



THE BOGHOSSIAN EMERALD AND  
DIAMOND DOUBLE RIVIÈRE



HONG KONG MAGNIFICENT JEWELS  
**POST-SALE  
REPORT**  
AUTUMN 2020 ♦ HONG KONG

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# SENSATIONAL RESULTS ACHIEVED OVER HALF OF ALL LOTS SOLD OVER HIGH ESTIMATE

Christie's Magnificent Jewels Autumn Auction was held at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre on 29 November 2020, where impressive sale prices were realised for a variety of fine and rare jewellery including diamond rings and earrings, brilliant gems, jadeite necklaces and bracelets, and the top lot of this season: a stunning no-oil emerald necklace by Boghossian and designed by the renowned Edmond Chin, which fetched a total of HK\$54.25 million. This result surpasses the previous record for a no-oil emerald necklace also set by Christie's Hong Kong, in May 2017.

**TOP LOT OF THE SALE  
BOGHOSSIAN EMERALD AND DIAMOND  
DOUBLE RIVIÈRE NECKLACE,  
DESIGNED BY EDMOND CHIN**

**Price realised: HK\$54,250,000/  
US\$7 million**

Christie's Hong Kong,  
November 2020

**WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR  
A NO-OIL EMERALD NECKLACE**

 **LIVE AUCTION TOTAL**  
**HK\$ 397million**  
US\$51.5 MILLION



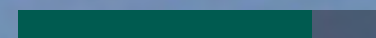
“Collectors from 28 countries and 4 continents around the world bid enthusiastically for some of the most coveted jewels offered at Christie’s Hong Kong today, achieving strong prices for top quality coloured diamonds, jadeite and rubies. The depth of global participation and the encouraging sale results reflect healthy market demand, and continue our leadership in offering the finest jewels at auction.”

– **Vickie Sek**  
Chairman, Jewellery Asia  
Deputy Chairman, Asia Pacific

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## 52%

OF LOTS SOLD ABOVE  
HIGH ESTIMATE



79% SOLD BY VALUE



76% SOLD BY LOT

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# TOP LOTS OF THE SEASON



**3.29 CT EACH FANCY INTENSE BLUE  
INTERNALLY FLAWLESS  
DIAMOND EARRINGS**

**Price realised: HK\$47,050,000/  
US\$6.1 million**

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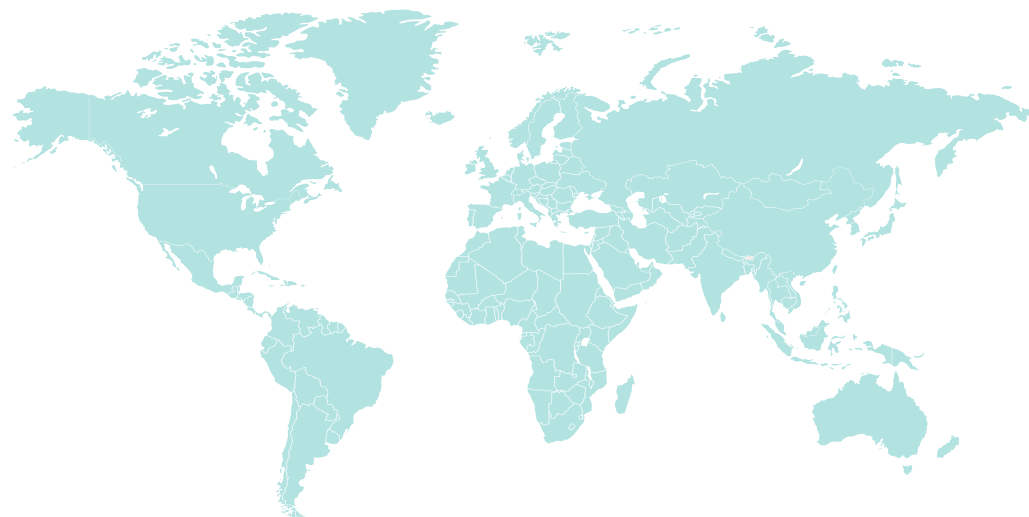


**4.90 CT FANCY INTENSE PINK/VS1  
DIAMOND RING**

**Price Realised: HK\$29,050,000/  
US\$3.8 million**

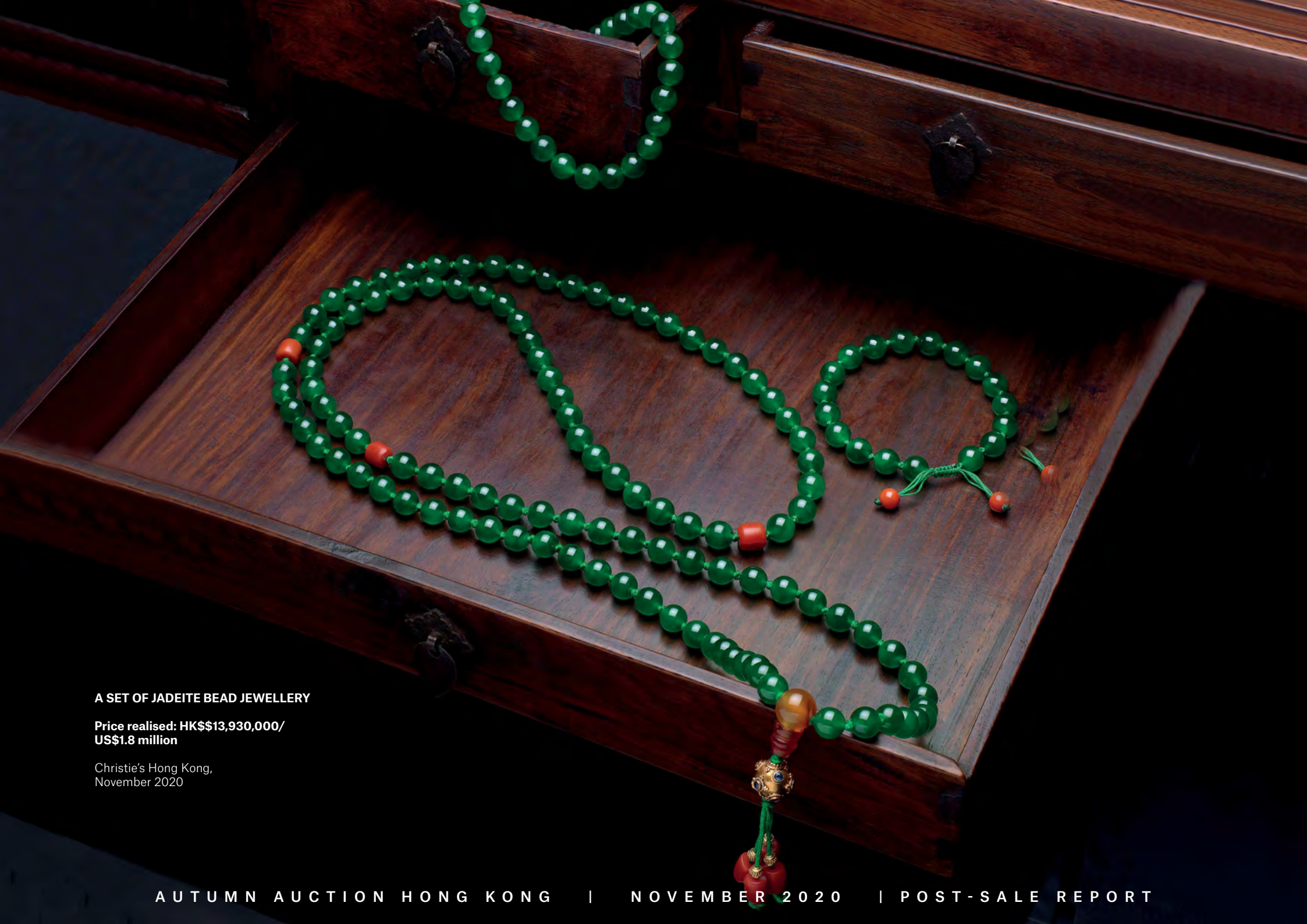
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**INTENSE BIDDING BY A  
DIVERSE COLLECTOR BASE  
FROM 28 COUNTRIES  
ACROSS 4 CONTINENTS**



**22%**  
OF BIDDERS PARTICIPATED  
ONLINE VIA CHRISTIE'S LIVE





**A SET OF JADEITE BEAD JEWELLERY**

**Price realised: HK\$13,930,000/  
US\$1.8 million**

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**5.05 CT BURMESE RUBY RING**

**Price Realised: HK\$15,850,000/  
US\$2.1 million**

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**SAPPHIRE, DIAMOND AND  
EMERALD CARTIER BROOCH  
FORMERLY FROM THE COLLECTION  
OF DAISY FELLOWES**

**Price Realised: HK\$4,937,500/  
US\$640,126**

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**SOLD FOR 8.5 TIMES OVER ITS  
PRE-SALE HIGH ESTIMATE**

The most expensive lot sold by Christie's Jewellery department in 2020 was sold in Hong Kong in July, and this strong momentum carried through to our autumn auction in November.



**A FANCY INTENSE BLUE, MARQUISE-CUT,  
INTERNALLY FLAWLESS, DIAMOND RING  
OF 12.11 CARATS**

**Price Realised: HK\$122,358,000/  
US\$15.9 million**

Christie's Hong Kong,  
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