



AGTA GEMOLOGICAL TESTING CENTER

Fee Structure AGTA Member and GTC Associate Effective November 22, 2006

Colored Gemstones

Weight (ct)	Gemstone ID Report			Gemstone ID + Origin Report	
	Ruby Sapphire (except colorless, yellow & green) Diamond Emerald Chrysoberyl	Colorless Sapphire Yellow Sapphire Green Sapphire	Other stones	Ruby Blue Sapphire	Fancy Sapphire Emerald Paraiba Tourmaline
0.01–0.99	\$85	\$85	\$80	\$230	\$160
1.00–1.99	\$115	\$85	\$80	\$230	\$190
2.00–2.99	\$115	\$85	\$80	\$250	\$230
3.00–3.99	\$130	\$85	\$80	\$330	\$330
4.00–4.99	\$130	\$85	\$80	\$415	\$415
5.00–7.99	\$160	\$115	\$90	\$535	\$535
8.00–9.99	\$160	\$115	\$90	\$535	\$535
10.00–14.99	\$190	\$160	\$110	\$635	\$635
15.00–19.99	\$190	\$160	\$110	\$635	\$635
20.00–39.99	\$220	\$220	\$130	\$745	\$745
40.00 & up	\$250	\$220	\$130	\$745	\$745

Notes and Additional Charges

- All fees are non-negotiable and due upon receipt of reports. All submissions incur a minimum fee of \$50, even if the item is withdrawn prior to issuance of a report.
- If origin cannot be determined, only the minimum fee will be charged, i.e. \$160 (for fancy sapphire, emerald or Paraiba tourmaline) or \$230 (for ruby or blue sapphire).
- Mounted blue sapphires submitted for origin determination are subject to an additional fee of \$75.

Other Colored Gemstone Services

Service	Description
Color analysis	For color analysis of padparadscha sapphire, an additional fee of \$60 is charged.
Filler identification	\$220 per hour for identification of filler substances within fissures (in emerald or other gems)
Beryllium (Be) treatment testing (LIBS)	\$50 per stone when the testing is performed as part of an AGTA GTC Identification or Origin Report. \$150 for the first stone when the LIBS testing is not associated with an AGTA GTC Identification or Origin Report; subsequent tests are \$50 per stone when stones are submitted together.
Photos on reports	Identification and Pearl Report fees do not include a photograph. Photo charges are \$20 for a loose gemstone, \$30 for rings, earrings, and pendants, \$50 for a single strand or bracelet, and \$80 for multi-strand necklaces or bracelets. Photos are included free-of-charge with all Origin Reports.
Custom photography	Digital images of your gemstone or jewelry article can be provided in .JPG or other format. \$100–200; ask for a quote on submission.
Advanced testing	For the identification of rare and unusual gemstones a fee of \$100 per hour is charged. For research using advanced instrumentation, an additional fee of \$50 is charged. This additional charge is standard for testing all jadeite, opal and turquoise.
Portfolio reports	For an additional \$80, have your report placed in a folder with a large photo of the item tested on the front.



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Re-identification	50% of the original identification fee, with a minimum of \$60 per report. Submissions must be supported by the original report and be within 12 months of the original report date.
Resubmission for origin following ID-only reporting	Origin Report fee, minus 50% of original ID fee; must be submitted within 12 months of the original report date.
Quartz batch testing	\$30 per gemstone, \$150 minimum.
Express surcharge	\$220 (24 hours); \$160 (48 hours).
Duplicates or reissued reports	\$35.

Pearl Identification

Quantity	Type	Price
One or two pearls	White and less than 10mm	\$80
	Colored or greater than 10mm	\$100
Three to six pearls	White and less than 10mm	\$120
	Colored or greater than 10mm	\$180
Single strand of pearls (standard length: 16–18 inches)	White and less than 10mm	\$130
	White and greater than 10mm	\$200
	Colored or significantly mixed & less than 10mm	\$230
	Colored or significantly mixed & greater than 10mm	\$290

Diamond Origin-of-Color Determination and Color Grading

Weight (ct)	Price
0.01–0.99	\$100
1.00–1.99	\$120
2.00–2.99	\$160
3.00–3.99	\$220
4.00–4.99	\$300
5.00–5.99	\$400
6.00–7.99	\$520
8.00–9.99	\$660
10.00–11.99	\$820
12.00–14.99	\$1000
15.00–19.99	\$1200
20.00–24.99	\$1420
25.00–29.99	\$1660
30.00–39.99	\$1920
40.00–49.99	\$2200
50.00 & above	Fees available upon request
Advanced testing on colored diamond	\$220 per hour

Other Diamond Services

Service	Price
Diamond Spectra Analysis (Raman)	\$150
Diamond Type I vs. Type II ID	\$200

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