

Pyroxmangite - $\text{Mn}^{2+}\text{SiO}_3$

Hardness: 5.5 - 6. Cleavage: Perfect. Slowly attacked by HCl with crystal faces becoming dull.

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