

Natrophosphate - $\text{Na}_{6+x}\text{H}_x\text{F}(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot (19+x)\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 2.5. Cleavage: Imperfect/fair. Water soluble and therefore intolerant of any aqueous treatment. Dehydrates in dry air; store in sealed container.

References

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