor. The smooth finish lingers with a dried-fruit sweetness and white-wine crispness.	TD228S Sample \$5.50	<b>TD228 100g</b> \$42.75	TD228D 200g \$81.25
	LIZA HILL ESTATE SECOND FLUSH CL MUSCATEL (2023 DJ-06) DARJEELING  Downy, golden tips thread through dark-brown leaves that steep a rich, dark-amber liquor with a pronounced muscatel aroma. Hints of almond, honey, and oak add a balanced complexity to the fragrance. The classic muscatel notes bloom in the silky-smooth flavor, accentuated by hints of Burgundy and soft floral nuances. A honey sweetness lingers in the finish.	TD226S Sample \$6.25	<b>TD226 100g</b> \$48.75	TD226D 200g \$92.75
	VICTORIA'S PEAK ESTATE SECOND FLUSH SFTGFOP1 DARJEELING Smooth and rich, this second flush Darjeeling offers pronounced muscatel notes in both the fragrant aroma and the dark-amber cup. Nutty/toasty nuances and hints of honey lead to a dry, lingering finish that hints of spice. Another sublime selection from Victoria's Peak, a division of the renowned Steinthal Estate.	TD187S Sample \$7.75	<b>TD187 70g</b> \$38.00	TD187D 140g \$72.25
	BALASUN ESTATE SECOND FLUSH FTGFOP1 CH (2023 DJ-139) DARJEELING This 2023 second flush selection has an inviting fragrance with pronounced muscatel notes that are accentuated by a molasses sweetness and light vanilla hint. A velvety-smooth mouthfeel embraces a complex flavor profile with classic muscatel notes, a honey-sweet floral hint, and cedar/oak nuances. The finish lingers with a lively crispness and earthy hint.	TD230S Sample \$5.00	TD230 100g \$38.75	TD230D 200g \$73.75
*	PUTTABONG ESTATE SECOND FLUSH FTGFOP1 CH (2023 DJ-147) DARJEELING The Puttabong Estate has been producing premium teas since 1852. This spectacular 2023 second flush offering carries on that tradition with its rich, full-bodied cup redolent with notes of toasty caramelized sugar and warm baked goods, complemented by a lovely fragrance of oak cask essence. A jammy sweetness balances with notes of baked apple and an undertone of earthen spice in the lively, medium-amber liquor. A pleasant astringency lingers in the smooth, clean finish. A staff favorite.	TD229S Sample \$4.00	TD229 100g \$30.75	TD229D 200g \$58.50
	SUNGMA ESTATE SECOND FLUSH FTGFOP1 CH (2023 DJ-93) DARJ Located in the Rung Bong valley at altitudes ranging from 3,500 to 5, Estate was first planted in the 1860s. This 2023 second flush Darje a smooth, medium-bodied cup with a sweet, toasty aroma, hinting of a whisper of vanilla. The mahogany-colored liquor exhibits a class enhanced by a honey sweetness and complemented by woody/toast clean and refreshing with an appealing bittersweet quality.	500 feet, the ling select foak and coic muscatel	ion offers cedar with bouquet,	TD227 100g \$43.75

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SINGLE-ESTATE SECOND FLUSH DARJEELING TEAS (continued)

MARGARET'S HOPE ESTATE SECOND FLUSH FTGFOP1

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of wildflowers.











## FEATURED SINGLE-ESTATE ASSAM TEAS

Teas of India

The state of Assam in northeast India is the source of some of the finest breakfast-style black teas. Notable for its strong, full-bodied character, Assam is the classic Irish breakfast tea.



### HATTIALLI ESTATE TGFOP SPL (2023 OR-507) ASSAM

A profusion of downy, golden tips creates a striking leaf appearance in this invigorating 2023 Assam offering from Hattialli Estate. With layered notes of malt, Burgundy, and dark chocolate, accented by hints of cherry and spice, the complex aroma tempts you to take that first sip. The mahogany-colored cup is rich and malty, supported by hints of sweet cocoa, spice, and dried fruit. The finish lingers with a bittersweet quality. This great value selection may be taken neat or enjoyed with a generous splash of milk.

TA174S	12g sample	\$1.75
TA174	100g packet	\$11.00
TA174D	200g packet	\$21.00



#### **DOOMNI ESTATE TGFOP1 ASSAM**

Downy, golden tips adorn dark-brown leaves in this elegant black tea offering from Doomni Estate in Assam. The bright aroma is sweet and earthy with hints of red wine and ripe berries, complemented by a whisper of nuttiness. A full mouthfeel enriches the complex flavor profile, which features notes of malt and cocoa, accentuated by a warm toastiness, a hint of chestnut, and a dried-fruit sweetness. The finish lingers with a whisper of melted caramel balanced by a pleasant crisp note.

TA171S	12g sample	\$2.50
TA171	100g packet	\$18.00
TA171D	200g packet	\$34.25



#### NAHORHABI ESTATE FTGFOP1 CLO SPL (2023 OR-278) ASSAM

A complement of elegant golden tips adorns the dark-brown leaves of this 2023 Assam selection from one of our favorite estates. An eye-opening aroma, rich with notes of malt, bittersweet cocoa, and dried cherries, heralds a smooth, well-balanced cup with a complex flavor profile that features prominent malty notes. While the thick mouthfeel accommodates a splash of milk to enhance the deep flavor, it is a great self-drinker. Hints of cocoa and amaretto linger into the sweet finish.

TA175S	12g sample	\$1.50
TA175	100g packet	\$10.00
TA175D	200g packet	\$19.00



#### MANGALAM ESTATE GOF ASSAM

This finely particled "Golden Orange Fannings" leaf Assam tea produces a dark copper cup with rich flavor and a warm, toasty aroma that hints of malt. A stone fruit sweetness enhances flavor notes of dark baking cocoa and malt, complemented by a full mouthfeel and ending with a smooth, lingering finish. While the GOF grade of tea is often used for blending, this selection is an excellent self-drinker while also being strong enough to accommodate a dollop of milk, if desired.

TA200S	15g sample	\$3.00
TA200	125g packet	\$14.25
TA200D	250g packet	\$26.75

#### **ASSAM BLENDS ASSAM C.T.C. BOP ESTATE ORGANIC BLEND TA15 TA15T** TA15H A blend of choice crush, tear, and **TA15S** TA15D TA15K 125g Tin curl (C.T.C.) Assam teas, with the Sample 125g 250g 500g 1kg typical malty and flavorful taste \$2.00 \$8.00 \$10.00 \$14.75 \$28.75 \$54.00 profile. A perfect choice for those seeking a strong morning cup. C.T.C. FINE ASSAM **TA11S** TA11 **TA11T** TA11D TA11H TA11K This fine C.T.C. infuses in one minute, Sample 125g 125g Tin 250g 500g 1kg producing a hearty, flavorful cup. \$2.00 \$9.25 \$13.50 \$24.50 \$46.00 \$7.25 TIPPY ORTHODOX FBOP ASSAM **TA20S TA20** TA20D TA20H TA<sub>20</sub>K A uniform broken-leaf tea with bold character Sample 100g 200g 400g 800g and a strong, malty flavor. This tea is a great \$2.25 \$7.75 \$14.25 \$27.00 \$50.75 choice for breakfast and throughout the day. TIPPY ORTHODOX GFOP ASSAM Whole-leaf Assam with golden tips **TA40S TA40 TA40T** TA40D TA40H TA40K (young leaf buds). Characteristic 125g Sample 125g Tin 250g 500g 1kg maltiness and complex flavor. This is \$2.25 \$9.50 \$11.50 \$18.00 \$35.00 \$65.75 our most popular Assam. **SEASON'S PICK ASSAM FTGFOP1** The bold, dark-brown leaves of this Season's Pick Assam infuse a thick, rich cup with notes of malt and cocoa, enhanced by hints of TA178S **TA178D TA178K** manuka honey and spice. A molasses sweetness accentuates nuances Sample 250g 1 kg of malt and oak, which lend an intriguing depth to the toasty aroma. \$17.75 \$68.00 \$1.75 The full finish reveals a spicy astringency, balanced with lingering hints of stone fruit. This exceptional Assam blend offers a great value for an everyday cup. **SINGLE-ESTATE ASSAM TEAS** NAHORHABI ESTATE GBOP CLO SPL (2023 OR-455) ASSAM A plethora of golden tips adorns the dark-brown leaves of this 2023 TA173S TA173 **TA173D** broken-leaf selection from Nahorhabi Estate. The toasty aroma hints Sample 125g 250g of honey and spice with a faint earthy nuance. The strong, malty cup \$3.25 \$25.00 \$47.50 has a smooth toffee sweetness, complemented by a hint of tart cherry. The dry, crisp finish lingers on a spicy note. Excellent with milk. MANGALAM ESTATE FTGFOP1 CL SPL ASSAM The Mangalam Estate is popular among Assam tea aficionados, and each year, we look forward to its offerings. In this 2023 selection, golden tips mix with dark-brown leaves, producing a robust cup with a smooth TA170S TA170 TA170D TA170H



mouthfeel. The complex aroma reveals layers of malt and

nutty notes, harmonizing with toasty hints and a honey

sweetness. A lively astringency in the dark-copper cup is tempered by malty undertones, hints of stone fruit, and

a whisper of cocoa. The finish is sweet and lingering.

Enjoy this excellent selection neat or with a dollop of milk.





Sample

\$4.00

200g

\$56.75

100g

\$29.75

400g

\$110.75

#### Fall 2024 Quarterly Page 12 **DOOARS DISTRICT BLACK TEAS** The Dooars region lies south of the Himalayan foothills of Darjeeling and north of the Brahmaputra River basin. Black teas from this region are full of flavor, with notes ranging from light and fruity to smooth and lively. PUTHARJHORA ESTATE 'SILVER SPRING' SFTGFOP1 DOOARS This lovely 2023 offering exhibits a lively citrus-like mouthfeel and inviting TO61S TO61 tropical fruit notes, reminiscent of pineapple. A pronounced stone-fruit Sample 50g sweetness enhances notes of corn silk in the champagne-gold cup. The finish \$7.50 \$29.75 is silky smooth and clean. **NUXALBARI ESTATE MASALA CHAI ORGANIC** A warm, spicy aroma starts off an outstanding Masala Chai experience. EFT4S EFT4 EFT4D The deep-copper cup of this organic premium black tea is rich and 200g Sample 100g sweet with a cardamom-forward flavor profile, supported by zesty \$5.50 \$27.00 \$51.25 hints of ginger, warming cinnamon, and a snap of clove. The finish is long and lingering. **NILGIRI DISTRICT BLACK TEAS CHAMRAJ ESTATE GOLDEN TIPS (2024) NILGIRI** Located in the Nilgiri Hills of southern India at an elevation of 6,500 feet, the Chamraj Estate is renowned for its exemplary teas. This unique black tea is notable for the plethora of small golden tips adorning its dark-brown leaves. **TN70S TN70** The inviting dark-copper liquor has a rich, toasty aroma, accented by a cocoa Sample 80g sweetness and whisper of sweet tobacco. The complex cup features notes of \$3.50 \$25.50 cocoa, raisin, and citrus, with a hint of spice and a distinctive juxtaposition of honey sweetness and tart fruitiness. The sweetness lingers in the crisp finish, becoming more pronounced as the tea cools. A longer steeping time is recommended if milk is desired. KAIRBETTA ESTATE SFTGFOP1 2024 'WINTER FROST' NILGIRI With its fresh floral character and complex flavor, this early 2024 "Winter Frost" Nilgiri black tea is the perfect spring cup. The aroma has sweet vegetal **TN69S TN69** notes, accented by hints of vanilla honey and spice. The bright amber-gold Sample 60g liquor is full and rich with a creamy-smooth mouthfeel. Layers of vanilla, honey, \$2.50 \$15.75 and sweet hay and a whisper of umami complement the pronounced floral notes. The finish lingers with a pleasing citrus astringency. With a flavor profile very similar to a first flush Darjeeling, this has quickly become a staff favorite. **IYERPADI ESTATE BOP ORGANIC TN64S TN64** TN64T TN64D TN64H A rich tea with a solid body and full mouthfeel. Sample 125g 125g Tin 250g 500g A pleasing, balanced cup with a classic Nilgiri \$2.75 \$11.75 \$13.50 \$21.75 \$41.75 flavor and style. **IYERPADI ESTATE OP ORGANIC TN68S TN68** TN68T TN68D TN68H A whole-leaf Nilgiri with vibrant aromatics, Sample 80g 80g Tin 160g 320g a sweet cup, and a gentle, crisp bite. Smooth yet \$2.00 \$8.00 \$10.00 \$14.25 \$27.00 very flavorful, with a medium body. **NILGIRI BOP** Located in southern India, Nilgiri produces teas similar **TN10S** TN10 TN10D TN10H 400g to those of Ceylon, yet with a distinctive character. Sample 100g 200g

TEAS OF NEPAL								
HIMALAYAN SHANGRI-LA SFTGFOP1 NEPAL Our Nepal black tea selection from Shangri-La is a beautiful mix of dark-brown leaves and flecks of small green leaves, decorated wit silver tips. The bright fruity/floral aroma hints of citrus and sweed baked goods. The rich-amber cup has a medium-bodied profile with notes of pear, melon, and a honey sweetness that lingers in the finis	Sample \$3.00	TM105 100g \$21.75	TM105D 200g \$41.50					
MIST VALLEY ESTATE SECOND FLUSH NEPAL Silver-gold tips adorn bold, dark-brown leaves in this second flush Nepal black tea offering. The amber cup is smooth and rich with a toasty aroma hinting of fruit. A honey-sweet aspect blooms as the tea cools, complemented by a full mouthfeel and hints of muscatel. Herbaceous nuances linger in the lively finish.		TM103D 160g \$34.25	TM103H 320g \$66.75					
GORKHA ESTATE FIRST FLUSH SFTGFOP NEPAL  A delicate sprinkling of silvery tips decorates the bold, dark-olive leave of this first flush black tea offering from the Gorkha Estate of easter Nepal. The aroma is sweet and inviting, revealing hints of flower stone fruit, and corn silk. A buttery-smooth mouthfeel supports a ric constellation of flavor notes — honey, dried stone fruit, toasty, nutt The finish lingers with a crispness punctuated by hints of spice.	TM104S s, Sample \$3.75	TM104 80g \$17.25	TM104D 160g \$41.50					



### **BODUM GLASS TEAPOT (34 FL OZ.)**

This 34-ounce glass teapot features an innovative press system that stops the tea steeping once the plunger is depressed, with no need to remove the stainless steel infuser. The heat-resistant borosilicate glass construction allows you to enjoy the beautiful color of your tea. A silicone rim secures the infuser firmly into the teapot for easy pouring. Approximately 6¼ inches tall by 7½ inches wide. All parts are dishwasher safe.

AP34 34 oz. glass teapot \$46.25



## **PAVINA DOUBLE WALL GLASS CUPS** 12 OZ. (SET OF 2)

Made of heat-resistant borosilicate glass, these 12-ounce glass cups are great for hot or iced tea. Individually mouth-blown by expert artisans, the double wall construction creates a highly effective layer of insulation and eliminates condensation. An elegant and beautiful way to enjoy a cup of tea. Dishwasher safe.

ACG4 Glass cups, set of 2 \$21.00



This British-style Nilgiri black tea produces a flavorful

cup that is excellent with milk.





\$1.75

\$4.75

\$9.00

\$17.75







TEAS OF CHINA						
CHINESE CONGOU BLACK TEAS						
FUJIAN MINHONG GONGFU CONGOU  The wiry, ebony-brown leaves of this premium Congou black Fujian province produce a very dark-amber liquor with an entic aroma. The smooth, rich cup tastes of premium dark chocolate by a whisper of spice. The finish is long and lingering with of toffee. This decadent treat is the perfect accompaniment to	<b>ZK101 100g</b> \$18.00	ZK101D 200g \$34.25				
CHINA KEEMUN HONG CHA The fragrant, dark-brown leaves yield a deep-amber liqu light smoky aroma, hinting of earth and wine. The smooth cand full-bodied, accented with smoky/earthy nuances. T lingers with a hint of spice.	cup is rich	ZK33S Sample \$4.00	<b>ZK33</b> <b>125g</b> \$20.25	<b>ZK33D 250g</b> \$37.00		
HAO-YA 'B' SUPERFINE KEEMUN  Extra care is taken with each step, from the extra-fine picking through the oxidation. Exquisite in style, color, aroma, and taste. If an unspecified Hao-Ya Keemun is sold, it is typically Hao-Ya "B."	xtra care is taken with each step, from the extra-fine class					
HAO-YA 'A' SUPERFINE KEEMUN Officially the top grade of China Keemun, this grade has always been produced in limited supply. A top lot for the Keemun connoisseur.  ZK90S Sample \$7.75	Officially the top grade of China Keemun, this grade has always been produced in limited states and seeman this sample states are seeman to the sample states					
HONG CHA MAO FENG A light sprinkling of golden tips adorns the glossy dark-l stunning Mao Feng selection. The copper-ruby cup exhibit and flavor with rich notes of earth, wine, and smoke. A finish complements the silky, sweet character.	its a comp	lex aroma	ZK88S Sample \$6.50	ZK88 100g \$32.75		
province black tea are fragrant with the aroma of ric This cocoa note is also prominent in the velvety-smooth, fu	GOLDEN MONKEY SUPREME  The ultra-bold, carefully twisted leaves of this outstanding Yunnan province black tea are fragrant with the aroma of rich cocoa. This cocoa note is also prominent in the velvety-smooth, full-bodied cup, heady with toasty, spicy hints. A dried-fruit sweetness lingers  ZY105S Sample \$3.75					
SPECIAL PURCHASE HAO-YA 'A' SELECT A fine complement of golden tips sets this stylish selection classic Burgundy-like Keemun notes, with subtle smokiness	•		ZK96S Sample \$4.50	<b>ZK96</b> <b>50g</b> \$23.00		
CHINA KEEMUN FIRST GRADE With its rich flavor profile and smooth mouthfeel, this represents a great value for a China black tea. Hints of w suggestion of smoke round out the earthy, full-bodied cup.	ZK11S Sample \$2.50	<b>ZK11 125g</b> \$10.25	<b>ZK11D 250g</b> \$19.75			
HONG TAO KEEMUN  A mellow tea in the style of An Hui province Keemun, with Burgundy cup character and mild smoky note. The liquor is with a lingering sweet finish.	ZK12S Sample \$2.25	<b>ZK12 125g</b> \$9.25	ZK12D 250g \$17.25			
HUBEI PROVINCE KEEMUN JI HONG A sweet aroma reveals hints of cocoa, tobacco, and I The full-bodied cup is rich and winey with hints of spi biscuit toastiness. The finish is smooth with a gentle oak n	ice and a	ZK22S Sample \$3.00	<b>ZK22</b> <b>125g</b> \$11.50	<b>ZK22D 250g</b> \$21.75		

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I	CHINESE CONGOU BLACK TEAS	S (contin	ued)				
	YUNNAN DIAN HONG GOLD  This outstanding Yunnan black tea set tips with a beautiful downy appeara with hints of molasses. Layers of cocreate a rich flavor that is complem A whisper of spice lingers in the finish	ince. The rocoa, spice ented by a	russet-amb , and eart	er liquor i h weave to	s fragrant ogether to	<b>ZY09 50g</b> \$28.00	ZY09D 100g \$53.75
	YUNNAN FBOP A Flowery Broken Orange Pekoe from province, this tea is a hearty version whole-leaf varieties. Try it with more British-style cup.	ZY45S Sample \$2.25	<b>ZY45 125g</b> \$6.50	<b>ZY45D 250g</b> \$11.75	<b>ZY45H 500g</b> \$21.75	<b>ZY45K 1kg</b> \$40.25	
	YUNNAN FOP SELECT The dark-brown leaves of this selected accented with golden tips. Rich, earthy present in the aroma and dark-amber hints of white pepper and cassia add accent. The smooth finish has a light, to	ZY30S Sample \$2.50	<b>ZY30</b> 100g \$8.25	ZY30T 100g Tin \$10.00	<b>ZY30D 200</b> g \$15.00	<b>ZY30H 400g</b> \$28.75	
	YUNNAN TGFOP This superior China black tea is a great after-dinner tea. Stands up nicely to milk and also delectable plain.	ZY51S Sample \$3.25	<b>ZY51 125g</b> \$13.00	<b>ZY51T 125g Tin</b> \$14.00	<b>ZY51D 250g</b> \$23.50	<b>ZY51H 500g</b> \$45.50	<b>ZY51K 1kg</b> \$86.00
- 1	YUNNAN GOLDEN BUDS ORGANIC  A pronounced aroma and flavor of rich melted chock this outstanding organic black tea selection from A profusion of downy golden buds yields a darkrounded, velvety-smooth mouthfeel and caramel-lifinish lingers with dark, bittersweet notes of malt and of a Porter beer. A staff favorite. Small lot with lim			province. cup with a tness. The eminiscent	ZY106S Sample \$4.25	<b>ZY106 50</b> g \$33.25	ZY106D 100g \$63.25
	PU-ERH TEAS OF CHINA						
	CHINA AGED PU-ERH CELESTIAL TO The quality of leaf and the careful p differentiates this Yunnan Pu-Erh common varieties. Still intense ar but smoother and more complex A sample is suggested for the uniniti	ZH60S Sample \$5.00	ZH60 125g \$25.25	ZH60T 125g Tin \$27.75	<b>ZH60D 250</b> g \$47.50	<b>ZH60H</b> <b>500g</b> \$92.00	
	CHINA PU-ERH LEAF This leaf-format Pu-Erh yields a dar earthy notes in the traditional style. Yunnan classic.		ZH20S Sample \$2.75	ZH20 125g \$12.00	<b>ZH20D 250g</b> \$22.50	<b>ZH20H 500g</b> \$42.50	
	CHINA PU-ERH TUO CHA Small tuo chas (compressed cakes) with each tuo cha an ideal size for m two cups. The liquor is dense and blac are often made from this tea.	aking appr	oximately	ZH30S Sample \$3.25	ZH30 125g \$14.75	<b>ZH30D</b> <b>250g</b> \$26.75	<b>ZH30H</b> <b>500g</b> \$52.00
	are often made from this tea.  ROYAL PU-ERH  This whole-leaf Shou Pu-Erh selection is aromati robust, with a hearty kick. Pronounced earthy/toasty are present in the dark, rich cup, along with him molasses. Its smooth character lingers long into the			ZH54S Sample \$4.00	ZH54 125g \$19.00	<b>ZH54D</b> <b>250g</b> \$34.25	<b>ZH54H</b> <b>500g</b> \$66.25













#### **GREEN TEAS OF CHINA**

Chinese green teas are available in an almost infinite range of prices and styles. At the low end are some refreshing, highly affordable teas of surprising quality. The top grades represent thousands of years of refinement of what can only be considered an art form. These teas are often

	delicate and should be steeped with water below the boiling point.					4.0 0.10	
USDA	CHUN MEE MOON PALACE ORGANIC Literally translated, Chun Mee means "precious eyebrows." One of our most popular organic China green teas.	ZG18S Sample \$2.25	ZG18 125g \$7.75	ZG18T 125g Tin \$9.75	<b>ZG18D 250g</b> \$14.25	<b>ZG18H 500g</b> \$26.75	<b>ZG18K 1kg</b> \$50.50
	FIRST GRADE GUNPOWDER GREEN A superior grade of green tea in th Gunpowder teas (rolled tea leaves r gunpowder pellets).	e style of	ZG20S Sample \$2.00	<b>ZG20 125g</b> \$6.75	<b>ZG20T 125g Tin</b> \$8.75	<b>ZG20D 250g</b> \$12.75	<b>ZG20H 500g</b> \$24.00
USDA	GUNPOWDER ORGANIC This grade of Gunpowder tea is produced from fine China green tea that is painstakingly processed into loosely rolled "pearls." The finished product is a tea with rich flavor, balanced pungency, and the smoky tones one would expect from a quality Gunpowder.	ZG26S Sample \$2.25	<b>ZG26</b> <b>125</b> g \$9.00	<b>ZG26T</b> <b>125g Tin</b> \$11.50	<b>ZG26D 250g</b> \$16.25	<b>ZG26H</b> <b>500g</b> \$32.00	<b>ZG26K 1kg</b> \$59.25
	LUNG CHING (LONG JING) GREEN One of the finest China green t (Dragon Well). The liquor is pale ye and very refreshing.	eas is Lu	ng Ching	ZG71S Sample \$4.00	<b>ZG71</b> <b>80</b> g \$19.00	<b>ZG71D 160g</b> \$36.25	<b>ZG71H</b> <b>320</b> g \$70.00
USDA	LUNG CHING ORGANIC  Produced in the mountainous region of Zhejiang pr this distinguished selection represents an especiall value in Lung Ching tea. Hand-processed leaves are fas into flat, yellow-green leaf sets, yielding a flavor with a sweet character and buttery-smooth mou The aroma is fragrant with nutty notes and a light flor		ially good fashioned vorful cup mouthfeel.	ZG60S Sample \$3.75	<b>ZG60</b> <b>80g</b> \$16.75	<b>ZG60D</b> <b>160g</b> \$31.50	<b>ZG60H</b> <b>320g</b> \$60.75
	SPECIAL GRADE TEMPLE OF HEAVEN GUNPOWDER GREEN This high-grade Gunpowder tea is rich and full-bodied with a pronounced sweetness. A hint of tobacco complements the herbaceous flavor and lingers into the finish.	ZG30S Sample \$2.25	<b>ZG30</b> 1 <b>25</b> g \$7.75	<b>ZG30T 125g Tin</b> \$10.25	<b>ZG30D 250g</b> \$14.25	<b>ZG30H 500g</b> \$26.00	<b>ZG30K</b> 1kg \$49.25
USOA	YOUNG HYSON IMPERIAL ORGAN This tea has the bold flavor of a high yet it has a pleasing smoothness with sweetness. The thin, well-twisted leave a liquor with a pale-green color. This popular style of China green tea with a	a delicate es produce is a very	ZG14S Sample \$2.25	ZG14 100g \$7.75	<b>ZG14T</b> <b>100g Tin</b> \$9.75	ZG14D 200g \$14.25	<b>ZG14H</b> <b>400g</b> \$26.75
USDA	SEASON'S PICK GREEN FANNINGS	ORGANIC			ZG03S	ZG03D	ZG03K

## **FEATURED OOLONGS & SCENTED TEAS**



## CHINA JASMINE CHUNG-HAO ORGANIC

An organic silver-tip green tea was scented with fresh, organic jasmine blossoms, creating this delightful tea. The cup aroma is candy sweet with the sublime scent of jasmine. The liquor is smooth and well balanced, with a pleasing level of jasmine flavor that lingers into the finish.

ZJ57S	15g sample	\$4.00
ZJ57	125g packet	\$18.00
ZJ57D	250g packet	\$34.25



#### **GUANGDONG PROVINCE JASMINE DRAGON PHOENIX PEARL**

Select fine pluckings (i.e., two leaves and a bud), lightly scented with the finest jasmine flowers and tightly rolled into pearl-sized spheres. A rare treat for Jasmine tea lovers. Perfect for multiple steepings.

ZJ90S	15g sample	\$6.75
ZJ90	125g packet	\$35.00
ZJ90T	125g tin	\$37.25
ZJ90D	250g packet	\$67.50
ZJ90H	500g bag	\$130.75



#### **CHINA TIE-GUAN-YIN OOLONG**

The dark-olive, neatly rolled leaves exude a fresh buttery fragrance with hints of flowers. The pale straw-colored liquor invites that first sip with its delightful floral aroma. A nectar-like sweetness complements notes of chestnut and mineral in the light toasty cup. The finish lingers with hints of honey.

**ZO44** 60g packet \$23.00



#### **MAGNOLIA BLOSSOM OOLONG**

This Guangdong province specialty is a lovely Oolong tea, scented with magnolia flowers. Alternately known as Orchid Oolong, or Yu Lan, this selection is a must-try for those who appreciate a fine scented tea. The flavor nuances are unique, but hints of jasmine lend a recognizable character.

ZM65S	15g sample	\$4.50
ZM65	125g packet	\$21.25
ZM65D	250g packet	\$37.50





Value-priced for everyday consumption and chosen for its pleasing

character, this organic tea is an excellent choice for the green tea

enthusiast on a budget.

Sample

\$1.50

250g

\$8.50

1kg

\$30.25

OOLONGS & SOUCHONGS								
FLORAL HUANG JIN GUI With a light oxidation level of less than 20%, this produced in Anxi County of Fujian province. The translates to "golden osmanthus," referring to hue and osmanthus-like aroma and flavor.	name Hua	ng Jin Gui	ZO21S Sample \$3.00	<b>ZO21 125g</b> \$12.50	<b>ZO21D 250g</b> \$23.25			
FLORAL TIE-GUAN-YIN OOLONG An outstanding Tie-Guan-Yin Oolong selection floral intensity. The attractive, olive-green leave pale-gold infusion with a buttery-smooth monotes are prominent in both the flavor and an honey sweetness.	ZO82S Sample \$5.00	<b>ZO82 125g</b> \$26.00	<b>ZO82D 250g</b> \$48.00					
LAPSANG SOUCHONG BLACK DRAGON Blended specially for Upton Tea Imports, the a pleasing and subtly complex variation of smoky classic. The perfect gift for the Lapsang drinker who likes a milder and less smoky tast	ZS90 100g \$11.00	<b>ZS90D 200g</b> \$19.75	<b>ZS90H</b> <b>400g</b> \$36.25					
LAPSANG SOUCHONG IMPERIAL The best China Lapsang Souchong we have found. To our knowledge, we are the only importer of this grade of China Lapsang Souchong. Superior in flavor. Very smoky yet quite mellow.	<b>ZS80D 200g</b> \$18.50	<b>ZS80H 400g</b> \$36.25	<b>ZS80K</b> <b>800g</b> \$68.00					
OOLONG SE CHUNG A top grade of this lesser-known style of Chin Slightly green, with a woody aroma and flavo served in Hong Kong Chinese restaurants.	ZO10S Sample \$2.25	<b>ZO10 100</b> g \$7.00	<b>ZO10D 200g</b> \$12.00	<b>ZO10H</b> <b>400g</b> \$21.25				
Processed in the traditional roasted style, this produces a light amber-gold cup with a smooth, and chestnut pair nicely with light toasty note. A subtle floral undertone whispers in the linger	s of honey	ZO55S Sample \$2.50	<b>ZO55 100g</b> \$12.00					
ROASTED OOLONG  This tea begins as a classic, medium-oxidized Tie-Guan-Yin Oolong, processed in the traditional style. It is finished and cured with a slow firing in bamboo baskets over a charcoal fire. The result is a tea with a smooth, rich, and inviting character.	<b>ZO20 125g</b> \$11.75	<b>ZO20T 125g Tin</b> \$13.00	<b>ZO20D 250g</b> \$21.50	<b>ZO20H</b> <b>500</b> g \$41.75				
HONEY OOLONG  Dark olive-green leaves are loosely rolled and with natural honey flavoring in this unique Oolong offering. The aroma has pronounce honey notes, complemented by hints of apricot golden cup blooms with prominent notes of h flowers, sweetened with hints of stone fruit. The smooth and lingering.	ZO77S Sample \$3.75	<b>ZO77</b> <b>100</b> g \$17.00	<b>ZO77T 100</b> g \$19.00	<b>ZO77D 200</b> g \$32.50				
TIE-GUAN-YIN OOLONG SPECIAL GRADE The loosely rolled leaves of this finest grade of Oolong produce a pale golden cup with a full A sweet, floral fragrance introduces notes of dri honeysuckle in the flavor. The finish lingers wi	nouthfeel. d a hint of	<b>ZO88S</b> <b>Sample</b> \$4.75	<b>ZO88 100g</b> \$23.50	<b>ZO88D 200g</b> \$43.75				



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(	OOLONGS & SOUCHONGS (continued)					
i a 7 v	CHINA OOLONG FINE GRADE Very bold, handcrafted leaves produce a rich, full-to this classic dark Oolong offering from Fujian programa is honey sweet and toasty with hints of oak The blonde-amber liquor has a velvety smooth rewhich embraces layers of rich toastiness, crisp sound cedar nuances. A mellow woodsy sweetness the finish. A great value for a premium fine-grade	ovince. The and spice. mouthfeel, tone fruit, lingers in	ZO103S Sample \$1.50	<b>ZO103 50g</b> \$8.75	<b>ZO103D</b> <b>100g</b> \$16.75	<b>ZO103</b> H <b>200</b> g \$32.75
5	SCENTED TEAS OF CHINA					
a	CHINA JASMINE Green tea scented with jasmine flowers, producing a fragrant, delicate tea. Sometimes classified as an Oolong tea, Jasmine teas are technically of the scented Pouchong family of teas.	TP70S Sample \$2.25	<b>TP70 125</b> g \$9.25	TP70T 125g Tin \$11.50	<b>TP70D 250g</b> \$18.00	<b>TP70H 500g</b> \$35.00
f t	CHUNG-HAO JASMINE IMPERIAL This fine Jasmine selection produces an amberfull mouthfeel. The flavor showcases a perfect base tea and its meticulous jasmine scenting. Langhlighted by a hint of sweetness that lingers	tween the notes are	ZJ55S Sample \$3.50	<b>ZJ55 125</b> g \$17.00	<b>ZJ55D 250g</b> \$32.00	
s l	CHUNG-HAO SPECIAL GRADE JASMINE Chung-Hao Jasmine belongs to the same series of China Jasmine tea as Yin-Hao, but is ess expensive. The leaf style is comparable. Exceptional quality and flavor.	ZJ41S Sample \$2.75	<b>ZJ41 125g</b> \$12.25	<b>ZJ41T 125g Tin</b> \$14.50	<b>ZJ41D 250g</b> \$22.50	<b>ZJ41H</b> <b>500g</b> \$42.00
T F j t	ASMINE DA ZHANG ORGANIC This selection is produced via the careful processing of quality green tea with fragrant asmine blossoms. The result is a mildly pungent tea with a pleasant aroma and delicate jasmine essence. The liquor has a pleasingly rich taste.	ZJ56S Sample \$2.75	<b>ZJ56</b> <b>125g</b> \$12.50	<b>ZJ56T 125g Tin</b> \$14.50	ZJ56D 250g \$23.25	<b>ZJ56H</b> <b>500g</b> \$43.75
s r t	ASMINE YIN ZHEN Silver downy tea buds have been expertly scented berfumed essence to this distinctive selection for the base adds a light savory body to the pale floral notes in the cup complement the herbaceof Hints of honey lead to a delicate, lingering finish	The white on. Gentle	ZJ95S Sample \$4.75	<b>ZJ95</b> <b>60</b> g \$21.50		
1	WHITE TEAS OF CHINA					
l a	Brecial Grade Shou Mei White Tea Brown and green leaves and silvery buds yield a ight golden-amber infusion with a sweet, toasty aroma. The smooth, full-bodied cup has notes of money and melon as well as some toasty hints.	ZW60S Sample \$2.00	<b>ZW60 30</b> g \$7.25	<b>ZW60D 60</b> g \$13.50	ZW60H 120g \$25.25	<b>ZW60K</b> <b>240g</b> \$47.50
E a a A	PREMIUM PAI MU TAN  Bold, handcrafted leaves produce a buttery-smoot amber cup with pronounced honey and floral not aroma and flavor, with an added hint of melon as a coal whisper of lemon brings a refreshing aspect to as well as adding a counterpoint to a lingering swifted finish. Enjoy it hot or over ice for a wonderful in	ZW104S Sample \$1.75	<b>ZW104</b> <b>40g</b> \$10.50	ZW104D 80g \$20.00	<b>ZW104</b> F <b>160</b> g \$39.00	







## **FEATURED FORMOSA OOLONG TEAS**



#### **SUN MOON LAKE TEA (RUBY 18)**

The long, dark, wiry leaves yield a complex, hearty liquor with a velvety-smooth mouthfeel. The fragrant aroma reveals layers of cinnamon, raisin, fig, vanilla, and plum, which harmonize with notes of bread pudding and baked apple and a subtle malty hint in the full-bodied cup. A lingering caramelized brown-sugar note provides a complement to a crisp snap of clove in the finish. Steep longer for deeper flavor and a stronger cup.

TT90S	8g sample	\$5.25
TT90	60g packet	\$36.75
TT90T	60g tin	\$38.75



#### FORMOSA OOLONG SUPER FANCY

This exquisitely crafted Formosa Oolong is very fragrant, with pronounced peach notes in both the aroma and the tawny-gold cup. An abundance of downy, silver tips adorns the large beautiful leaves, yielding a liquor bursting with flavor and a smooth, creamy mouthfeel. Notes of dried fruit as well as hints of warm spice and honey lead to a clean finish with a lingering sweetness.

TT46S	5g sample	\$7.75
TT46	30g packet	\$34.75



## FOUR SEASON SPRING DONG PIAN OOLONG Y FORMOSA JADE OOLONG IMPERIAL

From the "Four Season Spring" cultivar, this unique Formosa Oolong exhibits premium, loosely rolled leaves that produce a pale-gold liquor with the heady scent of lilacs. A smooth, rich, buttery mouthfeel provides the perfect complement to the pronounced honey notes and intense floral character. The finish lingers with light hints of melon.

TT77S	10g sample	\$14.00
ГТ77	30g packet	\$33.50



This is the finest Jade Oolong tea we've ever sampled. Orchid, honey, and buttery notes weave together to create a complex aroma and flavor with a creamy-smooth mouthfeel and a long, lingering finish. For those of you looking for the best of what Taiwan can offer, this outstanding Oolong selection is highly recommended.

TT89S	12g sample	\$15.75
TT89	100g packet	\$75.25

## **TEAS OF FORMOSA (TAIWAN)**

Taiwan, formerly Formosa, produces Oolong teas of incomparable flavor and quality. With their distinctive complexity, Formosa Oolongs often exhibit flavor notes reminiscent of orchids, peaches, and chestnuts.

	orchids, peaches, and chestnuts.				
	FORMOSA KEEMUN This selection has the characteristic gentle smokiness of Keemun.	TT51S Sample \$2.00	TT51 125g \$8.25	TT51D 250g \$15.50	TT51H 500g \$30.00
	AMBER OOLONG With an oxidation level of approxima this tea produces a liquor that is da the Jade Oolongs.	TT55 100g \$14.50	TT55T 100g Tin \$17.00	<b>TT55D 200g</b> \$26.50	TT55H 400g \$51.00
~	FORMOSA OOLONG CHOICEST Choicest Oolong (Wu-Long) is a alternative to the higher-priced Fancwith similar complexity and cup charabold leaves, with some silvery tips, production with notes of dark grapes and hints	TT18 80g \$19.75	TT18T 80g Tin \$22.25	TT18D 160g \$37.00	TT18H 320g \$72.25
	FORMOSA AMBER OOLONG SELECT This grade of Amber Oolong (Wu-Long flavor and a finer leaf style than our TT55.	TT57S Sample \$5.50	<b>TT57 100g</b> \$25.50	<b>TT57D 200g</b> \$48.25	<b>TT57H 400g</b> \$93.00
	JADE OOLONG SUPREME Those who appreciate the finer grade one an exceptional value.	Oolong wil	l find this	TT87S Sample \$9.00	TT87 100g \$47.75
	FORMOSA OOLONG SPRING DRAG A lightly oxidized leaf that releases liquor. The sweet and refreshing taste fragrance of lilacs. A truly exquisite t	TT88S Sample \$6.25	TT88 125g \$31.75	TT88D 250g \$60.00	TT88H 500g \$116.00
	OOLONG STANDARD GRADE A classic restaurant-grade tea with and classic Formosa Oolong flavors. Pri this selection is an excellent choice for	TT11S Sample \$2.25	TT11 80g \$8.75	TT11D 160g \$16.00	TT11H 320g \$30.75
	FORMOSA LAPSANG SOUCHONG Rich and lusty, this smoky tea has a mellow aftertaste. A bit smokier than the China variety.	TT71T 100g Tin \$10.00	TT71D 200g \$14.50	TT71H 400g \$28.00	TT71K 800g \$52.50

## **TEAS OF KOREA & INDONESIA**

# KOREAN GREEN TEA JUNG-JAK ORGANIC

This handcrafted, organic offering from Korea is called Jung-Jak, TR55S or "medium sparrow tongue." The bright golden cup has a crisp Sample character, nicely balanced with a sweet melon note. The liquor has a \$3.50 floral fragrance and a clean, refreshing finish.

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**KOREAN TEA** 

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This is also a great choice for iced tea.

**TB15S TB15** 125g ample 52.00 \$7.25

TB15D 250g \$13.00

TB15H **TB15K** 500g 1kg \$24.75 \$47.00

TR55

100g

\$15.00

TR55D

200g

\$27.75









TSA9

50g

\$19.00

TSA<sub>10</sub>

50g

\$15.50

480g

TSA5D

160g

\$36.75

## **TEAS OF AFRICA**

## **KENYAN BLACK TEAS**

GOLDEN KENYA GFBOP									
Sold in either bold broken-leaf or whole-leaf,									
depending upon availability. The cup has a	TK25S	Т							
full flavor and aroma, with a medium body.	Sample	1							
May be enjoyed plain, but it is strong enough to	\$2.00	\$							
accommodate a touch of milk. A brisk character									
with a hint of rose.									

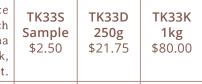
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#### **MOZAMBICAN BLACK TEAS**

The Republic of Mozambique is located on the southern coast of Africa. A land of untouched beauty with an economy based largely on agriculture, Mozambique's fertile soil and temperate climate make it ideal for organic tea cultivation. At an elevation of approximately 4,000 feet, the lower slopes of Mount Namuli are home to many tea plantations. The tea is plucked by hand and processed, both C.T.C. and orthodox, at three factories with world-class equipment. Sustainable agricultural practices include bio-composting and fuel from renewable eucalyptus forests and hydroelectric plants. Tea cultivation in Mozambique provides a livelihood to over 5,000 citizens. These premium teas are produced by a community working for a better world, one cup at a time.

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SEASON'S PICK MOZAMBIQUE BREAKFAST BLEND ORGANIC	
From the Monte Metilile Estate, small, well-made leaves produce	
a smooth, robust breakfast blend with a toasty aroma and rich	
mouthfeel. Hints of stone fruit add a sweetness to both the aroma	
and the dark-amber cup. Delicious with or without a splash of milk,	
this organic tea is the perfect choice to accompany something sweet.	



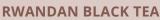
TK44D

200g \$23.25

Fall 2024 Quarterly



Cultivated at the Monte Metilile Estate on the lower slopes of Mount Namuli, this organic tea selection from Mozambique yields a velvety-smooth, dark-amber liquor that is rich and full-bodied. A warm toasty aroma and dark-sugar sweetness contribute to a satisfying cup with a substantial mouthfeel and lingering finish.	IKAA	<b>TK44 100g</b> \$12.25
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RUKERI ESTATE RWANDA BOP ORGANIC				
The cup has a full flavor and aroma, with a medium body.	TK12S	TK12	TK12D	TK12H
May be enjoyed plain, but it is strong enough to	Sample	125g	250g	500g
accommodate a touch of milk. Longer steepings yield a	\$2.50	\$8.25	\$14.75	\$26.00
robust cup with notes of rose and peppery hints.				



#### **BRUSHED STEEL TIN (150G)**

This brushed steel tin weighs approximately 110 grams and has a capacity of approximately 150 grams but may hold more or less depending on the leaf size of the tea. The tin measures 4 ¼ inches tall, and the lid measures ¾ inches tall. The diameter is 3 inches. Made in China.

AT40

Single tin

\$4.00

# STAFF FAVORITE

## **TEAS OF COLOMBIA**

Colombian teas are cultivated at over 6,000 feet above sea level in the exotic, beautiful, and peaceful Andes Mountains of Colombia. Bitaco Estate teas are grown and harvested in a sustainable environment, rich in minerals, within a pristine plantation. The tea plants are nourished by pure mountain water, resulting in exceptional organic teas.

COLOMBIAN BOLD BREAKFAST BLEND ORGANIC This bold-leaf, breakfast-style black tea blend from Colombia has a warm aroma reminiscent of baking chocolate, with toasty hints. The dark-amber cup is full-bodied and honey sweet with a creamy-smooth	TSA8S Sample \$4.25	TSA8 125g \$20.00	TSA8D 250g \$38.00	TSA8H 500g \$74.00
	\$4.25	\$20.00	\$38.00	



### COLOMBIAN BREAKFAST BLEND ORGANIC With its robust character and full mouthfeel, this organic black tea selection from Colombia is a great morning eye opener. Notes of sweet milk chocolate predominate in both the aroma and the dark ruby-copper cup. Hints of Burgundy and malt provide a lively complement to the

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	organic black tea selection from Colombia is a					
	great morning eye opener. Notes of sweet milk	TSA6S	TSA6	TSA6T	TSA6D	TSA6H
	chocolate predominate in both the aroma and	Sample	125g	125g Tin	250g	500g
	the dark ruby-copper cup. Hints of Burgundy	\$3.25	\$14.75	\$17.00	\$27.75	\$53.50
	and malt provide a lively complement to the					
	rich flavor. A smooth finish completes an					



#### **COLOMBIAN OOLONG ORGANIC**

exceptional tea experience. A staff favorite.

The large, neatly twisted leaves of this organic Oolong offering from Colombia produce a medium-amber liquor with a fresh aroma reminiscent of a clean ocean breeze. The full-bodied cup is velvety smooth and bursting with a rich ambrosial flavor that fills your mouth with pronounced notes of honey and dried stone fruit. The finish is long and lingering.	Sample
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#### **COLOMBIAN PAN-FIRED GREEN TEA ORGANIC**

A fresh vegetal aroma, reminiscent of newly cut grass, introduces this TSA10S outstanding green tea offering from Colombia. Long, wiry leaves produce a Sample \$3.25 pale-gold liquor that hints of sugared tropical fruit embraced by a full, buttery mouthfeel. A gentle hint of evergreen lends a clean, crisp quality to the finish.



## **COLOMBIAN TIPPY BLACK TEA ORGANIC**

The juxtaposition of dark leaves and golden tips gives this black TSA1S TSA1 TSA1D tea from Colombia a beautiful appearance. The dark amber-copper Sample 125g 250g liquor is fragrant with toasty cocoa hints. The rich cocoa quality \$6.25 \$33.25 \$62.50 carries on in the flavor of the full-bodied cup, finishing with a raisin sweetness.



#### SEASON'S PICK COLOMBIAN LEAFY BLACK TEA ORGANIC

The very bold, twisted leaves of this black tea offering from Colombia TSA2S TSA2D TSA2K yield a dark amber-copper liquor with an inviting toasty aroma. Sample 120g The rich, full-bodied cup is very smooth, with a cocoa mouthfeel. \$2.25 \$17.25 \$68.50 A hint of caramelized sugar and whisper of spice linger in the finish.

## CACAO KISSES COLOMBIAN BLACK TEA

Cacao husks and nibs, from small chocolate producers in the Tumaco region of Colombia, are blended with bold, dark-brown leaves to create this unique, naturally flavored selection from Colombia. Sweet notes from the black tea base provide the perfect accent for the rich cocoa flavor.







TSA5S

Sample

\$4.00

TSA5

80g

\$19.50

## **TEAS OF CEYLON**

Ceylon — or modern-day Sri Lanka — has one of the world's oldest tea empires. Scottish tea planter James Taylor introduced the first tea plantation to Ceylon in 1867, where the teas thrived in the cool, humid climate. The tea-growing regions of Sri Lanka are clustered mostly among the mountains of the island's central region and its southern foothills. Like the great wine-growing regions of France, the tea country of Sri Lanka is divided into seven strictly defined districts, each of which is known

	for producing teas of a particular ch and terrain that leaves its mark on t						
	CEYLON BOP (BROKEN ORANGE PEKOE) This choice Ceylon black tea blend offers a bright, toasty/woody cup with a full mouthfeel and gentle honey sweetness. A clean, crisp citrus nuance lingers in the finish.	TC05S Sample \$2.25	TC05 125g \$7.75	TC05T 125g Tin \$9.75	TC05D 250g \$14.25	TC05H 500g \$26.75	TC05K 1kg \$50.50
	DIMBULA BOP This smooth, mellow cup of tea offers Enjoy it hot or iced.	classic full-	-bodied Cey	lon flavor.	TC20S Sample \$2.25	TC20 125g \$8.75	<b>TC20D 250g</b> \$16.00
DA	IDULGASHINNA ESTATE BOP ORGAThis superb organic broken-leaf selection colory infusion with a pleasant briskness of flavor. The profile is that of a classic Uva tea, with a strong but balanced cha	on yields a and depth dark-style	TC42S Sample \$3.00	TC42 125g \$12.00	TC42T 125g Tin \$14.00	TC42D 250g \$22.00	<b>TC42H 500g</b> \$42.50
DA	This organic, broken-leaf selection grown aroma and flavor, brisk and ric the medium-amber cup would make a	has a cla ch. With its	full body,	TC34S Sample \$2.75	TC34 80g \$11.75	TC34D 160g \$22.00	<b>TC34H 320</b> g \$42.50
DA	Attractive and bold, the large, da this organic offering have a folded The medium-amber cup has a hint of a warm toasty quality, and a gentle at the edge of your palate.	ark-brown I, crepy ap f caramel s	pearance. weetness,	TC60S Sample \$2.75	TC60 80g \$11.50	TC60D 160g \$21.25	TC60H 320g \$40.50
	tea-growing region where James Tay Ceylon black tea back in the 1860s. with hints of raisin and citrus. The sn and lively with a full mouthfeel and w					TB11 100g \$18.00	TB11D 200g \$34.25
	KANDY BOP Good color and strength for a he Takes milk very well.	earty cup.	TC30S Sample \$2.25	TC30 125g \$7.75	TC30T 125g Tin \$9.75	<b>TC30D 250g</b> \$14.25	<b>TC30H 500g</b> \$25.25
	CEYLON KANDY SILVER TIP  Well-twisted, ebony-brown leaves and a complement of silver buyield a dark, satisfying infusion with a sweet aroma. Notes of hon and malt round out the bright, toasty cup, which could accommodamilk, if desired. A pleasant briskness lingers in the light, fruity finish				TC16S Sample \$2.75	TC16 125g \$11.75	TC16D 250g \$21.75
	LUMBINI ESTATE BREAKFAST FBOPF Small, neat leaves are laced with flecks of golden tips, producing a robust cup with a toasty aroma. Notes of honey and malt lead to					TC43 100g	TC43D 200g

TEAS OF CEYLON (continued)						
Established in the late 19th century, the Lover's Leap Estate perches among the clouds, at 6,000 feet, in the mountainous Nuwara Eliya district of Sri Lanka. This black tea selection offers a bright, citrusy aroma, complemented by warm biscuity nuances. The lively cup is a lovely balance of honey sweetness and high-grown briskness, with notes of dried fruit and a light toastiness. The finish lingers with a whisper of spice. Steep longer when adding a splash of milk.				TC102 100g \$17.00	TC102D 200g \$32.50	TC102H 400g \$63.50
KENILWORTH ESTATE OP This estate produces some of the best whole-leaf teas in Sri Lanka. For the Ceylon enthusiast. Drink with or without milk. A choice lot with a bold-leaf style. Steep for five to six minutes.	TC85S Sample \$2.50	TC85 100g \$9.00	TC85T 100g Tin \$11.50	TC85D 200g \$16.25	TC85H 400g \$32.00	TC85K 800g \$59.25
LUMBINI ESTATE FBOPF SP GOLD TIPS In this premium selection, a bounty of small golden tips provides a stunning contrast to the dark-brown leaves. The medium-amber cup is rich and full-bodied with a classic brisk character and honeyed fragrance. Burgundy notes join hints of spice and raisin, lingering in the finish.						TC49 60g \$45.75
CEYLON SILVER TIPS WHITE TEA  This beautifully handcrafted Ceylo The pale champagne-colored liquor mouthfeel complements sweet note	r has a fi	resh, invit	ing fragrai	nce. A sill	ky-smooth	TC99 30g \$37.75

# TEAS OF VIETNAM

Though its tea heritage is not as well documented as that of China or Japan, Vietnam produces some of the finest teas in the world. Harvested from the cool central highland region, Vietnamese tea is fruity, sweet, and bright, creating a cup that demands to be savored.



an outstanding tea experience.

#### **VIETNAMESE RED TEA**

Traditionally known as "red tea" in Vietnam, this unique black tea selection is notable for pronounced peach notes in both the fragrant aroma and velvety-smooth cup. The stone fruit character is complemented by a hint of vanilla and honey sweetness, which lingers into the finish.

TV33S	8g sample	\$4.75
TV33	60g packet	\$24.00
TV33D	120g packet	\$45.50



#### **VIETNAMESE EASTERN BEAUTY OOLONG**

A profusion of silver tips enhances the bold, handcrafted leaves of this unique Oolong selection from Vietnam. Fragrant notes of apricot, peach, and honey introduce the smooth, rich cup, which fills your mouth with its buttery mouthfeel. An ambrosia-like sweetness lingers long into the finish.

TV44S	6g sample	\$4.50
TV44	50g packet	\$23.00
TV44D	100g packet	\$43.75







\$3.00

\$13.75

\$25.25

a bright, citrusy finish.

# **TEAS OF JAPAN**

Japan is famous for its unique styles of green tea. The flavor is clean, refreshing, and vegetal. A brief steeping time limits the astringency and heightens the flavor. Steeping with water below the boiling point is always recommended.

## **GREEN TEAS**

	BANCHA FIRST GRADE ORGANIC First-grade Bancha, produced during peak season, is a tea with an herbaceous aroma, smooth character, and pale-jade liquor. This is a tea with a full mouthfeel, bright cup, and clean finish.	TJ06S Sample \$3.25	<b>TJ06 100g</b> \$14.75	TJ06T 100g Tin \$16.25	TJ06D 200g \$27.75	<b>TJ06H 400</b> g \$53.00
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<b>)</b>	FUKAMUSHI CHA ORGANIC			
	This offering was grown using the Saemidori cultivar in Kagoshima			
	prefecture, located on the island of Kyushu. The leaf and cup	TJ05S	TJ05	TJ05D
	have a deep-green color and rich aroma. The exquisite liquor has	Sample	125g	250g
	sweet, vegetal notes, a brothy mouthfeel, and light astringency.	\$5.50	\$26.00	\$49.25
	The leaves are typical of the Fukamushi style, with both large			
	and small leaf pieces.			

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	GEN-MAI CHA Literally, Gen-mai Cha means brown rice tea. Toasted, partially puffed rice is blended with bold-leaf Sencha.	TJ21S Sample \$3.25	<b>TJ21 125</b> g \$15.50	TJ21T 125g Tin \$18.00	<b>TJ21D 250g</b> \$28.50	<b>TJ21H 500g</b> \$55.50	TJ21K 1kg \$105.00
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GYOKURO (LIT. JEWEL DEW)	TJ80S	TJ80	TJ80D
The finest Japanese green tea, only shade-grown tips are used	Sample	125g	250g
for Gyokuro. Prized for its delicate flavor and natural sweetness.	\$9.75	\$46.00	\$87.00

)	GYOKURO ORGANIC				
	Limited lots of organic Gyokuro tea are produced each year. This lot has smooth umami notes, a rich cup, and a clean, sweet finish. It was grown in Kagoshima prefecture using the Yabukita cultivar. We are happy to offer this tea while our current supply lasts.	Sample \$7.00	TJ81 125g \$35.00	TJ81T 125g Tin \$37.00	<b>TJ81D 250g</b> \$66.75

HO-JI CHA KAMAKURA ORGANIC This roasted, organic tea is produced from first-grade, bold-leaf Bancha. The flavorful infusion has a rich character, with complex, toasty notes.					<b>TJ41</b> <b>80</b> g \$12.00	TJ41D 160g \$22.75
JAPANESE SENCHA Delicate but brisk, this green tea has a clean vegetal flavor. Rapidly	11105	TJ10 125g	TJ10T 125g Tin	TJ10D 250g	TJ10H 500g	TJ10K 1kg

COMPETITION TEMOMI SHINCHA						
hint of sweetness.						
gaining the recognition it deserves, this tea refreshes the palate with a	\$3.25	\$13.25	\$14.75	\$25.00	\$47.75	\$90.25
has a clean vegetal flavor. Rapidly	TJ10S Sample	TJ10 125g	TJ10T 125g Tin	TJ10D 250g	TJ10H 500g	TJ10K 1kg
Delicate but brisk, this green tea	T14.0C	T14.0	TIAOT	TIAOD	TIAOLI	TIAOK
JAPANESE SENCHA						

COMPETITION TEMOMI SHINCHA	T199
Long, thin needles of lustrous dark emerald produce a yellow-jade liquor exhibiting a	<b>3</b>
wonderful balance of complex sweet and savory notes. A very sweet, buttery mouthfeel	5119
complements rich umami notes and a fresh vegetal quality that lingers into the finish.	\$30.23

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KUKI CHA GREEN KAMAKURA ORGANIC This is an organic green tea, produced from Camellia sinensis twigs. The mellow cup has delicate, fresh-hay flavor notes. Naturally low in caffeine.		<b>TJ34 125g</b> \$19.75	TJ34D 250g \$37.00	<b>TJ34H 500g</b> \$72.50		

	GREEN TEAS (continued)						
	style, the leaves are shaded for the last 2-3 weeks before harvest. Sample 125g						<b>TJ79D 250g</b> \$50.25
*	A superior grade of Sencha, with a brighter flavor and smoother finish than basic Sencha.	TJ16S Sample \$3.75	<b>TJ16 125</b> g \$17.75	TJ16T 125g Tin \$20.00	TJ16D 250g \$34.00	TJ16H 500g \$65.25	TJ16K 1kg \$122.25
USDA	SENCHA YABUKITA ORGANIC From Miyazaki prefecture, this organic cultivar and usually reserved for has a decidedly brothy character, and A superb specimen of this style and gr	the dom	estic mar	ket. The	mouthfeel	TJ18S Sample \$7.50	TJ18 125g \$34.75
USDA	TAMARYOKUCHA ORGANIC Tamaryokucha, literally translated as green tea that has a full, complex pungency are accentuated by hints of	flavor. \	Vegetal no	tes and a	pleasing	TJ88S Sample \$5.25	TJ88 50g \$28.50
	SAKURA SCENTED KUKICHA Tiny, pink cherry blossoms peek out from bright-green twigs in this unique offering from Japan. The golden-yellow liquor is redolent with fragrant floral notes. A light vegetal undertone complements a buttery sweetness in the smooth, refreshing cup.  TJ77S  TJ77  125g  \$7.00  \$34.00						
	POWDERED TEA						
USDA	AICHI MATCHA ORGANIC This organic Matcha offering produce vegetal character and full mouthfeel. F				•	onounced	TJ92 30g Tin \$36.75
USDA	CULINARY MATCHA ORGANIC  This organic selection was made specifically for use as an ingredient in smoothies, ice cream baked goods latter or anything else one's creativity can conjure up						TJ86 50g \$12.00
USDA	This organic premium-grade Matcha produces a dark yellow-jade liquor with a rich						TJ91 30g Tin \$24.75
USDA	COMPETITION GRADE MATCHA ORG This organic competition-grade Match smooth mouthfeel. The fresh, clean fla	a produce					TJ93 30g Tin \$54.75
USDA	JAPANESE MATCHA GEN-MAI CHA O This extraordinary grade of Matcha Gen seen outside of Japan. The components quality and produce a harmonious, well which is eminently smooth. Toasted ric	n-mai Cha s are of ex l-balanced	xceptional I infusion,	TJ28S Sample \$4.50	<b>TJ28 125g</b> \$20.50	TJ28T 125g Tin \$23.00	TJ28D 250g \$39.25









mellow quality to the complex vegetal flavor.





## **FEATURED BLACK TEA BLENDS**

#### **BAKER STREET AFTERNOON BLEND**

A bit of Lapsang Souchong is blended with Keemun and Darjeeling, yielding a mildly smoky tea. Perfect for an afternoon uplift.

TB75S	12g sample	\$2.75
TB75	100g packet	\$10.00
TB75D	200g packet	\$19.00
TB75H	400g bag	\$36.75

#### **EAST FRISIAN TGFOP**

This tippy, whole-leaf version offers more complexity of flavor while still maintaining the body and strength characteristic of East Frisian tea blends.

TB52S	15g sample	\$2.50
TB52	125g packet	\$10.00
TB52T	125g tin	\$12.25
TB52D	250g packet	\$19.00
TB52H	500g bag	\$36.75
TB52K	1kg bag	\$69.00

#### **▼ C.T.C. IRISH BREAKFAST BLEND**

The crush, tear, and curl manufacturing method produces quick-brewing teas with full flavor. We highly recommend this blend of Assam teas for those who like a very hearty cup. Exquisite with milk.

TB12S	15g sample	\$2.25
TB12	125g packet	\$8.00
TB12T	125g tin	\$10.00
TB12D	250g packet	\$14.50
TB12H	500g bag	\$25.25
TB12K	1kg bag	\$48.00

#### MINCING LANE BREAKFAST BLEND

For this blend, we paired a hearty Assam with a smooth and flavorful Yunnan, for a cup that is highly enjoyable. The invigorating liquor has a full mouthfeel, subtle spicy notes, and a lingering aftertaste. While milk is recommended, it is enjoyable plain.

15g sample	\$2.25
125g packet	\$9.75
125g tin	\$11.75
250g packet	\$18.25
500g bag	\$35.25
1kg bag	\$66.25
	125g packet 125g tin 250g packet 500g bag

#### **CEYLON ENGLISH BREAKFAST SELECT**

This full-bodied Ceylon blend offers a rich, toasty aroma and smooth, bright cup. The finish lingers with a hint of spice. An excellent morning tea, this flavorful selection is especially suited for the addition of milk and sugar.

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TB18S	15g sample	\$2.25
TB18	125g packet	\$7.75
TB18T	125g tin	\$9.75
TB18D	250g packet	\$13.50

#### RICHMOND PARK BLEND

A mellow, whole-leaf blend of Keemun, Ceylon, and Darjeeling. An exceptional tea that is smooth enough for drinking plain and sturdy enough to take milk or lemon.

TB86S	12g sample	\$2.50
TB86	100g packet	\$9.50
TB86T	100g tin	\$12.00
TB86D	200g packet	\$18.00
TB86H	400g bag	\$34.75
TB86K	800g bag	\$64.75

#### ENGLISH BREAKFAST BLEND ORGANIC

A hearty blend of rich C.T.C. Assam and BOP Ceylon teas, yielding a cup with robust flavor and a brisk finish. This is an organic version of a classic, bracing breakfast blend.

TB01S	15g sample	\$2.25
TB01	125g packet	\$9.25
TB01T	125g tin	\$11.25
TB01D	250g packet	\$17.25
TB01H	500g bag	\$33.50
TB01K	1kg bag	\$62.50

#### LEADENHALL STREET BREAKFAST BLEND

In tribute to the famous London tea auctions. Leadenhall Street Breakfast Blend is a blend of two classic broken-leaf British teas: a brisk Ceylon and a malty, thick Assam. The result is a flavorful mix, which lends itself to the addition of milk if desired.

TB02S	15g sample	\$2.50
TB02	125g packet	\$8.50
TB02T	125g tin	\$10.50
TB02D	250g packet	\$15.25
TB02H	500g bag	\$29.25



## **FEATURED EARL GREY TEAS**

#### **FINEST EARL GREY**

This naturally flavored Earl Grey tea showcases a perfect balance between the natural bergamot flavor and the black tea base. This is a great choice for those who enjoy a lighter Earl Grey tea.

NT20S	12g sample	\$2.50
NT20	100g packet	\$10.25
NT20D	200g packet	\$19.00
NT20H	400g bag	\$34.00

#### ST. ISAAC'S BLEND

A premium blend of Ceylon and China teas, the smooth black tea base balances well with the refreshing natural flavors of bergamot and citrus fruit. Popular in Europe, this Russian-style blend is recommended for an interesting departure from traditional Earl Grey.

NT06S	12g sample	\$2.75
NT06	100g packet	\$11.50
NT06D	200g packet	\$21.25
NT06H	400g bag	\$41.50

#### EARL GREY CRÈME VANILLA BLACK TEA

This naturally flavored black tea selection provides a wonderful balance of a classic Earl Grey with creamy vanilla notes. The rich cup is smooth and satisfying.

NT01S	12g sample	\$2.50
NT01	100g packet	\$10.25
NT01T	100g tin	\$12.75
NT01D	200g packet	\$19.50
NT01H	400g bag	\$37.75
NT01K	800g bag	\$73.25

## **▼ EXTRA BERGAMOT EARL GREY**

As featured in The Washington Post

A rich, inviting fragrance introduces this naturally flavored, premium black tea selection. The robust cup is smooth and full-bodied with pronounced deep bergamot notes. The finish is long and lingering.

12g sample	\$2.75
100g packet	\$11.00
100g tin	\$13.50
200g packet	\$21.00
400g bag	\$40.50
800g bag	\$78.75
	100g packet 100g tin 200g packet 400g bag

#### EARL GREY ORGANIC

A fine organic Ceylon tea with a compelling Earl Grey scent.

TE15S	12g sample	\$3.00
TE15	100g packet	\$11.50
TE15T	100g tin	\$13.50
TE15D	200g packet	\$21.00
TE15H	400g bag	\$40.25
TE15K	800g bag	\$76.25

#### **DEVONSHIRE EARL GREY**

A high-quality black tea base is flavored with natural bergamot, creating a rich and satisfying cup with full bergamot flavor and a smooth, clean finish. Sweet lemon hints enhance the pronounced bergamot notes in the aroma.

NT19S	12g sample	\$2.75
NT19	100g packet	\$12.50
NT19D	200g packet	\$23.25
NT19H	400g bag	\$44.75

#### **ORIGINAL EARL GREY**

China black tea base with bergamot flavor. Produced for the British market, this tea has less bergamot than some American counterparts.

TE10S	12g sample	\$2.25
TE10	100g packet	\$8.00
TE10T	100g tin	\$10.00
TE10D	200g packet	\$14.50
TE10H	400g bag	\$26.75
TE10K	800g bag	\$51.25

#### **BLUE FLOWER EARL GREY**

Decorated with blue cornflower petals, this naturally flavored Earl Grey selection has a light bergamot fragrance and well-balanced flavor. Smooth and citrus bright, the medium-amber cup offers the perfect blend of natural bergamot and black tea flavor. A light sweetness complements the bergamot and lingers into the finish.

NT16S	12g sample	\$2.25
NT16	100g packet	\$9.50
NT16T	100g tin	\$12.00
NT16D	200g packet	\$18.50
NT16H	400g bag	\$35.00
NT16K	800g bag	\$67.50

TRADITIONAL BLENDS						
SCOTTISH BREAKFAST BLEND Blended from select teas of India, SriLanka, and China to appeal to those who favor an eye-opening experience in the morning, this broken-leaf tea yields a cup with a round, full flavor, malty notes, and brisk character. A perfect choice to start the day.	TB14S Sample \$2.00	<b>TB14</b> <b>125</b> g \$7.75	TB14T 1 <b>25g Tin</b> \$9.75	<b>TB14D 250</b> g \$13.50	TB14H 500g \$24.75	<b>TB14K 1kg</b> \$46.75
BOND STREET ENGLISH BREAKFAST BLEND A hearty blend of Ceylon and Assam teas, this tea is rich and flavorful, even with extra milk.	TB10S Sample \$2.25	<b>TB10 125g</b> \$8.75	<b>TB10T 125g Tin</b> \$10.75	<b>TB10D 250</b> g \$15.75	<b>TB10H 500g</b> \$30.50	<b>TB10K 1kg</b> \$57.00
EAST FRISIAN BOP  A classic Ostfriesen blend of As Authentic 100% orthodox tea bl Germany for those who like a hearty,	ended in	TB51S Sample \$2.25	<b>TB51 125g</b> \$8.25	<b>TB51D 250g</b> \$14.25	<b>TB51H 500g</b> \$25.50	<b>TB51K 1kg</b> \$46.00
RIVER SHANNON BREAKFAST BLEND A blend of Tippy GFBOP Assam teas for strength, plus a distinctive, bright Ceylon tea for briskness. This orthodox-process Irish breakfast- style tea is very flavorful.	TB20S Sample \$2.25	TB20 125g \$8.00	TB20T 125g Tin \$10.25	<b>TB20D 250g</b> \$14.75	<b>TB20H 500g</b> \$28.25	TB20K 1kg \$52.50
KENSINGTON BREAKFAST BLEND A bit lighter than our River Shannon Blend, this whole-leaf English breakfast- style tea is a rich blend of Assam, Ceylon, and Keemun. Best with milk.	TB30S Sample \$2.50	<b>TB30 125g</b> \$8.75	TB30T 125g Tin \$11.00	<b>TB30D 250g</b> \$15.25	<b>TB30H 500g</b> \$28.50	<b>TB30K 1kg</b> \$53.50
EARL GREY BLENDS						
EARL GREY CEYLON SELECT A rich, full-bodied Ceylon black tea p excellent base for the light, natural flavor in this naturally flavored Earl Grey	bergamot	NT17S Sample \$2.25	NT17 125g \$9.25	NT17T 125g Tin \$11.75	NT17D 250g \$17.50	NT17H 500g \$34.00
EARL GREY LAVENDER In this naturally flavored Earl Grey selection, the strong Ceylon black tea base is well balanced with notes of lavender and bright bergamot.		NT12S Sample \$2.50	NT12 100g \$10.75	NT12T 100g Tin \$13.00	NT12D 200g \$19.75	NT12H 400g \$37.00
EARL GREY SUPREME Earl Grey tea, blended with TGFOP Assam and rare China teas. A well- balanced blend for those who prefer a lighter bergamot flavor. Drink with or without milk.	TE14S Sample \$2.50	TE14 125g \$9.00	<b>TE14T 125g Tin</b> \$11.75	<b>TE14D 250g</b> \$16.75	<b>TE14H 500g</b> \$31.75	<b>TE14K 1kg</b> \$59.00
THÉ MÉLANGE RUSSE This naturally flavored selection is the perfect balance of bergamot, stone fruit, and black tea flavor with a dollop of vanilla sweetness. Light hints of bergamot and a whisper of anise complement the distinctly sweet aroma. The cup is medium-bodied with a smooth-creamy mouthfeel and lingering finish.			NT77S Sample \$2.75	NT77 100g \$12.00	NT77D 200g \$22.50	NT77H 400g \$43.00

FRUIT & FLAVORED TEAS						
FRUIT-FLAVORED BLACK TEAS				_	_	
APRICOT BLACK TEA  The natural flavor of apricot lends a sweet, juic tea base. Contains dried apricot bits (apricots,		the black	NF19S Sample \$2.75	NF19 100g \$13.75	NF19D 200g \$26.00	
BLACKCURRANT The natural flavor of blackcurrant lends a refre black tea base. Contains dried blackcurrants are	-		NF21S Sample \$2.50	NF21 100g \$13.25	NF21D 200g \$25.75	
CRANBERRY BLACK TEA  Decorated with dried cranberries and blace naturally flavored black tea is bursting wi notes in both the aroma and the cup. The into the smooth finish. Great hot or iced.	th sweet	cranberry	NF27S Sample \$3.25	<b>NF27 125</b> g \$14.75	<b>NF27D 250g</b> \$62.50	
MANGO INDICA BLACK TEA  A natural mango-flavored black tea base is decorated with dried mango pieces and sunflower petals. The dark-copper liquor has a pronounced mango aroma and flavor, juicy and sweet.  NF41S Sample \$2.25				<b>NF41D 200g</b> \$16.75	NF41H 400g \$32.25	
SWEET ORANGE BLACK TEA  Decorated with dried orange peels, this naturally flavored black tea has the scent and flavor of a freshly squeezed orange. The citrus notes provide a delicious accent to the smooth tea base, which finishes on a crisp, clean note.				<b>NF50 100g</b> \$10.25	<b>NF50D 200g</b> \$19.50	
BLUEBERRY BLACK TEA  Dried blueberries and natural flavoring complement the full-bodied black tea base, yielding a dark-copper liquor with a sweet blueberry aroma and flavor. Enjoy this well-balanced blend hot or iced.				NF10 100g \$11.50	NF10D 200g \$21.50	
LEMON DROP BLACK TEA  With its creamy lemon fragrance and sweet lemon flavor, this naturally flavored black tea has quickly become a staff favorite. The smooth tea base lends a full mouthfeel to the refreshing cup. Great hot or iced.				NF30T 100g Tin \$14.50	NF30E 200g Tin \$24.50	
PEACH SKY BLACK TEA Fragrant notes of ripe peach scent this naturally flavored, premium black tea from China. Decorated with flower blossoms, the ebony-brown leaves produce a rich, full-bodied cup, the perfect balance of black tea flavor and sweet notes of juicy peach. Great hot or iced.  NT98S Sample \$3.00				NT98T 100g Tin \$16.25	NT98D 200g \$26.75	
PEACH BLACK TEA WITH FRUIT PIECES Chunks of dried peach complement a black tea base, producing a naturally flavored cup with the perfect balance of juicy peach notes and black tea flavor. Great hot or iced.  NF73S Sample \$3.00				NF73D 200g \$23.50	NF73H 400g \$45.25	
FLAVORED GREEN TEA						
MOROCCAN GREEN MINT Inspired by the traditional mint tea of Morocco, this delightful blend of Gunpowder green tea and peppermint produces an invigorating, well-balanced cup. Prominent notes of mint lend a cool, refreshing character to the smooth, full-bodied green tea base. Tastes great hot or iced.	TE47S Sample \$2.25	<b>TE47 100g</b> \$7.50	<b>TE47T 100g Tin</b> \$9.50	<b>TE47D 200g</b> \$13.75	<b>TE47H 400g</b> \$24.00	

Fruit & Flavored Teas









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### **▼ CHINA BLACK TEA RUAN ZHI HONG**

From Yunnan province, this outstanding black tea offering has long ebony-brown leaves that steep a velvety-smooth cup. The sweet aroma, hinting of rose petals, is balanced with pronounced spicy notes of cinnamon and nutmeg. The dark-amber liquor exhibits exceptional complexity with layers of earth, spice, and brown sugar and a whisper of floral essence. The finish lingers and comforts with hints of warming spice.

**ZY107S** 8g sample **ZY107** 40g packet



\$10.50

#### WHISKY BARREL SMOKED JAPANESE **BLACK TEA - OAK**

Produced at a small family tea garden in Shizuoka, Japan, this unique black tea is smoked for 6-8 hours using wood chips from an oak whisky barrel. A sweet, savory aroma, reminiscent of an autumn bonfire, introduces the velvety, full-bodied cup. A rich smoky/oak flavor takes center stage in the ruby-amber liquor and is supported by a rounded fruity sweetness. The bold smokiness lingers long into the smooth finish, complemented by sweet whispers of amaretto and rose.

TJ102S 12g sample \$17.50 TJ102 30g packet \$38.50



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#### CHINA OOLONG DA HONG PAO

The very large leaves are perfect for multiple infusions. Subsequent steepings will produce varying levels of stone fruit and honey notes. The aroma is fruity and fragrant with a hint of sweet spring flowers. A lingering vegetal sweetness is noted in the finish, along with a crisp, clean hint reminiscent of dry white wine.

**ZO100** 20g packet \$62.00



#### **CHINA WHITE JASMINE SILVER NEEDLES**

This premium Jasmine Silver Needle white tea is made entirely of the tender buds of a large-leaf cultivar from the spring harvest in Yunnan province. These young buds are then naturally scented with fresh jasmine flowers over five consecutive nights. The sugar-sweet aroma has a sublime jasmine/osmanthus fragrance. The pale-golden cup is light and airy with a pronounced jasmine scent, reminiscent of a lush garden's fragrance at the height of summer. A silky-smooth, refreshing finish completes a memorable tea experience. The perfect choice for a winter uplift!

**ZI98S** 8g sample \$7.25 Z198 \$35.00 40g packet

## PREMIUM DECAFFEINATED TEAS

Unwind with a soothing cup of tea any time of day, without the caffeine lift. All of our decaffeinated teas have been decaffeinated using the all-natural pure carbon dioxide process. We choose only high-quality teas for the decaffeination process, which results in a more flavorful cup. For detailed information explaining the all-natural pure carbon dioxide decaffeination process, please refer to the Tea Flavors and Cupping Notes page on our website, www.uptontea.com.

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	CO <sub>2</sub> DECAFFEINATED TEA							
	CHINA GREEN DECAFFEINATED TEA Bright and flavorful, this decaffeinated green tea has a pleasant vegetal quality.	ZGX9S Sample \$2.50	<b>ZGX9</b> <b>80g</b> \$9.75	<b>ZGX9T</b> <b>80g Tin</b> \$11.75	<b>ZGX9D</b> <b>160g</b> \$18.25	<b>ZGX9H</b> <b>320g</b> \$35.25		
	PREMIUM DECAFFEINATED ASSAM This premium Assam tea produces a dark, rich of characteristic malty aroma and flavor. A satisfy quality lingers in the finish.		TXA9S Sample \$4.25	<b>TXA9 125g</b> \$21.00	TXA9T 125g Tin \$23.25	<b>TXA9D 250g</b> \$39.25		
	PREMIUM DECAFFEINATED CEYLON  The top standard of decaffeinated Ceylon avail by far, the most flavorful and best we have cupped note that even the best decaffeinated teas lack so flavor and complexity of their unprocessed countries.	ed. Please ome of the	TXC9S Sample \$3.75	TXC9 125g \$16.00	TXC9D 250g \$29.75	TXC9H 500g \$58.00		
DA P	<b>DECAFFEINATED DARJEELING ORGANIC</b> The top standard of decaffeinated Darjeeling by far, the best we have cupped.	tea avail	able and,	TXD8S Sample \$4.25	TXD8 125g \$24.00	<b>TXD8D 250g</b> \$44.75		
	DECAFFEINATED INDONESIAN BLACK TEA This decaffeinated tea offering is a medium-bodied, breakfast-style tea. A toasty hint complements the smooth, rich flavor.  TXI9S Sample \$3.50				TXI9T 125g Tin \$18.25	<b>TXI9D 250g</b> \$30.25		
	DECAFFEINATED IRISH BREAKFAST BLEND BOP This premium blend of decaffeinated broken-leaf Assam black teas produces a rich, full-bodied cup. The aroma is sweet with hints of malt. The dark-copper liquor is bright with a smooth mouthfeel, leading to a pleasant pungency lingering in the finish.  TBX9S Sample \$3.75				TBX9T 125g Tin \$21.75	<b>TBX9D 250</b> g \$37.50		
	DECAFFEINATED LEMON BLACK TEA  Blended with dried lemon peels and blue cornflower petals, this CO <sub>2</sub> decaffeinated black tea offering is creamy smooth and rich, with notes of sweet lemon cake. Enjoy this delicious treat hot or iced.  NX30'  100g  Tin  \$20.2							
	DECAFFEINATED VANILLA BLACK TEA In this naturally flavored selection, the creamy vanilla aroma and flavor envelop the premium decaffeinated black tea base with a velvety richness. A delicious treat for the evening. Great hot or iced.				NX90 100g \$18.25	NX90D 200g \$34.25		
	PREMIUM DECAFFEINATED EARL GREY Whole-leaf Ceylon tea with bergamot oil flavoring.	TXE9S Sample \$3.75	<b>TXE9 100g</b> \$18.75	TXE9T 100g Tin \$21.00	<b>TXE9D 200g</b> \$35.50	<b>TXE9H 400g</b> \$69.25		
DECAFFEINATED BLACK TEA SAMPLER SET  A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: TXA9: Premium Decaffeinated Assam, TBX9: Decaffeinated Irish Breakfast Blend BOP, TXD8: Premium Decaffeinated Darjeeling Organic, and TXC9: Premium Decaffeinated Ceylon.						<b>SD11</b> \$43.75		



## **WELLNESS TEAS & TISANES**

Incorporating tea into your lifestyle can be beneficial in many ways. These are some of our favorite wellness teas and tisanes. Visit our website to see our full listing for energy, mind and memory, less stress, bedtime, and digestion.



#### CINNAMON APPLE GUARANA MATÉ

A mélange of Yerba Maté, apple bits, cinnamon, guarana seeds, and chicory root, this stimulating herbal blend is a great choice to enhance your energy level throughout the day. The lively cup balances a creamy cinnamon sweetness with smooth hints of apple and invigorating herbaceous notes of Maté. Grown in South America, both Yerba Maté and guarana seeds contain caffeine.

BH102S	7g sample	\$2.50	BH102D	120g packet	\$22.25
BH102	60g packet	\$11.75	BH102H	240g bag	\$43.25



#### LEMONGRASS APPLE ROSEMARY HERBAL BLEND

The smoothness of apple complements the rich lemon flavor that predominates in this stimulating herbal blend. Uplifting hints of rosemary linger in the finish. This caffeine-free selection is the perfect companion when working on your latest project.

BH104S	7g sample	\$2.50	BH104D	120g packet	\$20.50
BH104	60g packet	\$11.00	BH104H	240g bag	\$40.00



#### CHAMOMILE MINT HERBAL BLEND

When steeped as a tea, dried chamomile flowers are highly valued for their soothing aroma and relaxing flavor. Combined with the sweetness of blackberry leaves and supporting hints of spearmint and apple mint, the bright floral flavor of chamomile offers a calm respite at the end of your day. This comforting herbal blend is caffeine-free.

BH105S	7g sample	\$3.00	BH105D	120g packet	\$27.00
BH105	60g packet	\$14.25	BH105H	240g bag	\$52.75



#### APPLE MINT VALERIAN HERBAL BLEND

With its soothing blend of herbs and fruit pieces, this is the perfect cup for bedtime. The sweet herbaceous aroma is inviting, with hints of apple, peach, and mint. Apple and peach bits combine with orange peel to lend a fruity aspect to the cup. Lemon balm, lavender, valerian, and hops offer calm and relaxation before sleep. Decorated with cornflower petals and tea blossoms, this caffeine-free selection is a great addition to your herbal cupboard.

BH101S	7g sample	\$2.75	BH101D	120g packet	\$24.50
BH101	60g packet	\$13.00	BH101H	240g bag	\$47.75



#### GINGER ROOT SUPERIOR

Ginger (Zingiber officinale) is a widely used and very popular herb. Our tisane is from India and has a zesty, peppery character. The liquor is slightly darker in color and has a lingering sweet and spicy quality.

BH15S	15g sample	\$3.75	BH15D	250g packet	\$24.25
BH15	125g packet	\$13.00			

## **FEATURED CAFFEINE-FREE TISANES & INFUSIONS**



#### RAMA TULSI (HOLY BASIL)

Harvested from a perennial shrub native to India, the Ocimum tenuiflorum, this aromatic, caffeine-free tisane produces a rich, wellrounded cup with spicy notes of anise and clove. Hints of bittersweet cocoa linger in the minty-clean finish.

BH106S	8g sample	\$4.25
BH106	40g packet	\$19.50
BH106D	80g packet	\$37.25



#### **ROTE GRÜTZE**

Rote Grütze, or Red Groats, is a sweet fruit blend, originating in Denmark and northern Germany. This naturally flavored herbal is a delightful mélange of grapes, elderberries, blueberries, and hibiscus. A hint of sugar-cookie sweetness complements the tart fruity flavor. This refreshing beverage tastes great hot or iced.

NF60S	15g sample	\$2.75
NF60	125g packet	\$11.50
NF60T	125g tin	\$13.50
NF60D	250g packet	\$21.25
NF60H	500g bag	\$41.50



#### TURMERIC LEMON APPLE HERBAL BLEND ORGANIC

A pronounced lemon fragrance introduces this caffeine-free herbal blend. The smoothness of apple, the zest of turmeric, and the freshness of lemon weave together to create a delicious tapestry of flavors. This tisane is delightful hot or iced.

BH100S	15g sample	\$4.00
BH100	125g packet	\$19.00
BH100D	250g packet	\$36.00



#### **ROSE HIPS**

Coarse cut and ideal for infusion in a Chatsford teapot. The liquor has a mildly floral and tart flavor.

BH55S	15g sample	\$2.75
BH55	125g packet	\$10.25
BH55D	250g packet	\$19.00
BH55H	500g bag	\$35.50



#### PEPPERMINT ORGANIC

Fresh tasting, highly aromatic, very round peppermint flavor.

BH46S	6g sample	\$1.75
BH46	50g packet	\$6.50
BH46T	50g tin	\$8.50
BH46D	100g packet	\$12.50
BH46H	200g bag	\$23.50
BH46K	400g bag	\$45.75







	TISANES 8	₽ INFU	SIONS			
	HERBAL AND FRUIT BASES			_	_	
	BERRY HERB BLEND  A naturally flavored herbal blend that harmo flavors of mint, lemongrass, ginger, chamomile, licorice, and blackcurrants. Naturally caffeine-fit	hibiscus,	NH44S Sample \$1.50	NH44 50g \$6.25	NH44D 100g \$11.50	NH44H 200g \$21.50
CHAI NAMASTE ORGANIC  A wonderful blend of traditional Chai spices that may be enjoyed on its own or mixed with your favorite tea. Contains cinnamon pieces, ginger pieces, cardamom seeds, cloves, and black pepper.		BH33S Sample \$3.00	BH33 125g \$12.50	BH33D 250g \$23.25	BH33H 500g \$43.25	
	GREEN YERBA MATÉ Known as Paraguay tea or Brazilian tea, this caffeine-bearing plant is valued for its stimulating properties.	BH20S Sample \$1.75	BH20 100g \$5.50	BH20T 100g Tin \$7.75	BH20D 200g \$10.00	<b>BH20H</b> <b>400g</b> \$19.50
	HIBISCUS FLOWERS, COARSE CUT A longtime favorite. The ruby-red liquor is tart and refreshing. Caffeine-free.	BH60S Sample \$2.50	BH60 125g \$8.00	BH60D 250g \$15.00	BH60H 500g \$27.75	BH60K 1kg \$53.00
	RASPBERRY FRUIT TEA  A caffeine-free fruit tea with dried apple bits, hibiscus, rose hip peels, raspberry bits, blackberry leaves, blackcurrant leaves, and natural flavoring.	BF40S Sample \$2.75	BF40 125g \$11.50	<b>BF40T</b> <b>125g Tin</b> \$14.50	BF40D 250g \$21.50	<b>BF40H</b> <b>500g</b> \$41.00
ROASTED YERBA MATÉ The same premium grade of Maté as BH20, roasted unt lightly browned. Contains caffeine.			BH22S Sample \$1.75	BH22 100g \$6.75	BH22D 200g \$12.00	BH22H 400g \$22.25
BLUEBERRY FRUIT BLEND  A caffeine-free fruit blend containing hibiscus petals, rose apple pieces, elderberries, orange peels, and natural flavoring. The aroma is fragrant with sweet berry notes of citrus. A crisp mouthfeel invigorates the juicy bell Enjoy hot or over ice for a refreshing iced tea.				BF72S Sample \$3.75	BF72 125g \$28.25	<b>BF72H 250g</b> \$53.75
	SPEARMINT ORGANIC A select lot of organic, coarse-cut spearmint. Great for blending with green tea or steeping alone as a refreshing, caffeine-free beverage.  BH45S Sample \$2.00	BH45 50g \$6.25	BH45T 50g Tin \$8.25	BH45D 100g \$11.50	BH45H 200g \$20.25	BH45K 400g \$38.75
	A blend of dried apple and cranberry bits with hibiscus, this naturally flavored tisane produces a crisp, refreshing cup. A light apple undertone complements the tart cranberry notes in the glowing peachy-rose cup. Fragrant and fruity, this caffeine-free herbal tea tastes delicious hot or iced.  NF45S Sample \$2.75	<b>NF45 125g</b> \$11.50	<b>NF45T 125g Tin</b> \$13.50	<b>NF45D 250g</b> \$21.25	<b>NF45H 500g</b> \$41.50	<b>NF45K 1kg</b> \$79.75

	SOUTH AFRICAN ROOIBOS AND HONEYBUSH				
USBA	SOUTH AFRICAN GREEN ROOIBOS (RED BUSH) SUPERIOR ORGANIC This green Rooibos is a popular variation of the standard (oxidized) versions. With a light flavor, fresh aroma, and mild sweetness, this loose leaf South African red bush tisane is an excellent choice for a caffeine-free beverage.		BA02 125g \$8.25	BA02D 250g \$15.25	BA02H 500g \$28.50
	HONEYBUSH VANILLA This delightful, naturally flavored blend of South African Honeybush and vanilla bits is decorated with marigold petals. A spicy vanilla aroma complements the flavorful, golden-amber cup. Great hot or iced.		NH26 125g \$14.50	NH26D 250g \$27.50	NH26H 500g \$52.75
	ROOIBOS CHAI BLEND  South African Rooibos flavored with cinnamon, cardamom, ginger, citrus peels, star anise, pepper, and cloves. A caffeine-free beverage.  BA33S Sample \$3.00	BA33 125g \$11.00	BA33T 125g Tin \$13.50	BA33D 250g \$20.00	<b>BA33H 500</b> g \$37.50
USDA	ROOIBOS SPICE MARKET BLEND ORGANIC Organic South African Rooibos is blended with a mélange of aromatic spices, producing a delicious beverage that's great hot or iced. Contains organic ginger, organic cinnamon, organic licorice root, organic black pepper, organic cardamom pods, organic rose petals, and organic calendula petals.		<b>BA34</b> <b>125</b> g \$13.50	BA34T 125g Tin \$15.50	BA34D 250g \$25.00
USDA 1551U	SOUTH AFRICAN HONEYBUSH ORGANIC This caffeine-free tisane has a pleasant taste, with honey-like notes and a mild spiciness. The complex aroma is full and inviting, with fruity nuances.		<b>BA28 125g</b> \$10.75	<b>BA28D 250g</b> \$20.50	<b>BA28H 500g</b> \$39.00
USBA	SOUTH AFRICAN ROOIBOS (RED BUSH) SUPERIOR ORGANIC This organic Rooibos has an inviting aroma, with hints of vanilla and citrus. The smooth flavor has notes of spice and caramel. We recommend this tisane for drinking iced or hot.  BA20S Sample 125g \$7.25	BA20T 125g Tin \$9.75	BA20D 250g \$13.75	<b>BA20H</b> <b>500g</b> \$25.75	BA20K 1kg \$49.00
USDA	VANILLA ROOIBOS ORGANIC This organic South African Rooibos is blended with Bourbon vanilla bits, marigold petals, and natural flavoring. Delicious hot or iced, you can enjoy this herbal infusion neat or with your favorite milk and sweetener.		<b>BA38 125g</b> \$15.00	<b>BA38T</b> <b>125g Tin</b> \$17.75	BA38D 250g \$28.50
I PARA	GREEN HONEYBUSH ORGANIC  Honeybush is gaining popularity as a caffeine-free alternative to decaffeinated teas. This unoxidized version, which is higher in antioxidants than traditional Honeybush, has an invigorating aroma and flavor notes of citrus and sweet apricot.  BA29S  Sample \$3.00	BA29 125g \$13.00	BA29T 125g Tin \$15.00	<b>BA29D 250g</b> \$23.75	<b>BA29H</b> <b>500g</b> \$45.75















As the month of August winds down and Labor Day weekend approaches, it's a perfect time to celebrate the abundance of the season with the last summer gatherings. Slow, lazy days will soon be replaced by routine and schedules as families gear up for another school year. The Labor Day holiday marks the official end of summer, and we look forward to the cooler weather of fall and autumnal activities.

With plenty of warm days and cool nights, this time of year brings that perfect combination of weather that can feel luxurious. Outdoor activities abound — the start of fall festivals, apple picking, visiting sunflower fields, farmers' markets, camping, and leaf peeping.

On Labor Day weekend, many towns hold parades and festivals, followed by a bounty of backyard celebrations, recognizing the hard work and

achievements of Americans. What better way to celebrate than an end-of-summer tea party for family and friends? With the rise in popularity of British shows like Downton Abbey and Bridgerton, the tea party is having a renaissance in modern culture. A tradition that dates back to the 19th century, tea parties are a great way to cater to many individual needs while making space and time for connection.

One of the many wonderful things about a tea party is the delicious selection of finger foods, artfully arranged on a beautiful three-tier tray. Working your way up from the bottom tier to the top, both savory and sweet treats are presented for all types of discerning palates. The food and tea pairings are specially curated for ultimate enjoyment. Once the tea is prepared and the trays are disbursed, you can enjoy time alongside your guests and make lasting memories.

Hosting a tea party may appear intimidating at first. We are happy to simplify the process and provide guidance on which teas and foods to use, where to find them, and how to properly serve them so that you can focus on enjoying meaningful time with your guests.

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As an accommodating host, it's important to take the guesswork out for your guests. The more precisely you communicate the theme and expectations of the event, the more your quests will feel at ease. It is essential to inform your guests if you intend to have a dress code. Many people enjoy a fanciful afternoon tea with a stylish dress code while others enjoy a more "shabby chic" appeal.

The best way to inform guests is to include this information on the invitation. Some hosts still enjoy sending paper invitations in the mail for afternoon tea; it's a timeless tradition. Of course, there are plenty of fun e-cards, social media services, and other ways to invite guests. Enjoy being creative with your invites!

Both indoor and outdoor spaces, such as a lovely dining room or a beautiful garden, are fantastic places to host in your home. Once you've picked out your space, you can then plan how you would like to decorate; many like to choose a theme. One great way to decide on a theme is to focus on the seasonal time of year.

A tea party is a wonderful opportunity to bring out your best dinnerware and napkins. Serve with style using doilies, platters, and tiered trays. Fresh flowers are always welcome on the table. At this time of year, sunflowers and apples are both making their harvest debut and are quite beautiful for décor, or even to incorporate as flavors into your menu.

As you contemplate your menu, consider having three courses. A three-tier tray is essential, be it a minimal or a lavish event. You may need more than one to accommodate more guests.

The first course serves savory fare, which is placed on the bottom tier. Small cucumber or egg salad sandwiches, mini quiches, and meat or cheese pastries are all wonderful choices.

The second course, which is served on the second or middle tier, consists of scones with jams and clotted cream. It is good etiquette to break your scones into smaller pieces with your fingers before eating them. Scones are the perfect match for tea and are a traditional choice for any tea party.

Speaking of jams, we offer a great selection of artisanal jams made by third-generation preserve makers in Vermont. With delectable flavors such as Tropical Pineapple, Caramelized Fig with Pear and Honey, Raspberry Hibiscus, and Classic Orange Marmalade (page 43), you'll be sure to find some favorites for your tea party.

The third and final course: sweets! Located on the top tier, the desserts can be petit fours, macarons, chocolates, tarts, and sweet pastries. Once you have your menu lined up and the table staged, it's time to make the tea!

Many traditional afternoon teas have shimmering silver tea sets; however, ceramic sets can be stunning! You can even have a mix-and-match set for an eclectic theme.

At Upton Tea Imports, we carry the American-made Chatsford teapot (page 42) in two sizes: 20 ounces and 36 ounces. Offered in an assortment of colors, such as lapis blue, meadow green, and classic white, this durable ceramic teapot comes with a convenient mesh infuser basket, perfect for steeping loose tea leaves. It is the ideal choice for tea parties.

Regardless of which tea set or collection you have, you can always make it your own with original touches. Most afternoon teas serve black tea, usually a Ceylon, Assam, or Earl Grey, but it can be any tea you desire. It's your party, so have a lot of fun with it! Include lemon slices, sugar, cream/ milk, and, of course, honey (page 43) for your guests so they can make the tea according to their preferred tastes.

At Upton Tea Imports, we have an abundant selection of teas for you to choose for your special party. To help you get started, we have carefully curated a delightful afternoon menu to enjoy with your guests.

# FIRST TIER Sunset Garden Sandwiches

Roasted slices of zucchini are combined with sliced ripe tomato, fresh basil, olive aioli, and shredded Parmesan on an open-faced ciabatta crust. A new take on the classic tea sandwich, it embodies the bounty of the summer harvest.

Serve with TB05: Mincing Lane Breakfast Blend (page 28)

#### **INGREDIENTS** (makes 12 sandwiches):

- 5 zucchini
- 3 tomatoes
- 2 bunches of fresh basil
- 2 large ciabattas
- · 8 oz. shredded Parmesan cheese
- · Olive aioli
- Olive oil

#### **DIRECTIONS:**

- 1. Slice ciabatta into 12 open-faced squares.
- 2. Spread on a light layer of olive aioli.
- 3. Slice tomatoes into thin circles.
- 4. Slice zucchini into thin circles. Sauté on the stovetop or roast in an oven or air fryer (roast setting).
- 5. Layer tomato and zucchini on bread.
- 6. Drizzle with olive oil.
- 7. Add shaved or shredded Parmesan cheese.
- 8. Add a basil leaf on top for garnish.



# Fruits of Labor Day Scones with Jam

With its delectable fruits, this must-have tea party classic bridges the transition from summer to autumn.

Serve with NT99: New England Autumn Tea (page 4)

#### **INGREDIENTS** (makes 8 scones):

- 2 cups (250 grams) all-purpose flour
- ½ cup (65 grams) granulated sugar
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 6 tablespoons (85 grams) cold unsalted butter, cubed
- ½ cup (120 ml) heavy whipping cream (reserve a little extra for the baking process)
- 1 large egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- ½ cup (125 grams) dried cranberries
- ½ cup (125 grams) dried apple
- ½ cup (125 grams) dried apricot

#### **DIRECTIONS:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F (204°C).
- 2. In a large bowl, combine dry ingredients: flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt.
- 3. Add the cold butter, and use a fork or pastry cutter to cut in the cubes until you have a small, crumbly texture.
- 4. In another bowl, whisk the wet ingredients: whipping cream, egg, and vanilla extract.
- 5. Combine wet mixture into the crumbly dough.
- 6. Mix in dried fruits.
- 7. Spread a little flour on a clean, flat surface, and work the dough into a ball.
- 8. Press the ball of dough into a flat circle.
- 9. Cut the dough into 8 pieces, like a pie.
- 10. Place your scones on a baking sheet, and chill them in the freezer for 5-10 minutes.
- 11. After chilling, brush the top of each scone with cream or milk and sprinkle with sugar and/or more dried fruit.
- 12. Bake for 20 minutes or until slightly brown.
- 13. Remove from the oven, and let cool on a rack.
- 14. Serve with Upton Tea Imports JAM6: Raspberry with Hibiscus Preserve (page 43) and a side of clotted cream to really wow your guests!

# THIRD TIER Lemon Pear Petit Fours

Serve with NT11: Extra Bergamot Earl Grey (page 29)

#### **YOU WILL NEED:**

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- 2 nonstick 10"x15" jelly roll pans
- A square cookie cutter (ideally, 1"x2" high)

#### **CAKE INGREDIENTS** (makes 32 petit fours):

- 1 jar of Upton Tea Imports JAM7: Caramelized Fig with Pear & Honey Jam (page 43) for filling layer
- 2 cups (250 grams) all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ cup milk
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 4 large eggs
- 1½ cups (300 grams) granulated sugar
- <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup (150 grams) softened butter
- 4 oz. (125 grams) softened cream cheese

#### **CAKE DIRECTIONS:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F (170°C).
- 2. In a medium-size bowl, whisk flour, salt, and baking powder.
- 3. In a separate bowl, use a handheld or standing mixer to beat butter, sugar, and cream cheese to a cream-like consistency.
- 4. While keeping your mixer at a medium speed, add eggs one at a time.
- 5. Add vanilla extract, and mix until smooth and creamy.
- 6. Turn the mixer on low. Slowly alternate adding the flour mixture and the milk into the main batter until fully combined.
- 7. Spread your cake batter evenly onto both jelly roll pans. Use nonstick spray or parchment paper if pans are not nonstick.
- 8. Bake for 10-15 minutes.
- 9. Allow cakes to cool.
- 10. Once your cakes are completely cooled, cut the cakes into thirds, each about 5" in width.
- 11. Lay down one cake layer as a base, and top with a generous spread of jam. Place another cake layer over the jam. Repeat with the remaining cake layers.

- 12. After stacking the last cake, press down on each 3-layer stack (of cake, jam, cake) to ensure the cakes are firmly stuck together.
- 13. Using the square cookie cutter, carefully cut out your layered cake squares.
- 14. Cover the cake squares with plastic wrap, and place them in the freezer.

#### **ICING INGREDIENTS:**

- 15 tablespoons unsalted butter, diced
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 4¾ cups (600 grams) confectioners' (powdered) sugar
- · 2 teaspoons lemon extract
- 6 tablespoons light corn syrup
- 1 tablespoon heavy cream
- 2 lemons shave peel for garnish
- 1 pear, sliced for garnish

#### **ICING INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. In a medium-size pan, heat 2 inches of water to a simmer.
- 2. Create a double boiler by placing a heatproof metal or glass mixing bowl over the pan.
- Add butter, corn syrup, and heavy cream to the bowl. Stir until melted and combined.
- 4. Stir in the lemon extract and salt.
- 5. Stir while gradually adding the confectioners' sugar. The mixture should be smooth and more thick than runny.
- 6. Remove the cakes from the freezer, and ice each square.
- 7. Garnish each cake with lemon shavings and a pear slice.
- 8. Place the cakes in the refrigerator to set the icing until ready to enjoy.

Now that you have the tools and tips to host a beautiful garden tea party or a fanciful afternoon tea, you can create your own wonderful tea traditions that make the time and space to connect with family and friends.

## **UPTON TEA IMPORTS CHATSFORD TEAPOTS**



The Upton Tea Imports Chatsford teapot is designed to be durable and provide many cups of enjoyment. Chatsford teapots provide a convenient way to prepare loose leaf tea quickly and easily. Fitted with a convenient tab for effortless removal, the ample polypropylene and mesh infuser basket allows full infusion of the leaves. Available in 20 oz. and 36 oz. sizes. an infuser basket (BPA free) is included with every teapot. Limited supply. All colors have a shiny finish.

#### **CHATSFORD TEAPOT (20 OZ.)**

Dimensions: 5"H x 8"L x 4.5"W

AP14W	White	\$60.00
AP14D	Daffodil yellow	\$60.00
AP14L	Lapis blue	\$60.00



#### **CHATSFORD TEAPOT (36 OZ.)**

Dimensions: 7"H x 9"L x 4.5"W

AP36M	Meadow green	\$95.00
AP36W	White	\$95.00
AP36S	Slate gray	\$95.00

#### **CHATSFORD TEAPOT WARRANTY** (Not applicable to closeout or discounted items)

New Chatsford teapots are fully guaranteed for a period of 30 days from the date of receipt. This warranty even covers accidental breakage, except as noted below. If you are unhappy with the quality of the teapot, the way it pours, or even the color, simply call Upton Tea Imports for a return authorization number and return the teapot to us by the carrier of your choice, with the return authorization number on the outside of the package. We will replace the teapot, credit your account, or issue a refund.

This warranty is void for teapots heated in a microwave oven or placed directly on a stove or hotplate. This warranty applies only to teapots purchased at regular prices and directly from Upton Tea Imports. No other warranty is implied.

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#### CARAMELIZED FIG WITH PEAR & HONEY JAM

This unique sweet and savory jam has been elevated to an exemplary level with the rich pairing of fig and pear, sweetened by pure honey. Enjoy this treat with your favorite tea at any time of year. Refrigerate after opening.

10.8 oz. jar \$9.50 JAM7



#### TROPICAL PINEAPPLE JAM

This special-edition jam is the perfect treat for any time of year. Featuring juicy pineapple, complemented by refreshing lemon juice, this slightly tart jam is delicious with your favorite tea hot or iced. Refrigerate after opening.

IAM8 10 oz. jar \$9.50



#### RASPBERRY HIBISCUS PRESERVE

The finest ripe raspberries are simmered with delicate hibiscus petals, creating a bright, vibrant preserve reminiscent of the heady fragrance of a summer garden. This aromatic treat tastes delicious on a baked good, paired with your favorite tea. Refrigerate after opening.

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#### **FILTERED TUPELO HONEY**

Produced from the nectar of the southern tupelo tree flower, this buttery-smooth honey will add a delicate sweetness to your favorite cup of tea. All natural and pure, this honey comes in a 10-ounce (283g) glass jar.

**HONEY3** 10 oz. jar \$14.75



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Produced from the nectar of a variety of wildflowers native to Maine, this pure New England honey is a clear amber color with a rich floral flavor and buttery mouthfeel.

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## **TEA SAMPLERS**

Try a bit of everything with our tea samplers. From Oolong to green to different kinds of black tea, these sampler sets allow novice tea drinkers and connoisseurs alike to try new selections and discover new favorites. Teas in these sampler sets will vary according to seasonal availability. All teas in our sampler sets are available individually for purchase on our website.

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WELLNESS SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: BH101: Apple Mint Valerian Herbal Blend, BH102: Cinnamon Apple Guarana Maté, BH104: Lemongrass Apple Rosemary Herbal Blend, and BH105: Chamomile Mint Herbal Blend. All selections are caffeine-free except for BH102.	<b>SW02</b> \$41.50
BRITISH BLEND SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: TB10: Bond Street English Breakfast Blend, TB70: Finest Russian Caravan, TB20: River Shannon Breakfast Blend, and TB86: Richmond Park Blend. Specially blended for us in London by master tea blenders.	<b>SB11</b> \$19.25
CHINESE TEA SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: ZW60: Special Grade Shou Mei White Tea, ZH20: China Pu-Erh Leaf, ZK11: First Grade China Keemun, and ZO10: China Oolong Se Chung.	<b>SC01</b> \$29.75
GREEN TEA SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: ZG30: Special Grade Temple of Heaven Gunpowder Green, ZG71: Lung Ching Green (Superfine), ZG07: Season's Pick China Sencha Organic, and ZG02: Season's Pick Young Hyson.	<b>SG37</b> \$23.50
HERBAL INFUSION SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: BA20: South African Rooibos Superior Organic, BH15: Ginger Root Superior Organic, BH46: Peppermint Organic, and BH60: Hibiscus Flowers, Coarse Cut.	<b>SH01</b> \$27.25
ICED TEA SAMPLER #2 A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: TB15: Java BOP Blend, TC85: Kenilworth Estate OP Ceylon, NF73: Peach with Fruit Pieces, and TB70: Finest Russian Caravan.	\$104 \$30.25
INTRODUCTION TO FINE TEA SAMPLER  A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following: TB51: East Frisian BOP, TD50: No.1 Tippy Orthodox GFOP Darjeeling, ZY51: China Yunnan TGFOP, and TB10: Bond Street English Breakfast Blend. Representative of a wide range of fine black teas.	SM30 \$27.25
JAPANESE TEA SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: TJ10: Japanese Sencha, TJ21: Gen-mai Cha, TJ16: Sencha Special Grade Yamato, and TJ41: Ho-ji Cha Kamakura Organic.	<b>SJ01</b> \$40.75
NATURALLY FLAVORED TEA SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following teas: NF73: Peach with Fruit Pieces, NF50: Sweet Orange Black Tea, NF60: Rote Grütze, and NF90: Vanilla Black Tea.	<b>SF03</b> \$30.25
PREMIUM CHAI SAMPLER A tin (approx. 35g) of each of the following: TE30: Traditional Masala Chai, NT33: Chai Spice Black Tea, TX30: Decaffeinated Masala Chai, and NT35: Pumpkin Spice Chai.	<b>SC03</b> \$44.25

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## **TEA FLIGHTS**

Sip your way to a new favorite with our carefully curated herbal, black, and green tea flights. Each contains five samples, a box of filter bags, and a stick. Each sample makes 4-6 cups. Double wall glass sold separately on www.uptontea.com.



#### TEA FLIGHT FOR BEGINNERS: BLACK

The black tea flight for beginners contains TD50: No. 1 Tippy Orthodox Darjeeling (India), TA40: Tippy Orthodox GFOP Assam (India), TC05: Ceylon BOP (Sri Lanka), TK12: Rukeri Estate Rwanda BOP (Africa), and ZY30: Yunnan FOP Select (China)

**SK01** \$18.50



#### **TEA FLIGHT FOR BEGINNERS: GREEN**

The green tea flight for beginners contains TJ10: Japanese Sencha (Japan), ZG18: Chun Mee Moon Palace Organic (China), TC38: Idulgashinna Estate OP1 Green Organic (Sri Lanka), ZG14: Young Hyson Imperial Organic (China), and TR55: Korean Green Tea Jung-Jak Organic (Korea)

**SK02** \$20.50



#### TEA FLIGHT FOR BEGINNERS: HERBAL

The herbal tea flight for beginners contains BA38: Vanilla Rooibos Organic (South Africa), BH51: Chamomile Organic (Egypt), BH46: Peppermint Organic (Germany), BH18: Lemon-Ginger Blend (Germany), and BF40: Raspberry Fruit Tea (Germany)

**SK03** \$17.75



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The Upton Tea Imports Electric Tea Kettle is made from quality materials and electrical components. Perfect for heating 10 to 40 ounces of water, this kettle will bring water to a boil in approximately five minutes and then shut off upon reaching the boiling point. The Upton Tea Imports Electric Kettle is cordless and features a 1,200-watt heating element, safety shutoff, locking lid, and brushed stainless steel construction.

**AK12** 40 oz. Kettle \$36.75







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## **TEA NOMENCLATURE**



One of the most frequently asked questions that we receive is, "What does the string of letters listed after the name of my favorite tea mean?" Our Valued Customers have long requested that we include an explanation in our quarterly catalog to decode the enigmatic "tea nomenclature," and we are glad to oblige.

Due to a lack of information on the subject, there is great confusion over one of the simplest of tea terms: OP (Orange Pekoe). Contrary to popular opinion, Orange Pekoe does not refer to a particular flavor, or even to a specific variety or quality of tea. Orange Pekoe is nothing more than a designation of leaf size.

As a result of the manufacturing process, the final product is composed of leaf particles of varying sizes. Because the finer particles steep quickly, the tea is sifted into lots of uniform leaf size. Teas designated OP are composed of larger leaf particles or whole leaves that will not pass through a sieve of a particular gauge. BOP (Broken Orange Pekoe) designates a grade that is finer than OP. Grades finer than BOP are called fannings, PF for Pekoe Fannings, and the smallest particles are referred to as dust. Dust grades are used primarily in teabags.

Other letters are often appended to the grade of tea to produce a baffling list of designations, such as SFTGFOP1 (Super-Fine Tippy Golden Flowery Orange Pekoe, grade 1). While there is a general correlation between acronyms and the general appearance and character of the tea, there is no strict correlation between the acronyms and the value or flavor of the tea. While these lengthy acronyms appear on nearly every chest of single-estate tea, the real value of the tea is in its appeal to the palate.

#### A BRIEF GUIDE TO DECODING THE SPECIFICATIONS:

- PF: Pekoe Fannings
- OP: Orange Pekoe
- BOP: Broken Orange Pekoe
- GBOP: Golden Broken Orange Pekoe
- TGBOP: Tippy Golden Broken Orange Pekoe
- GTGFBOP: Golden Tippy Golden Flowery Broken Orange Pekoe
- · BPS: Broken Pekoe Souchong
- FOP: Flowery Orange Pekoe
- GFOP: Golden Flowery Orange Pekoe
- TGFOP: Tippy Golden Flowery Orange Pekoe
- FTGFOP: Fine Tippy Golden Flowery Orange Pekoe
- FTGFOP1: Fine Tippy Golden Flowery Orange Pekoe, grade 1
- SFTGFOP1: Super-Fine Tippy Golden Flowery Orange Pekoe, grade 1
- MUSC: Muscatel
- CL: Clonal
- CH: China varietal
- QU: Queen jat
- FBOPF Ex Spl: Flowery Broken Orange Pekoe Fannings (Extra Special)

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