

How to Brew Rooibos Tea

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Pure rooibos is the easy everyday caffeine-free cup, and the one thing worth knowing is that it likes a full rolling boil. Most leaf teas you would take off the boil, but rooibos is the opposite: it only gives up its deep red colour and natural sweetness at a proper 100C.

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It is also forgiving, so there is no need to watch the clock; anywhere from five to eight minutes is fine and it will not turn bitter on you. It is sweet enough to drink as it is, but a slice of lemon sharpens it, or a dash of cold milk rounds it out the way it is often taken in South Africa.

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