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ROCKS & MINERALS

A PICTORIAL GUIDE TO MINERALOGY

METALLIC MINERALS

Mineral	Hardness	Streak	Specific Gravity	Other Properties
Asbestos	2-3	Black (gray)	3-7	and opaque, fibrous, brittle, soft
Calcite	2.5-3	White (gray)	2.7	acidic, lustrous, cleavage
Chalcite	3-5	White	4-7	often black, weakly magnetic
Chrysotile	2-3	White (gray)	2.8	flexible, fibrous, cleavage
Corundum	9-10	White (gray)	4.0	brittle to hard
Diamond	10	White (gray)	3.5	hard, brittle, cleavage
Malachite	3-4	Green (black)	4.0-4.2	brittle, cleavage
Pyrite	5-6	Black (gray)	5.0	brittle, cleavage
Stibnite	2-3	Black (gray)	4.7	brittle, cleavage
Sulfur	2-3	Yellow (black)	2.0	brittle, cleavage
Tungsten	7-8	Black (gray)	7.0	brittle, cleavage
Vanadium	6-7	Black (gray)	6.0	brittle, cleavage
Wulfenite	3-4	Black (gray)	6.0	brittle, cleavage
Yellow Copper	2-3	Black (gray)	5.0	brittle, cleavage
Zinc	3-4	Black (gray)	7.0	brittle, cleavage

NON-METALLIC MINERALS

Mineral	Hardness	Streak	Specific Gravity	Other Properties
Amethyst	7	White	2.6-2.8	brittle, cleavage
Apophite	8	White	3.5	brittle, cleavage
Asbestos	2-3	White	3.0-3.5	brittle, cleavage
Barite	3-4	White	4.5	brittle, cleavage
Beryl	7-8	White	2.7-2.9	brittle, cleavage
Calcite	3	White	2.7	brittle, cleavage
Chalcite	3-5	White	4.0-4.2	brittle, cleavage
Chrysotile	2-3	White	2.8-3.0	brittle, cleavage
Corundum	9-10	White	4.0-4.2	brittle, cleavage
Diamond	10	White	3.5	brittle, cleavage
Malachite	3-4	Black (gray)	4.0-4.2	brittle, cleavage
Pyrite	5-6	Black (gray)	5.0	brittle, cleavage
Sulfur	2-3	Yellow (black)	2.0	brittle, cleavage
Tungsten	7-8	Black (gray)	7.0	brittle, cleavage
Vanadium	6-7	Black (gray)	6.0	brittle, cleavage
Wulfenite	3-4	Black (gray)	6.0	brittle, cleavage
Zinc	3-4	Black (gray)	7.0	brittle, cleavage



Synopsis

This 6-page pictorial guide will help you to recognize and differentiate vast arrays of rocks and minerals and their compositions.

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This too is an excellent reference and quick study which arrived in perfect condition and on time. I love it!

This is a sturdy short summary of the major rocks and minerals that are most commonly studied. I like that it is plastic coated.

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This tri-fold was great for geology class. Recommend to anyone studying rocks in minerals. Great information consolidated in one spot. Thanks.

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