

## **Comprehensive unused and used collection of Cuban stamps of the Spanish and U.S. administrations--two collections in one.**

Mounted on black stock pages without hinges.

Extremely clean and generally high quality material.

Contains some very hard to find items all in one collection. Excellent starting point for building a top notch collection of these periods of 19th Century Cuban philately.

Most of the unused stamps have original gum and may have hinge remnants as can be expected for stamps of these periods. The following unused stamps have no gum: Scott 2, 14, 19, 21 (the 2nd one), 23, 26, 27, 45, 49, 58, 59 (block of 4), 62-66 (blocks of 4), 71, 225 CUPA variety, and J1.

The Scott 2006 catalog value of the collection was \$5013.65.

Offered at \$3500.

## **Colección que comprende el período colonial y la administración americana de Cuba.**

En realidad son dos colecciones:

una de sellos en nuevo y otra usados.

Contiene material extremadamente limpio y de gran calidad raramente disponible dentro de una sola colección. Puede ser el punto de partida para formar una gran colección de estos períodos de la filatelia clásica cubana del siglo XIX.

La mayoría de los sellos sin usar son con goma y pueden tener restos de charnela o fijasellos como es de esperar para estos períodos.

Los siguientes sellos son sin goma: Scott 2, 14, 19, 21 (el segundo), 23, 26, 27, 45, 49, 58, 59 (bloque de 4), 62-66 (bloques de 4), 71, 225 CUPA variety, y J1.

El valor total de catálogo Scott 2006 era de \$5013.65.

Se ofrece en \$3500.

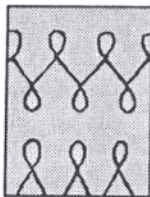
## CUBA

LOCATION — The largest island of the West Indies; south of Florida  
 GOVT. — Former Spanish possession  
 AREA — 44,206 sq. mi.  
 POP. — 6,743,000 (est. 1960)  
 CAPITAL — Havana

Formerly a Spanish possession, Cuba made several unsuccessful attempts to gain her freedom, which finally led to the intervention of the US in 1898. In that year under the Treaty of Paris, Spain relinquished the island to the US in trust for its inhabitants. In 1902 a republic was established and the Cuban Congress took over the government from the military authorities.

8 Reales Plata = 1 Peso  
 100 Centesimos = 1 Escudo or Peseta (1867)  
 1000 Millemas = 100 Centavos = 1 Peso

1855	Typo.	Wmk.	104	Imperf.
1	A1	1/2r p	blue green	32.50 2.00
2	A1	1r p	gray green	32.50 2.75
3	A1	2r p	carmine	150.00 10.00
4	A1	2r p	orange red	165.00 11.00
Nos. 1-4 (4)				380.00 25.75



Wmk. 104- Loops



Nos. 3-4 Surcharged

Y  $\frac{1}{4}$

1855-56

5 A1 1/4r p on 2r p carmine 675.00 180.00  
 6 A1 1/4r p on 2r p org red 275.00

Surcharged

Y  $\frac{1}{4}$

7 A1 1/4r p on 2r p carmine 500.00 90.00  
 a. Without fraction bar 325.00  
 8 A1 1/4r p on 2r p org red 675.00 175.00  
 a. Without fraction bar 450.00

The "Y 1/4" surcharge met the "Interior" rate for delivery within the city of Havana.



Rough Yellowish Paper

1856		Wmk. 105	
9	A1 1/2r p grnsh blue	7.50	1.25
10	A1 1r p green	350.00	10.50
11	A1 1r p emerald	400.00	13.00
17	A1 2r p orange red	225.00	14.00



Wmk. 105- Crossed Lines



White Smooth Paper

1857		Unwmk.	
12	A1 1/2r p blue	4.00	60
13	A1 1r p gray green	3.75	60
14	A1 1r p pale yellow green	6.00	1.40
14	A1 2r p dull rose	15.00	2.75
Nos. 12-14 (3)		22.75	3.95



Color  
Variety



Surcharged

V<sup>1</sup>/<sub>5</sub>

1860

15	A1 1/4r p on 2r p dl rose	175.00	60.00
16	A1 1/4r p on 2r p dl rose	210.00	125.00



1862-64

			<i>Imperf.</i>
16	A2	1/4r p black	21.00 10.00
17	A3	1/4r p blk, buff ('64)	21.00 10.00
18	A3	1/4r p green ('64)	4.75 70
19	A3	1/4r p grn, pale rose ('64)	11.00 3.00
20	A3	1r p bl, sal ('64)	4.75 1.00
a. Diagonal hail used as 1/4r p on cover			
21	A3	2r p ver, buff ('64)	27.50 7.75
			100.00
			90.00 32.45



No. 17 Overprinted in Black

66

1866

22 A3 1/4r p black, buff 65.00 22.50

Exists with handstamped "1866."



1866

23	A5	5c dull violet	47.50 22.50
24	A5	10c blue	1.75 1.00
25	A5	20c green	1.65 1.00
26	A5	40c rose	11.00 9.00
			Nos. 23-26 (4)
			61.90 33.50



Stamps Dated "1867"

1867

			Perf. 14
27	A5	5c dull violet	35.00 13.00
28	A5	10c blue	6.00 1.00
	a.	Imperf., pair	18.00 6.00
29	A5	20c green	6.00 1.00
	a.	Imperf., pair	40.00 65.00
30	A5	40c rose	12.50 7.50
		Nos. 27-30 (4)	59.50 22.50



Stamps Dated "1868"

1868

31	A6	5c dull violet	20.00	8.25
32	A6	10c blue	3.75	1.75
	a.	Diagonal half used as 5c on cover		100.00
33	A6	20c green	7.50	3.50
	a.	Diagonal half used as 10c on cover		125.00
34	A6	40c rose	14.00	8.00
		Nos. 31-34 (4)	45.25	21.50



Nos. 31-34  
Overprinted in Black

## HABILITADO POR LA NACION.

1868

35	A6	5c	dull violet	55.00	25.00
35A	A6	10c	blue	55.00	25.00
36	A6	20c	green	55.00	25.00
37	A6	40c	rose	55.00	25.00
				220.00	100.00

Nos. 35-37 (4)



1869

### Stamps Dated "1869"

38	A6	5c	rose	45.00	12.00
39	A6	10c	red brown	4.25	1.75
o. Diagonal hail used as 5c on cover					75.00
40	A6	20c	orange	8.50	2.75
41	A6	40c	dull violet	35.00	8.25
				92.75	24.75

Nos. 38-41 (4)



Scott 39a  
Bisection  
piece  
Net \$25-



Nos. 38-41 Ovpd. Like Nos. 35-37

42	A6	5c	rose	140.00	32.50
43	A6	10c	red brown	52.50	20.00
44	A6	20c	orange	42.50	27.50
45	A6	40c	dull violet	65.00	27.50
				300.00	107.50

Nos. 42-45 (4)



1870		Perf. 14	
46	A8 5c blue	110.00	45.00
47	A8 10c green	3.00	90
a.	Diagonal half used as 5c on cover		90.00
48	A8 20c red brown	3.00	90
a.	Diagonal half used as 10c on cover		90.00
49	A8 40c rose	150.00	25.00



1871			
50	A9 12c red lilac	19.00	8.00
a.	Imperf., pair	55.00	55.00
51	A9 25c ultra	2.50	80
a.	Imperf., pair	27.50	27.50
b.	Diagonal half used as 12c on cover		125.00
52	A9 50c gray green	2.50	80
a.	Imperf., pair	42.50	30.00
b.	Diagonal half used as 25c on cover		125.00
53	A9 1p pale brown	25.00	8.00
a.	Imperf., pair	42.50	42.50
	Nos. 50-53 (4)	49.00	17.60



Printer's  
waste  
Maculatura  
Net \$50-







1873		Perf. 14	
54	A10 12 1/2c dark green	35.00	12.50
55	A10 25c gray	2.50	1.00
a.	Diagonal half used as 12 1/2c on cover		75.00
56	A10 50c brown	1.40	1.25
a.	Imperf., pair	37.50	37.50
b.	Half used as 25c on cover		75.00
57	A10 1p red brown	200.00	40.00
a.	Diagonal half used as 50c on cover		200.00



Essay  
Net \$10-



Printer's  
Waste  
Net \$10



**CORREO INSURRECTO**  
Emisiones puestas en circulación por los independentistas cubanos durante la guerra de Independencia (1868-98).

1874.- Escudo de la República.  
Tirada: 100.000.

Guerra 58  
\*  
1 10 c. verde ..... 4000 \$33



Stamps issued  
by the Cuban  
revolutionary  
Junta in  
Philadelphia  
in 1874 \$50



1874

58	All	12 1/2c	brown	13.00	6.00
59	All	25c	ultra	1.00	1.00
a.	Diagonal half used as 12 1/2c on cover				75.00
60	All	50c	dp violet	1.75	1.00
61	All	50c	gray	1.75	1.00
a.	Diagonal half used as 25c on cover				75.00
62	All	1p	carmine	75.00	30.00
a.	Impert., pair			175.00	175.00
	Nos. 58-62 (5)			92.50	39.00



1875

63	A12	12 1/2c	lt violet	1.10	60
a.	Impert., pair			35.00	
64	A12	25c	ultra	55	48
a.	Impert., pair			35.00	
b.	Diagonal half used as 12 1/2c on cover				75.00
65	A12	50c	blue green	55	48
a.	Impert., pair			35.00	
b.	Diagonal half used as 25c on cover				45.00
66	A12	1p	brown	7.75	4.75
a.	1p dk brown			7.75	4.75
b.	Half used as 50c on cover				85.00
	Nos. 63-66 (4)			9.95	6.31



Matched  
registry  
cancels  
Net \$35-

1876

67	A13	12½c	green	2.00	50
68	A13	25c	gray	70	32
α.	Diagonal half used as 12½c on cover				75.00
69	A13	50c	ultra	70	40
α.	Imperf., pair			11.50	
70	A13	1p	black	8.00	3.50
α.	Imperf., pair			27.50	
				11.40	4.72
Nos. 67-70 (4)					



Imperforate  
Single  
Net \$10-



1877

71	A14	10c	lt green	32.50	
72	A14	12½c	gray	7.00	1.25
α.	Imperf., pair			20.00	
73	A14	25c	dk green	52	40
α.	Imperf., pair			20.00	

74	A14	50c	black	52	40
α.	Imperf., pair			20.00	
β.	Half used as 25c on cover				75.00
75	A14	1p	brown	22.50	15.00
				63.04	
Nos. 71-75 (5)					

No. 71 was not placed in use.



The 10c.  
value was  
not placed  
in use.



Imperforate  
Single  
Net \$15



Stamps Dated "1878"

1878

76	A14	5c blue	48	40
77	A14	10c black	55.00	
78	A14	12 1/2c brown bis	3.25	1.25
a.		12 1/2c gray bister	2.00	1.00
79	A14	25c dp green	35	20
b.		Diagonal half used as 12 1/2c on cover		60.00
80	A14	50c dk blue grn.	35	20
81	A14	1p carmine	10.00	5.50
			Nos. 76-81 (6)	69.43

No. 77 was not placed in use.



No. 77  
was not  
placed  
in use



Imperforate  
singles  
\$10 ea.



Stamps Dated "1879"

82	A14	5c slate black	70	35
83	A14	10c orange	125.00	<del>65.00</del>
84	A14	12 1/2c rose	70	35
85	A14	25c ultra	50	35
a.		Diagonal half used as 12 1/2c on cover		75.00
b.		Imperf., pair	40.00	30.00
86	A14	50c gray	45	30
a.		Diagonal half used as 25c on cover		75.00
87	A14	1p olive bister	21.00	12.00
			Nos. 82-87 (6)	148.35 78.35



No. 85  
was not  
placed in  
use.



1880

88	A15	5c green	38	15
89	A15	10c lake	60.00	
90	A15	12 1/2c gray	38	15
91	A15	25c gray blue	38	15
a.		Diagonal half used as 12 1/2c on cover		75.00
92	A15	50c brown	38	15
a.		Half used as 25c on cover		75.00
93	A15	1p yellow brn	7.00	3.00
		Nos. 88-93 (6)	68.52	

No. 89 was not placed in use.



No. 89  
was not  
placed in  
use



Color  
Variety  
(No gum)



1881

94	A16	1c green	38	15
95	A16	2c lake	32.50	
96	A16	2 1/2c olive bistre	65	30
97	A16	5c gray blue	38	15
98	A16	10c yellow brown	38	15
99	A16	20c dark brown	7.00	5.00
		Nos. 94-99 (6)	41.29	

~~No. 95 was not placed in use.~~



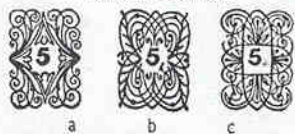
1882

100 A17	1c green	45	32
101 A17	2c lake	2.75	32
102 A17	2½c dk brown	6.00	2.00
103 A17	5c gray blue	2.75	70
a. Diagonal half used as 2½c on cover			75.00
104 A17	10c olive bister	45	15
105 A17	20c red brown	77.50	32.50
Nos. 100-105 (6)		89.90	35.99

See #121-131. For surcharges see #106-120.



Issue of 1882 Surcharged or Overprinted  
In Black, Blue or Red:



1883

Type "a"

106 A17	5 on 5c (R)	1.75	90
a.	Triple surcharge		
b.	Double surcharge	3.25	3.25
c.	Inverted surcharge	2.50	2.50
d.	Without "5" in surcharge	7.25	7.25
e.	Dbl. surch. types "a" & "d"		
107 A17	10 on 10c (Bl)	1.75	90
a.	Inverted surcharge		
b.	Double surcharge	2.75	
108 A17	20 on 20c	22.50	19.00
a.	"10" instead of "20"	50.00	50.00
b.	Double surcharge		



Variety:  
Missing  
period after  
"5" in the  
surcharge



NET \$15  
(Both)

Type "b"

109	A17	5 on 5c (R)	1.75	90
a.		Inverted surcharge	2.50	2.50
b.		Double surcharge	3.50	
110	A17	10 on 10c (Bl)	2.75	1.50
a.		Inverted surcharge	3.50	3.50
b.		Double surcharge		
111	A17	20 on 20c	25.00	18.00
a.		Double surcharge		
b.		Dbl. surch., types "b" & "c"		



Variety:  
Vertical bars  
before 5  
in surcharge  
15



NET  
\$10

Variety:  
Missing  
period after  
5 in surch.



NET  
\$10  
(both)

Type "c"

112	A17	5 on 5c (R)	1.75	1.10
a.		Inverted surcharge		
b.		Dbl. surch., types "c" & "d"	4.25	
113	A17	10 on 10c (Bl)	4.25	1.75
a.		Inverted surcharge		
b.		Double surcharge		
114	A17	20 on 20c	35.00	18.00
a.		"10" instead of "20"	90.00	90.00
b.		Double surcharge		
c.		Dbl. surch., types "a" & "c"		



Variety:  
Missing  
period after  
5 in surch.



NET  
\$10

Type "d"			
115 A17	5 on 5c (R)	1.75	1.10
a.	Inverted surcharge	2.50	2.50
b.	Double surcharge		
116 A17	10 on 10c (Bl)	4.25	1.75
a.	Inverted surcharge		
b.	Double surcharge		
117 A17	20 on 20c	60.00	25.00
a.	Dbl. surch., types "a" & "d"		



Variety:  
Missing  
period after  
5 in surch.



Net  
\$20  
(both)

Variety  
Split  
Surcharge  
Net \$50-



Type "e"			
118 A17	5c gray blue (R)	2.75	1.65
a.	Double overprint	4.50	
119 A17	10c olive bis (Bl)	4.25	3.50
a.	Double overprint		
120 A17	20c red brown	72.50	32.50
a.	Double overprint		
	Nos. 106-120 (15)	242.00	127.55

Handstamped overprints and surcharges are counterfeits.



Variety:  
Broken frame.  
line under  
5c.



Net  
\$5



1883-86

121 A17	1c gm, 2nd retouch	1.25	15
122 A17	2½c olive blster	32	15
124 A17	2½c violet	32	15
a.	2½c red lilac ('85)	40	15
b.	2½c ultramarine	110.00	42.50
125 A17	5c gray bl, 1st re- touch	1.25	15
126 A17	5c gray bl, 2nd re- touch	4.00	1.00
a.	Diagonal half used as 2½c on cover		30.00
127 A17	10c brn, 1st retouch	1.65	50
a.	Diagonal half used as 5c on cover		30.00
128 A17	20c olive blster	11.50	2.75
	Nos. 121-128 (7)	20.29	4.85

The differences between the stamps of 1882 and the various retouches are as follows:

Original state: The medallion is surrounded by a heavy line of color of nearly even thickness, touching the horizontal line below the word "Cuba" (or "Filipinas," "Puerto Rico", as the case may be); the opening in the hair above the temple is narrow and pointed.

1st retouch: The line around the medallion is thin, except at the upper right, and does not touch the horizontal line above it; the opening in the hair is slightly wider and a trifle rounded; the lock of hair above the forehead is shaped like a broad "V" and ends in a point; there is a faint white line below it, which is not found on the stamps in the original state. Owing to wear of the plate the shape of the lock of hair and the width of the white line below it vary.

2nd retouch: The opening in the hair forms a semi-circle; the lock above the forehead is nearly straight, having only a slight wave, and the white line is much broader than before.



1888

129 A17	2½c red brown	2.25	1.25
130 A17	10c blue	1.25	80
a.	Diagonal half used as 5c on cover		
131 A17	20c brnsh gray	11.00	4.75
	Nos. 129-131 (3)	14.50	6.80



1890-97

132	A18	1c	gray brn	11.00	4.25
133	A18	1c	ol gray ('91)	7.00	90
134	A18	1c	ultra ('94)	2.00	35
135	A18	1c	dk vio ('96)	1.00	16
136	A18	2c	slate blue	4.25	1.00
137	A18	2c	lll brn ('91)	1.00	35
138	A18	2c	rose ('94)	17.50	2.50
139	A18	2c	claret ('96)	6.00	60
140	A18	2 1/2c	emerald	7.00	1.75
141	A18	2 1/2c	salmon ('91)	21.00	4.25
142	A18	2 1/2c	illac ('94)	1.75	24
143	A18	2 1/2c	rose ('96)	70	15



144	A18	5c olive gray	70	52
145	A18	5c emer ('91)	90	45
146	A18	5c sl blue ('96)	35	15
147	A18	10c brn vio	1.75	60
148	A18	10c claret ('91)	1.25	45
149	A18	10c emer ('96)	2.00	16
150	A18	20c dk vio	80	52
151	A18	20c ultra ('91)	11.00	4.25
152	A18	20c red brn ('94)	17.50	4.25
153	A18	20c vio ('96)	17.50	5.25
154	A18	40c org brn ('97)	35.00	10.50
155	A18	80c ill brn ('97)	45.00	14.00
Nos. 132-155 (24)			213.95	57.60



NEWSPAPER STAMPS

Issued under Spanish Dominion

1888		Unwmk.	Typo.	Perf. 14	
P1	N1	1/2m black		16	25
P2	N1	1m black		20	30
P3	N1	2m black		20	30
P4	N1	3m black		1.50	1.00
P5	N1	4m black		1.75	1.90
P6	N1	8m black		7.00	8.25
				10.81	12.00
Nos. P1-P6 (6)					



1890

P7	N2	1/2m red brown	45	60	
P8	N2	1m red brown	45	60	
P9	N2	2m red brown	75	85	
P10	N2	3m red brown	90	1.00	
P11	N2	4m red brown	7.00	5.00	
P12	N2	8m red brown	7.00	5.00	
				16.55	13.05
Nos. P7-P12 (6)					



1892

P13 N2	1/2m violet	15	28
P14 N2	1m violet	15	28
P15 N2	2m violet	15	28
P16 N2	3m violet	90	28
P17 N2	4m violet	3.50	1.65
P18 N2	8m violet	7.25	2.75
Nos. P13-P18 (6)		12.10	5.52



1894

P19 N2	1/2m rose	15	30
a.	Imperf. pair	22.50	
P20 N2	1m rose	40	30
P21 N2	2m rose	40	30
P22 N2	3m rose	1.65	1.25
P23 N2	4m rose	2.75	1.50
P24 N2	8m rose	5.00	3.50
Nos. P19-P24 (6)		10.35	7.15



1896

P25 N2	1/2m blue green	15	28
P26 N2	1m blue green	15	28
P27 N2	2m blue green	15	28
P28 N2	3m blue green	2.25	1.40
P29 N2	4m blue green	5.00	6.50
P30 N2	8m blue green	9.00	9.50
Nos. P25-P30 (6)		16.70	18.24

For surcharges see Nos. 190-193, 201-220.



1898

156 A19	1m orange brn	15	15
157 A19	2m orange brn	15	15
158 A19	3m orange brn	15	15
159 A19	4m orange brn	3.25	1.40
160 A19	5m orange brn	15	15
161 A19	1c black vio	15	15
162 A19	2c dk blue grn	15	15
163 A19	3c dk brown	15	15
164 A19	4c orange	9.75	3.50
165 A19	5c car rose	70	16
a. Imperf. pair		100.00	

166 A19	6c dk blue	15	15
a. Imperf. pair		100.00	
167 A19	8c gray brown	70	35
168 A19	10c vermilion	70	35
169 A19	15c slate green	3.25	35
170 A19	20c maroon	40	16
171 A19	40c dark lilac	1.65	35
172 A19	60c black	1.65	35
173 A19	80c red brown	11.00	7.00
174 A19	1p yel green	11.00	7.00
175 A19	2p slate blue	16.00	7.00
Nos. 156-175 (20)		61.25	29.17







1896.- Mar. Escudo de la República.  
Tirada: 25.000.

Guerra 187/190

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2	2 c. castaño	1300
3	5 c. azul	1300
4	10 c. rojo naranja	1800
5	25 c. verde	1800

COMPLETA, 4 valores ..... 6000

Estos sellos son muy raros usados y más aún en cubiertas.

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**CUBA**

United States Nos.  
279, 267, 279B, 268,  
281, 282C and 283  
Surcharged in Black

**1 c.  
de PESO.**

1899	Wmk. 191	Perf. 12
221	A87 1c on 1c vel grn	4.50 30
222	A88 2c on 2c car	5.00 35
a.	2c on 2c red	5.50 35
c.	inverted surcharge	3.50 35.00
223	A88 2 1/2c on 2c red	3.50 40
a.	2 1/2c on 2c carmine	3.00 40
224	A89 3c on 3c pur	8.50 80
a.	Period brwn. "B" and "A"	25.00 25.00
225	A91 5c on 5c bl	8.50 80

226	A94 10c on 10c brn.	16.00 5.50
	type I	4.300 4.300
b.	"CUBA" omitted	
226A	A94 10c on 10c brn.	5.000
	type II	40.00 8.15
	Nos. 221, 226, 101	

The 2 1/2c was sold and used as a 2c stamp.  
Excellent counterfeits of this and the preceding  
issue exist, especially inverted and double  
surcharges.



CUBA  
Variety

\$40



**SPECIAL DELIVERY STAMPS**

Issued under US Administration

**CUBA.**

US No. E5 Surcharged  
in Red

**10c.  
de PESO**



1899	Wmk. 191	Perf. 12
E1	SD3 10c on 10c blue	110.00 75.00
	On cover	450.00
a.	No period after "CUBA"	350.00 300.00



POSTAGE DUE STAMPS

Issued under Administration of the  
United States  
Postage Due Stamps of the US Nos. J38,  
J39, J41 and J42 Surcharged in Black like  
Nos. 221-226A

1899	Wmk. 191	Perf. 12
J1	D2 1c on 1c dp claret	30.00 3.50
J2	D2 2c on 2c dp claret	27.50 3.50
	Inverted surcharge	2.000
J3	D2 5c on 5c dp claret	30.00 3.50
J4	D2 10c on 10c dp claret	24.00 1.50
	Nos. J1-J4 (4)	111.50 12.00



1899	Engr.	Wmk. 191C	Perf. 12
227	A20 1c yel gm	3.50	15
228	A21 2c carmine	3.50	15
	a. 2c scarlet	1.50	15
	b. Booklet pane of 6 (102)	2.000	
229	A22 3c purple	3.50	16
230	A23 5c blue	3.50	20
231	A24 10c brown	11.00	50
	Nos. 227-231 (5)	25.00	1.16

No. 228b was issued by the Republic.



1899	Wmk. U S-C (191C)	Engr.
E2	SD2 10c orange	42.50 12.50
	On cover	150.00

