

BRAZIL

Not much action or change in behavior on the commercial side of Arabica or Robusta. Conilon harvest is about 10%, and Arabica is about 2%. Shipments up to April 29th were 2.17m bags which is 15.5% lower than 2021.

COLOMBIA

Rains continue well above normal levels, and concerns emerge about the impact on quality and drying ability. The Mitaca flow is slower than usual due to the weather, but the parchment received thus far is of good quality.

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Flow increased a bit as we approached 20% of the harvest. Local parchment prices are more or less unchanged week on week. National election nomination started this weekend and run for 19 days, and polls expect to open from July 2nd to July 22nd.

INDONESIA

Starting holiday mode as Eid al Fitr celebrations begin. The Sumatra crop continues to disappoint, and pricing remains firm. Robusta crop continues to flow and find markets, but the diff crept up a bit this week.

KENYA

The nation has been mourning the death of the 3rd president of the republic, and Friday was declared a national holiday in commemoration of his life. There was no auction this week. Heavy rains have been experienced in most coffee-producing zones, and the fly crop looks promising.

ETHIOPIA

This week, trading volume improved as shippers and roasters got closer to pricing expectations, but it remained below average. Shipments, however, reached 46k bags in March, indicating the country is on track for healthy exports. March inflation reached 34.7%, with food at 43.3%.