

Taramite - $\text{Na}(\text{CaNa})(\text{Mg}_3\text{Al}_2)(\text{Al}_2\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{22})(\text{OH})_2$

Hardness: 5–6. Cleavage: Distinct/good. Decomposed in hot HCl.

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