

Kalsilite - KAlSiO_4

Hardness: 6. Cleavage: Poor/indistinct. Brittle. Very sensitive to HCl. May be sensitive to H_2SO_4 .

Attacked by oxalic acid.

References

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