

# Supergenní mineralizace slivického pásma (žíla Karel) jv. od Příbrami, Česká republika

Supergene mineralization of the Slivice zone (the Karel vein) SE at Příbram  
(Czech Republic)

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## Abstract

The iron ores were exploited from the Karel vein between villages Milín and Slivice (the Slivice tectonic zone), SE at Příbram (Czech Republic) up to 19<sup>th</sup> century. Majority of old mine dumps there are aplanned today. During field works in 2007 - 2008 years the fragments of quartz - hematite gangue with occurrence of supergene minerals were rarely found at the rest of dump materials. Mimetite forming there light greenish white crystalline aggregates up to 2 cm in size is hexagonal with unit-cell parameters  $a$  10.2417(5),  $c$  7.4431(7) Å,  $V$  676.12(7) Å<sup>3</sup> and empirical formula  $(\text{Pb}_{5.15}\text{Ca}_{0.05})_{\Sigma 5.20}[(\text{AsO}_4)_{2.89}(\text{PO}_4)_{0.07}(\text{SiO}_4)_{0.02}(\text{VO}_4)_{0.02}]_{\Sigma 3.00}[\text{Cl}_{1.05}(\text{OH})_{0.24}\text{F}_{0.09}]_{\Sigma 1.38}$ . Light green aggregates up to 1 - 2 cm formed by tiny columnar crystals are represented by strongly chemically zoned pyromorphite-like minerals: pyromorphite, Ca-rich pyromorphite and phosphohedyphane. Chemical composition data are given for all described members, the unit-cell parameters for Ca-rich pyromorphite are following:  $a$  9.9608(5),  $c$  7.3112(7) Å,  $V$  628.21(7) Å<sup>3</sup>. The last found supergene mineral is malachite forming green acicular crystalline aggregates up to 3 mm in size with unit-cell parameters  $a$  3.239(1),  $b$  11.957(2),  $c$  9.478(2) Å,  $\beta$  98.58(2)° and  $V$  363.0(1) Å<sup>3</sup>.

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