Classification	Fresh Water Pearls	
Top Gem	Comments	The Top Gem choice are the pearls that have been selected individually prior to drilling and polishing for their exceptional quality characteristics. These pearls are typically sold wholesale as single pearls and pairs, undrilled.Top Gem srands are composed of these beads, drilled and assembled from Genisi. The highest grade of freshwater pearls are 0.1% of freshwater pearls produced today.
	Luster	Exhibit intense luster and deeply reflective orient
	Shape	Round (with bare eyes)
	Surface	Virtually Clean surface
	Matching	Excellent matching
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AAA	Comments	Highest non-loose pearl grade available in the market (Top 1% of freshwater pearls produced today)
	Luster	Excellent luster
	Shape	Round and semi-round (with bare eyes)
	Surface	95% clean surface
	Matching	Excellent matching
AA+	Comments	Highest grade of freshwater pearl (Top 5% of freshwater pearls produced today)
	Luster	Good luster
	Shape	Appears to be semi-round at a distance of approximately 1m
	Surface	90% clean surface
	Matching	Good to excellent
AA	Comments	High grade (Top 10% of freshwater pearls produced today)
	Luster	Good to average
	Shape	Near round to off-round
	Surface	Light signs for less than 20% of the surface
	Matching	Good to moderate
Α	Comments	Medium/high grade (Top 20% of freshwater pearls produced today)
	Luster	Medium to low
	Shape	Semi-round to oval
	Surface	signs for less than 30% of the surface
	Matching	Good to moderate
Commercial	Comments	
	Luster	Medium luster or no luster
	Shape	Semi-round to no shape
	Surface	moderate signs to very evident ones
	Matching	Medium