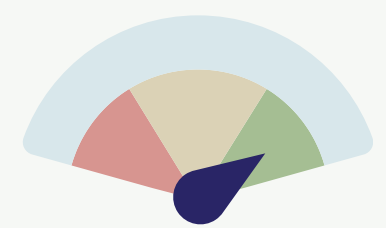


# Investing in Gemstones

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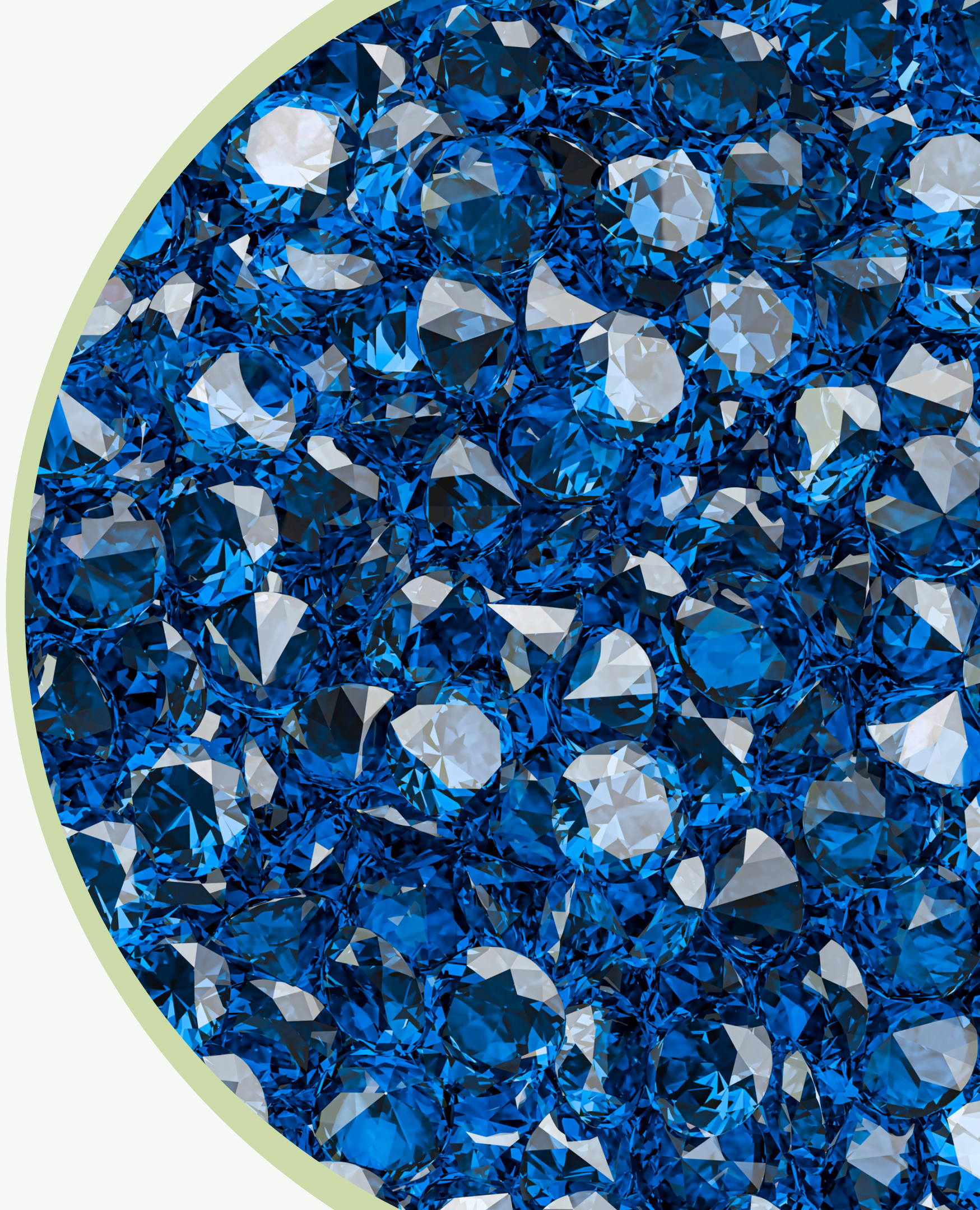
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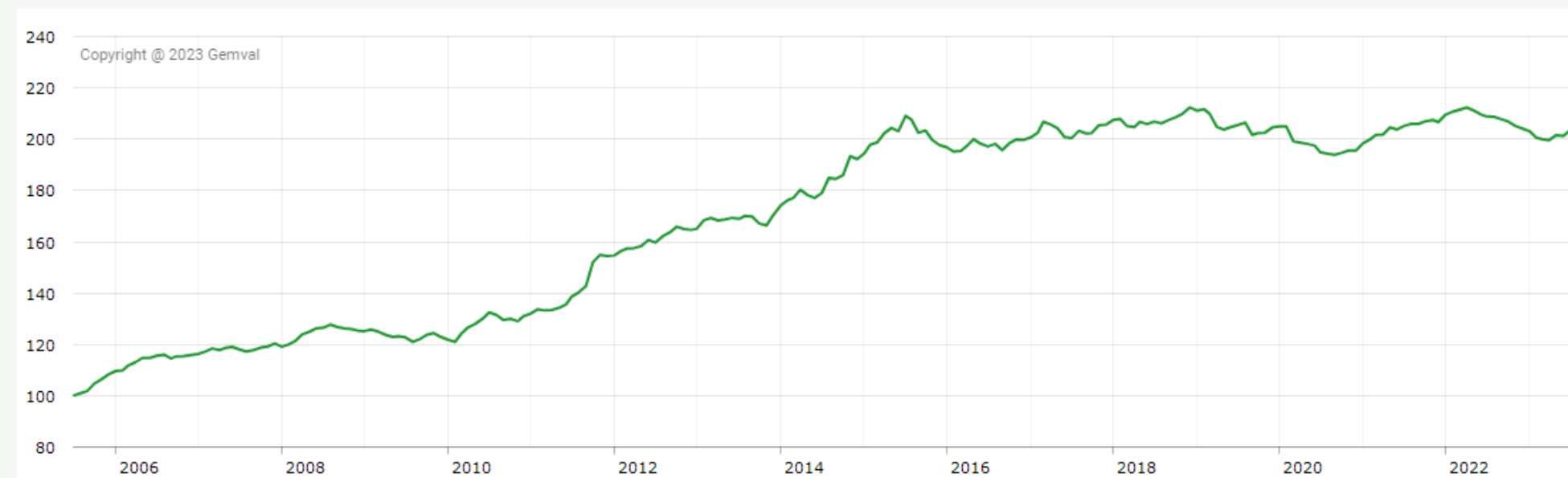
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# Balancing Aesthetics and Financial Potential

Gemstones, as a stable and valuable asset, offer a secure alternative to the volatile nature of gold, stocks, and bonds. Their scarcity has increased recently, driving up global demand.

Investing in exceptionally rare gemstones can result in strong, above-average returns over time. These unique natural resources are akin to works of art, each possessing distinct characteristics. Unlike more liquid assets like gold or diamonds, gemstone and art markets lack daily performance benchmarks.



Gemval Aggregate index (GVA)



## Growing collector base

Gemstone sales are projected to hit \$56 billion by 2033 (CAGR of 5.6% from 2023 to 2033).

<sup>1</sup>



## Low volatility

Investing in gemstones means putting money into a tangible asset with stable value, devoid of volatility.



## Constant price increases

Recent market trends show a consistent upward movement in prices, making gemstone investments increasingly popular.

<sup>1</sup> futuremarketinsights.com

# Market Overview

## Market Size

The global Gemstone market was valued at USD 32 billion in 2023 and is expected to reach USD 56 billion by 2032.<sup>1</sup>

## Key Countries

United States, India, China, Japan, Germany, France

## Hues (Color)

The basic hues are red, orange, yellow, green, blue, violet, and purple.

## Sentimental Value

Sentimental Value: Beyond financial gains, Gemstones hold sentimental value and can become collector's items.

## Big 3

The colored gemstone rubies, sapphires, emeralds

## The 4 Cs

The 4 Cs - Carat (weight), Clarity (purity), Color, and Cut - are the main factors used in the evaluation of diamonds.

# Risk Considerations



## Authenticity

There is a risk of counterfeit or synthetic Gemstones being sold as natural Gemstones. It is therefore important to choose a reputable and reliable dealer and have the stones certified by a recognized institution.

## Trusted supplier

It is important to choose a trustworthy expert who has a good reputation, is willing to answer any questions and has direct relationships with the mines. If you want to buy a Gemstone online, you should also ensure that the seller has a good online presence and positive reviews.

## Sustainability

Gemstones are often associated with environmental problems and human rights concerns. It is important to ensure that the Gemstones have been ethically and sustainably sourced.

## Certificate

When purchasing a Gemstone, one should demand a certificate that confirms the characteristics of the stone. Such a certificate should be issued by a reputable testing laboratory.

# Investing with Splint Invest

## Diversification

With Splint Invest, you can easily diversify your portfolio, therefore reducing your risk by investing in the 12 already available asset categories with numerous exciting assets on the platform.

## Verified Investment Case

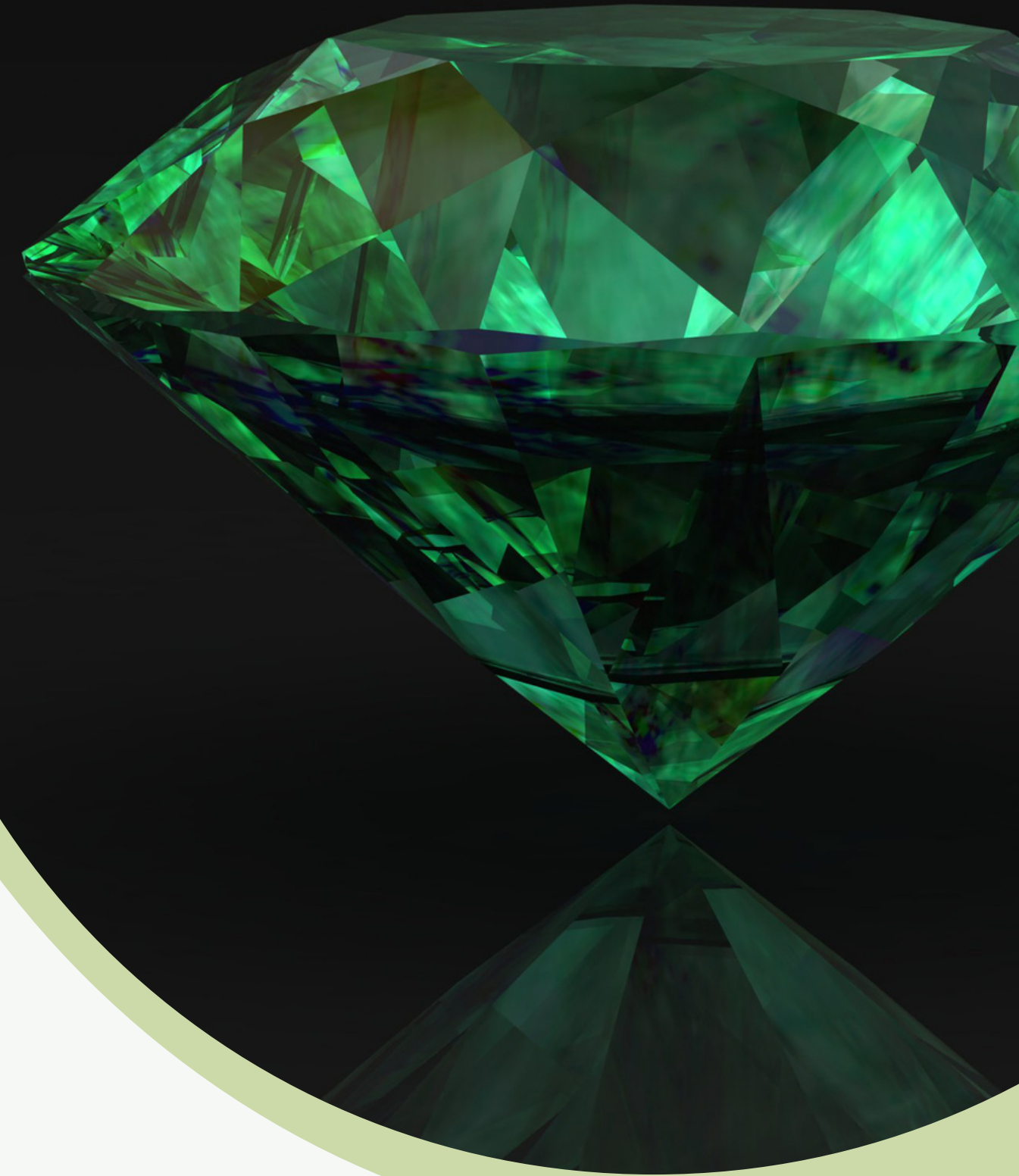
Every potential investment case goes through an extensive due diligence process and is validated by our experienced team.

## Proven Track Record

The assets are sourced from our trusted partners with high market expertise and a proven track record for Gemstones investments.

## Security

The assets are securely stored and insured in freeports and vaults.



# Collaborators



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