

Wardsmithite - $\text{Ca}_5\text{Mg}[\text{B}_4\text{O}_7]_6 \cdot 30\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Hardness: 2.5. Cleavage: Distinct/good. Very slightly soluble in cold water, slightly soluble when warm. Readily soluble in dilute acids. Insoluble in methanol.

References

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