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## USA repeat as champions for third straight year

TRUJILLO, Peru, July 14, 2019 – The United States repeated as champions of the Women's Volleyball Pan American Cup for third year in a row after claiming a straight set victory over the Dominican Republic.

The United States became the first country to win the title of the event three consecutive years after claiming the crown for the sixth time in the last eight years.

The Dominican Republic has suffered the loss in the last three events and in five of the six victories of the American team.

The winners dominated in attacks (42-34), blocks (10-5) and services (7-3). They committed 22 errors compared 20 by the losers.

Meanwhile, Colombia took home its first medal ever in the Pan American Cup with a victory over Puerto Rico good for the bronze. The Colombians were participating in their eighth competition with their best finish a fifth place last year.

### United States 3, Dominican Republic 0

United States beat Dominican Republic in straight sets 3-0 (25-16, 25-21, 29-27) in the match for the gold medal. Madison Kingdon Rishel and Karsta Lowe were the best scorers for the winners with 18 and



16 points, respectively, while Hannah Topp chipped in with 12. For the Dominican Republic Gaila Gonzalez and Brayelin Martinez finished with 11 and 10 in the loss.

### Colombia 3, Puerto Rico 0

Amanda Coneo and Dayana Segovia led Colombia with 17 and 11 points, respectively, in the 3-0 (25-21, 25-19, 25-21) victory over Puerto Rico in the match for the bronze medal. Puerto Rican Paulina Cerame finished with 20 points as the most prolific scorer of the match. The winners held a 12-5 advantage in blocks and 4-2 in services.

