

Coffee Ratios

Kitchen

Coffee to water by method, and the two variables that matter most.

Coffee to water, by weight.

Method	Ratio	Grind
Filter / pour over	1 : 16	Medium
French press	1 : 15	Coarse
AeroPress	1 : 14	Medium-fine
Espresso	1 : 2	Very fine
Moka pot	1 : 10	Fine
Cold brew	1 : 8, 12–18 h	Coarse

Bitter usually means over-extracted: grind coarser or brew shorter. Sour means under-extracted: grind finer or brew longer.