

Xanthoconite - Ag_3AsS_3

Hardness: 2 - 3. Cleavage: Distinct/good. Attacked by HNO_3 . May be photosensitive.

References

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