Chemistry:

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Crystal Data: Monoclinic. *Point Group:* 2/m. As grains, composed of two exsolved phases, copper-rich and copper-poor, in almost parallel intergrowths; in aggregates, to 2 mm.

Physical Properties: Hardness = n.d. VHN = 210-221 (50-100 g load). D(meas.) = n.d. D(calc.) = 6.66-6.70

Optical Properties: Opaque. *Color:* Gray; in reflected light, pale gray. *Luster:* Metallic. *Optical Class:* Biaxial. *Anisotropism:* Pronounced, in shades of gray. R₁-R₂: 43.2 (546)

Cell Data: Space Group: C2/m. a = 13.35-13.83 b = 4.04-4.05 c = 14.71-14.96 $\beta = 97.5^{\circ}-100.5^{\circ}$ Z = 4

X-ray Powder Pattern: Băiţa, Romania; composite intergrowth. 2.850 (100), 3.63 (50), 3.485 (50), 2.272 (40), 2.968 (30), 2.117 (30), 2.010 (30)

	(1)	(2)	(3)
Ag	5.37	4.17	5.50
Pb	3.50	8.20	12.93
Cu	4.37	6.47	0.53
Te	0.69	0.50	
Se	0.40	0.48	0.17
\mathbf{Sb}	0.09	0.12	
Bi	68.81	63.33	62.70
\mathbf{S}	17.75	17.42	17.97
Total	100.98	100.69	99.80

(1) Băiţa, Romania; by electron microprobe, average of three analyses; copper-poor phase corresponding to $(Cu_{2.16}Ag_{1.56})_{\Sigma=3.72}(Bi_{10.38}Pb_{0.54}Sb_{0.20})_{\Sigma=11.12}(S_{17.44}Te_{0.18}Se_{0.16})_{\Sigma=17.78}$. (2) Do.; by electron microprobe, average of three analyses; copper-rich phase corresponding to $(Cu_{3.24}Ag_{1.24})_{\Sigma=4.48}(Bi_{9.64}Pb_{1.26}Sb_{0.04})_{\Sigma=10.94}(S_{17.28}Se_{0.20}Te_{0.12})_{\Sigma=17.60}$. (3) Felbertal mine, Austria; by electron microprobe, average of three analyses; copper-deficient phase corresponding to $(Ag_{1.70}Cu_{0.28})_{\Sigma=1.98}(Bi_{9.96}Pb_{2.08})_{\Sigma=12.04}(S_{18.62}Se_{0.08})_{\Sigma=18.70}$.

Mineral Group: Benjaminite group.

Occurrence: Among other bismuth-bearing sulfosalts in a dolomite skarn (Băiţa, Romania); in a hydrothermal tungsten deposit in amphibolites and felsic gneisses, in discordant quartz veins (Felbertal mine, Austria).

Association: Chalcopyrite, hammarite, bismuthinite, krupkaite–lindströmite, tetradymite, wittichenite, paděrite, miharaite, bismuth, gold, scheelite, molybdenite, galena, sphalerite, chalcocite, diopside, chondrodite, grossular–andradite (Băiţa, Romania); galenobismutite, bismuth, hammarite, lindströmite, gold, chalcopyrite, pyrrhotite (Felbertal mine, Austria).

Distribution: In Romania, from Băița (Rézbánya) [TL] and at Ocna de Fier (Morávicza; Vaskő). In the Felbertal tungsten mine, Salzburg, Austria.

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Type Material: Charles University, Prague; National Museum, Prague, Czech Republic.

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