

Plate 37. Smithsonite (ZnCO₃) – such as this fine specimen, NMNH #R17868, from the Kelly mine, New Mexico – is a relatively common secondary mineral in oxidized zones of zinc-bearing ore deposits. (Photograph by D. Penland, courtesy of Smithsonian Institution)



Plate 38. Several nonmetallic minerals constitute valuable economic deposits. These sulfur (S) crystals are from Agrigento, Sicily, Italy. (Photograph by W. Sacco)