

April 22, 2026



Cut 8X

Growth Method	CVD
1. Chemical Vapor Deposition (CVD)	1. Chemical Vapor Deposition (CVD)
2. Physical Vapor Deposition (PVD)	2. Physical Vapor Deposition (PVD)
3. Sol-gel process	3. Sol-gel process
4. Hydrothermal synthesis	4. Hydrothermal synthesis
5. Electrochemical deposition	5. Electrochemical deposition
6. Atomic Layer Deposition (ALD)	6. Atomic Layer Deposition (ALD)
7. Langmuir-Blodgett (LB) technique	7. Langmuir-Blodgett (LB) technique
8. Spin coating	8. Spin coating
9. Dip coating	9. Dip coating
10. Inkjet printing	10. Inkjet printing
11. Spray coating	11. Spray coating
12. Electroless plating	12. Electroless plating
13. Thermal evaporation	13. Thermal evaporation
14. Sputtering	14. Sputtering
15. Molecular beam epitaxy (MBE)	15. Molecular beam epitaxy (MBE)
16. Pulsed laser deposition (PLD)	16. Pulsed laser deposition (PLD)
17. Solvothermal synthesis	17. Solvothermal synthesis
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The logo is a circular seal. At the top, it says "GCAI" in a large, bold, serif font, with "BY SARKIS" in a smaller, sans-serif font below it. In the center is a detailed line drawing of a diamond with its facets clearly marked. Below the diamond, the text "CONSUMER 4CS GRADING GUARANTEE" is written in a circular path around the bottom half of the seal.

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Ultimate Diamond Cut Grade



P Poor **F** Fair **G** Good **VG** Very Good **EX** Excellent

Technical drawing of a faceted diamond showing dimensions and percentages:

- Top width: 6.15mm
- Top width percentage: 3.79mm 62%
- Top width percentage: 34.0°
- Left height: 0.25mm 4.1%
- Left height: 4.13mm 67.2%
- Right height: 0.80mm 13.0%
- Right height: 3.08mm 50.0%
- Bottom width: 0.02mm 0.3%
- Bottom angle: 37.8°

DIAMOND SHAPES



CARAT WEIGHT SIZES

Carat Weight	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	0.75	0.50
Approx. Size						
Diameter	8.60mm	8.00mm	7.30mm	6.40mm	5.80mm	5.10mm

DIAMOND CLARITY GRADING SCALE

FL	IF	VVS1	VVS2	VS1	VS2	S11	S12	I1	I2	I3
FLAWLESS - INTERNALLY FL.		VERY VERY SLIGHTLY INCLUDED		VERY SLIGHTLY INCLUDED		SLIGHTLY INCLUDED				INCLUDED/PIQUE

DIAMOND COLOR GRADING SCALE



D - Z DIAMOND COLOR GRADING SCALE

DIAMOND FLUORESCENCE GRADING SCALE



DIAMOND POLISH & SYMMETRY GRADING SCALE

EXCELLENT	VERY GOOD	GOOD	FAIR	POOR
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BRILLIANT CUT DIAGRAM



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4Cs GRADING GUARANTEE

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PHYSICAL EXCELLENCE

The first three of the 8X grading factors analyze the exactness of the physical surface, the facet shapes, as well as the angles. This includes the Polish, External Symmetry and Proportions.

Decades of meticulous mathematical calculations have determined the narrow proportion ranges required to produce superior cut diamonds. Each shape has been studied individually to find the most aesthetically pleasing parameters. Some of the factors considered are listed below.

To view the proportions specifications for each shape, please visit our website [GCALUSA.COM](https://www.gcalusa.com)

Table %	Lower Girdle Facet Length
Depth %	Star Length
Crown Angle/Height	Girdle Thickness
Pavilion Angle/Height	Culet Size

LIGHT PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE

The next three of the 8X grading factors are Brilliance, Fire and Scintillation, which analyze the light handling ability of your lab grown diamond. The combination of these factors is the essence of what makes any diamond visibly shine, dance and sparkle from across a room. Fire and Scintillation are graded while the diamond is in motion and interacting with light. View the Fire and Scintillation videos of this lab grown diamond at [GCALUSA.com](https://www.gcalusa.com) or by scanning the QR code on this certificate.

OPTICAL EXCELLENCE

The last two 8X grading factors consider optical excellence. These factors scrutinize the craftsmanship, the precise alignment of the crown and pavilion facets, the shape outline, and the length to width ratio, ensuring the lab grown diamond achieves aesthetic perfection.

Grading scales for each of the 8X grading factors can be viewed at [GCALUSA.com](https://www.gcalusa.com)

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