Altadis Cigars

Overview and Premium

Cigars

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Altadis position today in the cigar market

□ Altadis in premium cigars

→US Market

→ Habanos

Conclusion



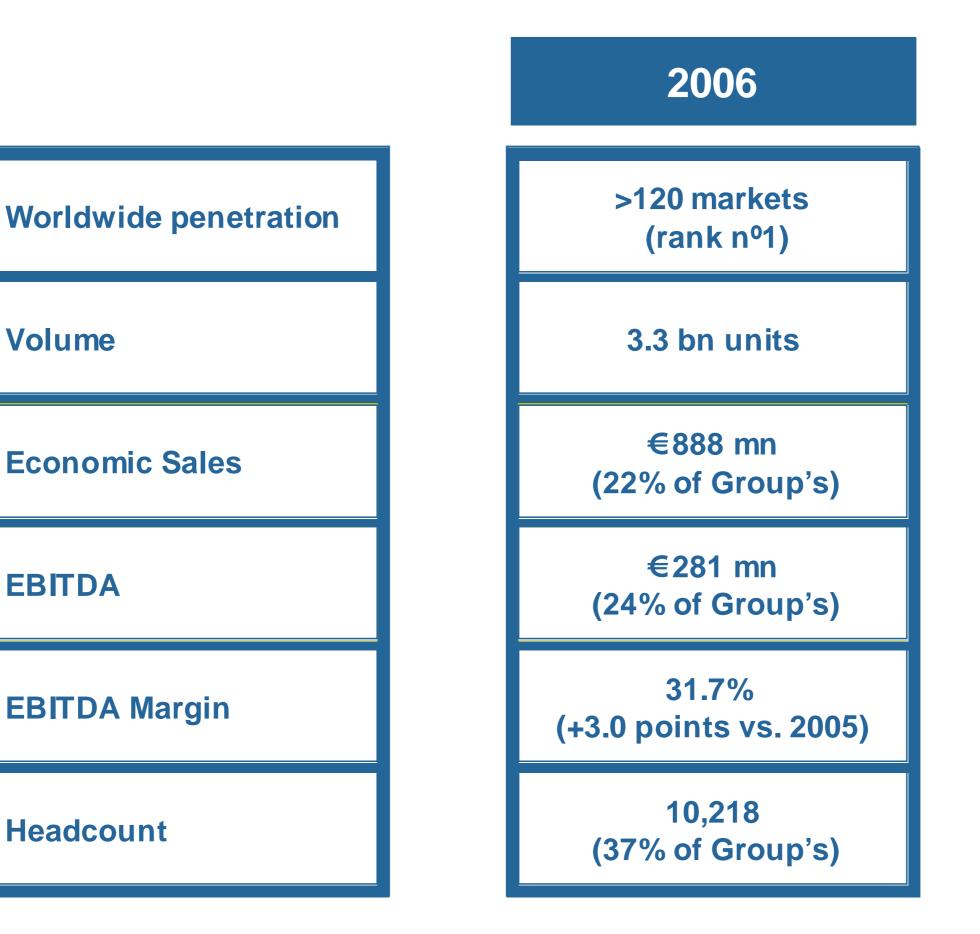
Altadis Cigars: Overview

Volume

EBITDA

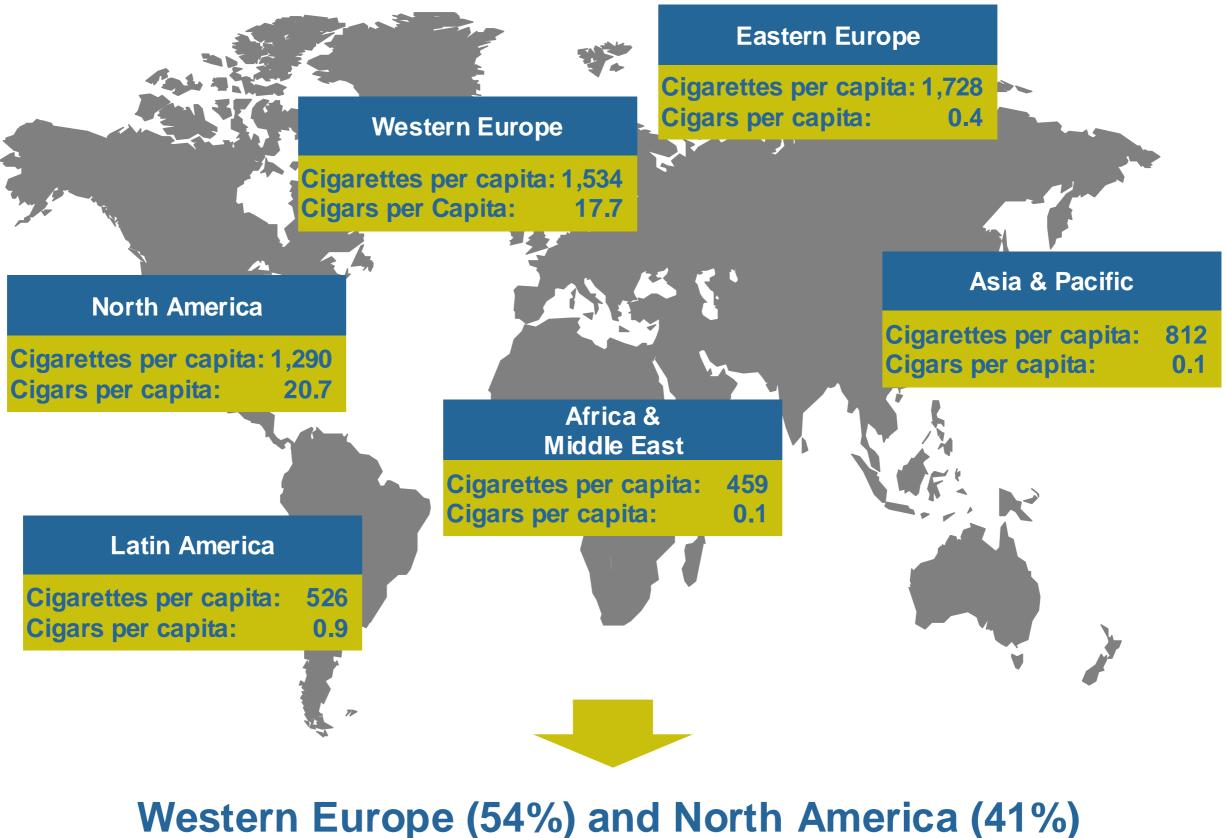
EBITDA Margin

Headcount





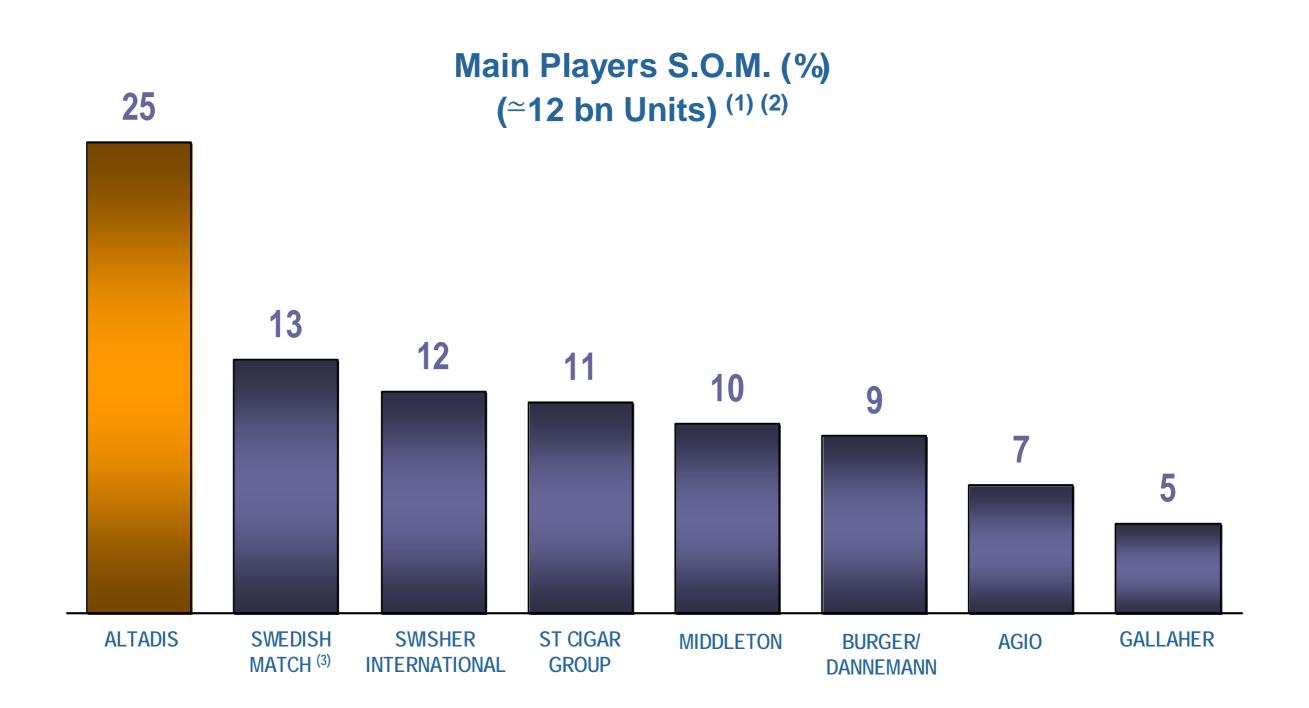
Consumption by Region



estern Europe (54%) and North America (41% = 95% of worldwide cigar market



Altadis Cigars: Worldwide Leadership Position



(1) Source: ERC and Altadis estimation (Excluding China & India)

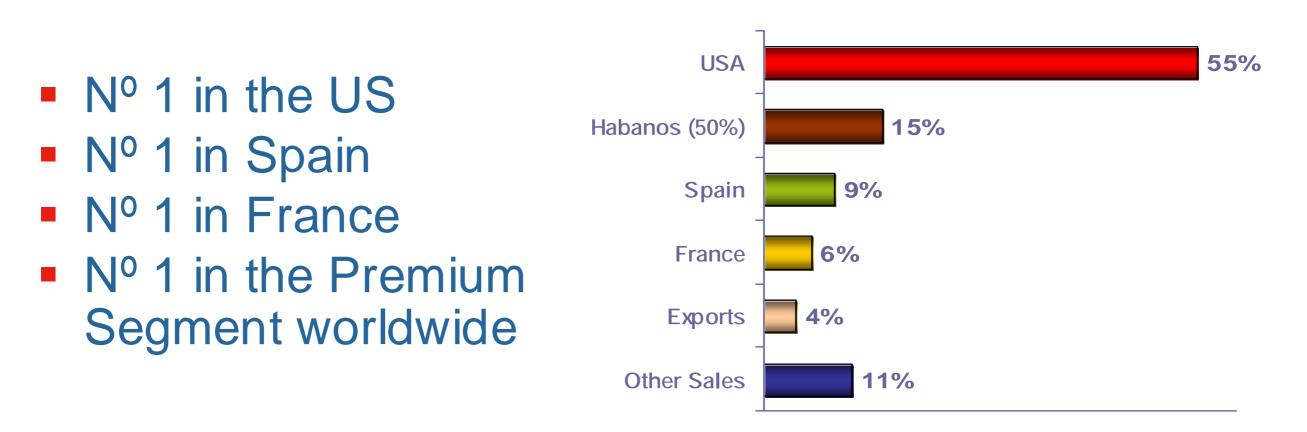
(2) Excluding Eco-Cigarillos and Little Cigars

(3) Including Arnold André



Altadis Cigars: A Position that Provides a Strong Platform for Growth

% 2006 Economic Sales (€)



Unique portfolio of brands and products

Portfolio upgrading and cost efficiency

Innovation and maximum quality

Solid distribution network



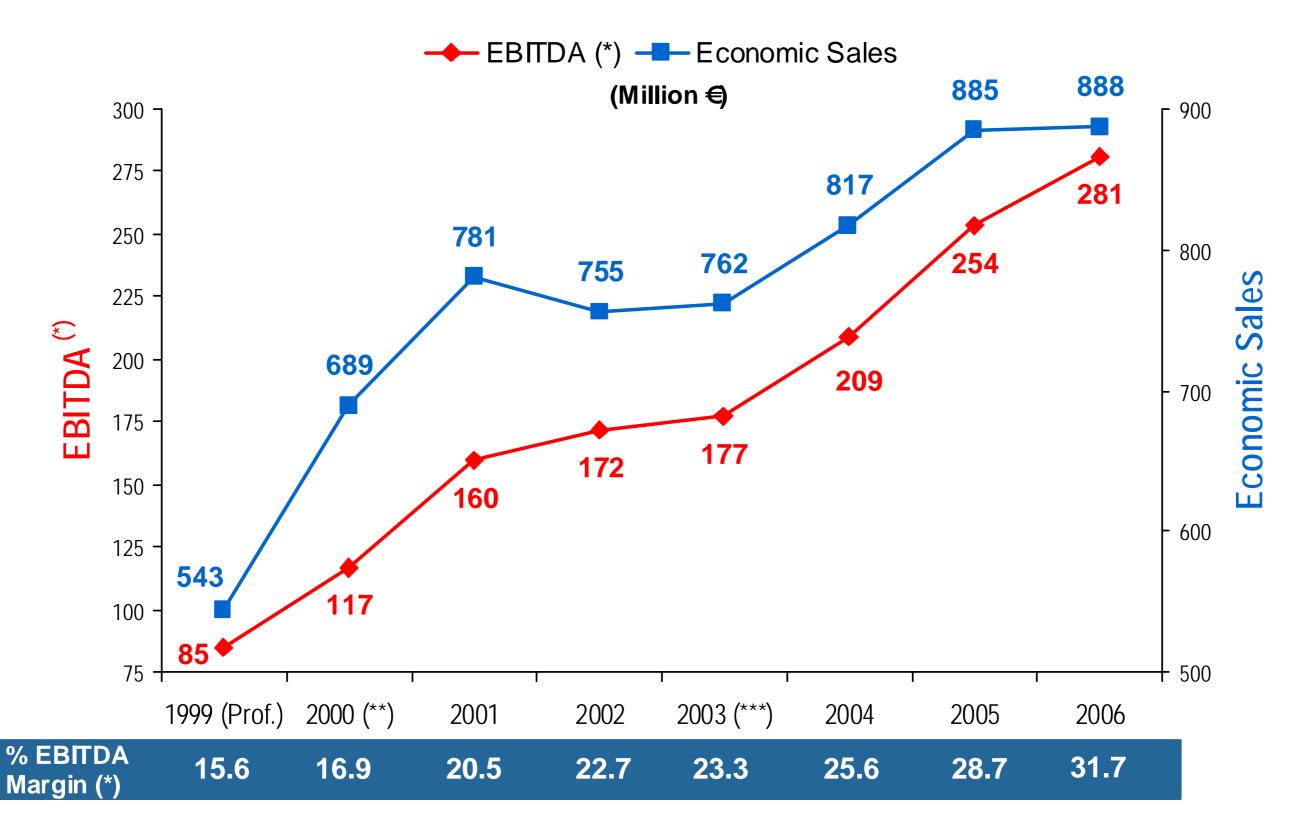
Altadis Cigars: Unrivaled brand portfolio

GLOBAL (Cuban)	MULTILOCAL	LOCAL
Cohiba Montecristo Romeo y Julieta Partagás Hoyo de Monterrey H. Upmann	<section-header><section-header></section-header></section-header>	Phillies Dutch Masters Farias Dux Havanitos Ninas
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Altadis Cigars: Growth Development



(*) From 2004 EBITDA prepared in accordance with IFRS

(**) Acquisition of 50% HSA and merger of USA entities

(***) Acquisition of 800 JR Cigar



Altadis Premium Cigars





Market Segmentation (I)

SEGMENT	Little Cigars	Sheet-Wrapper Mass-Market Large Cigars	Natural-Wrapper Mass-Market Large Cigars	Premium/Super- Premium Cigars
RETAIL PRICE	\$0.05 - \$0.12	\$0.15-\$0.60	\$0.30-\$1.65	\$1.00-\$20.00
DESCRIPTION	 Machine-made Man-made wrapper Short Filler 	 Machine-made Man-made binder and wrapper Short filler 	 Machine-made Natural wrapper Generally man- made binder Short Filler 	 Hand-made Natural wrapper and binder Long filler
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Market Segmentation (II)

PREMIUM & PREMIUM IMAGE

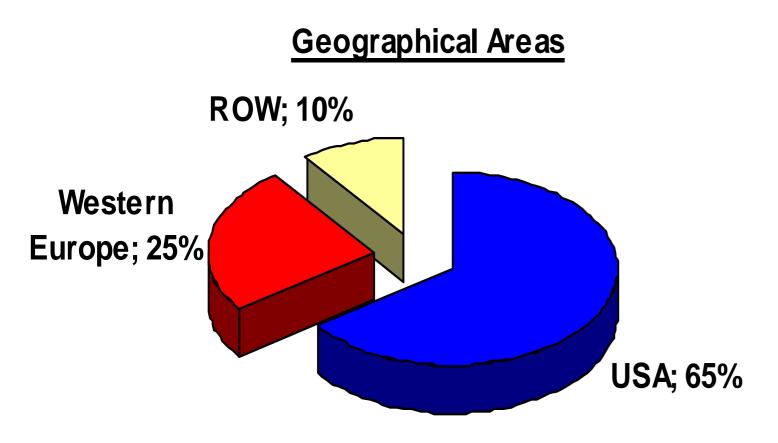




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Premium Cigar Main Markets and Origins



<u>Origins</u>

Cuban origin represents 25%S.O.M. worldwide and over70% excluding US market

More than 40% of the worldwide consumption is manufactured in Dominican Republic, mainly for the US Market

Other manufacturing origins: Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico,...



Altadis is the Most Important Player in the Premium Cigar Market



□ <u>Altadis USA</u> (one of the most important players in the US): Manufacturing and Wholesaling

□<u>800 JR Cigars</u> (the largest Premium cigar distributor): Distributing and Retailing

□ HABANOS through its International Distribution Network. Market leader excluding US market

Europe and R.O.W.

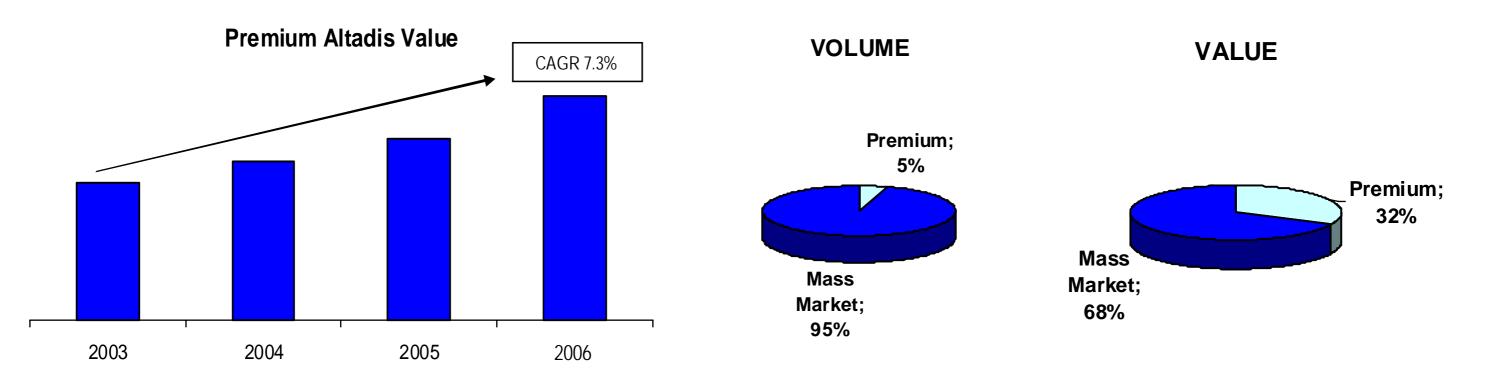
□ Altadis Brands. Mainly in:

- → Spain: Vegafina
- France: Pléiades, Flor de Copán

Increasing presence in other markets driven by Cuban mechanised cigars (Mini Cuban)



Altadis Premium: Outstanding Sales Track Record



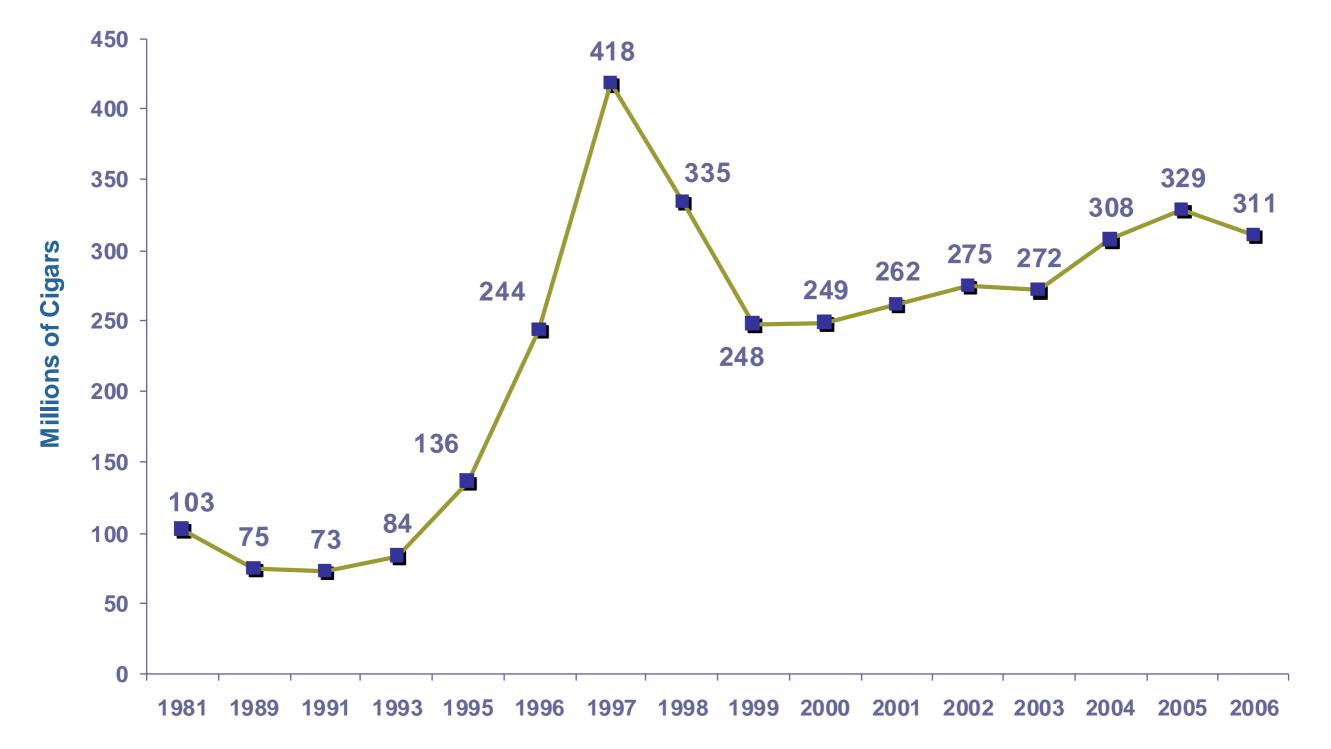
Premium segment is an essential element of the Altadis cigar strategy, focusing on value and profitability

And at the same time, it is a key tool for the development of the Cigars market in emerging areas, which show high potential of future organic growth.



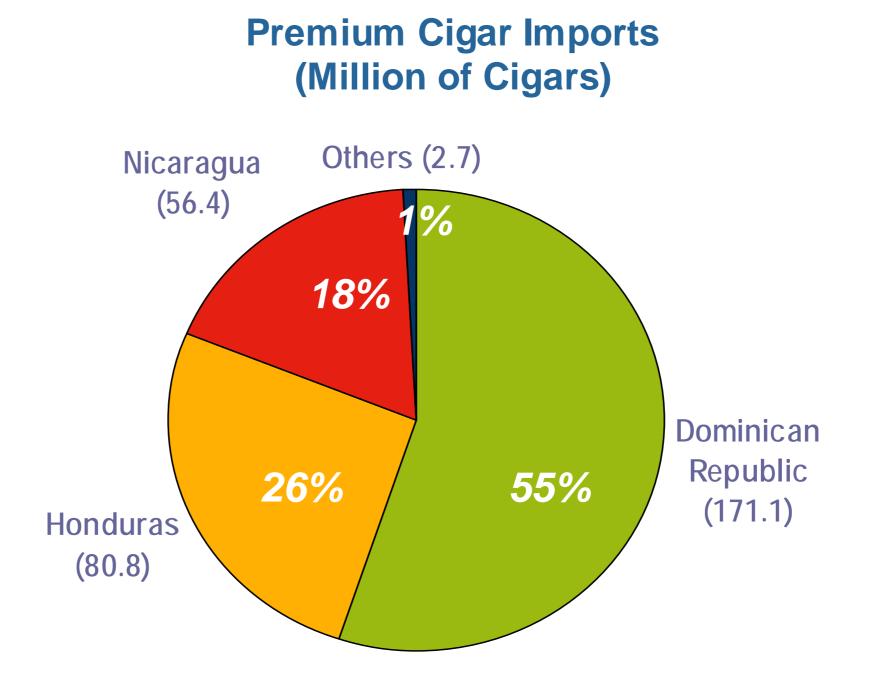
Premium Cigars: US Market - 65% of Worldwide Consumption







Premium Cigars: US Market – Main Countries of Origin and Access to the Market



Premium Cigars sold primarily in tobacconists, mail order, and internet

Over 3,000 tobacconist buy directly from the Company





Premium Cigars: Habanos – Company profile

Owner of the famous cuban trade marks registered in most of the countries around the world

Exclusive exporter of cuban tobacco leaves and all the Havana cigar brands

World leader in premium cigar sales

Present in more than 120 countries from all five continents





Premium Cigars: Habanos – Business Approach

- Total Quality as a main concept: product, packaging, logistics. We sale image, brands and quality as a luxury appeal
- Focus on Global Brands
- Cover all the segments of the market through the appropriate brand
- Novelties: launch of new cigars (Cohiba Siglo VI, Montecristo Edmundo, Partagás Serie P, Cohiba Maduro V)
- Portfolio upgrade: Limited Editions, Special Humidors, Vintage Cigars, Reserves,...
- Create trends in the market, keep alive the tobacco culture, appeal new consumers

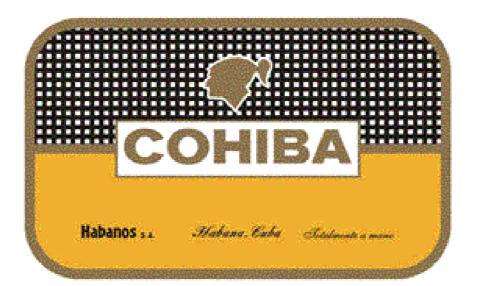


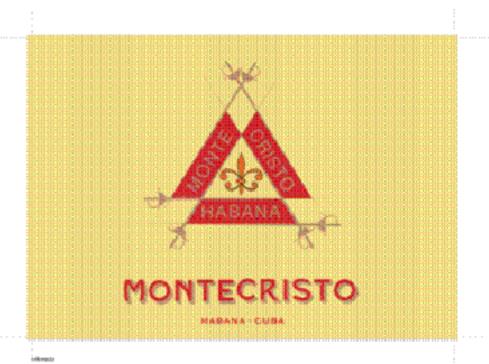


Premium Cigars: Habanos – Brands (I)

Global Brands







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HOYO DE MONTERREY



HABANA · CUBA





Premium Cigars: Habanos – Brands (II)

Multilocal & Local Brands

- Bolivar
 Quai d'Orsay
- Diplomáticos
- Fonseca
 Rafael González
- Juan López
 Ramón Allones
- La Gloria Cubana D Rey del Mundo
- La Flor de Cano
 Saint Luis Rey
- Por Larrañaga
- Punch
- J.L. Piedra

- Sancho Panza
- Vegas Robaina
- Vegueros

Quintero

- **Niche Brands**
- Trinidad
- San Cristóbal de la Habana
- Cuaba



Premium Cigars: Habanos – Pricing Strategy

Luxury product: lower price sensitivity

Clear price positioning per brand

Margins enhanced by specialties

Trend toward harmonizing prices by similar group of markets





Premium Cigars: Habanos – Portfolio Upgrade

Reserves



Specialties



Limited Editions









Premium Cigars: Habanos – Distribution

Worldwide Distribution Network

Import & Wholesales:

→ 31 Exclusive distributors

Retail:

Skimming approach toward specialized outlets

Franchise concept: "Casa del Habano"





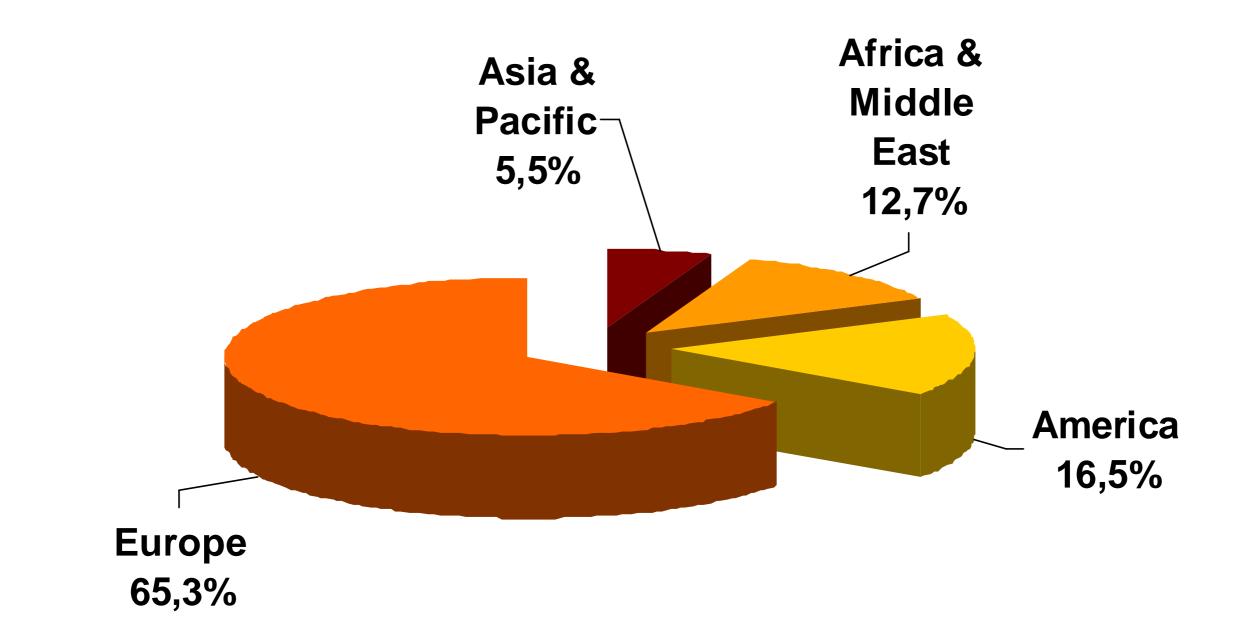
Premium Cigars: Habanos – Casas del Habano

Exclusivity 115 Casas del Habano in 55 countries Quality Assortment Europe: 31 Asia & **Pacific:** America: 45 15 Africa & **M.East: 24** LA CASA DEL HABANO Altadis



Premium Cigars: Habanos – Sales by Region

Volume (units)





Conclusion

Main role of the Premium segment: high value and profitability vs. low volume

□ Altadis is N^o 1 worldwide in the Premium cigar market

Significant opportunity to improve our position in the biggest Premium world market (US)

HABANOS is the key driver for developing business, specially in emerging markets

