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HANDMADE CIGARS:

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Wrapper colors:

DC = Double Claro • **Cl** = Claro • **CC** = Colorado Claro • **Co** = Colorado
CM = Colorado Maduro • **Ma** = Maduro • **Os** = Oscuro

E. ZARZUELA

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

PREMIUM LINE:

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

EZ LINE:

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Indonesia

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
<i>Premium Line:</i>				
Petit Corona	Toritos	4½	40	CM
Toro	Toro Grande	6	52	CM
Robusto	Toro Gordo	5½	60	CM
Robusto	Toro Fuerte	5	50	CM
Toro	Long Drive	6	54	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6¼	52	CM
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM
<i>EZ Line:</i>				
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CC
Torpedo	Torpedo	6¼	52	CC
Robusto	EZ Toro Fuerte	5	50	CC
Torpedo	EZ Long Drive	6	54	CC
Toro	EZ Toro Grande	6	52	CC
Robusto	EZ Toro Gordo	5½	60	CC

Here is a full-bodied blend (Premium Line), introduced in 2005, available in boxes of 24. The EZ Line (medium body) was introduced in 2006, also in 24s.

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EARTH SUPERNATURAL BY COJIMAR

Handmade in Tamboril, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Short Panatela	Petit	4	38	CC
Petit Corona	Corona	5	42	CC
Toro	Toro	6½	55	CC

Here is a 2006-introduced flavored line, available in Brazilian Mocha (coffee, vanilla and chocolate), French Riviera (Champagne and raspberry liqueur) and Kinchasa (Tahitian Vanilla and fruit) in boxes of 20.

EDICION LIMITADA ★New★

Handmade in La Romana, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Mexico

Binder: USA/Connecticut

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	H. Upmann Robusto	5	54	CM
Torpedo	Montecristo No. 2	6⅛	52	CM
Double Corona	Romeo y Julieta Churchill	7	54	CM
Toro	Trinidad Toro	6	54	CM

This unusual brand was introduced by Altadis U.S.A. in 2008, in four shapes, with each named for a famous brand made by Altadis U.S.A.! It features a San Andres Corojo wrapper and has a medium-to-full body. All four sizes are offered in boxes of 21.

EL BOTIN DOMINICANO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Brazil, Indonesia

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Short Panatela	Petit Lancero	5	38	CM-Ma
Petit Corona	Petit Cetro	4	44	CM-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM-Ma
Torpedo	Belicoso	5	54	CM-Ma

Take your choice of two styles of wrapper – Brazil or Sumatra – in this brand introduced in 2007 by La Tradicion Cubana. Both are medium bodied and offered in boxes of 20.

EL CAMINO DOMINICANO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Indonesia

Binder: Honduras or Nicaragua

Filler: Dom. Rep.

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<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Giant	Gigante	8	52	CM
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM
Toro	Toro	6	52	CM
Robusto	Robusto	5	54	CM

This is a mild-to-medium-bodied blend introduced by MATASA in 2004. It's offered in bundles of 20.

EL CAUTO ROJO

Handmade, with short filler, in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Lonsdale	Cazadores	6½	44	CC
Toro	Churchill	6½	48	CC
Long Corona	Corona	6	44	CC
Double Corona	Double Corona	7½	50	CC
Churchill	Fumas	7	46	CC
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC
Torpedo	Torpedo	6	54	CC

Here is a short-filler, medium-bodied cigar from the Tabacalera Perdomo in Nicaragua. Introduced in 2002, it is an excellent value, offered in boxes of 25.

EL COLOSO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Toro	Coloso	6	60	CC
Giant	Grand Coloso	8	60	CC

This is a mild-bodied blend in two very large sizes, offered in bundles of 16. The label shows Atlas bearing the weight of the world.

EL CREDITO

Handmade in Villa Gonzalez, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Lonsdale	Fumas	6¾	44	CC-Ma

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Churchill	Super Habanero	7¼	46	CC-Ma
Torpedo	Belicoso	6¼	50	CC-Ma
Long Corona	Cetros	6¼	43	CC-Ma
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CC-Ma
Grand Corona	Corona Extra	6¼	46	CC-Ma
Lonsdale	Corona Grande	7¾	44	CC-Ma
Giant	Gigantes	9	49	CC-Ma
Double Corona	Imperials	7¾	49	CC-Ma
Double Corona	Monarch	7¼	54	CC-Ma
Corona	Nacionales	5½	43	CC-Ma
Lonsdale	No. 1	6¾	43	CC-Ma
Cigarillo	No. 3	7	28	CC
Slim Panatela	No. 4	6	32	CC
Long Panatela	Panetelas	7	37	CC-Ma
Robusto	Rothchild	5	50	CC-Ma
Giant	Senadores	8	52	CC-Ma
Toro	Small Churchill	6	52	CC-Ma
Petit Corona	Small Corona	4½	40	CC-Ma
Churchill	Supremos	7¼	48	CC-Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo Extra	7¼	60	CC-Ma

This is a bundled, medium-bodied brand from the El Credito factory in the Dominican Republic, offered in bundles of 25.

EL GRAN REY ★New★
Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Emperadores	5	50	CM
Torpedo	Belicosos	5¾	52	CM
Toro	Prominentes	6½	50	CM

Part of the Curivari brand group, this line was introduced in 2008. It's full-bodied and complex, offered in elegant boxes of 25.

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EL GUAJIRO

Handmade in Tenerife, the Canary Islands of Spain.

Wrapper: Indonesia

Binder: Spain

Filler: Brazil, Dom. Rep.

This is a medium-bodied brand in seven shapes from the Canary Islands, using locally-grown binder and filler and offered in packs of five and 10, in cellophaned bundles of 20 and in cedar boxes of 25. The two machine-made small cigars are available in chocolate and vanilla-flavored styles.

EL LEGEND-ARIO BY CAMACHO

Handmade in Danli, Honduras.

Wrapper: Honduras

Binder: Honduras

Filler: Honduras

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Toro	Toro	6	50	CM-Ma
Torpedo	Figurado	6½	54	CM-Ma
Toro	Bertha	6	60	CM-Ma

Made of 100% Jamastran tobacco, this is actually three different series in one brand: (1) a natural-wrapped, medium-bodied blend introduced in 2005; (2) a Corojo-wrapped edition with a medium-to-full body introduced in 2006 and (3) a maduro-shade Corojo-wrapped version, also introduced in 2006. All are offered unbanded in presentation trays, of 100 for the natural-wrapped and in combination trays of 100 (with all three sizes) for the Corojo and Corojo Maduro styles. Boxes of 25 of the natural-wrapped line were made available in 2008.

EL MAS CARBON

Handmade in Frankfort, New York, USA.

Wrapper: Cameroon

Binder: Ecuador

Filler: Ecuador, Venezuela

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	El Culo Sexy	5½	50	CM
Lonsdale	El Chulo	6½	44	CM
Corona Extra	Caliente	5	46	CM

This is part of the Lars Tetens line, with a full-bodied flavor. All sizes are offered in boxes of 30, which are decorated with reproductions of oil paintings by Tetens.

EL MEJOR EMERALD ★New★

Handmade in Danli, Honduras.

Wrapper: Honduras

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5½	50	CM
Toro	Toro	6	52	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6½	54	CM

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Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM
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Meier & Dutch introduced this medium-to-full-bodied blend, featuring a Corojo wrapper, in 2008. It is offered in boxes of 20.

EL MEJOR ESPRESSO

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Mexico

Binder: Cameroon

Filler: Honduras, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Toro	Toro	6	52	Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	Ma
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo	6½	54	Ma

Introduced in 2006 as “El Mejor Maduro,” this is a box-pressed, all-maduro line from Meier & Dutch. It’s offered in boxes of 20.

EL ORIGINAL

Handmade in Key Largo, Florida, USA.

Wrapper: Ecuador, Mexico

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Dom. Rep., Honduras, Nicaragua, Peru

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Corona Extra	Corona	5½	46	CC-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC-Ma
Toro	Toro	6	52	CC-Ma
Churchill	Churchill	7	48	CC-Ma
Long Panatela	Lancero	7	39	CC-Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo	6¼	54	CC-Ma
Double Corona	Presidente	7½	50	CC-Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo Gigante	7½	54	CC-Ma

This blend was introduced in 1999 and is full-bodied. It offers a choice of wrapper: natural from Ecuador or a Mexican maduro and is available in boxes of 25 or bundles of 50.

EL PRIMER MONDO

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Honduras, Nicaragua, Peru

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	52	CM-Ma
Toro	Toro	6	52	CM-Ma

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This cigar was introduced in late 2006. Two styles are available: Habano Criollo Maduro and Connecticut Shade, both with Honduran, Nicaraguan and Peruvian filler. The Habano Criollo Maduro is medium-to-full in body while the Connecticut style is mild-to-medium. All sizes comes in boxes of 20.

EL REY DE LOS HABANOS

Handmade in Miami, Florida, USA.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM
Toro	Toro	6	50	CM
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM
Corona	Corona	5½	44	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6⅛	52	CM

Made at El Rey de los Habanos in Miami, this is a mild-bodied blend, introduced in national distribution in 2005. All sizes are offered in solid, all-cedar boxes of 23 cigars each.

EL REY DEL MUNDO

Handmade in Cofradia, Honduras.

Wrapper: Ecuador, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Honduras

Filler: Honduras

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	1848	7⅞	52	CM
Short Panatela	Bon Bons	4¼	36	CM
Small Panatela	Cafe au Lait-Café Noir	4½	35	CC-Ma
Lonsdale	Cedars	7	43	CM
Toro	Choix Supreme	6⅛	49	CM
Grand Corona	Corona	5⅝	45	CM
Churchill	Corona Inmensa	7¼	47	CM-Ma
Giant	Coronation	8½	52	CM
Double Corona	Double Corona Deluxe	7	49	CM
Cigarillo	Elegantes	5⅜	29	CC
Torpedo	Flor de Llaneza	6¼	54	CM-Ma
Pyramid	Flor de LaVonda	6½	50	CM-Ma
Double Corona	Flor del Mundo	7¼	54	CM
Petit Corona	Petit Lonsdale	4⅝	43	CM
Slim Panatela	Plantations	6½	30	CC

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Grand Corona	Rectangulares	5 ⁵ / ₈	45	CM-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	54	Ma
Toro	Robusto Larga	6	54	Ma
Double Corona	Robusto Suprema	7 ¹ / ₄	54	Ma
Robusto	Robusto Zavalla	5	54	CM
Short Panatela	Reynitas	5	38	CC
Toro	Robusto en Vidrio <i>(glass tube)</i>	5 ⁵ / ₈	50	CM
Robusto	Rothschilde	5	50	CM
Panatela	Tinos	5 ¹ / ₂	38	CM

This name means “The King of the World” in Spanish and it lives up to its name with its excellent construction and medium-to-full-bodied flavor from the Honduran filler and binder and Sumatran-seed Ecuadorian wrapper. Launched in its current form in 1994, a total of 47 sizes were originally planned, of which 26 are currently in production. The “Lights” group (Bon Bons, Elegantes, Plantations, Reynitas, Café au Lait) is mild-to-medium in strength, with a Connecticut wrapper, Honduran binder and filler tobacco from the Dominican Republic. Most sizes are offered in boxes of 20.

EL REY DEL MUNDO OLVIDADOS

Handmade in Cofradia, Honduras.

Wrapper: Ecuador Binder: USA/Connecticut

Filler: Dom. Rep., Honduras, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Chateaux R	5	54	CM
Toro	Chateaux E	6	52	CM
Torpedo	Chateaux T	6 ¹ / ₈	54	CM
Toro	Chateaux X	6	60	CM
Double Corona	Chateaux D	7 ¹ / ₄	54	CM

Introduced in 2007 by Cuban Imports, this is a full-bodied edition of the El Rey del Mundo brand. It features a dark, Sumatra-seed wrapper and is offered in boxes of 20.

EL REY DEL MUNDO REAL

Handmade in Cofradia, Honduras.

Wrapper: Honduras Binder: USA/Connecticut

Filler: Dom. Rep., Honduras, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Grand Corona	6-4-6	6 ¹ / ₄	46	CM
Toro	6-5-0	6 ¹ / ₄	50	CM
Toro	6-5-4	6 ¹ / ₄	54	CM

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Introduced in 2006, this is a medium-to-full-bodied cigar with a spicy tone thanks in part to its San Agustin wrapper and Connecticut Broadleaf binder. It's offered only in boxes of 20.

EL RICO HABANO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Ecuador, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Churchill	Double Corona	7	48	CC
Grand Corona	Gran Corona	5¾	46	CC
Robusto	Habano Club	4⅞	48	CC
Toro	Corona Suprema	6	50	CC
Double Corona	Gran Habanero Deluxe	7½	54	Ma
Robusto	Rico Club	5½	54	Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo	6	54	Ma

Although produced by Ernesto Carrillo's Miami-based El Credito Cigar Co. since the early 1990s, this version was introduced in 2001. It features a rich, full-bodied taste, featuring natural wrappers grown in Ecuador and maduro wrappers of Connecticut Broadleaf (the maduro-wrapped versions debuted in 2003). It is offered in cabinet boxes of 25, newly redesigned in 2005 after a 1960s El Rico band was found in the factory in Miami and inspired the revision.

EL SARARE

Handmade in Caracas, Venezuela.

Wrapper: Ecuador, Indonesia

Binder: Venezuela

Filler: Venezuela

Mild in body, this brand was introduced in 1997. It is offered in four sizes in a choice of wrappers in boxes of 25.

EL SOL

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Dom. Rep., USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
	<i>Dominicana Clasico:</i>			
Corona	Brevas	5½	42	CC-Co-Ma
Lonsdale	Corona Imperial	6¼	43	DC-CC-Co-Ma
Grand Corona	Palma Imperial	6½	46	CC-Co-Ma
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CC-Co-Ma
Double Corona	Emperador	7¾	50	CC-Co-Ma
Robusto	Rothschild	4½	50	CC-Co-Ma

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Lonsdale	Londres Deluxe /short filler/	6½	43	CC-Ma
<i>Millennium Dominicana:</i>				
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC
Corona	Corona	5½	42	CC-Ma
Pyramid	Pyramid	6	52	CC-Ma
Toro	Toro	6	52	CC-Ma
Lonsdale	Lonsdale	6½	44	CC
Double Corona	Double Corona	7½	50	CC
<i>Dominican Secretos:</i>				
Robusto	No. 4	5½	50	CC

This brand dates back all the way to 1928! In its current form, it offers a mild smoke in most shapes, up to a medium-bodied maduro flavor and features a Connecticut-seed wrapper. The Clasicos and Millenniums are offered in boxes of 25 while the Secretos are available in bundles of 25.

EL TAINO CEDAR ★New★

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Brazil, Ecuador

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Toro	Gran Robusto	6	54	CC-CM
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CC-CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6½	52	CC-CM

The Nino Vasquez Cigar Co. introduced this brand in 2008. This blend is full-bodied with a Brazilian wrapper and medium-bodied with a Connecticut-seed wrapper.

EL TIANTE 23 SERIES

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Ecuador, Indonesia, Mexico

Filler: Mexico, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Torpedo	Belicoso	6	54	CM-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM-Ma
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM-Ma

Named for the famed pitcher Luis Tiant, born in Cuba, who played for six teams over 19 years in the big leagues from 1964-1982, this is a mild blend with a natural wrapper (Indonesia binder, Nicaraguan filler), medium-bodied with a maduro wrapper (Mexican binder, Mexican and Nicaraguan filler) and full-bodied in the Corojo style (Ecuadorian binder, Nicaraguan filler).

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All are offered in boxes of, naturally, 23.

EL TITAN DE BRONZE GOLD

Handmade in Miami, Florida USA.

Wrapper: Brazil, Indonesia, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Ecuador

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	Churchill	7½	50	CC-CM-Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo	6½	54	CC-CM-Ma
Torpedo	Belicoso	4½	54	CC-CM-Ma
Grand Corona	Gloria	6¼	46	CC-CM-Ma
Toro	Corona	5¾	48	CC-CM-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC-CM-Ma
Perfecto	Petit Perfecto	4	46	CC-CM-Ma
Toro	Toro	6	52	CC-CM-Ma

This medium-bodied brand is offered in cellophane sleeves in boxes of 25. Three wrappers are available: a natural-shade Connecticut leaf, darker Indonesian leaf or Brazilian maduro.

EL TITAN DE BRONZE GRAN RESERVA

Handmade in Miami, Florida, USA.

Wrapper: Brazil, Cameroon

Binder: Ecuador

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	Churchill	7½	50	CC-CM-Ma
Toro	Corona	5¾	48	CC-CM-Ma
Toro	Toro	6	52	CC-CM-Ma
Torpedo	Belicoso	4½	54	CC-CM-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC-CM-Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo	6½	54	CC-CM-Ma

Introduced in 2007, you have a choice of blend with a Brazilian Maduro (medium-to-full body) or Cameroon (medium-bodied) wrappers. All are offered uncellophaned in boxes of 25.

EL TITAN DE BRONZE REDEMPTION ★New★

Handmade in Miami, Florida USA.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM

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Toro	Toro	6	52	CM
Torpedo	Belicoso	4½	54	CM
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM
Corona	Coronita	5½	44	CM
Panatela	Lancero	6¾	38	CM

Here is a full-bodied blend, introduced in 2008, that features an Ecuadorian sun-grown wrapper. It's offered in boxes of 20.

EL TROFEO HABANO

*Handmade in Folsom and South Lake Tahoe, California, USA,
and Tamboril, Dominican Republic.*

Wrapper: Cameroon, Indonesia, Mexico, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dominican Republic

Filler: Dominican Republic

Introduced in 1996, this is eight-size line offered in three styles: mild-to-medium-bodied with a Connecticut wrapper, medium-bodied with an Indonesian wrapper and medium-to-full in the Cameroon and maduro shade (grown in Mexico). The four-shape Seleccion Marquez line is full-bodied and offered in natural and maduro wrappers.

ELOGIO

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Churchill	Churchill	7	48	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6⅛	52	CM
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM
Long Corona	Corona Extra	6	42	CM
Small Panatela	Petite Corona	5	32	CM

Introduced in 2003, this brand was sold in 2007. It now comprises two series using the same sizes: the Serie Habano (medium body) and the Serie LSV (medium-to-full), both under the supervision of Carlos Pereda Robaina, grandson of the legendary Cuban grower, Alejandro Robaina.

EMILIO REYES

Handmade in Navarette, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Indonesia, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC-CM
Long Corona	Extra Corona	6	42	CC-CM

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Grand Corona	Corona	6	46	CC-CM
Pyramid	Piramide	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	52	CC-CM
Toro	Toro	6	50	CC-CM
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CC-CM

Bearing the name of the respected cigar maker Emilio Reyes, this brand debuted in 2001, left the market in 2003 and returned in 2004. It offers mild-to-medium body with a choice of wrappers in boxes of 25.

EMMO 500

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Cameroon

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Corona	Interlagos	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	CM
Churchill	Indianapolis	7	48	CM
Lonsdale	Silverstone	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	40	CM
Robusto	Monza	5	50	CM

Here is a special blend of the Fittipaldi brand, introduced in 2002. The Emmo500 celebrates four famous names in auto racing with a full-bodied, limited-edition series. The band is distinctive for the black-and-white checkered flag and is in boxes of 25.

EO No. 21 ★New★

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	Doble Corona	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	52	CC
Toro	Toro	6	52	CC
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC
Torpedo	Torpedo	6	52	CC

EO Brands introduced this line in 2008, featuring a Connecticut-seed wrapper. It's all long-filler and a medium-bodied smoke, offered in bundles of 21.

ERIN GO BRAGH ★New★

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto (tubed)	5	50	Ma

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This favored salute to Ireland debuted in late 2007. The medium-to-full bodied blend is infused with Irish Whiskey for a subtle taste, offered in boxes of 15.

ESCUDO CUBANO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Brazil, Indonesia

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Toro	Toro	6	50	CM-Ma
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM-Ma
Torpedo	Torpedo	6½	52	CM-Ma
Lonsdale	No. 1	6½	44	CM-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM-Ma

Introduced in 1996, this is a mild-to-medium (natural) or medium-bodied (maduro) blend of tobaccos, including a Sumatra or Brazilian (maduro) wrapper, combined with Nicaraguan-grown Piloto Cubano and Olor filler leaves. These cigars are presented in unique cedar boxes of 25, featuring a plexiglass top!

ESENCIA ★New★

Handmade in Danli, Honduras.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Grand Corona	Corona Gorda	5⅝	46	CM
Torpedo	Belicoso	5½	52	CM
Corona	Petit Corona	5⅛	42	CM
Robusto	Robusto	4⅞	50	CM

The Brother of the Leaf cigar company introduced this medium-to-full-bodied blend in 2008. The elegant, chocolate-brown Nicaraguan wrapper is its signature and all sizes are offered in boxes of 21.

ESPECIALES SELECTOS DOMINICAN

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	Churchill	6⅞	50	CC-Ma
Toro	Toro	6	50	CC-Ma
Lonsdale	Lonsdale	6¾	44	CC-Ma
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC-Ma
Corona	No. 4	5½	44	CC-Ma

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Torpedo	Torpedo	6	52	CC-Ma
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Introduced in 1998, this is a mild-to-medium-bodied blend from Juan Sosa's Antillian Cigar Company. This blend of U.S. and Dominican tobaccos is offered in open-faced cedar boxes of 25 with a choice of Connecticut wrappers in either natural shade or Connecticut Broadleaf in a maduro shade.

ESPLENDIDO

Handmade in Tamboril, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Cameroon, Indonesia, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dominican Republic

Filler: Dominican Republic

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	Churchill <i>(tube avail.)</i>	7	50	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6¼	50	CM-Ma
Toro	Toro Regular <i>(tube avail.)</i>	5¾	50	CC-CM
Robusto	Toro Gordo	5	52	CM-Ma
Short Panatela	Petite	5	36	CM
Lonsdale	Lonsdale	6¾	44	CM
<i>Cognac Luxury series:</i>				
Double Corona	Churchill <i>(tubed)</i>	7	50	CM
Toro	Toro <i>(tubed)</i>	5¾	50	CM

This brand was introduced to the U.S. market in 2003, offering two series: the standard line, with an Indonesian wrapper, except for the Toro Regular, also offered with a Connecticut wrapper; and the Cognac Luxury series, with a Cameroon wrapper, offered in glass tubes. These are mild cigars, presented elegantly in boxes of 25 for the standard line (20 for boxes of tubed Churchills or Toro Connecticut-wrapped) and 20 for the Cognac Luxury line (also in 10s for the Churchill). The Petite and Lonsdale sizes come in flavors: chocolate, vanilla and rum.

ESTEBAN CARRERAS 1961 LIMITADA

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Cameroon

Binder: Ecuador

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Corona	Corona	5¼	42	CM
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM
Toro	Gran Corona	6½	50	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6¼	52	CM

Craig Cunningham of Dana Point, California introduced this blend in 2006. It's medium in body with a long-aged Cameroon wrapper and Sumatra-seed binder, offered in boxes of 25 or 36.

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ESTEBAN CARRERAS CONNECTICUT

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC
Toro	Gran Corona	6	50	CC
Churchill	Churchill	7	48	CC
Torpedo	Belicoso	6¼	52	CC
Giant	Double Corona	8	52	CC

Introduced in 2005, this is a mild-to-medium-bodied blend made in the Dominican Republic with a Connecticut Shade wrapper. All sizes are offered in cedar chests of 20.

ESTEBAN CARRERAS DIEZ ANOS ★New★

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CM
Robusto	Toro	5½	54	CM
Double Corona	Churchill	6¾	50	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6¼	54	CM

Introduced in 2008, this is a medium-to-full-bodied blend that features all-Nicaraguan-grown leaves. It's offered in boxes of 24.

ESTEBAN CARRERAS HABANO ★New★

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	52	CM
Toro	Toro	6	52	CM
Toro	Toro Grande	6¼	58	CM
Double Corona	Churchill	7	50	CM
Giant	Double Corona	8	52	CM
Robusto	Rothman	4	54	CM

Here's a full-bodied edition of the Esteban Carreras line in six fat sizes, introduced in mid-2008. It features a Nicaraguan Habano wrapper and is offered in boxes of 20.

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ESTEBAN CARRERAS IMPRESSO MADURO ★New★

Handmade in Danli, Honduras.

Wrapper: Costa Rica

Binder: Honduras

Filler: Honduras

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	Ma
Toro	Toro	6	50	Ma
Churchill	Churchill	7	48	Ma
Torpedo	Petite Belicoso	5½	50	Ma
Corona	Corona	5¼	42	Ma
Toro	Gran Corona	6½	48	Ma

Introduced in 2008, this line features a Costa Rican-grown maduro wrapper and a medium-to-full body. It's offered in boxes of 20.

ESTRELLA DE CAYO HUESO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Cameroon

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

The Key West Cigar Co. created this brand to offer a value-priced cigar with a genuine Cameroon wrapper and a medium-bodied presence in six shapes.

ETIQUETA AZUL ★New★

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	48	CC
Torpedo	Belicoso	6	50	CC
Churchill	Churchill	6¾	48	CC

Meier & Dutch introduced this Drew Estate-made, botanical-infused brand in 2008. It features a Connecticut-seed wrapper and is offered in boxes of 20.

EVELIO

Handmade in Danli, Honduras.

Wrapper: Ecuador

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Corona	Corona	5¾	42	CC
Churchill	Double Corona	7⅝	47	CC
Lonsdale	No. 1	7	44	CC
Robusto	Robusto	4¾	54	CC-Ma

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Toro	Robusto Larga	6	54	CC-Ma
Pyramid	Torpedo	7	54	CC

The lifetime of expertise which resides in master roller Evelio Oviedo is the secret behind this brand, introduced in 1996. This is a full-bodied but smooth smoke, prepared in the same all-by-hand method that Oviedo knew from his days in Cuba at the H. Upmann factory in Havana. Evelio cigars are presented in all-cedar boxes of 25.

EVELIO NICARAGUAN SELECTION

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Nicaragua

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Torpedo	652	6	52	CM

Introduced in 2006, this is an all-Nicaraguan line from the House of Oxford which features a Habano Rosado wrapper. It's medium in body and offered in boxes of 25.

EXCALIBUR

BY HOYO DE MONTERREY

Handmade in Cofradia, Honduras.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut

Binder: USA/Connecticut

Filler: Dominican Republic, Honduras, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	No. I	7¼	54	CC-Ma
Churchill	No. II	6¾	47	CC-Ma
Toro	No. III	6⅛	48	CC-Ma
Grand Corona	No. IV	5⅝	46	CC-Ma
Grand Corona	No. V	6¼	45	CC-Ma
Panatela	No. VI	5½	38	CC-Ma
Petit Corona	No. VII	5	43	CC-Ma
Churchill	Banquets <i>(tubed)</i>	6¾	48	CC
Giant	Emperor	8½	52	CC-Ma
Robusto	Epicures	5¼	50	CC-Ma
Toro	Prensado	6⅛	48	Ma
Cigarillo	Miniatures	3	22	CC
Cigarillo	Cigarillo	4	24	CC

Excalibur cigars are handmade in Honduras and are the choicest cigars of the famous Hoyo de Monterrey line. All of the shapes are wrapped in beautiful Connecticut Shade wrappers,

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which gives each and every Excalibur cigar a robust, medium-to-full-bodied, but exquisitely smooth taste. Shapes I-VII are available in boxes of 20, as are the Epicures, the box-pressed Prensados, Minis and Cigarillos; the Banquets and Emperors are packed in 10s.

EXCALIBUR 1066

BY HOYO DE MONTERREY

Handmade in Cofradia, Honduras.

Wrapper: Cameroon, USA/Connecticut

Binder: USA/Connecticut

Filler: Dom. Rep., Honduras, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Merlin	5¼	50	CM
Grand Corona	King Arthur	6¼	45	CM
Churchill	Galahad	6¾	47	CM
Double Corona	Lancelot	7¼	54	CM
Toro	Dark Knight I	5¾	54	CM
Toro	Dark Knight II	6½	52	CM
Robusto	Dark Knight III	4½	50	CM
Robusto	Dark Knight IV	5	52	CM

Named for the year of the Norman Conquest of England, this brand salutes King Arthur and three members of his court — even though it was William the Conqueror who led the Normans to victory in 1066. The final, full-bodied, blend was chosen by consumers (!) who voted at General Cigar's top retailers by selecting for one of two test cigars available at each shop. Once chosen, the final version of Excalibur 1066 made its debut in mid-2000 and is offered in all-cedar boxes of 20. The wrappers are from Cameroon for all shapes except the Dark Knights, which have Connecticut-grown, Havana-seed wrappers.

EXCALIBUR LEGEND ★New★

Handmade in Cofradia, Honduras.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut

Binder: USA/Connecticut

Filler: Dom. Rep., Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Grand Corona	Crusader	5¾	45	CM
Robusto	Challenger	5¼	50	CM
Toro	Conqueror	6¼	54	CM

Here is a robust version of Excalibur, introduced in 2008 and featuring filler leaves from the volcanic island of Ometepe, off the coast of Nicaragua. Easy to spot by the red accents on the band, it is full-bodied and offered in boxes of 20.

EXILE

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Ecuador, USA/Connecticut

Binder: Nicaragua

Filler: Nicaragua

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<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Robusto	Robusto	5	50	CC-Ma
Perfecto	Perfection 1	5½	49	CC-Ma
Toro	Churchill	6¼	50	CC-Ma
Torpedo	Perfection 2	7	49	CC-Ma

Created by Cuban Imports in 2006, Exile offers a choice of an Ecuadorian Rosado or Connecticut Broadleaf maduro wrapper along with a full-bodied taste. Each cigar is wrapped in a reproduction of the front page of the February 4, 1962 issue of the *New York Daily Mirror*, announcing the imposition of the Cuban trade embargo by U.S. President John F. Kennedy. All sizes are offered in boxes of 24.

EXILE WIRED ★New★

Handmade in Esteli, Nicaragua.

Wrapper: Ecuador Binder: USA/Connecticut Filler: Dom. Rep., Honduras, Nicaragua

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Corona	Corona Gorda	5½	44	CM
Robusto	Rothschild	4½	52	CM
Torpedo	Torpedo	6	52	CM
Double Corona	Double Corona	7¼	52	CM

Introduced by Cuban Imports in 2008, this is a medium-to-full-bodied blend which features a Criollo wrapper grown in Ecuador. All sizes are offered in wild boxes of 24 that have chain-link-fence-style wire around them!

EXQUISITO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: USA/Connecticut Binder: Dom. Rep. Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Perfecto	Perfecto Long	7	48	Ma-Stripe
Perfecto	Perfecto Short	4½	48	Ma-Stripe
Torpedo	Belicoso Long	6	52	Ma-Stripe
Torpedo	Mini Belicoso	5	52	Ma-Stripe
Torpedo	Torpesito	7	56	Ma-Stripe
Double Corona	Double Corona	7	54	Ma-Stripe
Toro	Toro	6	50	Ma-Stripe

This line was introduced by the Crown David Int'l Cigar Co. in 2004 and offers a medium-bodied taste with a Connecticut-grown maduro wrapper and a mild-to-medium-bodied flavor

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with its striped, Connecticut natural and maduro wrapper. It is offered in boxes of 20.

EXQUISITO LIMITADO

Handmade in Santiago, Dominican Republic.

Wrapper: Dom. Rep.

Binder: Dom. Rep.

Filler: Dom. Rep.

<i>Shape</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Lgth</i>	<i>Ring</i>	<i>Wrapper</i>
Double Corona	E1	7¼	52	CM
Toro	E2	6	50	CM
Torpedo	E3	6¼	52	CM
Perfecto	E4	7	48	CM
Perfecto	E5	4½	48	CM
Robusto	E6 Cedro	5½	50	CM
Corona	E7 Cedro	5½	44	CM
Perfecto	EE	6½	56	CM

The Crown David Cigar Co. introduced this blend in 2006. It's mild-to-medium in body featuring all-Dominican-grown tobacco in boxes of 20.