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Emerald crystal from Muzo, Colombia

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Category <u>Beryl</u> variety

 $\label{eq:be3} \underline{\textbf{Formula}} \qquad \qquad \textbf{Be}_{3}\textbf{Al}_{2}(\textbf{SiO}_{3})_{6}$

(repeating unit)

<u>Crystal system</u> <u>Hexagonal</u> (6/m 2/m 2/m)<u>Space group</u>:

P6/mcc

<u>Unit cell</u> $a = 9.21 \text{ } \frac{\text{Å}}{\text{A}}, c = 9.19 \text{ Å}; Z = 2$

Identification