

## NEW INTERNATIONAL SERIE V MELANIO FOR SALE OUTSIDE US

*Just 3,000 boxes available of the stunning new special production 4ins x 60 Ring Gauge*

*cigar*



**OLIVA'S ever-popular Serie V Melanio line of cigars continues to grow.**

The latest creation will be a 'Parejo', or straight-sided cigar, unlike other box-pressed cigars in the Melanio line.

The Serie V Melanio 4 x 60 Limitada 2021 will be available in markets outside the United States in just 3,000 boxes of 10. It is the fifth Oliva Edición Limitada.

This latest Limited Edition is a blend of Oliva Nicaraguan Habano leaf and comes in a highly innovative, sideways opening lacquered box which is sealed – unusually in the cigar world – magnetically. The blend emphasizes the qualities of superior leaf from the Jalapa region of Nicaragua, an area known for the great subtlety and complexity of its tobacco and the resulting cigar provides a tremendously smooth, rewarding and distinguished smoke.

The Melanio line is a limited production offshoot of the evergreen Oliva Serie V. The maduro (extra matured) versions are made in even smaller numbers than those *Melanios* rolled with Ecuadorian wrappers.

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## **About Oliva**

Melanio Oliva founded the Oliva Cigar Company when he began growing tobacco in Cuba's hallowed Pinar del Rio municipality in 1886. By the early 1920s, his son, Facundo, had taken over and continued to cultivate the family fields in Cuba for several decades. Later forced out by Castro's communist revolution of 1959, he travelled from country to country trying to replicate the amazing terroir of Cuba, passing through Honduras, Panama, Mexico and even the Philippines before finally settling upon Nicaragua as the new best place on the planet to grow his precious cigar tobacco. Today, Oliva – now part of J. Cortès group – stands as the second largest Cuban-seed tobacco grower in the country.