



Gemstone Globes



Admired by the world, gemstone globes are intricately made using semiprecious gemstones such as Jasper, Agate, Jade, Aventurine and Feldspars.

The gemstones are sourced from Brazil, South Africa, Australia, and the Middle East. The raw material is cut into thin slabs then precision hand cut into the shape of the designated country. The whole globe is polished entirely before the capitals and names of each country are individually added.

The positioning of the countries as well as the longitude and latitude lines on each globe is checked by qualified cartographers to ensure accuracy.

The ocean is made from a reconstructed Lapis Lazuli from Afghanistan before the entire globe is covered with several layers of resin. The stand is made from Brass.

René travelled to the factory in Guangzhou, China to witness the hand cutting of the countries and see exactly how the globes are made. He made a video of his trip.

