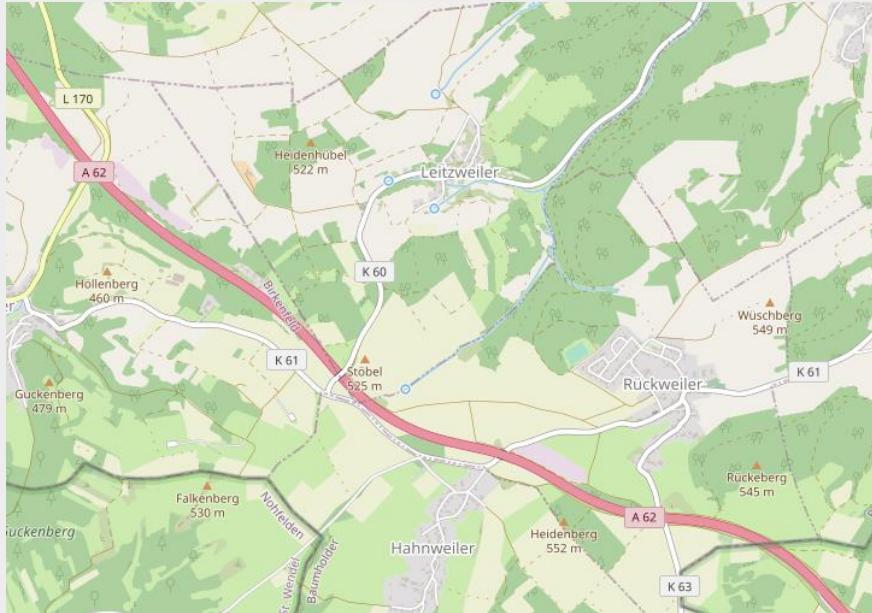


Autobahnbau / Highway construction site, Leitzweiler Brücke, Leitzweiler, Saarland



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Beim Bau der Autobahn 62 Mitte der 1970er traten im Bereich der Leitzweiler Brücke Achate auf, die sich von anderen längs der Bauarbeiten gefundenen durch einen bräunlichen bis dunkelroten Grundton und blaue Bänderungen unterschieden. Gravitationsbänderung (Uruguay-Bänderung) kam häufiger vor. Die mitunter sehr großen Achate erreichten einen Durchmesser von bis zu 40 cm.

During the construction of Autobahn 62 in the mid-1970s, agates were found in the area of the Leitzweiler Bridge, which differed from others found along the construction work in their brownish to dark red basic and bluish hues. Gravitation banding (Onyx banding) was more common. The agates reached sometimes a diameter of up to 40 cm.



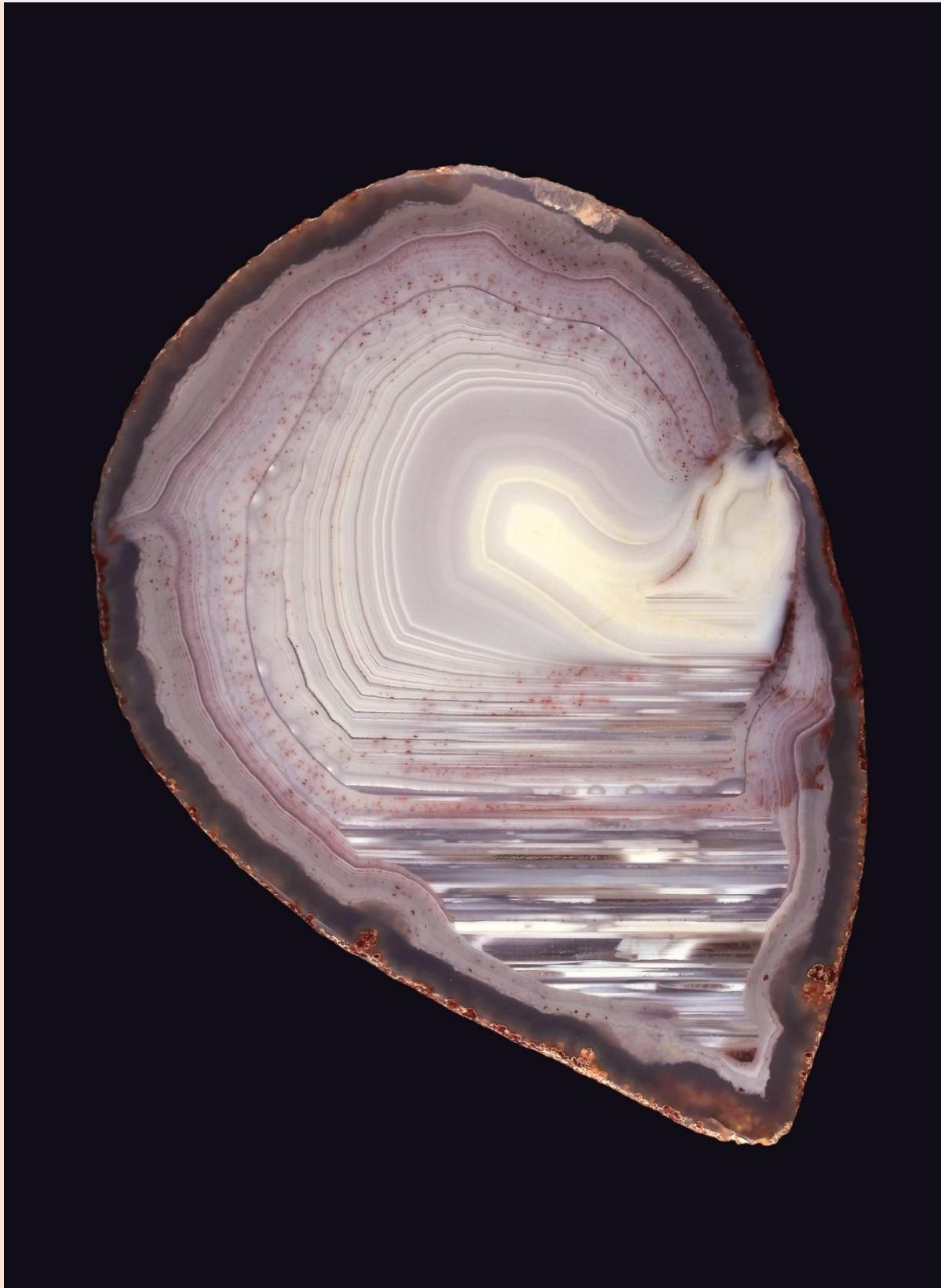
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6.4 cm. Dietrich Mayer collection. Andreas Wawra photo.



11.8 cm. Dietrich Mayer collection. Andreas Wawra photo.



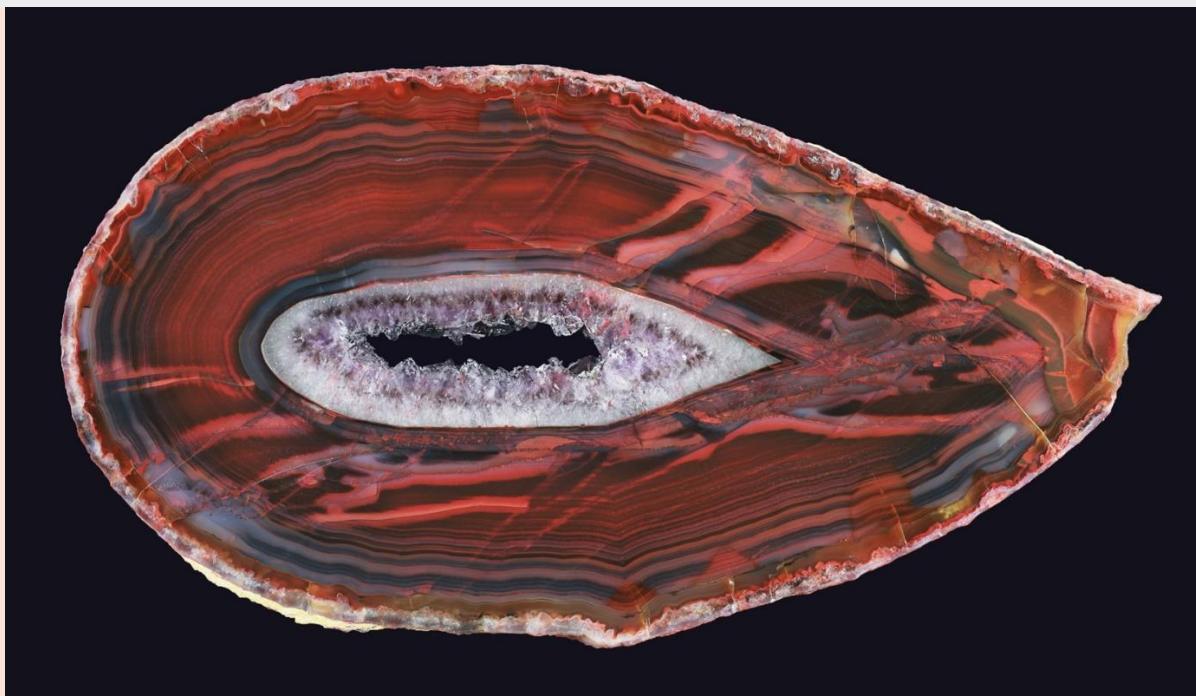
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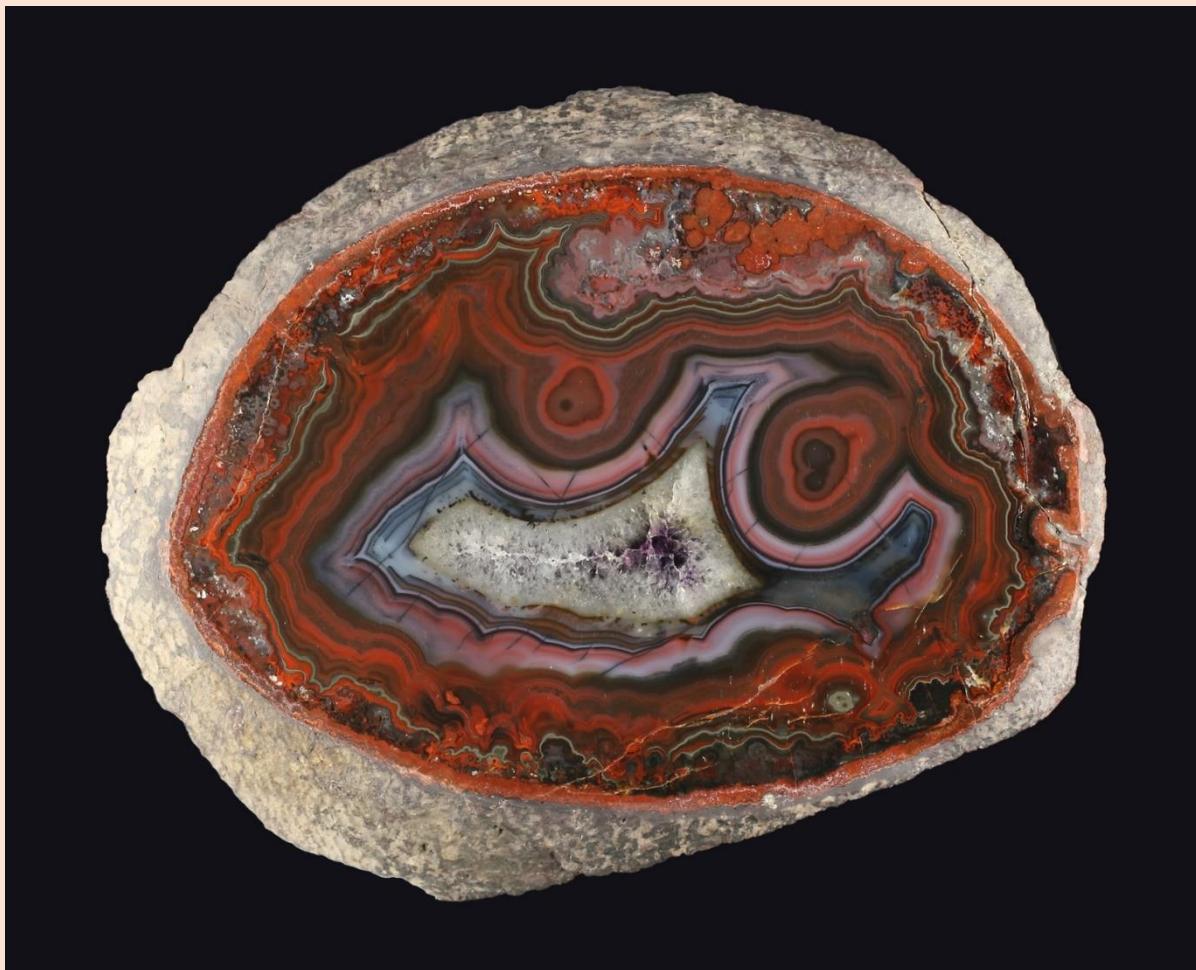
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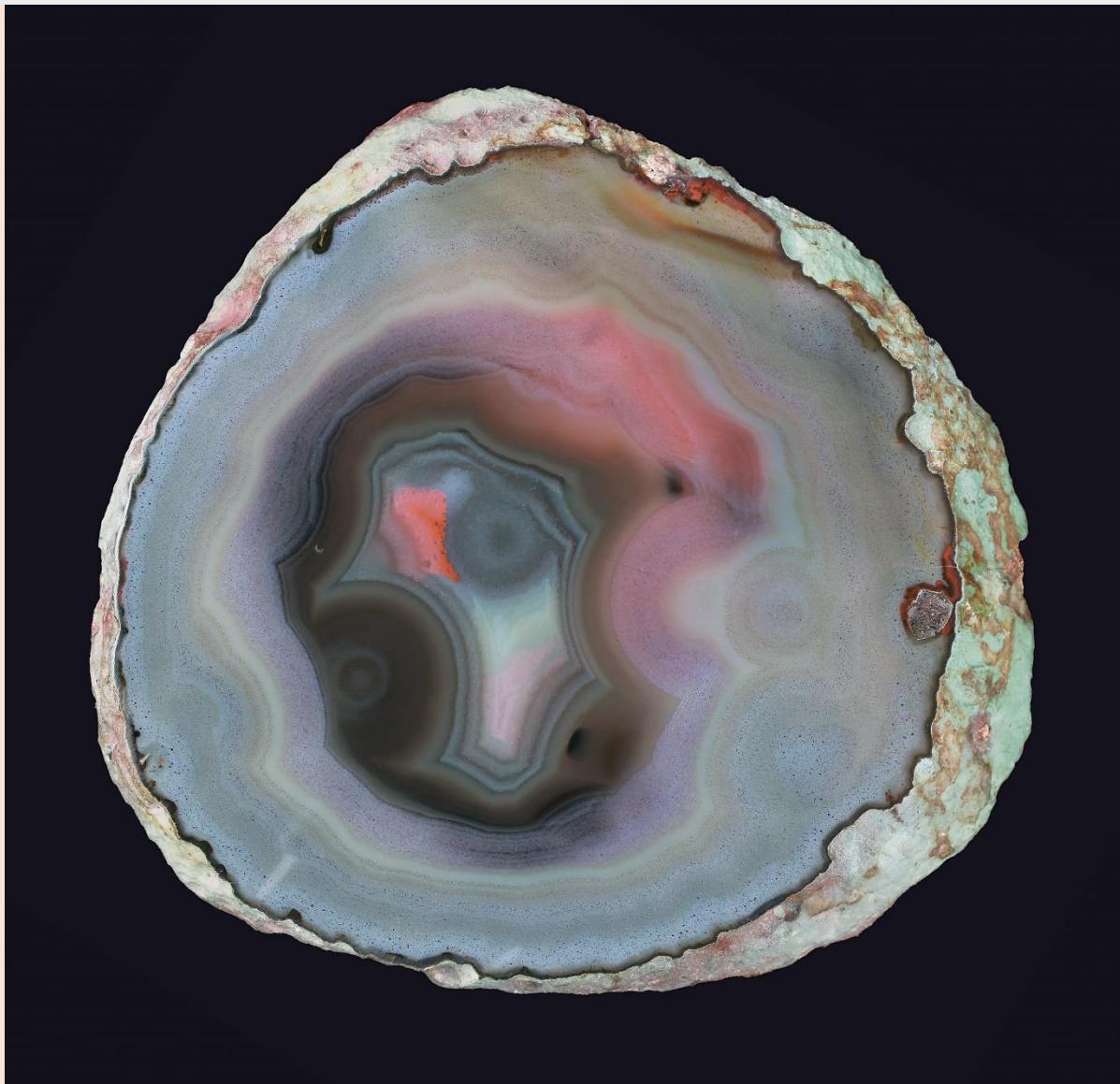
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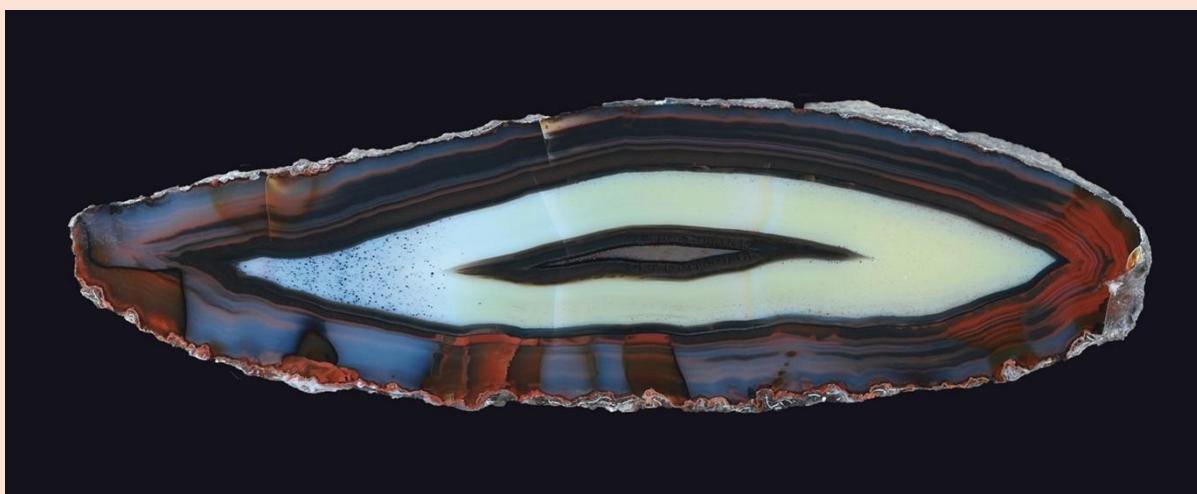
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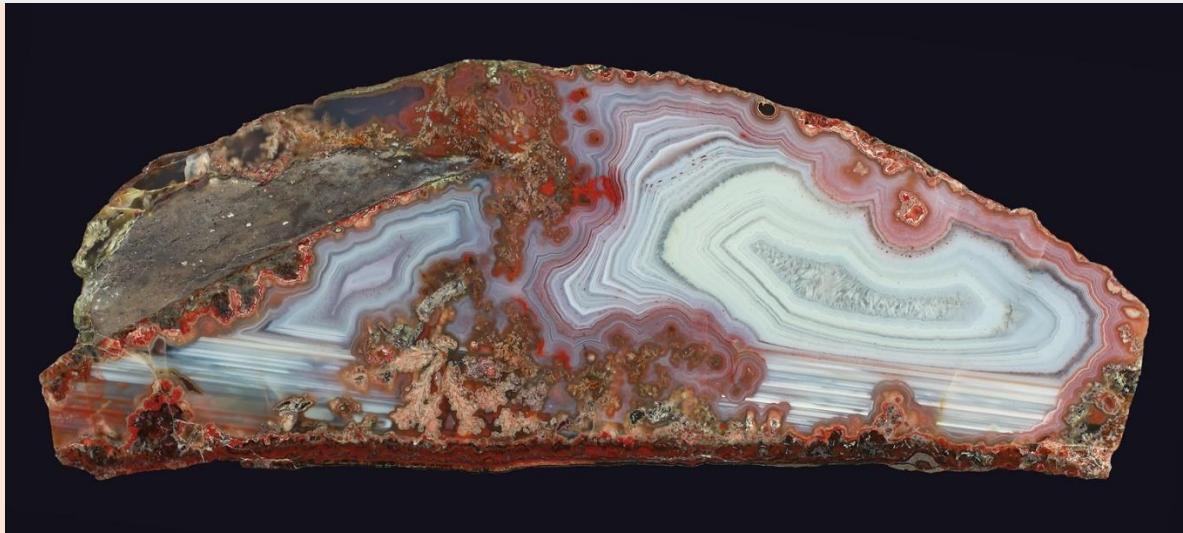
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10.9 cm. Dietrich Mayer collection. Andreas Wawra photo.



13.8 cm. Dietrich Mayer collection. Andreas Wawra photo.



15.6 cm. Dietrich Mayer collection. Andreas Wawra photo.

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