

Hellyerite - $\text{NiCO}_3 \cdot 5.5\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 2.5. Cleavage: Perfect. Very likely sensitive to all acids and NH_3 . Dehydrates readily; store in sealed container.

References

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