>>**Entry Name: Zinc hydroxide ($Zn(OH)_2$)**
Synonym(s): Zinc dihydroxide

CAS Registry Number: 20427-58-1

$Zn(OH)_2$

Molecular Formula: H_2O_2Zn
Molecular Weight: 99.405
Accurate Mass: 97.934625
Percentage Composition: H 2.03%; O 32.19%; Zn 65.78%

Physical Description: Cryst.
Solubility: Nearly insol. H_2O; sol. alkali, acid, aq. NH_3
Other Data: K_{sp} 7.5 x 10^{-17}. Dec. to ZnO at 125°

Aldrich: 38327-9

>>**Variant:** E-form

Molecular Formula: H_2O_2Zn
Molecular Weight: 99.405
Accurate Mass: 97.934625
Percentage Composition: H 2.03%; O 32.19%; Zn 65.78%

Source/Synthesis: Synth. by electrochem. oxid. of Zn in $NaOH/NH_3$ soln.
Physical Description: Colourless cryst.

>>**Variant:** Mineral-form
Synonym(s): Sweetite

Molecular Formula: H_2O_2Zn
Molecular Weight: 99.405
Accurate Mass: 97.934625
Percentage Composition: H 2.03%; O 32.19%; Zn 65.78%
Source/Synthesis: Occurs associated with fluorite at site in Derbyshire U.K.
Physical Description: Colourless or whitish bipyramidal cryst.
Other Data: Dimorphous with Wulfingite

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