

Properties of Quartz Crystal Formations

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<i>NAME</i>	<i>IDENTIFYING CHARACTERISTICS</i>	<i>Primary Functions</i>
Abundance crystal	A crystal with many tiny crystals growing at the base.	An abundance crystal wishes all good things for life. Abundance, fullness, sufficiency and creativity. Also fosters prosperity, well-being, success, good fortune, blessings, and growth.
Activation (Left) also known as Left-handed crystal	Inclined window located of left side of primary face.	Activation and increased performance of left-brain functions. Used for removal of energy blocks on right side of body when directed toward the chakras on the front side of body.
Activation (Right) Also known as Right-handed crystal	Inclined window on right side of primary face.	Activation and increased performance of right-brain functions. Directed toward chakras from back side of body it removes energy blocks on left side of body.
Aperture crystal	Crystal is cup-shaped, with hollow crater large enough to contain liquid.	When filled with water or elixir, can be used as a "seer stone". To access information from past, present and future.
Artemis crystal	A long, thin crystal with a sharp, undamaged point.	Protectress of women, children, wild places and wild creatures. Supportive of those struggling for independence of all kinds; economic, spiritual, creative, or mental. A most

		freedom-loving crystal.
Barnacle crystal	Crystals covered or partially covered with smaller crystals.	The larger crystal is the “old soul”, and contains wisdom which attracts the smaller ones. Used for meditation for insights into family or community problems. Stimulates group cohesiveness and willingness to work together. Wonderful companion when one is experiencing loss of a loved one.
Bridge crystal	Recognized by a small crystal which penetrates and is located partially in, and partially out, of a larger crystal.	Facilitates bridging between inner and outer worlds, between self and others. Beneficial for all types of teaching, promoting communication and understanding.
Buddha crystal	Look through the main face of the crystal, to the back of the crystal, to the position at the top of the back of the crystal. There is a line in this location which resembles a throne, upon which there is a figure similar to the Buddha-sitting position.	Used to stimulate meditation and bring aspects of enlightenment and love toward realization. Promotes ease in traveling ones chosen path.
Carved (Natural) crystal	A carved triangular face – the carving outlines the face and is etched such that the location of the engraved portion is normally white in appearance.	Assists in contact with ET information which is beneficial to the growth of our planet. Also stimulates the recognition of details related to Earth-changes, astrological significance, and weather patterns.

Channeling crystal	Configuration of a large seven-sided face, located in the center front position of the terminated end; a triangular face is located on the opposite (backside) of the crystal.	The seven face is symbolic of the student, the professor, the mystic, and the seeker of wisdom. The triangle provides for creative verbalizations of inner truth. The channeling crystal provides for a means of channeling and expressing truth and wisdom both inner and outer worlds. Used for meditation and to facilitate answers to specific questions. Allow the thumb to rest on the seven sided face, close your eyes, and allow information to flow to the conscious mind.
Cluster crystal	Crystals in a cluster.	They bring 'group energy' together, enhancing harmony and peace in groups. Foster protection, cooperation, union, agreement, and sharing.
Convolute sheet quartz	Existence of holes in a milky winding and twisted quartz configuration. Often contains fragments of tourmaline.	Used for chakra cleansing. And to assist one in gaining universal energy and activation of kundalini when placed on the spine. Sleeping with this formation can facilitate the vividness of dreams and enhances dreams and recall. Used also to promote astral travel.
Cross crystal	Formation of crystals in a cruciform shape and/or celtic cross.	Tool of the lightworker, assisting in removal of unwanted other-worldly implants. A world reacher

		for all humanity,
Curved crystal	Curvature is produced during the developmental stages of growth.	Provides a continuous alignment of physical meridians and the nervous system. Used to cleanse the aura, promote flexibility in ones attitudes and provide strength to decisions.
Devic crystal	A crystal with a great deal of fairy frost (the fractures and inclusions inside the crystal).	Open us to the beauty and wonder of nature and facilitates communication with the nature spirits – devas and elfin folk. Wonderful to meditate on this crystal by placing it in a hollow in a tree or a hole in the ground without blocking the opening– natural fairy doors. When you leave, leave a gift of fruit or a small crystal for the faeries.
Dolphin crystal	Near the base of a larger crystal is a smaller crystal, seeming to ride along with it.	The smaller crystal symbolizes the dolphin young swimming with its mother. The crystal shares the attributes of dolphins, loving and protective energy toward the weak, the small and the gentle.
Double Terminated crystal	Crystal naturally terminates at a point on both ends.	Capacity to transmit energy through both ends. Excellent for astral projection and dreaming. Assist in protection from mental and physical harm. Symbolize patience and perseverance.

Eight-faceted crystal	A crystal with 8 facets is valued for its ability to empower and energize.	Associated with success, prosperity, and accomplishment. Also teaches us to balance the desire for material things with the need for spiritual attainment.
Elestial crystal	Natural terminations over the body and face of an etched and/or layered crystal.	The enchanted crystal – brings the concepts and the understanding of transformation. Hold the crystal and stroke the etching/layers with the index finger of the other hand to bring one into alignment with the wisdom of the universe. Used to sustain and maintain one during changes and to stimulate the chakras.
Empathic crystal	Crystals that have been chipped and damages are empathic crystals.	They have developed understanding and kindness to a great degree. They open the hearts of those who have closed them, and also protect the open-hearted from too much pain.
Etched crystal	Contains abrasions located upon the outer areas of the crystal – abrasions appear to be a type of hieroglyphics.	Used to facilitate contact from ancient Egyptian civilizations and from Lemuria and Atlantis. Used as a personal meditation crystal.
Extra-terrestrial crystal	Has a single termination at one end and multiple terminations at the other end.	A form of channeling crystal, useful in channeling the positive beings of the celestial planes.

Faden crystal (Fah-Den)	Crystal in which the inclusion of one or more white thread-like fibrous formations of quartz occur at the center of the crystal.	Connection – stimulating and furthering connective forces between self and chosen recipient.
Generator crystal Also known as Merlin crystal	Configuration of 6 crystal faces joining together to form the terminated apex.	THE crystal for energy generation. Used to cleanse chakras and supplant voids and/or negative energies with positive radiant white light. Also used to rectify energy disturbances in localized earth areas.
Grounding Crystals	8 edges surrounding largest sloping face	They assist in dealing with practical matters in a realistic way.
Herkimer Diamond crystal	Tiny quartz crystals found only in Herkimer County, New York. Usually double terminated and sometimes have 3 or more terminations.	Good for promoting smooth energy flow, enhancing creativity and for getting in touch with our own uniqueness.
Horn of Plenty crystal	Formation of a flower type structure growing around, and encompassing, a quartz crystal. The petals of the design tend to curve downward to resemble petals.	A stone of immortality, assisting in overcoming and progressing toward excellence. Used at crown chakra to center, at heart to clean and protect and at the throat to stimulate energy for toning.
Inner Child crystal	A crystal which has another, smaller crystal partially embedded in it.	An inner child crystal can help us go back to our childhood and heal the child within.
Goddess Crystal	5 edges surrounding the largest sloping face	Amplify feminine energy and helps get in touch with

		the unselfish side of yourself whether you are man or woman. Useful in balancing male-female energies. Power of the Goddess!
Key crystal	A three-sided or six-sided indented shape located on the crystal. The indent becomes narrower as it goes within the crystal and ends within the crystal, usually at an apex termination.	Used to unlock the doors to healing concepts and aspects of the self which tend to be illusive. Assists in accessing that which is hidden in any situation.
Laser wand crystal	Long, slender crystal with small faces comprising the termination. The angles of the sides are often curved rather than straight.	It is said that all wand crystals were developed on Earth by other planetary beings via thought projection. These crystals radiate a lovely energy and have been recognized as a constant source of brilliant white light. When one holds a laser, the energy tends to surround the body, providing for a protective barrier. Energy is extremely focused and can be used to clear an area of negativity, to create protective barriers, and to beam healing energy to self or others.
Life path crystal also known as the Beauty Way crystal	A long, thin crystal with one or more totally smooth sides.	Teaches us how to walk the path of beauty, of joy. Affirmation: "May I always walk a path of goodness and of light. May I serve my highest good, as I serve all life." ~Dolfyn
Manifestation crystal	A small crystal is totally enclosed within a larger crystal.	To use, meditate with the crystal, concentrate on an appropriate chakra, and

		visualize that which you desire and bring it into a clear mental picture. Feel the associated emotions.
Meteor crystal	Have a number of tiny craters indented on one side of the crystal, with a tail trailing from them.	Fosters transcendence, cosmic consciousness, mystical vision, universal love and a sense of the vastness of the universe and of the soul.
Milky crystal	Crystal which appears whitish and opaque.	Gets us in touch with the hidden, invisible, elusive within us and without. Helps us tap the deep wisdom from within the subconscious mind. Awaken in us an appreciation for the mystery in life.
Muse crystal	A cluster of nine similarly-sized crystals.	Represent the nine goddesses who preside over the arts. Promote creative expression and appreciation for beauty, grace and harmony in music, poetry, and the arts. Bestow flights of inspiration and aesthetic awareness.
Mythic crystal	Double-terminated, milky quartz crystals.....	They hide within their opaque beauty a mysterious archetypal foreknowledge of the direction we as a society must travel to reach our highest good. Can be programmed and inspired to hold within itself whatever mythic prophecy we ask by simply telling the

		story of the myth to the crystal and asking it to resolve that myth.
Parity crystal	Any cluster of identically-sized crystals.	Teach us to wean ourselves from authority figures by showing that we are all peers on a spiritual level. Teaches us to look within rather than relying on outer authority.
Phantom crystal	The outline of itself is within it as a shadow. Occurs when a crystal stops growing for awhile and then resumes its growth again.	Helps in inner growth, encouraging us to extend beyond our current limitations. Excellent for helping gain awareness of past lives and future incarnations. Remind us of the reality of life after death and teach us that death is not to be feared, but is just a little rest before we grow again in ways more beautiful than before.
Pixilated (enchanted) crystal	A double terminated crystal with a rainbow inside, as well as a lot of fairy frost within it.	Has the ability to awaken us to the beauty, the delight, and the wonder of our world. Opens our eyes to all the numinous beings who share the earth plane with us: plant and animal devas, elemental spirits. Once you become enchanted by one of these crystals, you become pixilated. And then a wonderful world opens up to you, right in your own back yard.
Pocket crystal	Formation of pockets in a	Assists in memory and

	massive quartz structure.	rational examination of ones environment. Directs the state of change to orderliness, calms the attitude, and provides physical vitality.
Rainbow crystal	Recognized by fractures within the crystal which have prismatic effects which produce powerful rainbows within the crystal.	Brings rainbows to ones life and help deal with negativity while maintaining awareness of love. Produce full spectrum of color for healing and energizing all chakras. Helpful in promoting feelings of hope, happiness and optimism.
Receiving crystal	Has one broad flat face among smaller faces.	Good for drawing or receiving energy. Healers put the flat face against a body part that is ailing to draw out the negative energy. These crystals help us to become more receptive, to take in the good and the pleasurable.
Record keeper crystal	Recognized by a raised (or several raised) perfect triangle(s) located on one or more of the crystal faces.	A crystal within which wisdom is stored. With prope attunement, ancient knowledge and wisdom of the universe can be retrieved. Said to have been consciously programmed by the Atlanteans and Lemurians for this purpose. The triangles represent perfect

		balance achieved when physical, mental, and emotional aspects of self are aligned with love and purity of spirituality. Used as a personal meditation crystal.
Rutilated crystal	Crystal with strands or threads of rutile (angel hair) within it.	Promotes determination, self-control and strength of will. Stone of high resolve to assist us in accomplishing our goals.
Selene crystal	A crystal with any rounded inclusion. Common to find a half or three quarter moon shape.	Attuned to lunar energies. Promote psychic ability, gentleness, and insight into the mysteries and all feminine qualities. Selene is the Moon Goddess.
Self-healed crystal also known as Hera crystals	Recognized by small crystalline structures at the location where the crystal was removed from its matrix or where it has been broken and healed again.	Master crystal in the art of self-healing and therefore can share this knowledge. Used for healing situations which appear to be devastating and helps user fulfill themselves.
Seven and Eight Faced crystals	Crystals with 7 or 8 faces.	Provide conservation of energy and resources. Stimulate the removal of obstacles in ones path. Bring the capacity for actualization on all levels.
Singing crystal	Similar to laser wand configuration, though usually smaller. They have a clear sweet resonance when gently allowed to touch one another.	Said to have been developed by thought projection during visitation from other planetary beings. Said to have assisted in spacecraft navigation. The body can attune to this spectrum of sound (a higher pitched

		OM) to bring joy to ones life and to encourage movement to ones own rhythm.
Spade crystal	Configured with a “spade” (like in a deck of playing cards) on one or more faces.	Allows one to see into the heart of the matter and to determine benefit to continued participation.
Spiral crystal	Recognized by twisted configuration through the body of the formation.	Used to bring universal energy to the physical body and to activate kundalini. It inspires the energy of love to activate all chakras in a flowing manner. Also used by Sufi dancers to provide stabilization.
Spirit guardian crystal	A double terminated soulmate crystal.	Helps us contact our spirit guardians and receive their guidance and inspiration.
Tabby crystal Also known as Tabular crystal	A flat crystal with notches on one or both of the flat sides.	Enhance communication, integration, and smooth flow of energy and balance. By rubbing the fingernail in a downward motion across the notches, an opening to information is produced. Closed by rubbing upward. Like opening and closing a file drawer.
Teaching spirit crystal	When you can see the shape of a being inside a crystal. (human, animal or plant)	This being is a great spirit teacher and you can get guidance and help from within.
Trans-channeling crystal	Configuration of three 7-sided faces, each adjacent	Combines the qualities of the transmitter crystal and

	(on both sides) to a 3 sided triangular face.	the channeling crystal. It provides for a continuous connective force between the holder of the crystal and "All That Is". The crystal for creativity and service to humanity.
Transmitter crystal	Configuration of two symmetrical 7-sided faces with a perfect triangular face located between them.	The combination of 7-3-7 indicates personal improvement, creativity, and manifestation via creative forces, held in balance and precision by the connection to the higher self coupled with attributes of both rectangle and analytical capability (7). Used to align with Higher Self and to develop intuitive and channeling capabilities.
Transformation crystal	Found in any and all configurations. Usually not recognized until the beginning of the transformation when it changes in shape, quality and/or color. Changes in color stimulate chakra healing, shape changes indicate self-healing, changes in quality indicate release of negativity.	Used for progressive change, assisting one in forward movement in all aspects of life. Assists in the surrendering to spirituality, allowing transformation to occur and inspire the completion of cycles. Replaces negative attitudes with positive directions.
Twin Crystal Also known as soulmate crystal	A growing together of two or more individual crystals, such that certain portions of each crystal are in parallel	Facilitates building of relationships on all levels and encourages encounters with soul-mates during

	alignment and other portions are in reverse positions with respect to each other.	present lifetime Promotes recognition that love gives freedom and understanding.
Twin flame crystal	Two crystals of similar size joined at the base and then flared out in a v shape.	Help attract our spiritual partners, people who will work with us and be our life's companion in the spirit. Our spiritual mate in our eternal journey through vast time and space.
Wand crystal	A slender crystal at least 3 ½ inches long. Longer and wider than Artemis crystal.	When held in the hand, these crystals extend our manifestation powers greatly. To use: hold the crystal at the base, pointing it outward to the universe. State your prayer or visualize your intent (always positive) while waving the wand clockwise in a circle (clockwise is the direction of increasing energy).
Window crystal	Recognized by presence of a large diamond-shaped "window" located in the center front of the crystal , such that the top point of the diamond connects with the line leading directly to the termination, the side points connect with angles forming the opposing faces, and the bottom point connects with a line leading to the base of the crystal.	The four sides of the diamond represent the transmission of information between realms of intellectual activity, the practical side of ones nature, and balance between spiritual and physical realms. Window crystals come to a person when he/she is willing to honestly look within the self and accept the truth.