

Andorit IV a andorit VI z Dúbravy v Nízkych Tatrách (Slovenská republika)

Andorite IV and andorite VI from the Dúbrava deposit in the Nízke Tatry Mts. (Slovak Republic)

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Abstract

The first occurrence of Ag-Pb-Sb sulphosalts was described from Sb mineralization in Tatic Unit in the Western Carpathians. Rare microscopic grains of andorites up to 0.05 mm were identified in antimony deposit Dúbrava (Nízke Tatry Mts., Central Slovakia). Andorites forms inclusions in stibnite. According to microprobe analyses andorite IV and andorite VI were distinguished. Crystallochemical formulas of andorites are following: andorite IV: $(Ag_{0.40}Cu_{2.89})_{\Sigma 16.29}(Pb_{15.69}Cd_{0.42}Fe_{0.08}Zn_{0.05}Hg_{0.02})_{\Sigma 16.26}(Sb_{45.92}Bi_{0.09})_{\Sigma 46.01}(S_{97.31}Cl_{0.12})_{\Sigma 97.43}$ (And_{95.88}) and andorite VI: $(Ag_{0.76}Cu_{0.24})_{\Sigma 1.00}(Pb_{0.99}Cd_{0.02})_{\Sigma 1.01}(Sb_{3.03}Bi_{0.01})_{\Sigma 3.04}(S_{5.94}Cl_{0.01})_{\Sigma 5.95}$ (And_{100.17}). Cu content in andorite VI (1.73 wt. %, 0.24 apfu) is the highest content measured value this element in andorites up to now. Andorite substitution And_{96.50} is yet highest relevant amount of substitution in andorite IV. Ag-Pb-Sb sulphosalts represented Sb-rich members of lillianite homotypic series (⁴L) crystallized in final stage after precipitation of stibnite. No further minerals were identified in this mineral assemblage. For andorite IV it is the first occurrence of this mineral in the Slovak Republic.

Key words: andorite, lillianite homeotypic series, microprobe analyses, stibnite deposit, Dúbrava, Nízke Tatry Mts., Slovak Republic