

Hydroboracite - $\text{CaMg}[\text{B}_3\text{O}_4(\text{OH})_3]_2 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 2 - 3. Cleavage: Perfect. Very slightly soluble in water. Readily soluble in acids.

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