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Dear MSA Member,



The **February-March 2013 (v98 n2-3) *American Mineralogist*** is online, It includes articles on spherulites, how glass turns to clay, radiation damage in zircons, eclogites in a chondrite meteorite, and much more.

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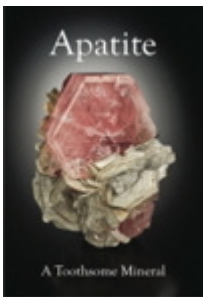
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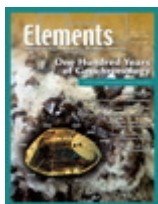
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Recent publication available through MSA - *Lithographie Monograph No. 17: Apatite - The Great Pretender*. Description, Table of Contents, and ordering from MSA at [Lithographie Monographs](#).

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Other new journals online:

*Elements* (v9n1, Feb 2013, the *One Hundred Years of Geochronology* issue) is now online and is in the mail. Getting absolute ages on geological materials has become key in just every field of the Earth sciences. Authors in the seven papers of this issue, under the guest editorship of Dan Condon and Mark Schmitz, explore the state-of-the-art technological advances that have made geochronology a high-precision and high-accuracy science. If your institution subscribes, go to [GeoScienceWorld \(GSW\)](#). Otherwise, access it with your MSA USERID and password at [Elements Magazine Archives](#).

*Rocks & Minerals* (Jan/Feb 2013) issue on fluorite, the theme of the 2013 Tucson Gem & Mineral Show, at [Rocks & Minerals](#).

*Gems & Gemology* (v48 n4, Winter 2012) which includes articles on Detecting HPHT Synthetic Diamond Using a Handheld Magnet, Color Origin of Lavender Jadeite, and Pinctada Maxima, dye treatment, and irradiated pearls [Gems & Gemology](#).

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MSA recently gave permission to NBC Learn to use figures for an online feature in its **Science of Innovation** series on [Synthetic Diamonds](#). NBC Learn is a collaborative effort with the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that explores the process of innovation.

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