

ORDER XIV.—ANTIMONY.

This order contains six species, viz. Native Antimony, Grey Antimony-ore, Nickeliferous Grey Antimony-ore, Red Antimony-ore, White Antimony-ore, and Antimony-ochre.

1. Native Antimony.

Gediegen Spiesglas, *Werner*.

Swab, in d. Schriften der K. Schwed. Acad. 10. b. v. I. 1748, s. 100.—Regulus Antimonii natus, *Wall.* t. ii. p. 196.—Gediegen Spiesglas, *Werner*, Pabst. b. i. s. 197. *Id. Wid.* s. 909.—Native Antimony, *Kirw.* vol. ii. p. 245.—Antimoine natif, *De Born*, t. ii. p. 137.—Gediegen Spiesglas, *Emm.* b. ii. s. 464.—Antimoine natif, *Hauy*, t. iv. p. 252.—L'Antimoine natif, *Broch.* t. ii. p. 369.—Gediegen Spiesganz, *Reuss*, b. iv. s. 362. *Id. Lud.* b. i. s. 277. *Id. Suck.* 2^{ter} th. s. 383. *Id. Bert.* s. 475. *Id. Mohs*, b. iii. s. 688.—Antimonie natif, *Lucas*, p. 171.—Gediegen Spiesganz, *Leonhard*, Tabel. s. 78.—Antimoine natif, *Brong.* t. ii. p. 126. *Id. Brard*, p. 370.—Gediegen Spiesganz, *Karsten*, Tabel. s. 72. *Id. Haus.* s. 70.—Native Antimony, *Kid*, vol. ii. p. 199.—Antimoine natif, *Hauy*, Tabl. p. 112.—Native Antimony, *Aikin*, p. 56.

External Characters.

Its colour is perfect tin-white. On the fresh fracture it sometimes becomes covered with a blackish or yellowish tarnish.

It occurs massive, disseminated, reniform, and also crystallised, in the following figures :

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1. Octahedron.