

# Zinc (Native Zinc) - Zn

Hardness: 2. Cleavage: Perfect. Insoluble in water. Soluble in HCl, HNO<sub>3</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, acetic acid and alkalis. May be attacked by other acids.

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