

## Stunning Chrysoberyl Cat's Eye Round 6.10cts

This one is a gem. Like most stones the color changes some depending on the light source and the eye actually looks sharpest with very low lighting. With rotation, the color changes and the milk and honey effect is best under low or incandescent light. The two colors are yellow and light olive. In fluorescent light the color boundaries are less apparent. The eye is straight and sharp viewed horizontally and also straight when viewed vertically with the light source directly above. If the light source is from the side, the eye is not as sharp and it does open and close the way cat's eyes are supposed to. Upon rotation, some kind of a minor twinning or zoning line is evident and intersects the eye at an oblique angle from some directions. Our best cat's eye in this size range.



### Grade Score 8 / 10

Color Good (3/5) Cut Exceptional (5/5) Carat Large (4/5) Clarity Inapplicable (N/A) Rarity Rare (4/5)

### Price information

- \* Web: \$ 3904.00
- \* RRP: \$ 5856.00
- \* Source: [Multicolour.com](http://Multicolour.com)

### Availability information

- \* Private collection

See Alexander's Gemological Guide: Natural Cymophane Round 6.1 cts, <http://www.alexandrite.net/viewpage.html?id=ALX-001-00045> (Rare Cymophane (Chrysoberyl) Round 6.1 cts from Tanzania (Tunduru)) (as of ).

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**Detail identification and grading report**

Identification	
Type:	Natural
Species:	Chrysoberyl
Variety:	Cymophane
Origin:	Tunduru, Ruvuma, Ruvuma Region, Tanzania
Hardness:	8.5
Density:	3.75
RI-1:	1.741
RI-2:	1.76
Enhancements	
Variety of work:	Traditional (Cabochon)
Designation:	A (Not currently known to be enhanced)
Color	
Color light source:	Cool daylight
Color description:	gY 2/3 (very light greenish yellow)
Phenomena:	Cat's eye (Chatoyancy) Chatoyancy Strong (65%-69%)
Clarity	
Transparency:	Translucent
Cut	
Shape:	Round
Cut style:	Polished
Symmetry:	Exceptional

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Polish:	Exceptional
Size	
Width:	9.80 mm
Length:	9.80 mm
Weight:	6.10 cts

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