



## Hardness of Rocks

Soft	Medium	Hard	Very Hard
Asbestos rock	Limestone	Granite	Iron Ore
Gypsum rock	Dolomite	Quartzite	Granite
Slate	Sandstone	Iron Ore	Granitic Gravel
Talc		Trap Rock	Trap Rock
Soft Limestone		Gravel	

## Mohs Scale of Hardness

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|-------------|---------------|
| 1. Talc     | 6. Orthoclase |
| 2. Gypsum   | 7. Quartz     |
| 3. Calcite  | 8. Topaz      |
| 4. Fluorite | 9. Corundum   |
| 5. Apatite  | 10. Diamond   |