

Understanding the AGS Platinum Diamond Quality® Document

Description of the diamond's shape (round, etc.) and style (brilliant, etc.)

Measurements in millimeters. Round diamonds are expressed (minimum diameter) – (maximum diameter) x (depth). All other shapes are expressed (length) x (width) x (depth)

Cut Grade, expressed in AGS' unique 0-10 scale.

Light Performance, Polish and Symmetry numeric grades

Color grade, expressed in 0-10 scale, with 0 being colorless.


Clarity grade, expressed in 0-10 scale, with 0 being Flawless/IF.

Carat Weight noted to the nearest thousandth of a carat

Comments include additional notes about the diamond, including the fluorescence and any laser inscriptions.

Important Notice – along with important disclosures, alerts the consumer to seek a Certified Gemologist® or other credentialed gemologist to explain how the diamond's 4C's as stated on the document can affect the diamond's value.

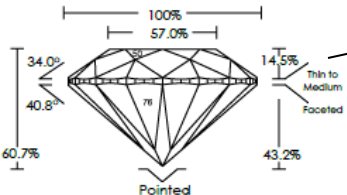
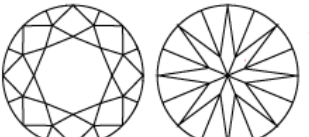
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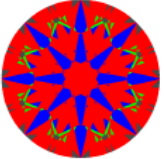
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April 17, 2011
1.015 cts

The Platinum Light Performance Diamond Quality® Document

Shape and Style Measurements	Round Brilliant 6.50 - 6.51 x 3.95 mm		Thin to Medium Faceted
Cut Grade	AGS Ideal 0	Pointed	
Light Performance	AGS Ideal 0		
Polish	AGS Ideal 0		
Symmetry	AGS Ideal 0		
Color Grade	(D) AGS 0		
Clarity Grade	(VVS1) AGS 1		
Carat Weight	1.015 cts		
Comments	Fluorescence: Negligible "AGS 123456789101" has been inscribed on the girdle of this diamond.		

CLARITY PLOT INFORMATION: Red marks indicate inclusions; green marks indicate external blemishes.

Key to Symbols
Pinpoint



AGS1 Computer Generated Light Performance Map (ASET®) for this Diamond.
U.S. Patent No: 7,355,483


■	Brightness	■	Less Slight
■	Contrast	■	Least Bright

Cut Scale										
AGS 0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
AGS Ideal	AGS Excellent	AGS Very Good	AGS Good			AGS Fair		AGS Poor		


Color Scale																							
AGS 0.0	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	5.5	6.0	6.5	7.0	7.5	8.0	8.5	9.0	9.5	10.0	to Fancy Yellow		
Colorless			Near Colorless			Faint			Very Light											Light		Fancy Yellow	
GIA D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	

Clarity Scale										
AGS 0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
AGS Flawless/IF	Very Very Slightly Included		Very Slightly Included		Slightly Included		Included			
GIA Flawless/IF	VVS1	VVS2	VS1	VS2	S1	S2	I1	I2	I3	

Important Notice: All three quality factors of Cut, Color, and Clarity can dramatically affect the beauty and value of a diamond. Because of cutting, diamonds with the same color and clarity grades can vary in value by as much as 50% or more. Therefore, it is advisable to consult a Certified Gemologist or other credentialed gemologist before purchasing this diamond.



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The unique AGS number assigned for this diamond.

The date the document was printed

The diamond's proportions, indicating all the critical angles and percentages.

The Clarity characteristics plot of inclusions and blemishes.

The key to symbols shown on the Clarity characteristics plot.

Light Performance map based on the American Gem Society® ASET® technology. The 4 colors indicate areas of Brightness, Contrast, those areas that are Less Bright and those with Light Leakage. The Light Performance map is unique to each diamond.

Cut, Color and Clarity Scales

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