

Smamite - $\text{Ca}_2\text{Sb}(\text{OH})_4[\text{H}(\text{AsO}_4)_2] \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 3.5. Cleavage: None observed. Brittle. Very sensitive to HCl. Attacked by oxalic acid.

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