

Coffea arabica

(Arabian Coffee, Coffee)

Arabian coffee is an evergreen shrub native to Ethiopia that is known for its fruits, from which the majority of drinking coffee is made. It has glossy dark-green leaves and small, white, sweet-smelling flowers. After pollination, the flowers are followed by drupes. Once the drupes turn red, they are harvested, processed, and roasted to produce coffee.

Arabian coffee does best in partial shade and well-drained soil with a neutral pH.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

French Name: Caf��ier d'Arabie, Caf�� arabica, Caf��ier.
Arabic Name: الب�� العربي
Plant Type: Shrub
Origin: Ethiopia
Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13
Hardiness Zones: 10, 11, 12, 13
Uses: Hedge, Indoor, Edible
Size/Shape
Growth Rate: Moderate
Tree Shape: Round, oval, Upright
Canopy Symmetry: Irregular
Canopy Density: Open
Canopy Texture: Medium
Height at Maturity: 3 to 5 m
Spread at Maturity: 1.5 to 3 meters
Time to Ultimate Height: 5 to 10 Years

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Opposite

Leaf Venation: Brachidodrome

Leaf Persistence: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm

Leaf Shape: Ovate

Leaf Margins: Entire

Leaf Textures: Glossy, Medium

Leaf Scent:

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Scent: Pleasant

Flower Color: White

Seasons: Spring

Fruit

Fruit Type: Drupe

Fruit Showiness: True

Fruit Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Fruit Colors: Green, Yellow, Red

Seasons: Spring

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Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: No

Heat Tolerant: Yes

Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam

Soil Ph Requirements: Neutral

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Part

Management

Toxity: No

Invasive Potential: No

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: Yes

Surface Rooting: No

Edible Parts: Fruit

Plant Propagations: Seed

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