

Testing the Hardness of Minerals



Write the name of each kind of mineral and describe it. Remember that you have two samples each of feldspar and mica.

Test each mineral with each object.

Write an X in the box for any mineral that is scratched by the object.

Mineral Name and Description	Fingernail scratches mineral	Penny scratches mineral	Nail scratches mineral	Glass is scratched by mineral	Number on Mohs Scale