



## TEQUILA SILVER · BLANCO · PLATA · WHITE · PLATINUM

THIS IS THE BLUE AGAVE SPIRIT IN ITS PUREST FORM. CLEAR AND TYPICALLY UN-AGED, THE TRUE FLAVORS AND THE INTENSITY OF THE AGAVE ARE PRESENT, AS WELL AS THE NATURAL SWEETNESS. IT CAN BE BOTTLED DIRECTLY AFTER DISTILLATION, OR STORED IN STAINLESS STEEL TANKS TO SETTLE FOR UP TO FOUR WEEKS. SOME BLANCO PRODUCTS ARE AGED FOR UP TO TWO MONTHS TO PROVIDE A SMOOTHER OR “SUAVE” SPIRIT.

### TEQUILA REPOSADO

A REPOSADO TEQUILA IS THE FIRST STAGE OF “RESTED AND AGED.” AGED IN WOOD BARRELS OR STORAGE TANKS BETWEEN TWO AND 11 MONTHS, THE SPIRIT TAKES ON A GOLDEN HUE AND THE TASTE REFLECTS A GOOD BALANCE BETWEEN THE AGAVE AND WOOD FLAVORS. MANY DIFFERENT TYPES OF WOOD BARRELS ARE USED FOR AGING, THE MOST COMMON BEING AMERICAN OR FRENCH OAK. SOME TEQUILAS ARE AGED IN USED BOURBON/WHISKEY, COGNAC OR WINE BARRELS, AND WILL INHERIT UNIQUE FLAVORS FROM THE PREVIOUS SPIRIT. REPOSADO TEQUILAS ARE ALSO REFERRED TO AS “RESTED” AND “AGED.”

### CRISTALINO

THIS IS ESSENTIALLY AÑEJO, OR AGED, TEQUILA THAT HAS BEEN FILTERED (OFTEN THROUGH CHARCOAL) TO REMOVE THE NATURALLY OCCURRING COLORS IT PICKS UP FROM SPENDING TIME INSIDE THE BARREL. THE FILTRATION PROCESS STRIPS THE COLOR AND SOME OF THE TEQUILA’S WOODIER NOTES WITHOUT REMOVING THE RICH FLAVORS AND TEXTURES IMPARTED BY THE BARREL. THE RESULT IS A TEQUILA THAT HAS THE COMPLEXITY AND CHARACTER OF AN AÑEJO WITH THE CRISP, BRIGHT NOTES OF A BLANCO.

### TEQUILA AÑEJO

AFTER AGING FOR AT LEAST ONE YEAR, TEQUILA CAN THEN BE CLASSIFIED AS AN “AÑEJO.” DISTILLERS ARE REQUIRED TO AGE AÑEJO TEQUILA IN BARRELS THAT DO NOT EXCEED 600 LITERS. THIS AGING PROCESS DARKENS THE TEQUILA TO AN AMBER COLOR, AND THE FLAVOR CAN BECOME SMOOTHER, RICHER, AND MORE COMPLEX. AÑEJO TEQUILAS ARE ALSO REFERRED TO AS “AGED” AND “EXTRA-AGED.”

### TEQUILA EXTRA AÑEJO · ULTRA AGED

IN 2006, A NEW TEQUILA CLASSIFICATION WAS ADDED, LABELING ANY TEQUILA AGED MORE THAN THREE YEARS AN “EXTRA AÑEJO.” FOLLOWING THE SAME RULE AS AN “AÑEJO,” THE DISTILLERS MUST AGE THE SPIRIT IN BARRELS OR CONTAINERS WITH A MAXIMUM THE TEQUILA BECOMES DARKER, MORE MAHOGANY IN COLOR. EXTRA AÑEJO’S ARE EXTREMELY SMOOTH AND COMPLEX. EXTRA AÑEJO TEQUILAS ARE ALSO REFERRED TO AS “ULTRA-AGED.”

### JOVEN


THIS IS A TEQUILA BLANCO THAT HAS BEEN BLENDED WITH AGED TEQUILAS LIKE A REPOSADO OR AN AÑEJO. THIS CAN BE A BIT CONFUSING SINCE JOVEN TRANSLATES TO ‘YOUNG’ IN ENGLISH, WHEN REALLY THIS TEQUILA IS ANYTHING BUT.

# TOP RATED TEQUILAS

SOURCE: TEQUILA MATCHMAKER

	RATING
1 FORTELEZA	92
2 WILD COMMON	91
3 VOLANS	90
4 SIETE LEGUAS	89
5 G4 BLANCO	89
6 CASA NOBLE	88
7 CASCAHUÍN	88
8 TEQUILA OCHO	87
9 EL TESORO	87
10 TAPATIO	87
11 CAZCANES NO.7 BLANCO	85
12 ARETTE	84
13 CASAMIGOS	84
14 DON JULIO 1942	84
15 DON FULANO	84
16 EL TEQUILEÑO REPOSADO	84
17 FLECHA AZUL	83
18 VOLCAN	83
19 DON JULIO	82
20 SANTOS	82
21 CASA MAESTRI	81
22 CHAMUCOS	80
23 CÓDIGO 1530	79
24 CUERVO RESERVA	77
25 HERRADURA	76
26 PATRON	75
27 TEQUILA LOBOS	75
28 CHINACO	75
29 LA ADELITA	74
30 GRAN CENTENARIO	73

CERTIFIED ADDITIVE FREE TEQUILAS

ARETTE ANEJO		ROLLER MILL
ARETTE REPOSADO		ROLLER MILL
ARETTE BLANCO		ROLLER MILL
ASTRAL BLANCO		ROLLER MILL
CAZCANES		ROLLER MILL
CHAMUCOS ANEJO		ROLLER MILL
DON FULANO REPOSADO		ROLLER MILL
DON FULANO		ROLLER MILL
EL TESORO ANEJO		TAHONA
EL TESORO REPOSADO		TAHONA
EL TESORO SILVER		TAHONA
EL TESORO PARADISIO		TAHONA
EL TEQUILEÑO SILVER		TAHONA
FORTELEZA REPOSADO WINTER BLEND		TAHONA
FORTALEZA ANEJO		TAHONA
FORTALEZA BLANCO (STILL STRENGTH)		TAHONA
FORTALEZA REPOSADO		TAHONA
FORTALEZA SILVER		TAHONA
G4		TAHONA
MIJENTA SILVER		TAHONA
MIJENTA REPOSADO		TAHONA
OCHO AÑEJO		TAHONA
OCHO REPOSADO		TAHONA
OCHO SILVER		TAHONA
SIETE LEGUAS ANEJO		TAHONA
SIETE LEGUAS REPOSADO		TAHONA
SIETE LEGUAS 70 ANNIVERSARY		ROLLER MILL
SIETE LEGUAS SILVER		ROLLER MILL
EL TAPATIO SILVER		ROLLER MILL
VOLANS		ROLLER MILL
VOLCAN TIERRA REPO		TAHONA
WILD COMMON BLANCO		TAHONA
WILD COMMON REPOSADO		TAHONA
WILD COMMON MESCAL		TAHONA

THE TEQUILA REGULATORY COUNCIL PERMITS 1% OF THAT 100% AGAVE SPIRIT TO CONSIST OF ADDITIVES WITHOUT ANY CHANGE TO THE BOTTLE'S LABEL. FOUR TYPES OF ADDITIVES ARE PERMITTED: GLYCERIN, CARAMEL COLORING, OAK EXTRACT, AND JARABE OR SUGAR-BASED SYRUP. TEQUILA MATCHMAKER PERFORMS RIGOROUS INSPECTIONS

# THE CANTINA

## SIPPING TEQUILAS

THE TEQUILAS AND MEZCAL LISTED BELOW ARE FAMILY OWNED, CRAFTED BY HAND, ADDITIVE FREE, AND WITH DEEP RESPECT FOR, THE ENVIRONMENT. THEY ARE MEANT TO BE ENJOYED "NEAT". IN ORDER TO APPRECIATE THE QUALITY OF THESE FINE TEQUILAS; SIP, LET IT ROLL IN THE MOUTH, SWALLOW, EXHALE AND WAIT A FEW MINUTES. THE TEQUILA WILL CHANGE WITH EACH SIP. SALUD!

### BLANCOS

FORTELEZA BLANCO 15

HAND CRAFTED BY GUILLERMO ERICKSON SAUZA - ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 90 - FLAVORS - AGAVE - PEPPER - CITRUS - OLIVE - EARTHY. NOTE: LIMITED - ALLOCATED.

WILD COMMON BLANCO 18

FROM ADVENTURE PHOTOGRAPHER FOR NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC, MOUNTAIN CLIMBER AND ANTHROPOLOGIST ANDY BARDON DISTILLED AT CASACHUÍN. ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 91 - FLAVORS - AGAVE - PEPPER - CITRUS - CINNAMON

VOLANS BLANCO 16

FAMILY OWNED BY CHAD AND CRISTINA ALLEN - ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 90 - FLAVORS - AGAVE - PEPPER - CITRUS - FLOWERS.

G4 BLANCO 16

FAMILY OWNED BY THE CAMERENA FAMILY - ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 89 - FLAVORS - AGAVE - PEPPER - CITRUS - GRASS.

CASCAHUÍN 16

FAMILY OWNED BY SALVADOR ROSALES BRISEÑO - ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 87 - FLAVORS - AGAVE - PEPPER - CITRUS - GRASS.

### REPOSADOS

AGED FROM 3-9 MONTHS IN BARRELS, THESE TEQUILA EXPRESSIONS IMPART THE FLAVORS OF THE BARRELS.

FORTELEZA REPOSADO 16

HAND CRAFTED BY GUILLERMO ERICKSON SAUZA - ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 88 - TAHONA CRUSHING - FLAVORS - AGAVE - VANILLA - OAK - CARAMEL - PEPPER. NOTE: VERY LIMITED - ALLOCATED.

EL TESORO DE DON FILEPE 14

OAK FERMENTATION - TAHONA CRUSHING - BRICK OVEN - ADDITIVE FREE FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - PEPPER - CARAMEL

ARETTE ARTESENAL SUAVE 15

AGED IN AMERICAN WHITE OAK BARRELS - ADDITIVE FREE - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - PEPPER - CARAMEL

SIETE LEGUAS REPOSADO 16

AGED IN AMERICAN WHITE OAK BARRELS & BOUBON BARRELS - ADDITIVE FREE - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - CITRUS - PEPPER - CARAMEL

VOLANS REPOSADO 18

RATED 88 - AGED IN WHISKY BARRELS - TAHONA CRUSHING - ADDITIVE FREE - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - PEPPER - CARAMEL - MINERALS



## SIPPING TEQUILAS

**AÑEJOS** AGED FROM 1-2 YEARS IN BARRELS, THESE TEQUILA EXPRESSIONS ARE RICH IN FLAVOR AND SMOOTHNESS

CASA NOBLE AÑEJO 16

AGED IN FRENCH OAK BARRELS - NATURAL CORK - ORGANIC FLAVORS - AGAVE - VANILLA - CARAMEL - OAK - CHOCOLATE

DON FULANO AÑEJO 22

ADDITIVE FREE - RATED 86 - AGED IN FRENCH OAK BARRELS - WINE CASKS - HUNGARIAN OAK BARRELS - FLAVORS AGAVE - VANILLA - CARAMEL - BUTTERSCOTCH

22

MIJENTA AÑEJO

ADDITIVE FREE- RATED 87 - AGED IN FRENCH OAK, AMERICAN WHITE, ACACIA, AND CHERRY BARRELS - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - FLOWERS - CARAMEL

OCHO AÑEJO 18

RATED 88 - SINGLE ESTATE - AGED IN AMERICAN WHITE OAK BARRELS & WHISKY BARRELS- ADDITIVE FREE - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - CITRUS - PEPPER - CARAMEL

**EXTRA AÑEJOS** AGED FROM 3-5 YEARS IN BARRELS, THESE TEQUILA EXPRESSIONS ARE VERY SMOOTH AND LINGER ON THE PALATE

CASA NOBLE SINGLE BARRELL EXTRA AÑEJO 22

RATED 90 - AGED IN FRENCH OAK BARRELS - TRIPLE DISTILLED - FLAVOR: CARAMEL - AGAVE - CHOCOLATE - VANILLA

SUERTE 8 YEAR OLD EXTRA AÑEJO 30

ADDITIVE FREE - AMERICAN WHITE OAK WHISKY BARRELS - FLAVORS AGAVE - VANILLA - OAK - PEPPER

EL TESORO PARADISIO EXTRA AÑEJO 50

ADDITIVE FREE- RATED 87 - AGED IN FRENCH OAK, AMERICAN WHITE, ACACIA, AND CHERRY BARRELS - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - FLOWERS - CARAMEL

HERRADURA SUPREMA EXTRA AÑEJO 95

RATED 88 - SINGLE ESTATE - AGED IN AMERICAN WHITE OAK BARRELS & WHISKY BARRELS- ADDITIVE FREE - FLAVORS: AGAVE - OAK - VANILLA - CITRUS - PEPPER - CARAMEL - FLOWERS - CARAMEL

## TOP TEN TEQUILA DISTILLERIES

AGAVE, WATER, AND YEAST. UNBELIEVABLY, THOSE THREE INGREDIENTS ARE ALL YOU NEED TO MAKE TEQUILAS WITH AN ENORMOUS VARIETY OF AROMAS AND FLAVORS. THAT'S BECAUSE WHILE THE INGREDIENTS ARE SIMPLE, THE PROCESS IS ANYTHING BUT. IF YOU'VE EVER WONDERED WHY TEQUILAS SMELL AND TASTE DIFFERENT FROM BRAND TO BRAND, THE FIRST THING TO CONSIDER IS WHERE, AND HOW, IT WAS MADE.

TEQUILA DISTILLERIES CAN DIFFER FROM EACH OTHER IN MANY WAYS: GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION; TYPE OF EQUIPMENT USED; TIME OF YEAR THEY PRODUCE; QUALITY OF INGREDIENTS; AND THE EXPERIENCE LEVEL OF THE STAFF, AMONG OTHER FACTORS. ALL OF THESE VARIABLES HAVE AN INFLUENCE ON THE FINAL PRODUCT. THESE DISTILLERIES ARE CREATING TEQUILAS THAT TEND TO SCORE HIGHEST.

1. TEQUILA LOS ABUELOS  
LOS ABUELOS & FORTELEZA
2. TEQUILA EL PANDILLO  
VOLANS
3. TEQUILA CASCAHUÍN  
CASCAHUÍN  
WILD COMMON
4. TEQUILA SIETE LEGUAS  
SIETE LEGUAS
5. TEQUILAS EL MEXICANO  
DOS ARTES  
EL MEXICANO
6. TEQUILARIA ALAMBIQUES  
TEQUILA OCHO
7. FAMILIA LANDEROS  
CAZCANES
8. TEQUILA CASA DE LOS GONZALEZ  
RESERVA DE LOS GONZOLEZ
9. TEQUILA TAPATIO  
EL TESORO  
TAPATÍO
10. TEQUILEÑA  
CHUMCOS  
DON FULANO

**THE CANTINA**  
CELEBRITY TEQUILAS

CINCO	MICHAEL JORDAN AND 4 NBA OWNERS ATHLETES PLATA 20. REPOSADO 30. AÑEJO 45.
TEREMANA	DWAYNE " THE ROCK' JOHNSON ACTION HERO - ACTOR PLATA 12. REPOSADO 15.
CASAMIGOS	GEORGE CLOONEY & RANDY GERBER ACTOR - PRODUCER PLATA 13. REPOSADO 14. AÑEJO 15.
TEQUILA LOBOS	LEBRON JAMES & ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER ATHLETE - ACTOR PLATA 14. REPOSADO 15.
818	KENDALL JENNER MODEL PLATA 13. REPOSADO 14. AÑEJO 15.
CASA NOBLE	CARLOS SANTANA MUSICIAN PLATA 12. REPOSADO 13. AÑEJO 16.
JAJA	THE CHAINSMOKERS ELECTRONIC DJ AND PRODUCTION DUO PLATA 11.
DELEON	SEAN COMBS RAPPER, ACTOR, RECORD PRODUCER REPOSADO 12. AÑEJO 13.
FECHA AZUL	MARK WAHLBERG ACTOR PLATA 17. REPOSADO 18.
FUEGO	JOHN "FUEGO" BURNS RESTAURANTEUR PLATA 12. REPOSADO 14. AÑEJO 18. EXTRA AÑEJO 20.
FÓSFORO	JIM CRAMER TV PERSONALITY CNBC MESCAL
CÓDIGO	GEORGE STRAIT COUNTRY SUPERSTAR PLATA 15.
WILD COMMON	ANDY BARDON ADVENTURE PHOTOGRAPHER PLATA 16. REPOSADO 17.
SANTO	GUY FIER & SAMMY HAGAR CHEF & ROCK STAR MESCAL
GRAN COROMINO	KEVIN HART COMEDIAN PLATA 30. REPOSADO 40.

# THE CANTINA

1800 AÑEJO	13
1800 REPOSADO	12
1800 SILVER	10
21 SEEDS	13
818 SILVER	14
818 REPOSADO	15
818 AÑEJO	16
ARETTE AÑEJO	16
ARETTE ARTESENAL REPOSADO	15
ARETTE ARTESENAL BLANCO	14
AVION AÑEJO	14
AVION REPOSADO	13
AVION SILVER	12
CASA DRAGONES BLANCO	18
CASA MAESTRI REPOSADO	15
CASA NOBLE AÑEJO	16
CASA NOBLE JOVEN	18
CASA NOBLE REPOSADO	15
CASA NOBLE SILVER	13
CASA NOBLE SINGLE BARREL AÑEJO	12
CASA NOBLE MARQUIS	35
CASAMIGOS AÑEJO	15
CASAMIGOS REPOSADO	14
CASAMIGOS SILVER	13
CAZADORES AÑEJO	14
CAZADORES EXTRA AÑEJO	15
CAZADORES REPOSADO	13
CAZADORES SILVER	12
CAZCANES BLANCO NO.7	16
CENTENARIO CRISTILINO	35
CENTENARIO AÑEJO	17
CENTENARIO REPOSADO	15
CENTENARIO SILVER	13
CHAMUCOS AÑEJO	16
CHINACO AÑEJO	18
CHINACO REPOSADO	16
CHINACO SILVER	13



# THE CANTINA

CINCORO BLANCO	20
CINCORO REPOSADO	30
CINCORO AÑEJO	45
CLASE AZUL REPOSADO	50
CLASE AZUL SILVER	35
CORAMINO CRISTILINO	30
CORAMINO AÑEJO	40
CODÍGO BLANCO	15
CUERVO RESERVA AÑEJO	50
CUERVO RESERVA PLATINUM	15
CUERVO RESERVA REPOSADO	20
DAHLIA CRISTILINO REPOSADO	12
DELEON AÑEJO	15
DELEON REPOSADO	14
DON JULIO 1942	50
DON JULIO 70	19
DON JULIO AÑEJO	16
DON JULIO REAL	95
DON JULIO REPOSADO	15
DON JULIO SILVER	14
DON FULANO PLATA	18
DON FULANO REPOSADO	20
DON FULANO AÑEJO	22
DON FULANO JOVEN	20
EL TESORO AÑEJO	16
EL TESORO REPOSADO	14
EL TESORO SILVER	13
EL TESORO PARADISIO	50
EL TEQUILEÑO REPOSADO	18
EL TEQUILEÑO SILVER	16
ESPELON AÑEJO	15
ESPELON REPOSADO	14
ESPELON SILVER	13
FECHE AZUL SILVER	20
FECHA AZUL REPOSADO	22
FECHA AZUL AÑEJO	24



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# THE CANTINA

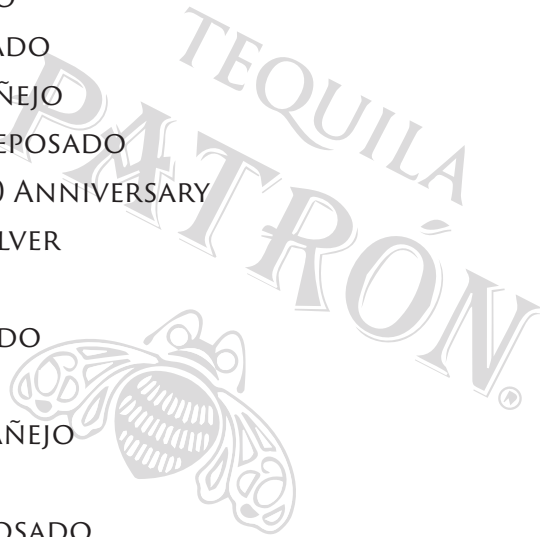
FORTELEZA REPOSADO WINTER BLEND (LIMITED)	24
FORTALEZA ANEJO (VERY LIMITED)	22
FORTALEZA BLANCO STILL STRENGTH (LIMITED)	20
FORTALEZA REPOSADO (VERY LIMITED)	16
FUEGO SILVER	12
FUEGO REPOSADO	14
FUEGO AÑEJO	20
FUEGO EXTRA AÑEJO	22
G4 BLANCO	16
HERRADURA AÑEJO	16
HERRADURA REPOSADO	14
HERRADURA SILVER	11
HERRADURA SUPREMA	95
HERRADURA ULTRA AÑEJO	40
HORNITOS AÑEJO	12
HORNITOS REPOSADO	12
HORNITOS SILVER	11
KOMOS AÑEJO CRISTILLANO	40
KOMOS REPOSADO ROSA	30
JAJA SILVER	13
JAJA REPOSADO	14
JAJA AÑEJO	15
LA ADELITA BLACK CRISTILLINO	25
LA ADELITA REPOSADO	16
LALO BLANCO	20
LOBOS JOVEN	16
LOBOS REPOSADO	17
MIJENTA SILVER	16
MIJENTA REPOSADO	17
MILAGRO SELECT AÑEJO	20
MILAGRO SELECT REPOSADO	16
MILAGRO SELECT SILVER	15
MONTE ALBON SILVER	10
OCHO AÑEJO	18
OCHO REPOSADO	16
OCHO SILVER	14



TEQUILA  
HERRADURA®

# THE CANTINA

PATRÓN EL ALTO	50
PATRON AÑEJO SHERRY CASK	20
PATRON ANEJO	17
PATRON EXTRA AÑEJO	18
PATRON PLATINUM GRAND	50
PATRON REPOSADO	15
PATRON SILVER	14
SAN MATIAS	20
SANTOS BLANCO	16
SANTOS REPOSADO	17
SIETE LEGUAS AÑEJO	18
SIETE LEGUAS REPOSADO	17
SIETE LEGUAS 70 ANNIVERSARY	16
SIETE LEGUAS SILVER	50
SUERTE SILVER	16
SUETRE REPOSADO	18
SUETRE AÑEJO	19
SUERTE EXTRA AÑEJO	20
TAPATIO SILVER	30
TEREMANA REPOSADO	14
TEREMANA SILVER	15
TEREMANA AÑEJO	14
TRES GENERACIONES ANEJO	16
TRES GENERACIONES REPOSADO	14
TRES GENERACIONES SILVER	16
VOLANS BLANCO	12
VOLANS SINGLE BARREL REPOSADO	20
VOLCAN REPO	16
VOLCANTIERRA REPO	18
WILD COMMON BLANCO	25
WILD COMMON REPOSADO	18
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## MEZCAL

MEXICAN MYTH HAS IT THAT MEZCAL ORIGINATED WHEN A LIGHTNING BOLT STRUCK AN MAGUEY PLANT, HEATING AND OPENING IT, RELEASING ITS JUICE. TRADITIONALLY CRAFTED IN OAXACAN VILLAGES BY SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS USING GENERATIONS-OLD METHODS, THE MAGUEY IS ROASTED IN UNDERGROUND WOOD-FIRED PITS AND DISTILLED IN SMALL-BATCH, COPPER POT STILL. SMOKEY LIKE A SINGLE-MALT SCOTCH AND RICH IN TERROIR LIKE FINE QUALITY RED WINE, IT IS GENERALLY ENJOYED STRAIGHT.

CASAMIGOS JOVEN	23
CLASE AZUL	75
DEL MAGUAY - VIDA	13
EL SILENCIO	14
DOS HOMBRES	29
MONTELOBOS	14
FOSFORO TOBALA	32
REZPIRAL SIERS 7 SANCHEZ	45
REZPIRAL TAMERIZ	32
REZPIRAL VASQUEZ TOBALA	45
WILD COMMON ENSEMBLE	22
SIETE MISTERIOUS	27
NUESTRO SOLEDAD	28
XICARU SILVER	14
XICARU REPOSADO	15



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