

Hureaulite (Palaite) - $\text{Mn}^{2+}_5(\text{PO}_3\text{OH})_2(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 5. Cleavage: Distinct/good. Easily soluble in acids. Avoid strong detergents. Photosensitive; may acquire a dark coating when exposed to strong light.

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