



FIRST FLUSH TEA BY AIR 2021

What exactly does first flush tea by air mean?

First flush by air is traditionally used to describe the very first pickings (DJ1 to DJ20) from the Darjeeling growing region, which are flown to the importer by courier or air freight, immediately after production.

Darjeeling is located in northern India and borders Nepal, another very interesting growing region. Both are situated at the foot of the Himalayas.

The idea of first flush by air originated in the 1960s. Tea lovers from all over the world were eagerly awaiting the new harvest and wanted to enjoy fresh first flush Darjeeling tea as soon as possible after the winter production break.

The expansion of transportation and especially airfreight made it possible to transport individual batches, also called invoices (DJ1 = Darjeeling batch 1 of the respective garden), to fly to Europe in a very short period of time and thus make it available to consumers.

Today, only a few days pass until tea arrives from the garden to the specialist shops.





Our first flush teas by air are now available for order:

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Valid from 22.02.2021
(as long as stocks last)

Darjeeling (available approx. mid-April):

Article no.:	Description:	PU	Price/kg
 P6007	Darjeeling SFTGFOP1 FF Steinthal organic* Invoice DJ 4-9/2021 (1,5 kg-chest)	1,5 kg	€ 84,95
P6008	Darjeeling SFTGFOP1 FF Teesta Valley Invoice DJ 4-15 / 2021 (1,5 kg-chest)	1,5 kg	€ 79,95



*DE-ÖKO-039

Sheet of 10 labels	1pc/kg	FREE
Poster „First Flush Tea by Air– New Harvest, Freshly Arrived“	1 pc	FREE

Experience has shown that the Darjeeling first flush tea by air will arrive in April.

Price per kg, packed in 1,5 kg, subject to confirmation, while stocks last, plus VAT, according to our general terms and conditions, which we will gladly send to you upon request.

We look forward to receiving your order!

Yours Mount Everest Tea Team



Garden Information

Darjeeling Steinthal Estate

Steinthal is the oldest Darjeeling garden and was founded in 1852 by the German emigrant Joachim Stoelke at an altitude of 1,828 metres. Due to the height, only pure Chinese bushes were planted on Steinthal, which were procured especially from China. Joachim Stoelke converted to the British church and became a priest. With the natives he carried the name "Father Steinthal". The Stoelke family sold the garden to the East India Company in 1935. Steinthal is BIO-certified and produces the classic and unmistakable Darjeeling aroma with the original China tea plants. For an optimal taste experience we Darjeeling Teesta Valley Estate

Darjeeling Teesta Valley Estate

Teesta Valley is one of the oldest Darjeeling gardens, established in 1841-1856 by British and Scottish planters. According to historic records, the first production of tea in Darjeeling took place in 1860. The garden, located at an altitude of 760-1,500 m, is named after the adjacent mountain river "Teesta".

Today, the Darjeeling garden produces top quality teas on 480 ha. The tea is also suitable for harder water qualities and allows small faults of preparing it. Generally we recommend to use filtered water, with less minerals to receive an even more clear cup and pure taste of tea.