

Tyretskite - $\text{Ca}_2\text{B}_5\text{O}_9\text{OH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 5. Cleavage: No data. Very sensitive to HCl. May be sensitive to H_2SO_4 . Attacked by oxalic acid.

References

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