

LIKASITE



A rare secondary copper mineral known from very few localities worldwide. Northern Peninsula.

Ontonagon County: Caledonia mine: Bright blue, bladed microcrystals in vugs in gangue minerals. This is the first reported occurrence of likasite in Michigan, and the mineral may be of post-mining origin. Identified by X-ray diffraction (D. Behnke, written communication, 1994).

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