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New From Elmwood and Tucson 2019 Report

New from the Elmwood Mine

I've added some super specimens in this [Elmwood Update \(click here\)](#). This update features beautiful high-quality twinned calcite crystals, and also a great fluorite. The specimens themselves are not new, they are from a pocket found a few years ago, but they are newly available.

First opened in the 1970s, the Elmwood Mine (the Elmwood-Gordonsville-Cumberland mining complex) has produced some of the world's finest calcite crystals, many of which are twinned. Over the years, the miners referred to the large orange Elmwood calcite crystals as "footballs", and they referred to the clear gemmy calcites in this update as "jewels". Most specimens were damaged and these are exceptional - the handful of top-

quality specimens in this update are the result of a quest through many flats.

Tucson 2019 Report

I have also posted my report for [Tucson 2019 \(click here\)](#). A little later than planned, thanks to... well... you'll see at the end of the report, I've included some photos. We have a lot of the white stuff out here these days.

Hope you enjoy both the update and the Tucson blog post!

Canadian and US Dollar

The currency disparity remains significant in favour of the U.S. dollar these days. My usual reminder - prices on the website are in Canadian dollars (if you are thinking in - or used to browsing online minerals in - US dollar terms).

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