

It occurs in thin crusts, and sometimes reniform.

Externally it is smooth.

The lustre is shining and resinous.

The fracture is conchoidal.

It is translucent.

It is soft.

It is brittle.

*Geognostic and Geographic Situations.*

It occurs in veins along with other ores of cobalt, in the mine of Sophia at Wittichen in Furstenburg.

*Use.*

All the three subspecies are valued as ores of cobalt, and are used in the preparation of blue colours.