**Crystal Data**: Orthorhombic. *Point Group*: 2/m 2/m 2/m. As irregular grains to 5  $\mu$ m in multiphase spherical aggregates.

**Physical Properties**: *Cleavage*: n.d. *Tenacity*: Brittle. *Fracture*: n.d. Hardness = 2.5 D(meas.) = n.d. D(calc.) = 10.1

**Optical Properties**: Opaque. *Color*: Silver white, white under reflected light. *Streak*: Gray. *Luster*: Metallic.

*Optical Class*: Anisotropy: Strong to moderate, blue to brownish yellow. *Pleochroism*: Weak to very weak, white to slightly bluish white. **B**: (470) 75.6, (546) 78.1, (589) 78.7, (650) 78.7

R: (470) 75.6, (546) 78.1, (589) 78.7, (650) 78.7

**Cell Data**: Space Group: Pbca. a = 5.986(8) b = 7.0135(17) c = 11.7979(19) Z = 8

**X-Ray Diffraction Pattern**: Shosanbetsu village, Rumoi province, Hokkaido, Japan. 3.098 (100), 2.949 (69), 1.757 (51), 4.543 (42), 2.243 (39), 2.711 (37), 3.775 (34)

Chemistry:		(1)	(2)
	Ag Sn	0.08	
	Sn	52.45	54.66
	Sb	2.12	
	Au	42.84	45.34
	Pb	1.04	
	Bi	0.65	<u> </u>
	Total	99.17	100.00

(1) Shosanbetsu village, Rumoi province, Hokkaido, Japan; average EDS analysis; corresponds to  $(Au_{0.95}Ag_{<0.01})_{\Sigma=0.96}(Sn_{1.93}Sb_{0.08}Pb_{0.02}Bi_{0.01})_{\Sigma=2.04}$ . (2) AuSn<sub>2</sub>.

Occurrence: In fluvial placer deposits.

Association: Gold, shosanbetsuite, yuanjiangite, aurostibite, anyuiite.

**Distribution** From the Shosanbetsu river, Minamichiyoda, Shosanbetsu village, Haboro town, Rumoi province, Hokkaido, Japan.

Name: For Rumoi province, where the studied material was collected.

**Type Material**: National Museum of Nature and Science, Tsukuba, Japan (NSM-M46178 holotype and M46179 cotype).

**References**: (1) Nishio-Hamane, D. and K. Saito (2021) Au(Ag)-Sn-Sb-Pb minerals in association with placer gold from Rumoi province of Hokkaido, Japan: a description of two new minerals (rumoiite and shosanbetsuite). J. Mineral. Petrolog. Sci., 116(5), 263-271.