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## What's Actually in a Solar Flare?

Let's cut through the cosmic confusion: solar flares don't contain minerals in the traditional sense. These explosive bursts from the Sun's surface are primarily superheated plasma - a chaotic mix of charged particles like protons and electrons. Think of it more like an atomic soup than a mineral deposit.

NASA's Solar Dynamics Observatory data shows typical flare temperatures hit 10-20 million Kelvin. At those extremes, minerals as we know them - stable crystalline structures like quartz or feldspar - simply can't form. "It's like expecting ice cubes in a volcano," says Dr. Elena Torres, a solar physicist at MIT.

### The Elemental Breakdown

While not minerals, flares do contain elements we recognize:

- Hydrogen (73%) and helium (25%) from nuclear fusion
- Trace heavy elements like iron and nickel (

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