

Pigeonite - $(\text{Mg}, \text{Fe}^{2+}, \text{Ca})(\text{Mg}, \text{Fe}^{2+})\text{Si}_2\text{O}_6$

Hardness: 6. Cleavage: Distinct/good. Excellent chemical resistance.

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