

Homilite - $\text{Ca}_2(\text{Fe}^{2+}, \text{Mg})\text{B}_2\text{Si}_2\text{O}_{10}$

Hardness: 5 - 5.5. Cleavage: None observed, Soluble in HCl with gel formation.

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