

# TWO BIT TABLES



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## Gems with a Unique Flair



Next to gold and magic items, gems are one of the most common forms of treasure to be given out in roleplaying games. Grand heists can revolve around gems and those strange alien components may be augmented gems. But how do you give these treasures a feel of their own and keep them from being stale and common? Well, your friends here at Healing Fireball Publications have the answer with a collection of tables that will give every gem in your world a unique feel and style of its own.

### How to make a Gemstone

The first step in designing a gem with this product is to roll for the stone's shape on Table I. If the result of the roll is *Shaped Like an Animal*, roll on Table IV for the specific type of animal. If the result on Table I is one of the smooth or faceted face shapes, then roll on Table II to get the gem's Pavilion (Bottom) shape.

Now that your stone has a shape, roll on Table III to determine if the stone has any other modifying conditions.

The next step in designing a gem is to determine its type by either choosing an appropriate option on Table V or rolling to get a random type. Once you have determined the gem's type you can then roll on the appropriate table to get the specific stone.

Finally, the three Additions Tables can be used to further augment the gems, giving them a unique feel based on genre.

### How to Generate a Pearl

If you roll Pearl on the Gem Type Table, just roll on the Pearl Table and use the results, discarding any gem shape information.

### A note on Stone Conditions

Cloudy is only a condition for translucent stones; for opaque stones treat this as a Perfect result. Cracked gems have a crack running through the face of the stone while chipped stones have a piece missing and sheared off. Slight flaws are small bubbles or inclusions in the gem that don't affect its appearance much, where badly flawed gems have large inclusions that may destroy the stone's appearance.



Table I: Stone Shape

D20	Stone Shape
1	Animal-Shaped*
2	Circular, Faceted†
3	Circular, Smooth†
4	Cone
5	Cube
6	Egg-shaped
7	Geode
8	Oval, Faceted†
9	Oval, Smooth†
10	Pyramid
11	Rectangle, Faceted†
12	Spheroid
13	Square, Faceted†
14	Star Shaped†
15	Teardrop Three-Dimensional
16	Teardrop, Faceted†
17	Teardrop, Smooth†
18	Triangle, Smooth†
19	Triangle, Faceted†
20	Uncut

\* Roll on Table IV for specific animal

† Roll on Table II for pavilion shape

Table II: Pavilion Shape

D20	Pavilion Shape
1-2	Cone, Deep
3-4	Cone, Perfect
5-6	Cone, Shallow
7-9	Faceted Cone, Deep
10-12	Faceted Cone, Perfect
13-15	Faceted Cone, Shallow
16-18	Flat back
19-20	Smooth rounded back

Table III: Stone Condition

D20	Condition
1-3	Badly Flawed Gem
4-6	Chipped
7-9	Cloudy Gem
10-12	Cracked
13-16	Perfect
17-20	Slightly Flawed Gem

Table IV: Animal Shape

D20	Animal Shape
1	Bear
2	Dolphin
3	Dragon
4	Eagle
5	Elephant
6	Fish (Any)
7	Giraffe
8	Hippopotamus
9	Horse
10	Lion
11	Moose
12	Owl
13	Panther
14	Pegasus
15	Pig
16	Snake
17	Squirrel
18	Unicorn
19	Whale
20	Wolf

Table V: Gem Type

D20	Gem Type
1-5	Semi-Precious Gem off Table I
6-10	Semi-Precious Gem off Table II
11-15	Precious Gem
16-20	Pearl

Table VI: Modern Gem Additions

D20	Modern gem Additions
1-3	Artificial/Grown
4-6	Etched with sunburst pattern (Semi-precious only)
7-9	Engraved with an animal shape
10-12	Engraved with owner's initials
13-16	Laser etched grade and rating
17-20	Laser etched serial number

Table VII: Fantasy Gem Additions

D20	Fantasy Gem Effects
1-2	Changes Color to Match Holder's Mood
3-4	Changes color
5-6	Changes Shape
7-8	Emitting cone of light the color of the stone
9-10	Emits sweet smell
11-12	Glowing soft from within
13-14	Illusionary animal image inside
15-16	Illusionary portrait inside
17-18	Wreathed in cold blue fire
19-20	Swirling liquid like pattern inside

Table VIII: Future/Technical Gem Additions

D20	Future/Technical Gem Effects
1-2	Contains inlaid circuit
3-4	Emits holographic image above it
5-6	Emitting a High-Pitched Buzz
7-8	Fitted with adaptor plug/mount*
9-10	Holographic animal image inside
11-12	Holographic portrait inside
13-14	Imbedded copper wires
15-16	Pulsing With Energy
17-18	Radioactive
19-20	Synthetic

\* Gem is mounted so as to be placed in a larger device.

Table IX: Semi-Precious Gems Table I

D100	Semi-Precious Gem	D100	Semi-Precious Gem
1	Agate, Banded Black/White	51	Obsidian, Dark Green
2	Agate, Purple	52	Obsidian, Dark Red
3	Agate, Black	53	Obsidian, Gray
4	Agate, Dark Blue	54	Obsidian, Snowflake (Black with white splotches)
5	Agate, Dark Green	55	Onyx, Banded Black/Brown
6	Agate, Green Moss	56	Onyx, Banded Black/White
7	Agate, White	57	Onyx, Black
8	Alabaster, Brown	58	Pyrite (Fools' Gold)
9	Alabaster, White	59	Quartz, Clear
10	Alexandrite (Changes from green to red depending on light)	60	Quartz, Milky (White)
11	Amber	61	Quartz, Rose (Pink)
12	Aquamarine (Blue)	62	Quartz, Smokey (Brown/Gray)
13	Bixbite ("Scarlet Emerald" Red)	63	Rhodonite (Marbled Pink)
14	Bloodstone (Green with red speckles)	64	Sardonyx, Banded Black/red (Onyx and Sard)
15	Carnelian (Red or Red-brown)	65	Sardonyx, Banded black/brown/red (Onyx and Sard)
16	Chrysocolla (Mottled green/blue-green with black impurities)	66	Sodalite, Dark Green With White Veins
17	Fluorite, Blue	67	Sodalite, Royal Blue With White Veins
18	Fluorite, Brownish-yellow	68	Sodalite, Violet With White Veins
19	Fluorite, Clear	69	Sodalite, Yellow With White Veins
20	Fluorite, Green	70	Spinel, Black
21	Fluorite, Pink	71	Spinel, Blue
22	Fluorite, Purple	72	Spinel, Brown
23	Fluorite, Red	73	Spinel, Dark Green
24	Fluorite, White	74	Spinel, Mauve
25	Fluorite, Yellow	75	Spinel, Red
26	Golden Beryl (Yellow)	76	Sugilite, Marbled Pink/Black
27	Heliodor (Yellow-green Beryl)	77	Sugilite, Marbled Pink/White
28	Hematite, grey/silver	78	Sugilite, Marbled Purple/White
29	Howlite (Marbled white and gray with black veins)	79	Sugilite, Marbled Purple/Black
30	Jade, Banded Green/White	80	Sunstone, Clear
31	Jade, green	81	Sunstone, Green
32	Jade, Milky white	82	Sunstone, Red
33	Jade, Yellow	83	Sunstone, Yellow
34	Jasper, Brown	84	Tiger's Eye (Banded Amber/Red-brown/Brown)
35	Jasper, Marbled red/black	85	Tiger Iron (Banded Amber/Red/Black/Brown)
36	Jasper, Marbled Yellow/brown	86	Topaz, Blue
37	Jasper, Red	87	Topaz, Brown
38	Jasper, Yellow	88	Topaz, Clear
39	Jet (black)	89	Topaz, Gray
40	Lapis Lazuli (Marbled blue/yellow)	90	Topaz, Green
41	Lodestone (Powerful Natural Magnet)	91	Topaz, Orange
42	Malachite (Banded Green/White)	92	Topaz, Pink
43	Moonstone, Opaque Blue	93	Topaz, Yellow
44	Moonstone, Opaque Brown	94	Tourmaline, Banded Green/Pink
45	Moonstone, Opaque Gray	95	Tourmaline, Black
46	Moonstone, Opaque green	96	Tourmaline, Brown
47	Moonstone, Opaque pink	97	Tourmaline, Green
48	Moonstone, Opaque White	98	Tourmaline, Pink
49	Morganite (Pink "Rose Beryl")	99	Tourmaline, Violet
50	Obsidian, Black	100	Turquoise (Blue-green marbled)

Table X: Semi-Precious Gems Table II

D100	Semi-Precious Gem	D100	Semi-Precious Gem
1-2	Azurite, Dark Blue	51-52	Garnet, Green
3-4	Azurite, Light Blue	53-54	Garnet, Red
5-6	Chalcedony, Black	55-56	Garnet, Violet
7-8	Chalcedony, Brown	57-58	Garnet, Yellow
9-10	Chalcedony, Gray	59-60	Hematite, Red/Reddish-brown
11-12	Chalcedony, Grayish-blue	61-62	Iolite, Blue
13-14	Chalcedony, Marbled Brown/White	63-64	Iolite, Violet
15-16	Chalcedony, White	65-66	Iolite, Yellow-Brown
17-18	Chrysoberyl, Blue	67-68	Peridot (Brown)
19-20	Chrysoberyl, Brown	69-70	Peridot (Olive-Green)
21-22	Chrysoberyl, Green	71-72	Peridot (Yellow)
23-24	Chrysoberyl, Red	73-74	Peridot (Yellow-green)
25-26	Chrysoberyl, Yellow	75-76	Rhodochrosite, brown
27-28	Chrysoprase (Apple-Green)	77-78	Rhodochrosite, Gray
29-30	Citrine (Yellow Quarts)	79-80	Rhodochrosite, Pink
31-32	Corundum, Blue	81-82	Rhodochrosite, Red
33-34	Corundum, Brown	83-84	Rhodochrosite, White
35-36	Corundum, Gray	85-86	Rhodochrosite, Yellow
37-38	Corundum, Red	87-88	Sard (Reddish-Brown)
39-40	Corundum, White	89-90	Zircon, Black
41-42	Corundum, Yellow	91-92	Zircon, Brown
43-44	Garnet, Blue	93-94	Zircon, Colorless
45-46	Garnet, Brown	95-96	Zircon, Green
47-48	Garnet, Clear	97-98	Zircon, Red
49-50	Garnet, Gray	99-100	Zircon, yellow

Table XI: Precious Gems

D20	Precious Stones
1	Amethyst
2	Diamond, Black
3	Diamond, Brown
4	Diamond, Colorless
5	Diamond, Purple
6	Diamond, Red
7	Diamond, Champagne
8	Emerald
9	Opal, Black
10	Opal, Colorless
11	Opal, Green
12	Opal, Iridescent
13	Opal, Orange
14	Opal, Red
15	Opal, White
16	Ruby, Purple-Red
17	Ruby, Red
18	Sapphire, Blue
19	Sapphire, Purple
20	Star Sapphire (Blue with a white star pattern)

Table XII: Pearls

D20	Pearls
1-2	Irregular Golden Pearl
3-4	Irregular Silver Pearl
5-6	Irregular White Pearl
7-8	Round Black Pearl
9-10	Round Blue Pearl
11-12	Round Golden Pearl (Yellow)
13-14	Round Grey Pearl
15-16	Round Pink Pearl
17-18	Round Silver Pearl
19-20	Round White Pearl