

It occurs massive, disseminated, in membranes, reniform; and crystallised in the following figures;

1. Oblique four-sided prism, flatly acuminate on the extremities with four planes, which are set on the acute lateral planes *, Fig. 263.
2. The preceding figure, truncated on the acute lateral edges †.
3. No. 1. truncated on all the lateral edges ‡, Fig. 264.
4. No. 1. truncated on the obtuse lateral edges, and bevelled on the acute lateral edges §, Fig. 265.
5. The preceding figure, in which the edges formed by the meeting of the beveling planes are truncated ||, Fig. 266.
6. Oblique four-sided prism, acuminate with four planes, which are set on the lateral planes, and all the angles formed by the meeting of the acuminating and lateral planes, truncated ¶.

The crystals are seldom middle-sized, usually small, very small and minute.

The crystals are smooth, and frequently longitudinally streaked and shining, passing into splendent.

Internally it is shining, and the lustre is intermediate between adamantine and resinous.

The fracture is coarse and small-grained uneven, sometimes passing into imperfect conchoidal.

The fragments are indeterminate angular, and blunt-edged.

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* Arsenic sulphuré rouge emoussé, Haüy.

† Arsenic sulphuré rouge sexoctonal, Haüy.

‡ Arsenic sulphuré rouge dioctaedre, Haüy.

§ Arsenic sulphuré rouge octodecimal, Haüy.

|| Arsenic sulphuré rouge octoduodecimal, Haüy.

¶ Arsenic sulphuré rouge surcomposé, Haüy.