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Tea and Decaffeination Processing

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Article Body:

Decaffeination and tea is a subject that has long been misunderstood not only by consumers but

I began questioning my own information on decaf processing and decided the best thing to do was

I soon was relieved to learn that my critical information was indeed correct although some of

The Guidelines

Teas labeled Decaffeinated will contain no more than 0.4% caffeine on a dry weight basis.

Caffeine Free Tea is an inappropriate labeling term for any tea regardless of the degree of

There are currently only 2 methods approved for decaffeinating tea leaves, solvent extraction

Carbon dioxide is considered the better of the two, keeping more of the benefits and flavor

The Facts

Decaffeinated teas have between 1/3 and 2/3 fewer beneficial components than regular, non-de

Both ethyl acetate and carbon dioxide are considered, and subsequently labeled, "natural", b

"Water process", aka Swiss Water Process, Natural Water Process etc, sometimes used on packa

Decaffeinating at home by the "water process" would be done by infusing the tea leaves for 3

Tea bags will deliver more caffeine in your cup than loose teas because they infuse more qui

The amount of tea leaves used, brewing time and water temperature help determine the caffeine

Cultivation, environmental factors, region and growing conditions, while out of your control

The only time coffee has less caffeine than tea is prior to brewing, 1 pound of tea yields 2

The ONLY government approved decaffeination processing is ethyl acetate and carbon dioxide.

While we have a limited selection of decaffeinated teas, we guarantee all of the decaffeinat

In summation, with the growing public interest in issues surrounding health and food, accurate

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