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Superior Selection Ratings Featured  
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	<b>DOMINICAN REPUBLIC</b> <b>GUILLERMO LEÓN CORONA GORDA</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 47 LENGTH: 6" Solidly rolled with a richly colored wrapper and slightly uneven burn. It's a cedary cigar balanced by plenty of leather and spice on the palate.	<b>92</b>
	<b>DOMINICAN REPUBLIC</b> <b>AURORA PREFERIDOS EMERALD</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 54 LENGTH: 5" Despite the bulbous body and tapered ends, this classic perfecto draws and burns evenly. The smoke is well balanced with coffee bean flavors, cedary notes, earthiness and a nutty finish.	<b>91</b>
	<b>HONDURAS</b> <b>CAMACHO DIPLOMA DIPLOMA</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 50 LENGTH: 5" A well-made robusto with a slightly firm draw and very even burn. Cedar and leather are pleasantly balanced by woody notes and a tea leaf finish. Medium bodied.	<b>91</b>
	<b>NICARAGUA</b> <b>CASA MAGNA COLORADO DIADEMA</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 54 LENGTH: 6 3/4" This notably oily figurado draws and burns evenly. A panoply of cocoa bean, cedar and spices culminate in a savory, leathery finish.	<b>91</b>
	<b>NICARAGUA</b> <b>DUNHILL SIGNED RANGE CHURCHILL</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 50 LENGTH: 7" Streaky in appearance and richly colored, this cigar is profoundly leathery in character showing salty peanut notes and woody flavors, but the leather intensifies for a savory medium-bodied smoke.	<b>91</b>
	<b>NICARAGUA</b> <b>MASTER BY CARLOS TORAÑO ROBUSTO</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 50 LENGTH: 5" Dark and oily with an attractive hue, this cigar starts out rich with earth and leather progressing to a cedary sweetness on the palate.	<b>91</b>
	<b>NICARAGUA</b> <b>MY FATHER CEDROS DELUXE CERVANTES</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 44 LENGTH: 6 1/2" Thin and solidly rolled with plenty of cedar and clear white pepper impressions on the palate. Robust coffee bean flavor resonates on the finish.	<b>91</b>
	<b>HONDURAS</b> <b>ROCKY PATEL VINTAGE 1992 CHURCHILL</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 48 LENGTH: 7" A semi-pressed cigar with a dark wrapper and lush draw. There's a sweet and smoky balance of toast and nuts complemented by sugared Cuban coffee and dried fruit.	<b>91</b>
	<b>NICARAGUA</b> <b>LA AROMA DE CUBA EDICIÓN ESPECIAL NO. 5</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 52 LENGTH: 5 1/2" Well made with a tawny-colored wrapper and blunted belicoso head. Spice flavor occurs on the front and back palate, though balanced by wheat and floral notes.	<b>90</b>
	<b>NICARAGUA</b> <b>PADRÓN SERIE 1926 MADURO 40TH ANNIVERSARY</b> ■ RING GAUGE: 54 LENGTH: 6 1/2" A gorgeous, box-pressed pyramid with no visible veins on the wrapper. The cigar exhibits near-perfect combustion and a lush draw that communicates woody flavors, sweet pepper notes and cocoa powder.	<b>90</b>

CIGAR AFICIONADO's 100-point scale: 95-100 classic ■ 90-94 outstanding ■ 80-89 very good to excellent ■ 70-79 average to good commercial quality