

**STANDARD CUTTING PRICES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**STANDARD FACETING PRICES** Note: Discounts may apply to customers requiring cutting services in higher volume on a regular basis.

<b>Standard Cuts</b>	Round, Oval, Emerald Cut, Baguette, Princess, Pear, Marquise, Trillion, Brilliant Emerald Cut (BEC), Radiant	
	Less than 3mm	US\$1.32 each
	Less than 1 carat	US\$1.80 each
	1 carat and over	US\$1.80 per carat
<b>Fancy Cuts</b>	Cushion, Heart, Barion, Portuguese round, Tapered Baguette, Drop Trillion, Any opposed Bar Tops, All Free Form Shapes, All checkerboard tops	
	Less than 1 carat	US\$2.70 each
	1 carat and over	US\$2.70 per carat
<b>Cabochons</b>	Standard shapes	
	Under 2 carats	US\$0.90 each
	2 -5 carats	US\$1.40 each
	5-10 carats	US\$2.75 each
	10-20 carats	US\$5.00 each
	20-50 carats	US\$6.00 each
	50-100 carats	US\$7.25 each
Over 100 carats	US\$8.80 each	
<b>Concave Cuts</b>	All shapes	
	Minimum Size is 1 carat	US\$4.50 per carat

*Note: All cutting charges are based on rough with reasonable yield Certain types of rough such as diopside or kunzite, or rough with very low yield, do not fall within the standard cutting charges. Additional cutting charges may apply only where applicable and only after being discussed with the customer prior to cutting.*

**SHAPES & FACET PATTERNS**

Columbia Gem House, Inc. (CGH) offers cutting in a wide variety of shapes and sizes, including ALL STANDARD SHAPES. Columbia Gem House, Inc. generally does not accept requests for cutting non-standard, irregular shapes or custom facet patterns for outside orders. However, special requests will be considered if CGH can complete the order in a reasonable timeframe without disrupting the normal workflow at the factory.

**ROUGH QUALITY**

The quality of rough material is the responsibility of the party that purchases it. CGH takes no responsibility for the quality of rough our customers send for cutting. No guarantee is offered regarding yield, size, color or clarity. Rough will be evaluated in relation to the order request and CGH will offer its opinion(s) before the rough is sent for cutting. If, in our opinion the rough cannot be cut as requested, CGH will hold the rough until the order can be discussed with the owner. If final agreement on cutting cannot be decided upon within two weeks, CGH will return the rough to the customer in its original form.

All lots should be separated into a single stone type. Customers are responsible for determining types of stones they send. CGH does not identify or separate lots by stone type. In the instance that mixed lots are sent for cutting, it will be the customer's responsibility to identify individual stone types. Columbia Gem House only cuts natural gemstones. **No synthetic, man-made or lab created stones are allowed at the CGH cutting factory.** All lots believed to contain any synthetic, man-made or lab created stones will be returned uncut.

**MINIMUM ORDER**

The minimum order is US\$1,000.00. Orders may consist of a single lot worth US\$1,000.00 or more in cutting charges or multiple lots totaling US\$1,000.00 or more in cutting charges. The minimum charge for a single lot in an order is US\$100.00. Where applicable, insurance and customs fees will be added to the total order amount and calculated as described below.

**PAYMENT**

Payment is due upon receipt. No payment terms are offered on cutting services. Customers in good standing with CGH or with satisfactory credit references may be sent goods DUE UPON RECEIPT. All other customers must PREPAY or have their goods shipped CASH ON DELIVERY (COD).

Payments not received within forty-five (45) days of invoice will accrue late charge fees of 1.5% monthly. If payment is not received within six (6) months of initial invoice, all goods are considered abandoned and become the property of CGH.

**INSURANCE**

Rough is insured only while at the CGH head office or in transit to the cutting factory. CGH provides high security protocols at the factory to eliminate theft. However, no insurance is offered for customer's goods while at the factory. All goods sent to the factory are "AT THE OWNERS OWN RISK" while being processed at the factory.

Value for insurance must be provided to CGH before any goods will be shipped to the factory. Insurance and customs fees will be invoiced in addition to cutting charges. Insurance fees for rough in transit to the factory are calculated at the rate of US\$3.00/US\$1000. Insurance fees for cut stones in transit from the factory to CGH after cutting will be calculated at the rate of (rough value + cutting charges) x US\$4.50/US\$1000. Insurance fees for cut stones in transit from CGH to the customer after cutting will be calculated at the rate of (rough value + cutting charges) x US\$3.00 per US\$1000.00

**Example of insurance charges    \$5000.00 rough value + \$1000.00 in cutting charges**

Rough from CGH to Factory	$5000 \times 3.00 \text{ per } \$1000 =$	\$15.00
Cut stones from factory to CGH	$6000 \times 4.50 \text{ per } \$1000 =$	\$27.00
Cut stones returned to U.S. customer	$6000 \times 3.00 \text{ per } \$1000 =$	\$18.00
	Total insurance charges =	\$60.00

Customs and brokerage fees = (Rough value + Cutting charges) x 0.35% or \$31.00, which ever is greater.

**INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING OF ROUGH**

**International shipping charges from CGH Vancouver, WA to the cutting factory are US\$55.00 per kilo of rough (\$45 minimum). Note: Scrap rough and unusable material can be returned at the customer's request at a rate of US\$55.00 per kilo.**

*I have read and understand these Terms and Conditions. I agree to the Terms and Conditions set forth by CGH for all material received and sent by Columbia Gem House, Inc. for cutting on my behalf.*

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COMPANY

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PRINT NAME

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SIGNATURE

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DATE