

Andersonite - $\text{Na}_2\text{Ca}(\text{UO}_2)(\text{CO}_3)_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness = 2.5. Cleavage: None reported. Radioactive. Often powdery; minimize cleaning and handling. Easily soluble in water or dilute acids. Unstable; store in sealed container.

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