

# CIGAR CITY BREWING®



## Marshal Zhukov's Double Envelopment

This Russian Imperial Stout is dedicated to Georgy Zhukov, arguably one of the finest generals of World War II, and to the double envelopment maneuver he utilized to trap the German army at the Battle of Stalingrad in 1942. Like two phalanges of troops, the two versions of Marshal Zhukov's aged in rum and sherry barrels unite to create a complex and nearly impenetrable Imperial Stout of epic proportions.



ABV	IBU
11.8%	42

SRM	OG
39	30

**AVAILABLE**  
El Catador Club 10

**INGREDIENTS**  
Rum and Sherry Barrels

## BEER DESCRIPTION

A brand new double barrel-aged version of the perennial favorite Marshal Zhukov's Imperial Stout. This beer was divided between rum and sherry barrels, with the final blend being skewed just a bit heavier on the rum barrels. Rum barrels have added a pronounced spiciness and texture to the beer, while sherry barrel-aging has imparted flavors of dark cherry and blackberry. The base beer's recipe has been tweaked a bit over the last few years, with some of the roastiness taking a back seat to dark chocolate flavors and sweetness. Other than that, it's a straightforward barrel-aged version of Zhukov's.

## TASTING NOTES

Oak presents itself assertively on the nose, mingling with cacao, molasses and fresh ground espresso. Aging in rum and sherry barrels introduces spicy texture and cherry, vanilla and toffee notes to the base beer's profile of dark chocolate, roasted coffee and tobacco. Wood-forward, sweet and remarkably complex.



750mL bottle



1/6 bbl



1/2 bbl