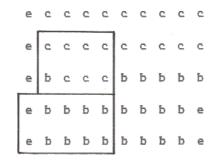
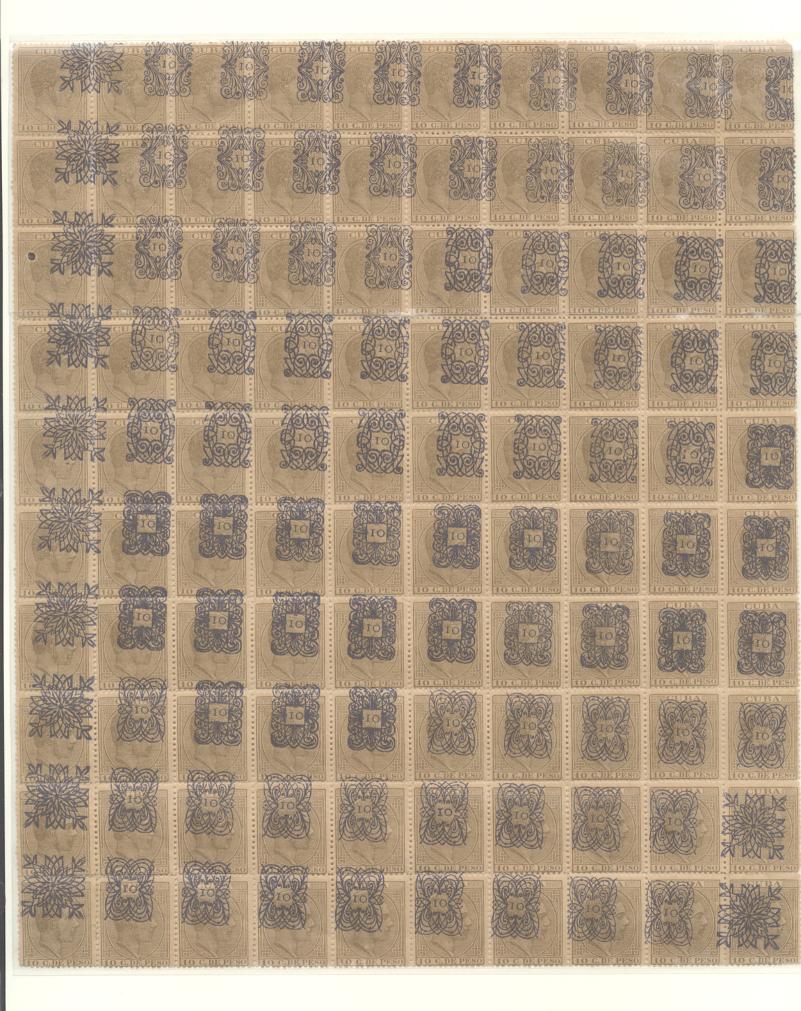
1883 KING ALFONSO XII ISSUE Blocks of surcharged 10c on cover



Bottom half of 10 c. plate setting showing plate positions of blocks on cover.



Large rate cover posted at Habana 15 December 1883 to Barcelona, Spain. The 1 peso 90 centavos postage was paid with a single 10 c. type d surcharge stamp and horizontal blocks of 10 and 8 stamps that came from separate sheets of stamps as evidenced by the different shade and centering of the surcharges on the stamps.



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Broken numeral "1" of 10 c.

Top portion of 10 c.
plate setting showing
the plate positions of
the pieces displayed





Large rate cover posted at Habana 25 November 1883 to Barcelona, Spain. The 1 peso 20 centavos postage was paid with a horizontal pair of 10 c. type d surcharge stamps and a horizontal block of ten surcharged 10 c. stamps showing the variety of the broken numeral "1" of 10 c. A mint block of 4 showing the same variety is also shown for comparison.