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**Featured Cigar: Oliva Serie V Melanio
Figurado (92 points)**

Oliva Cigar Co.'s Serie V brand has been a stunning success since its 2007 market debut, and for years the company debated how to follow that act. "It was the best that we could make," said Oliva president Jose Oliva, "and ever since then we thought of a follow-up." The answer was the Oliva Serie V Melanio, which went on sale late last year. We enjoyed the Figurado (6 1/2 by 52, \$14.00), a gorgeous and complex cigar brimming with floral notes and hints of malted nougat.