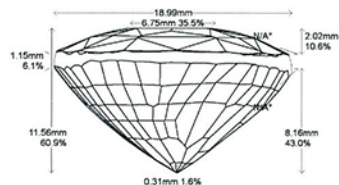




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Comments:

General Report Comments:

Document No: 1133929

Validation Date: 23 August 2023

Identification

Mineral Type: Natural Corundum
Variety: Sapphire

Transparency: Transparent
Color Description: Blue

Carat Weight: 36.16 cts
Measurements: 19.22 x 18.99 x 11.56 mm

Shape: Square Cushion
Cutting Style: Modified Mixed Cut

Comments:

Identification

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Origin

Origin

Provenance: Ceylon (Sri Lanka)



Comments: It is the opinion of the Laboratory, based on the weight of evidence that the origin of this material would be classified as Ceylon (Sri Lanka).

Enhancement

Enhancement

Standard: No gemological evidence of heat Additional: Clarity enhancement: None

Comments: Non-heated sapphires are scarce. Sapphires are commonly heated to modify their color and appearance.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor					

Enhancement Stability Index™

None	Insignificant	Minor	Moderate	Strong	Prominent
Extremely Rare	Very Rare	Rare	Uncommon	Common	Very Common

Degree of Clarity Enhancement & Relative Rarity™

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Natural Ceylon Sapphire
36.16 cts



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Natural Sapphire,

Weight: 36.16 cts

Reference: 1133929

To Whom It May Concern,

One of the oldest and most important producers of fine gem material is the tropical island nation of Ceylon (Sri Lanka), located off the southern tip of India. At the center of one of history's classic gem locations is the "gem city" of Ratnapura. Under the tropical jungles and exotic countryside of this region lies one of nature's most dramatic treasure troves of mineral wealth. Ceylon has remained one of the world's primary sources for exquisite gems for more than two thousand years.

Many mining areas dot the landscape throughout the region, typically characterized by alluvial gravels that may contain a wide range of gemstone varieties. These may include exceptional specimens of cat's-eye chrysoberyl, alexandrite, spinel and a host of other gems. However, this island is probably most famous for the outstanding sapphires, covering a broad range of colors and shades, which are unearthed there. Although Ceylon has been a source of sapphires for many centuries, a very small percentage of these are top gem-quality and of a significant size. Not surprisingly, such rarities are highly sought after by knowledgeable collectors and connoisseurs throughout the world.

American Gemological Laboratories has completed an analysis of just such an impressive gem. Report No. 1133929 details a very fine 36.16 cts natural sapphire from Ceylon. This sapphire has received the prestigious origin determination by AGL of Ceylon (Sri Lanka). Its 36 carat size additionally places this gem in a class with very few gem-quality sapphires from any source. This lovely sapphire exhibits a blue color that is complemented by a fine cut. The square cushion, mixed cut style of fashioning utilized on this gem creates richly saturated internal color reflections and brilliance. In addition, this gem possesses a high clarity for such a large gem, leading to a superior degree of transparency.



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A richly saturated blue sapphire of this quality in a size of 36.16 cts is significant. Augmenting the importance of this impressive gem is the fact that it also does not exhibit any gemological evidence of heating or clarity enhancements, which are commonly employed today to improve the color and quality of many sapphires. This lack of enhancement further accentuates the rarity, desirability and importance of this gem.

Superior quality Ceylon sapphires possessing such a combination of attributes are very rare and a tribute to the delicate balance that nature must maintain to allow for such gems to form. This gem provides a testament as to why the sapphires of Ceylon have historically been considered some of the world's finest.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Christopher P. Smith".

Christopher P. Smith, President
American Gemological Laboratories LLC



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