

Pipe Tobacco Evaluation Form

Blend Name:

Q1. Please circle or highlight which of the following words/phrases describe the blend.

NOTE: You can circle/highlight as many (or as few) of the words/phrases as you want. The list is not meant to include ALL of the words/phrases that describe a blend, so please record others that you feel describe the blend at Q2.

- Pre Smoke Characteristics
 - Visually appealing
 - Pleasant tin aroma
 - No added flavoring / Subtle added flavoring / Noticeable added flavoring
 - Easy to prepare for smoking / Difficult to prepare for smoking
 - Easy to pack / Difficult to pack
 - Good moisture content / Needs to be dried out
- Smoking Characteristics
 - Cool smoking / Hot smoking
 - Dry smoking / Wet smoking
 - Clean burning / Not clean burning
 - Easy to keep lit / Hard to keep lit
 - Consistent flavor throughout the smoke / Flavor varies throughout the smoke
 - Pleasant aroma to the smoker while smoking
 - Pleasant room note / Unpleasant room note
 - Nicotine content: High / Medium-High / Medium / Medium-Low / Low
 - Overall strength: High / Medium-High / Medium / Medium-Low / Low
 - Clean tasting
 - Bass notes / Mid range notes / High notes
 - Depth
 - Complexity
 - One dimensional
 - Balanced
 - Sharp / Moderate / Mellow
 - Smooth
 - Creamy
 - Intense
 - Harsh
 - Subtle
 - Rich
- Flavor Elements
 - Natural Sweetness / Sweetness from added flavorings
 - Earthy
 - Musty
 - Toasty
 - Fruit / Cooked fruit

- Plum
- Fig
- Citrus
- Spice
- Pepper
- Chocolate / Cocoa
- Vanilla
- Caramel
- Licorice / Anise
- Brown Sugar
- Floral
- Incense
- Herbal
- Tangy
- Woody
- Nutty
- Oats
- Grassy
- Hay
- Smoky

Q2. What other words or phrases would you use to describe the blend?

Q3. Overall, would you say this blend...?

-Would be in your top 2 or 3

-Wouldn't make your top 2 or 3, but would be a regular in your rotation

-Would make your rotation, but you would smoke on a less frequent basis

-Wouldn't make it in your rotation

Q4. For what reason(s) do you say that?

Q5. What other blends, if any, do you think are very similar?

Q6. What factors seem to work well with this blend (i.e. pipe style/size, interior bowl dimensions, packing method, moisture level, smoking cadence)?