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Crystal Data: Tetragonal. Point Group: $\overline{4}m2$. As rounded grains, to 100 μ m, which may be included in tetrahedrite.

Physical Properties: Hardness = n.d. VHN = 258-287 (20 g load). D(meas.) = n.d. D(calc.) = 5.00

Optical Properties: Opaque. *Color:* Pale rose in reflected light. *Anisotropism:* Weak, in shades of brown.

 $\begin{array}{l} R_1-R_2\colon (400) \ -\ , \ (420) \ -\ , \ (440)\ 24.4-25.0, \ (460)\ 25.0-25.6, \ (480)\ 25.6-26.2, \ (500)\ 26.2-26.7, \\ (520)\ 26.7-27.2, \ (540)\ 27.2-27.6, \ (560)\ 27.6-28.1, \ (580)\ 27.9-28.6, \ (600)\ 28.3-29.0, \ (620)\ 28.5-29.3, \\ (640)\ 28.6-29.4, \ (660)\ 28.6-29.5, \ (680)\ 28.4-29.3, \ (700)\ 27.9-28.6 \end{array}$

Cell Data: Space Group: $P\overline{4}m2$. a = 7.61(1) c = 5.373(5) Z = 1

X-ray Powder Pattern: Kochbulak deposit, Uzbekistan. 1.904 (100), 3.11 (80), 1.625 (40), 1.568 (40), 2.87 (30), 1.058 (30), 2.70 (20)

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	(1)	(2)
Cu	41.17	40.95
Ag	0.41	
Fe	4.31	6.00
Zn	2.10	
Sn	19.11	25.50
Mo	1.08	
Sb	2.97	
As	0.80	
S	28.77	27.55
Total	[100.72]	100.00

(1) Kochbulak deposit, Uzbekistan; by electron microprobe, total originally given as 100.22%; corresponding to $(Cu_{5.97}Ag_{0.03})_{\Sigma=6.00}(Fe_{0.65}Zn_{0.30}Cu_{0.05})_{\Sigma=1.00}(Sn_{1.34}As_{0.27}As_{0.26}Fe_{0.07}Mo_{0.05})_{\Sigma=1.99}S_{7.95}$. (2) $Cu_{6}FeSn_{2}S_{8}$.

Occurrence: As rounded disseminations in tetrahedrite, from a sulfide-bearing quartz vein (Kochbulak deposit, Uzbekistan).

Association: Cassiterite, hemusite, hessite, tetrahedrite (Kochbulak deposit, Uzbekistan); pyrite, sphalerite, marcasite, galena, chalcopyrite, stannite, tetrahedrite—tennantite, canfieldite, arsenopyrite, digenite, covellite, chalcocite, Au–Ag alloy (Cove deposit, USA).

Distribution: From the Kochbulak gold deposit, Chatkal-Kuramin Mountains, eastern Uzbekistan [TL]. In the Cove gold deposit, McCoy district, Lander Co., Nevada, USA. At the Bitin Cu–Au–Ag deposit, Fujian Province, China.

Name: For the occurrence in the Chatkal-Kuramin Mountains, Russia.

Type Material: A.E. Fersman Mineralogical Museum, Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia, 81595.

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