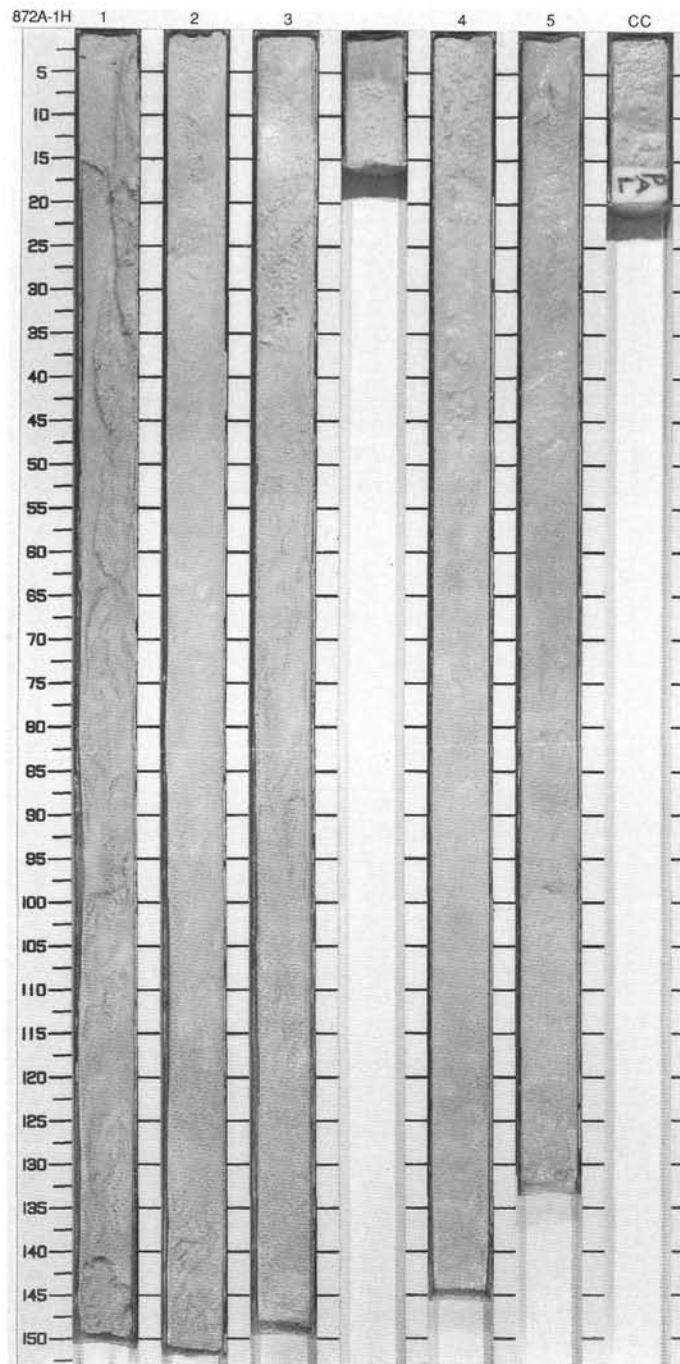


Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early to late Pleistocene		[Vertical line of small circles]		10YR 8/2	<p>NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE</p> <p>Major Lithology: Homogeneous NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE with a fine- to medium-grained sandy texture. The color is white (10YR 8/2) with very pale brown (10YR 8/3) to gray (10YR 6/1) specks and layers. The core is highly disturbed, soupy throughout.</p>
2		2		[Wavy lines]		S	10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3	
3		3		[Wavy lines]			10YR 8/2	
4		4		[Horizontal lines]		I	10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3	
5		5		[Horizontal lines]		S		
CC		CC				M		

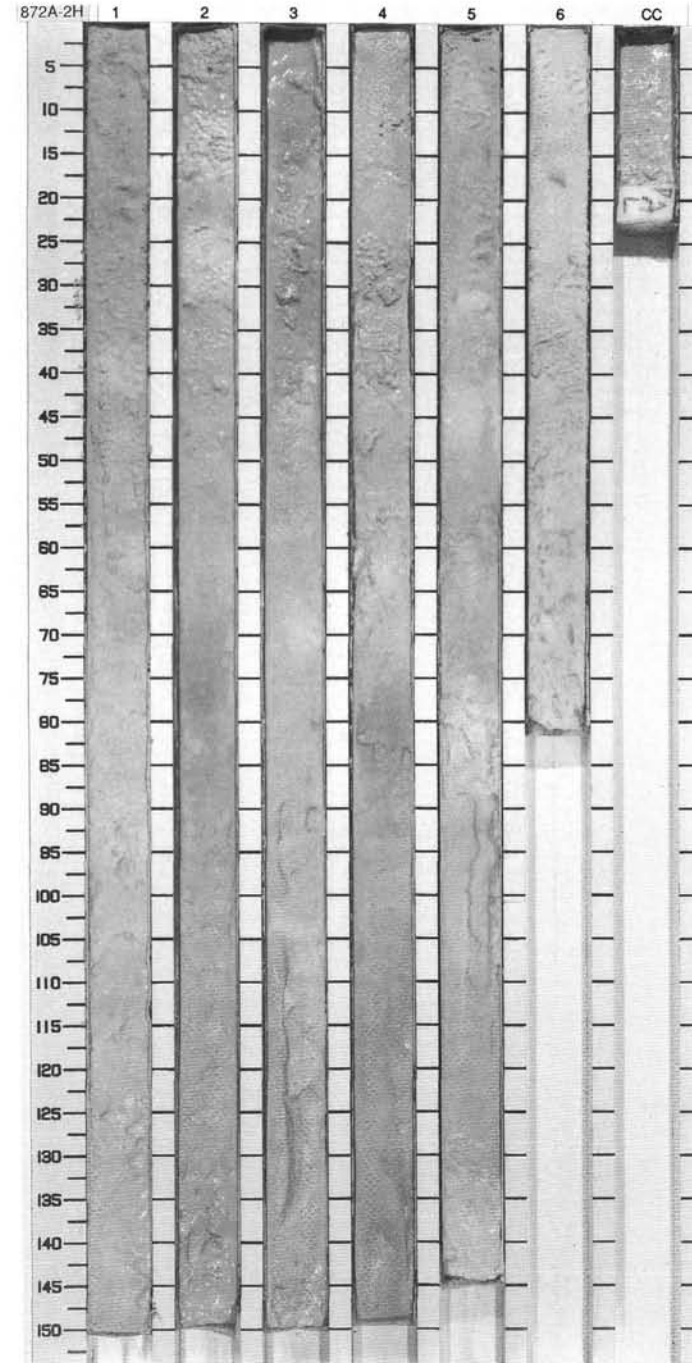


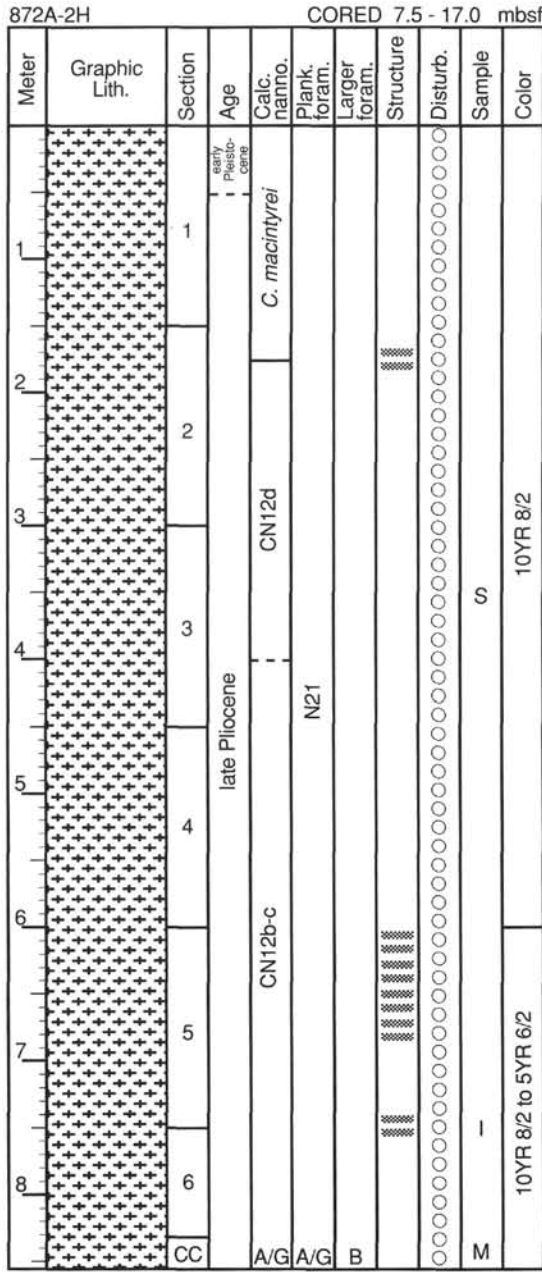
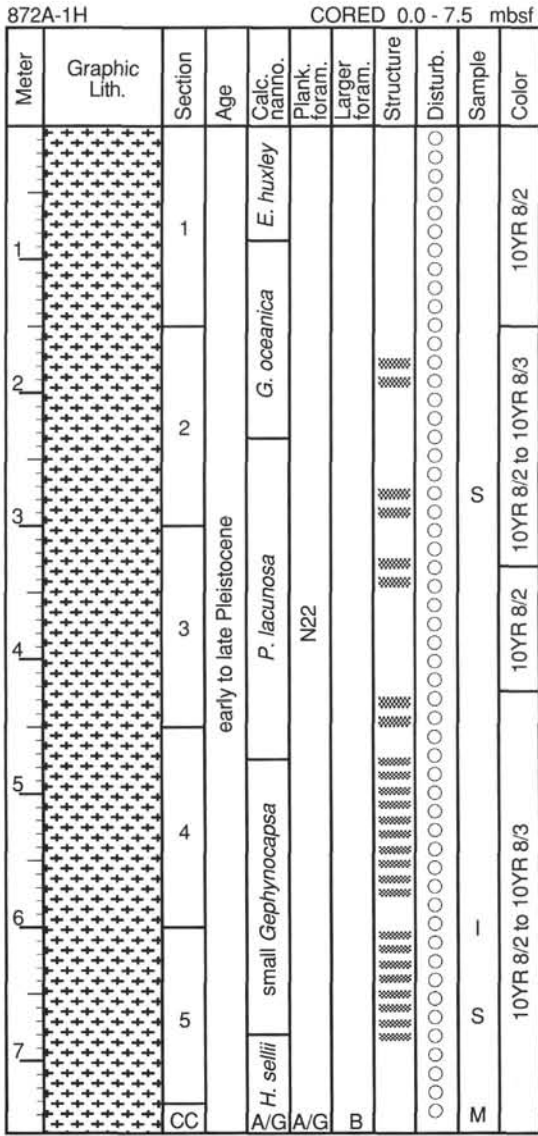
SITE 872 HOLE A CORE 2H

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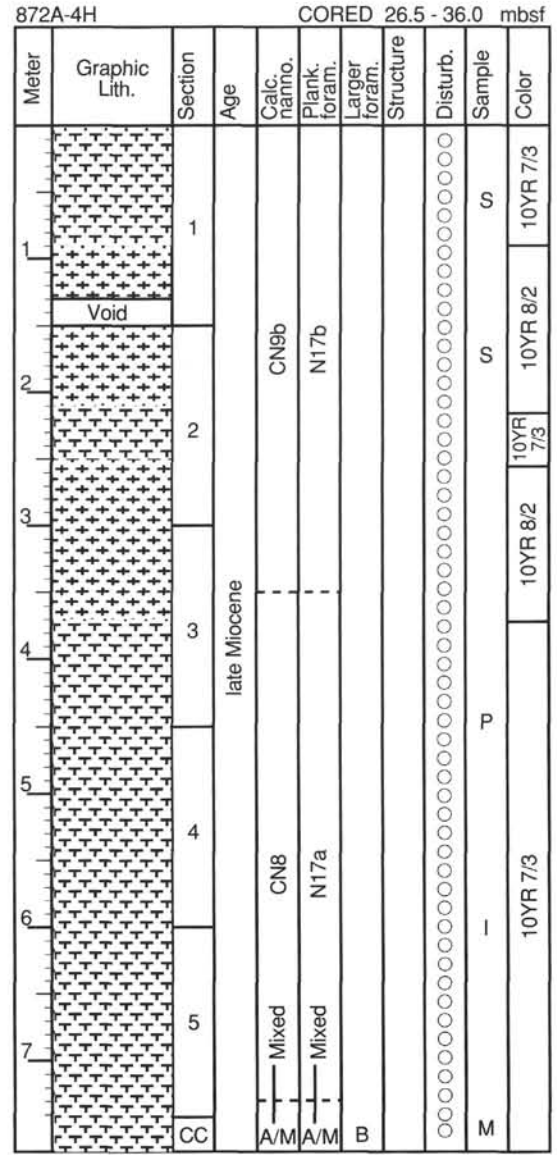
Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Pleistocene		○			<p>NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE</p> <p>Major Lithology: Homogeneous white (10YR 8/2 to 10YR 8/1) NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE, with vague color banding. Light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4) particles are scattered in Section 1 and correspond to foraminifers stained by Fe-hydroxides?. Some pinkish gray (5YR 6/2) stains occur in Section 6. The core is highly disturbed to soupy throughout.</p>
2		2			○			
3		3			○	S	10YR 8/2	
4		4	late Pliocene		○			
5		5			○			
6		6			○			
7		5		[Horizontal lines]	○		10YR 8/2 To 5YR 6/2	
8		6		[Horizontal lines]	○	I		
		CC			○	M		

872A 3H NO RECOVERY

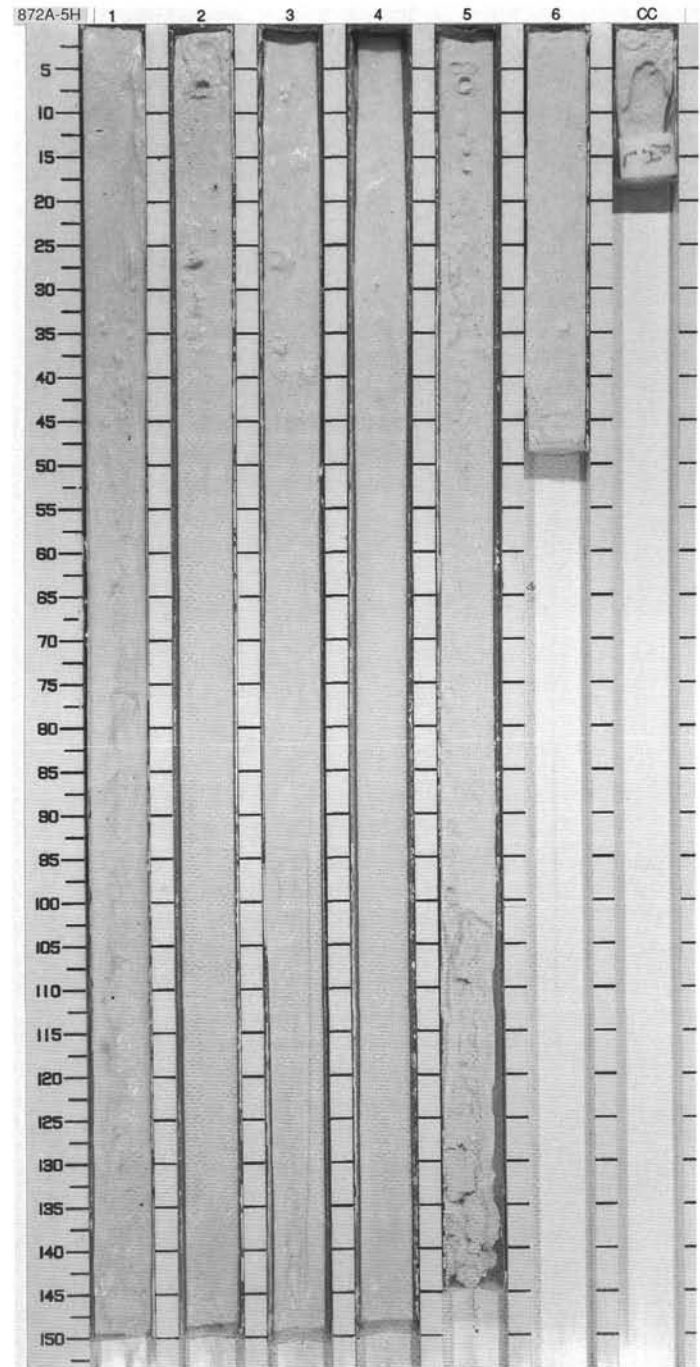




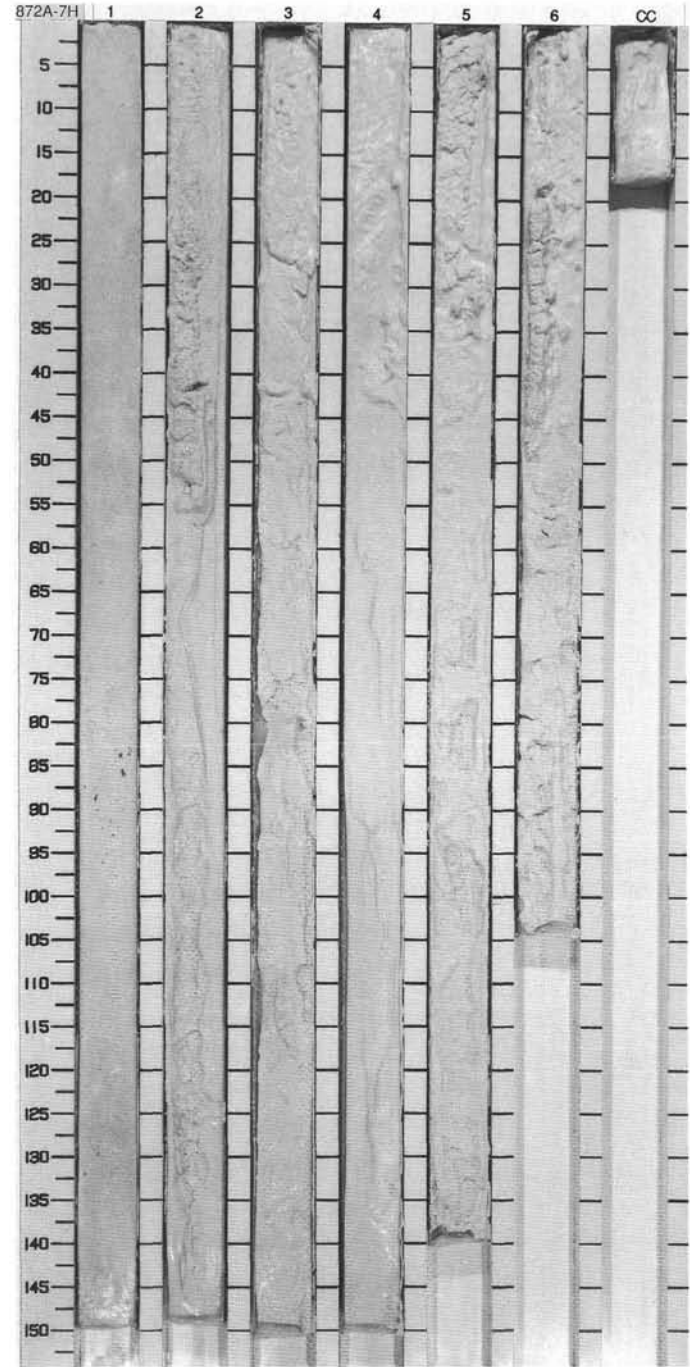
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Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	middle Miocene		[Vertical line of small circles]		10YR 7/3	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogeneous, very pale brown (10YR 7/3) FORAMINIFER OOZE. The texture is sandy. Scattered black specks are grease from coring. The entire core is soupy.
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6						
7		5						
8		6						
		CC				I		
						M		



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	middle Miocene	[Wavy structure]	[Disturbance symbols]	S	10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3	FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogenous, white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE, soupy throughout core. Vague bands of very pale brown (10YR 8/3) in Section 1 contain many stained foraminifers. These brown planktonic foraminifers are likely to be caving from uphole since they are Pleistocene in age. Specks of probable drilling lubricant scattered throughout. Ooze becomes slightly lumpy in Section 6.
2		S						
3								
4								
5								
6								
7						I		
8						S	10YR 8/2	
		CC				M		



872A-5H CORED 36.0 - 45.5 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1	Mixed							10YR 7/3
2		2								
3		3	middle Miocene	Mixed						
4		4								
5		4	CN7b							
6		5								
7		6	CC	A/M	A/G	B			I	
8										

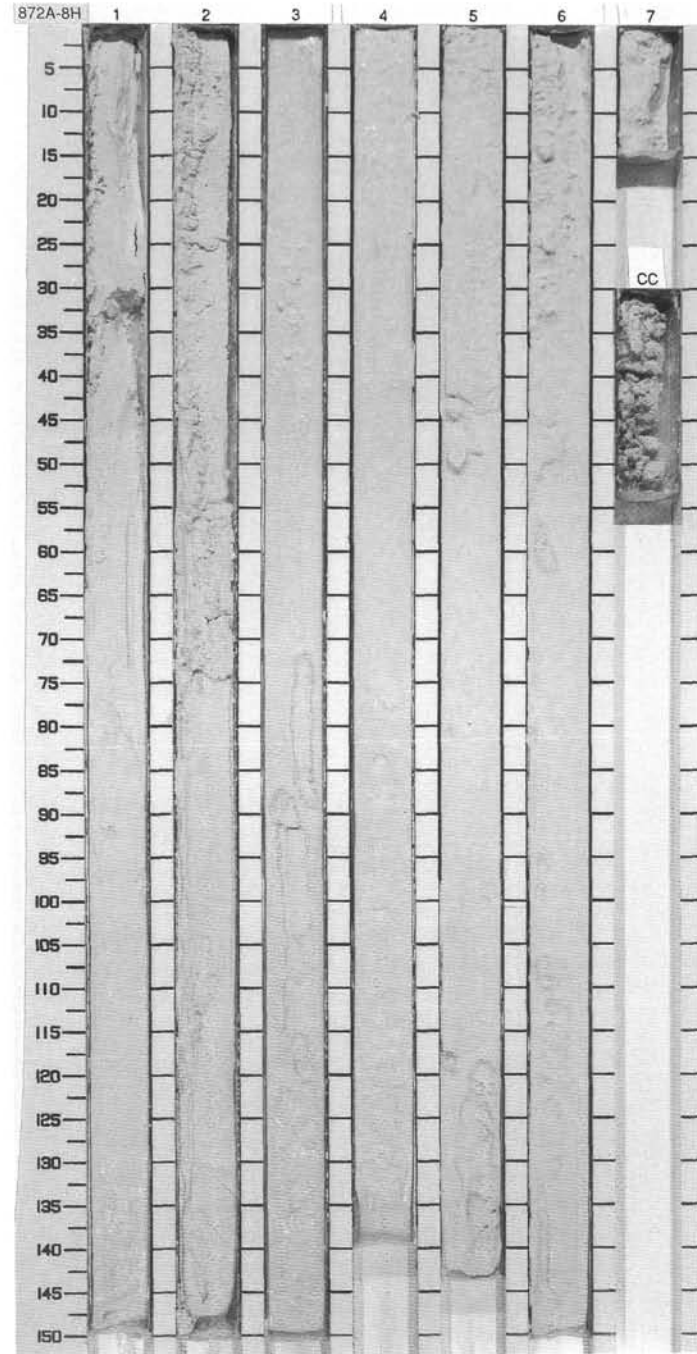
872A-6H CORED 45.5 - 55.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1	CN6							10YR 8/2
2		2								
3		3	middle Miocene	CN5b	Mixed					
4		4								
5		5	CC	A/G	A/G	B			I	
6										
7		6	N13							
8										

872A-7H CORED 55.0 - 64.5 mbsf

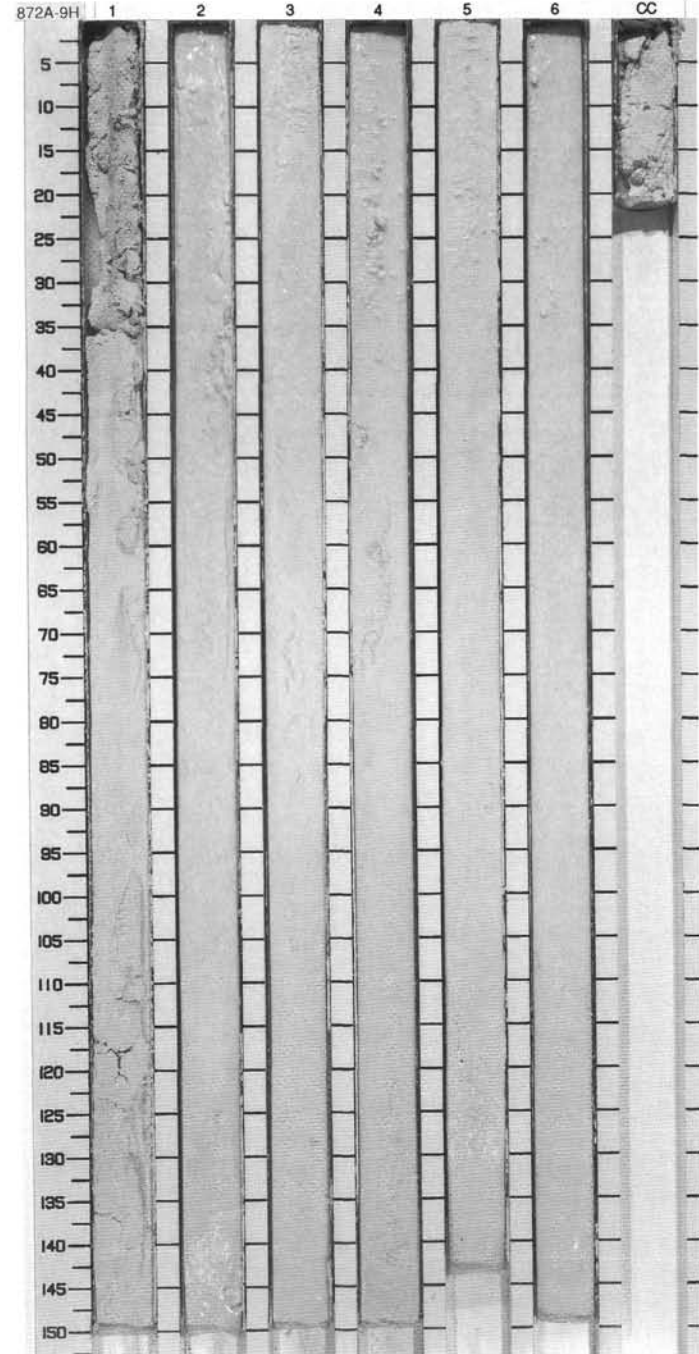
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1		1	N13						S	10YR 8/2 to 10YR 8/3
2		2								
3		3	middle Miocene	CN5b						
4		4								
5		5	CC	A/M	A/G	B			I	
6										
7		6	N12							
8										

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	middle Miocene		[Vertical line of small circles]	S	10YR 8/3	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogenous, very pale brown (10YR 8/3) FORAMINIFER OOZE. Core is soupy throughout.
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6				P		
7		7				S		
8		8				I		
9		9				M		
		CC						



SITE 872 HOLE A CORE 9H CORED 74.0 - 83.5 mbsf

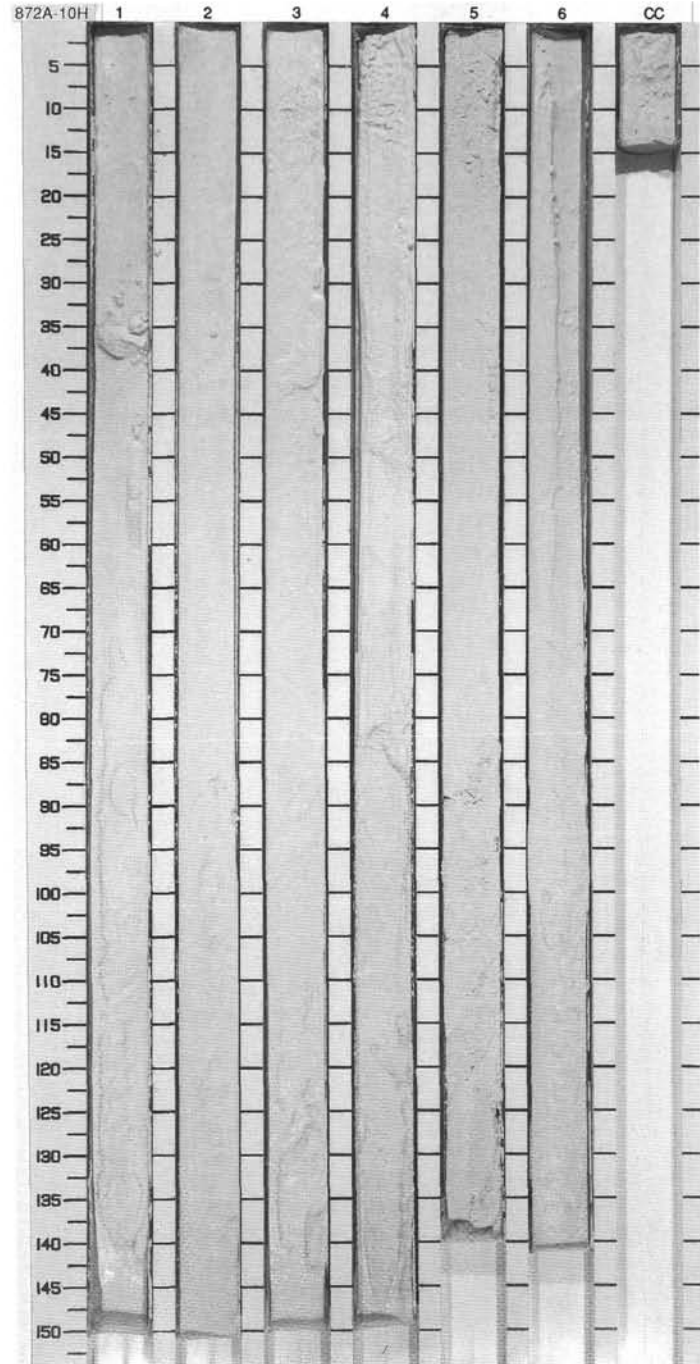
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1		1	early Miocene		○			FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogenous, white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE. Core is soupy throughout.
2		2			○	S		
3		3			○			
4		4			○		10YR 8/2	
5		5			○	S		
6		6			○			
7		7			○	I		
8		8			○			
9		9		CC		○	M	



SITE 872 HOLE A CORE 10H

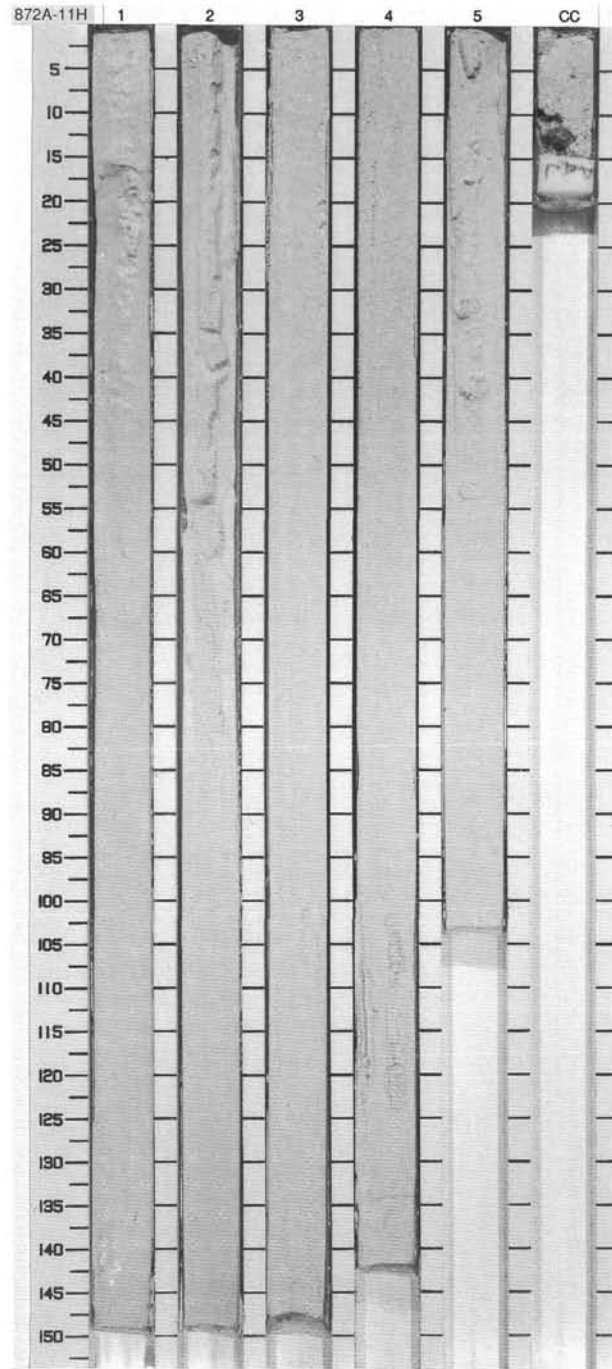
CORED 83.5 - 93.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION	
1		1	early Miocene			S		FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogeneous, white (10YR 8/2), FORAMINIFER OOZE with a texture of medium to fine sand. Sediment at 30-40 cm is slightly consolidated, friable, and highly fractured. There is a thin band of white (10YR 8/1) NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE in Section 4, 50-60 cm.	
2		2					10YR 8/2		
3		3							
4		4							
5		4					S		10YR 8/1
6		5							
7		5							
8		6					I		10YR 8/2
9		CC							



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		○			FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogeneous, white (10YR 8/2), FORAMINIFER OOZE. The entire core is predominantly soupy; however, it contains small (5-10 mm) lumps of FORAMINIFER CHALK that may be the result of selective lithification or may represent poorly lithified layers broken by drilling.
2	[Cross-hatched pattern]	2			○			
3	[Cross-hatched pattern]	3			○	S	10YR 8/2	
4	[Cross-hatched pattern]	4			○			
5	[Cross-hatched pattern]	5			○			
6	[Cross-hatched pattern]	6			○	I		
7	[Cross-hatched pattern]	CC			○	M		

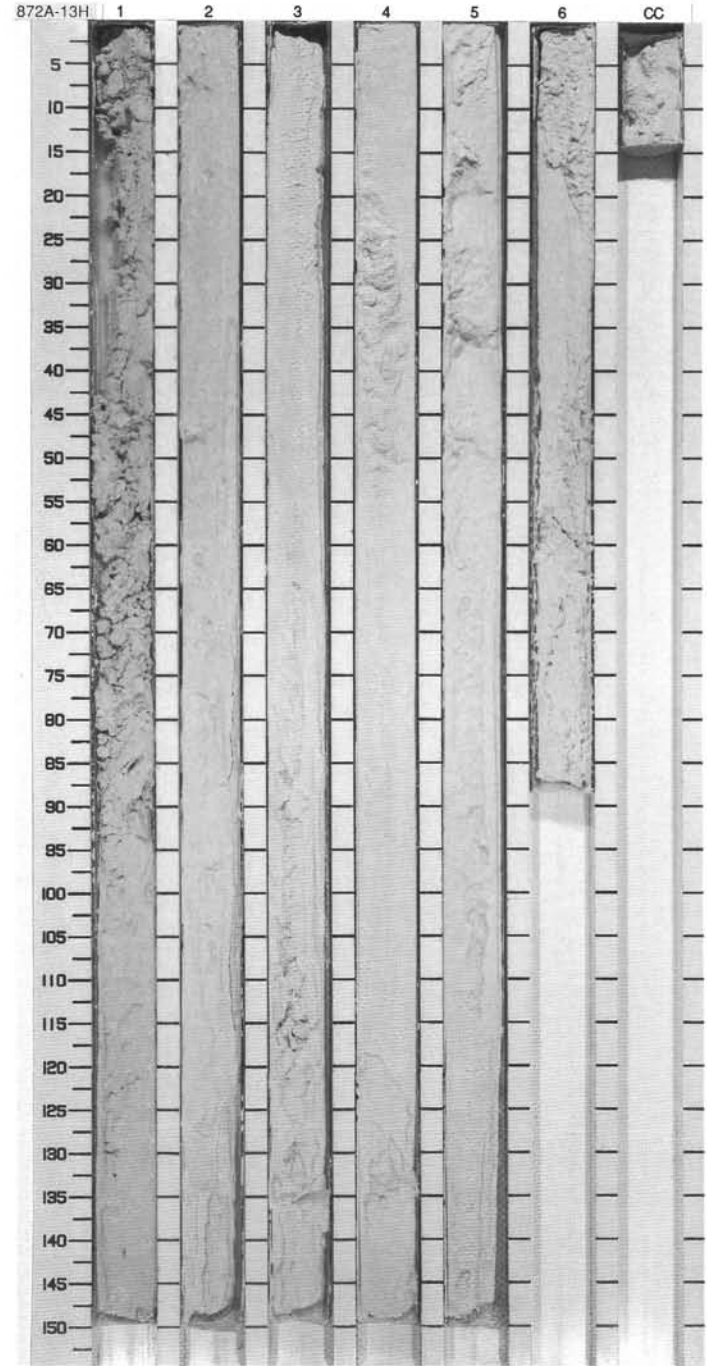
872A 12H NO RECOVERY



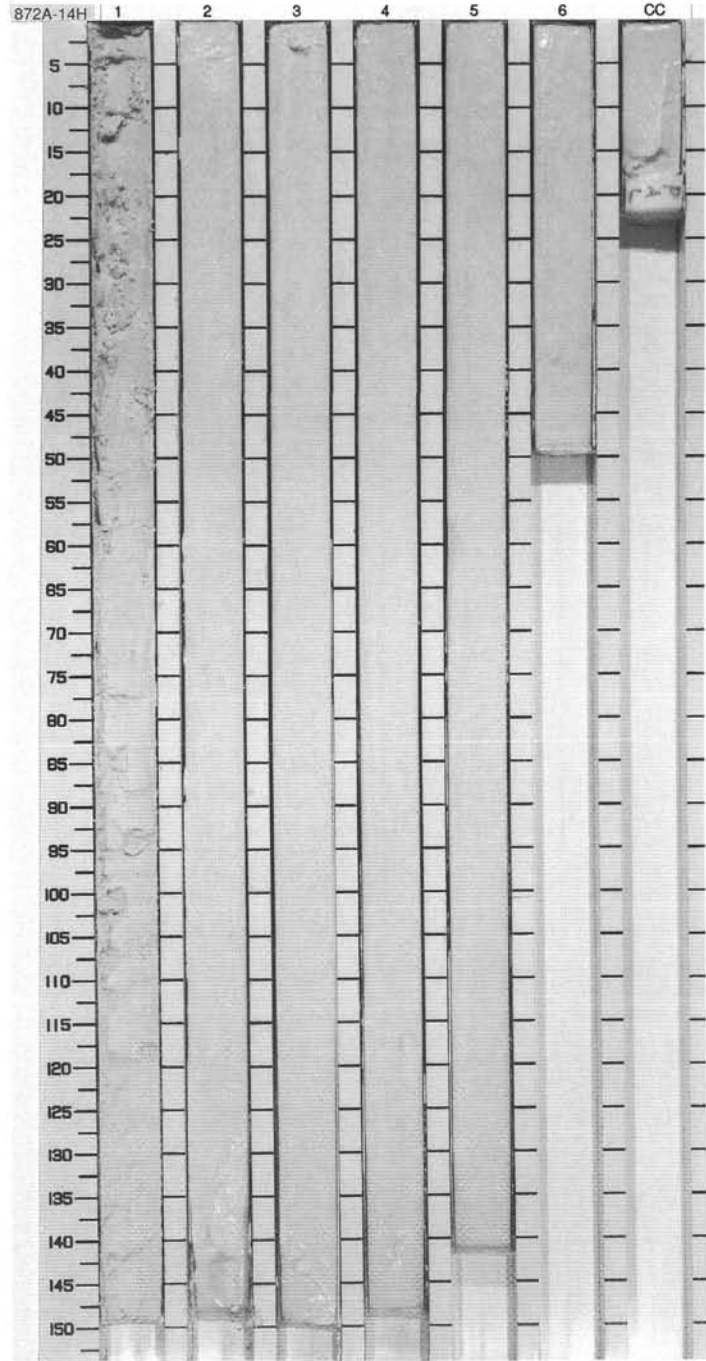
SITE 872 HOLE A CORE 13H

CORED 102.0 – 111.5 mbsf

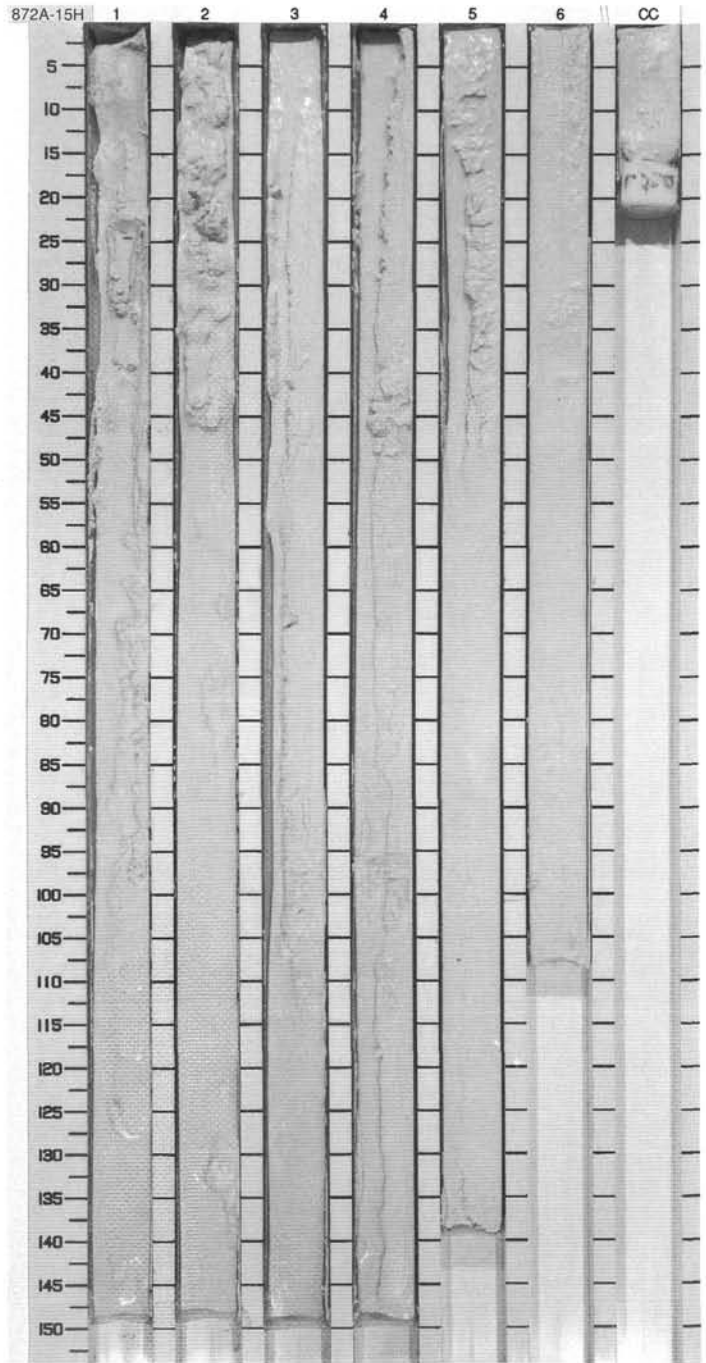
Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		[Wavy lines]	S	10YR 8/4	FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogeneous, very pale brown (10YR 8/4) to white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE with medium sandy texture. Section 1, 0–90 cm is not as soupy as the rest of the core. Numerous partly consolidated, friable clasts of FORAMINIFER CHALK, 5–10 mm in diameter, may represent initial patchy lithification. Foraminifers with light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4) film of Fe hydroxide(?) are irregularly disseminated in Sections 1 and 2.
2		2				S	10YR 8/3	
3		3				S		
4		4						
5		5						
6		6					10YR 8/2	
8		CC				S M		



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		[Vertical line of circles]			FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogeneous, white (10YR 8/2), FORAMINIFER OOZE. The texture consists of fine- to medium-grained sands. Very pale brown (10YR 8/3) specks or layers are Fe-hydroxides(?) stains on foraminifers. The entire core is highly disturbed to soupy.
2		2		S				
3		3						
4		3		10YR 8/2				
5		4		S				
6		5						
7		6		I				
8		CC		M				



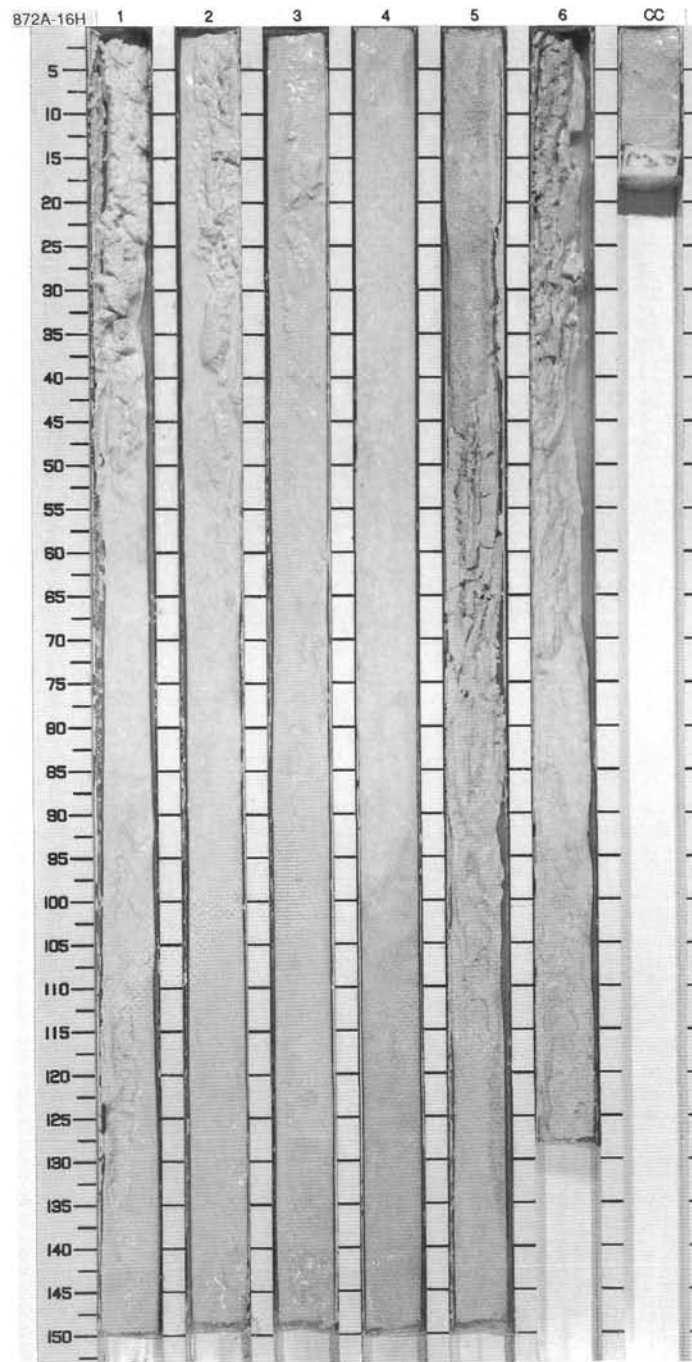
Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1		1	late Oligocene		○			FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: White (10YR 8/2), homogeneous, FORAMINIFER OOZE. The texture consists of fine- to medium-grained sands. Very pale brown (10YR 8/3 to 10YR 7/3) specks are abundant and correspond to Fe-hydroxide(?) stains on foraminifers. The entire core is very disturbed to soupy.
2		2			○	S		
3		3			○			
4		4			○			
5		5			○		10YR 8/2	
6		6			○			
7		7			○		S	
8		8			○		P	
		CC			○	M		



SITE 872 HOLE A CORE 16H

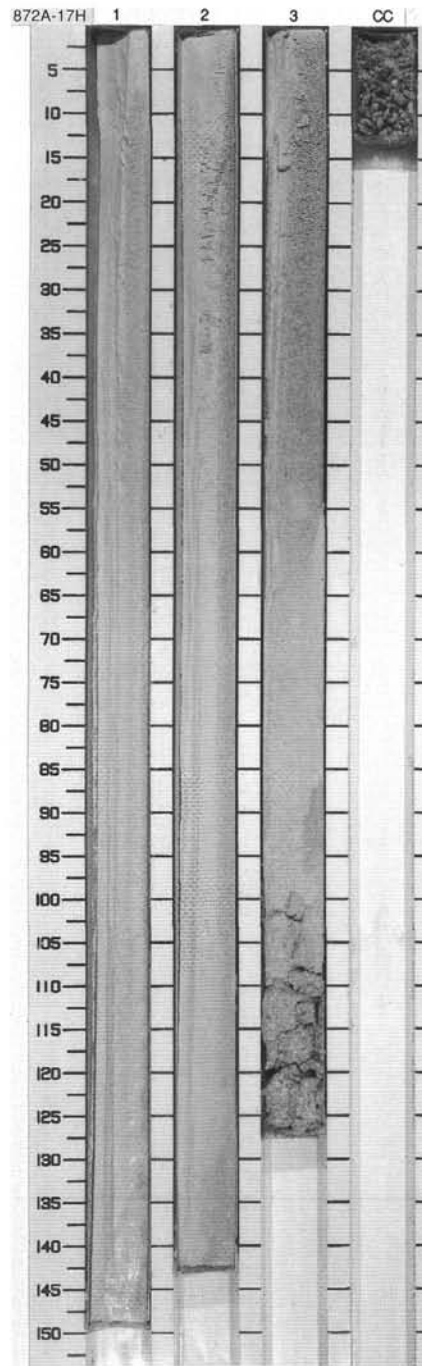
CORED 130.5 -140.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1		1	late Oligocene					FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: White (10YR 8/2) to very pale brown (10YR 8/3) homogeneous FORAMINIFER OOZE. The texture consists of fine- to medium-grained sands. Abundant very pale brown (10YR 8/3) specks correspond to Fe hydroxides(?) on foraminifers; these are very abundant from Section 4, 90 cm, to the bottom of the core. The entire core is soupy.
2		2		S		10YR 8/2		
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6		S				
7		7		S		10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3		
8		8						
9		9		CC		M		




Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	late Oligocene		○		10YR 7/3 To 10YR 5/3	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Very pale brown (10YR 7/3) to brown (10YR 5/3) FORAMINIFER OOZE with a conspicuous "salt and pepper" appearance. Brown colored grains are phosphate stained foraminifers. There is a gradual increase in white (10YR 8/2) partially consolidated nodules toward the base of Section 3, 90–127 cm. These nodules consist of NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE. The entire core is highly disturbed to soupy. Minor Lithology: The CC section consists of friable fragments, up to 4 cm long, of phosphatized FORAMINIFER CHALK, brownish yellow (10YR 6/6). Very dark brown (10YR 2/2) rounded and "polished" pebbles are highly weathered BASALT fragments that may be coated with a phosphatic crust.
2		2			○	W		
3		3			○	S		
4		CC			○	M		
middle Eocene to upper Santonian								

872A 18X HARD ROCK




SITE 872 HOLE B CORE 1R

CORED 77.3–87.0 mbsf

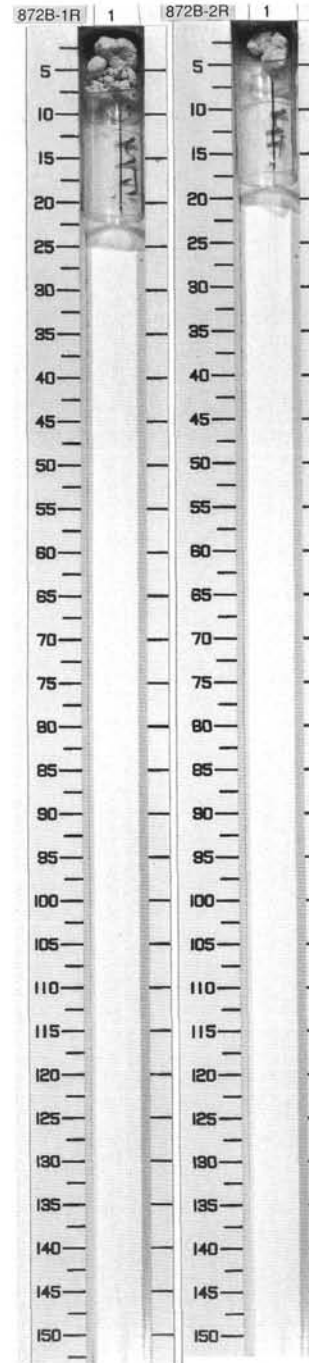
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6 cm		1					10YR 8/3	FORAMINIFER CHALK/OOZE Major Lithology: Total recovery: 6 cm of friable pebbles of very pale brown (10YR 8/3) FORAMINIFER CHALK. In Hole 872A, a FORAMINIFER OOZE containing CHALK clasts was recovered from similar subbottom depths.
early to middle Miocene								

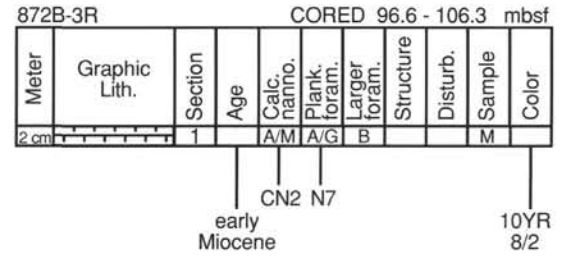
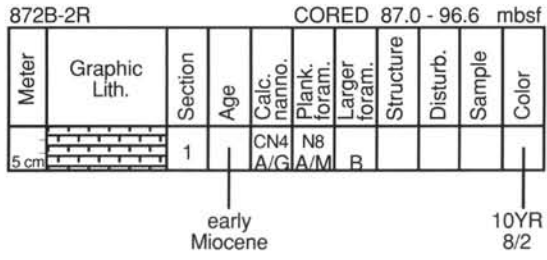
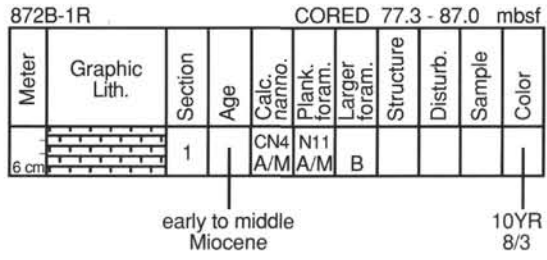
SITE 872 HOLE B CORE 2R

CORED 87.0–96.6 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
5 cm		1					10YR 8/2	FORAMINIFER CHALK/OOZE Major Lithology: Total recovery: 1 cobble, 4 cm in diameter. White (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER CHALK, very friable, crumbles when touched. In Hole 872A, a FORAMINIFER OOZE containing semiconsolidated clasts was recovered from similar subbottom depths.
early Miocene								

872B 3R Entire core given to paleontologists.

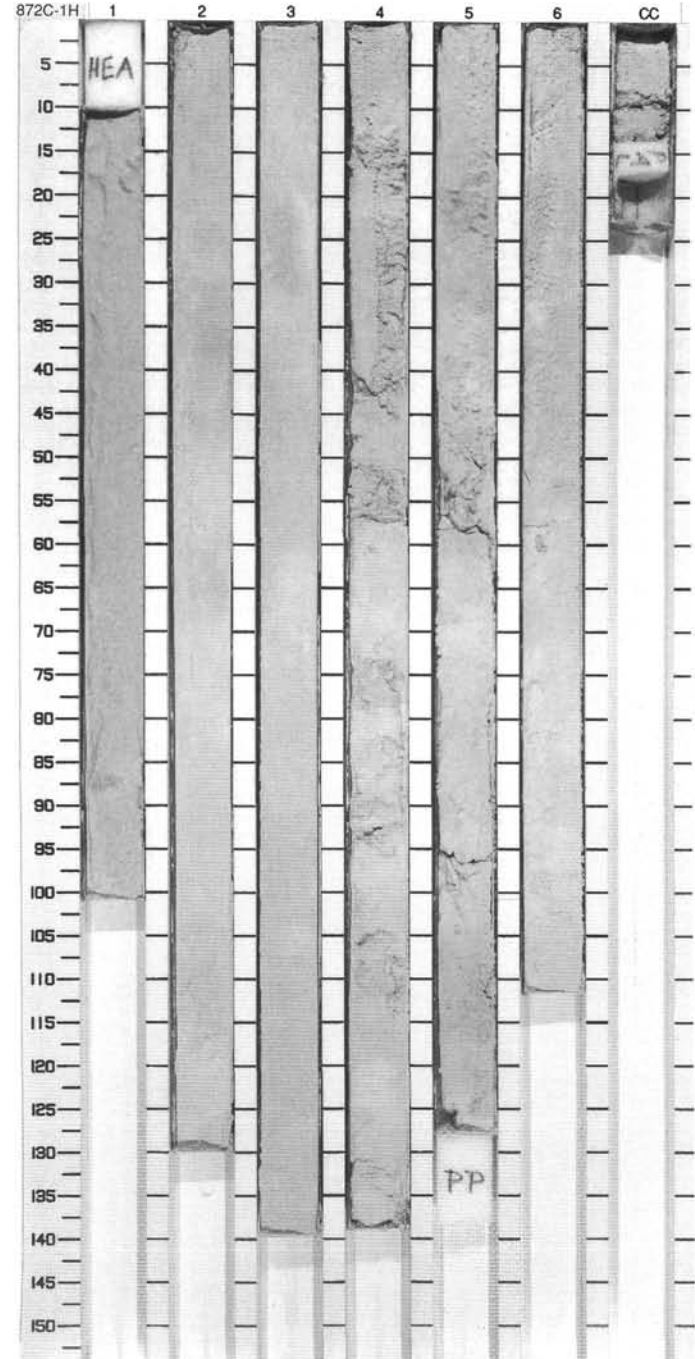




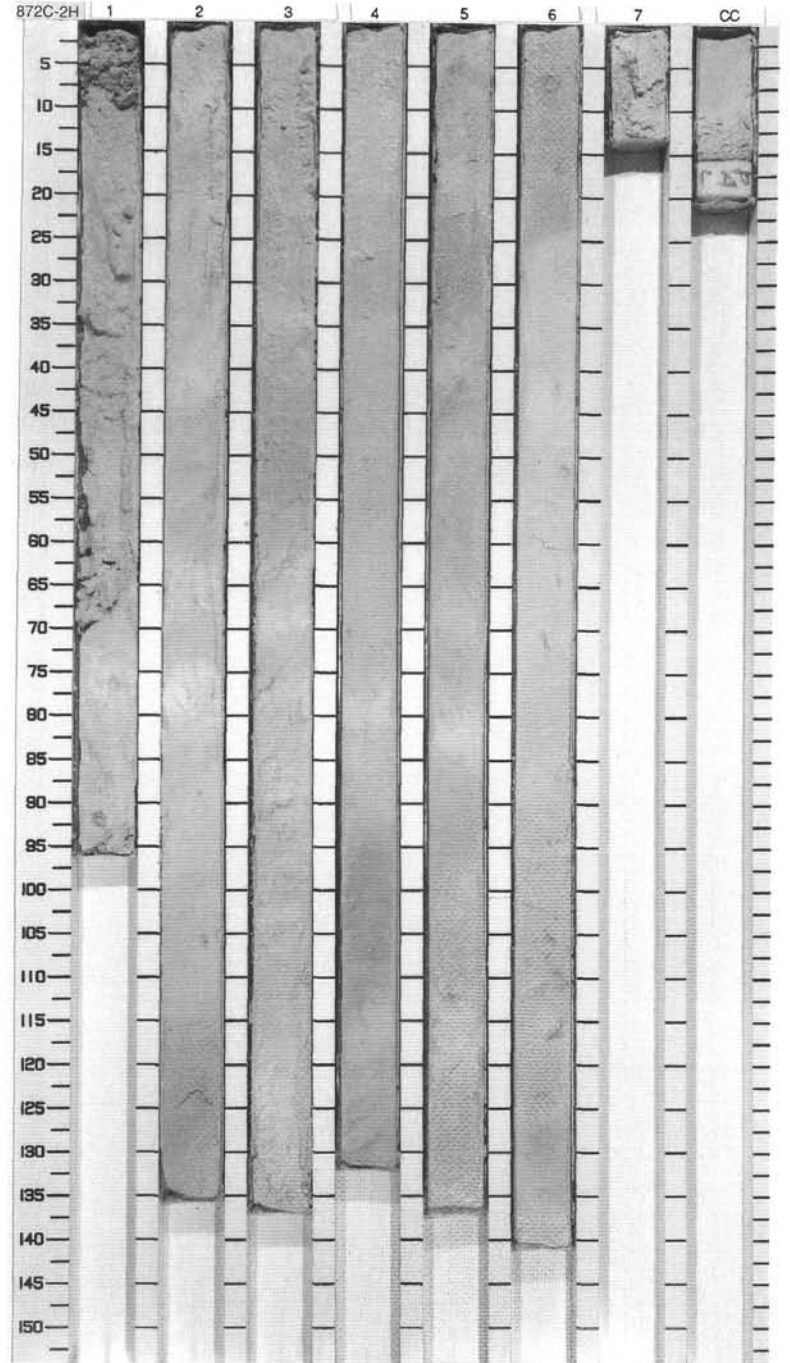
SITE 872 HOLE C CORE 1H

CORED 0.0-9.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	+	1	Pleistocene		○	M	10YR 7/3	<p>NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE and FORAMINIFER OOZE</p> <p>Major Lithologies: Section 1, very pale brown (10YR 7/3) NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE, soupy, some foraminifers stained by Fe hydroxides? Pale brown (10YR 6/3) oval patch in Section 1, 87-89 cm may be a burrow fill. Sections 2 and 3 contain a banded NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE ranging in color from very pale brown (10YR 7/3) to white (10YR 8/2). Bands are about 10 cm thick. In Section 4, the banding is white (10YR 8/2) to very pale brown (10YR 8/4) and the boundaries between bands are sharper than above. Drilling disturbance is less. The very pale brown bands are FORAMINIFER OOZE. Only two bands are present in Section 5, one at 79-85 cm is very pale brown and one at 105-128 cm is light gray (10YR 7/2). Section 6 and the core catcher are very pale brown FORAMINIFER OOZE.</p>
2		S						
3		S						
4		S				10YR 7/3 To 10YR 8/2		
5		S						
6		P						
7	CC	CC				M		



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	Pliocene		[Vertical line of circles]	S	10YR 8/3 To 10YR 8/4	<p>DESCRIPTION</p> <p>NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE</p> <p>Major Lithology: Homogeneous NANNOFOSSIL FORAMINIFER OOZE moderately to highly disturbed by drilling. The color is very pale brown (10YR 8/3, 10YR 8/4 to 10YR7/4) to white (10YR 8/2) and the boundaries between different colors are generally vague (probably disturbed), not planar, giving locally a patchy aspect to the core (Section 5). Gray (10YR 6/1 to 10YR 6/2) mottles, 5 mm in average diameter and up to 20 mm long, in Sections 2, 5, 6, and 7 are probably burrows.</p>
2		S				10YR 8/3 To 10YR 8/2		
3		S				2.5Y 7/2		
4						10YR 8/4		
5						10YR 8/3 To 10YR 8/2		
6						10YR 8/3 To 10YR 7/4		
7						10YR 8/3 To 10YR 8/2		
8		CC				M		



872B-4R CORED 135.2 - 144.8 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
7 cm 10 cm										
		1	early Santonian	CC12-15	<i>D. concarata - D. asymetrica</i>					
77 cm				F/P	A/P	B				

872B 5R THROUGH 9R HARD ROCKS

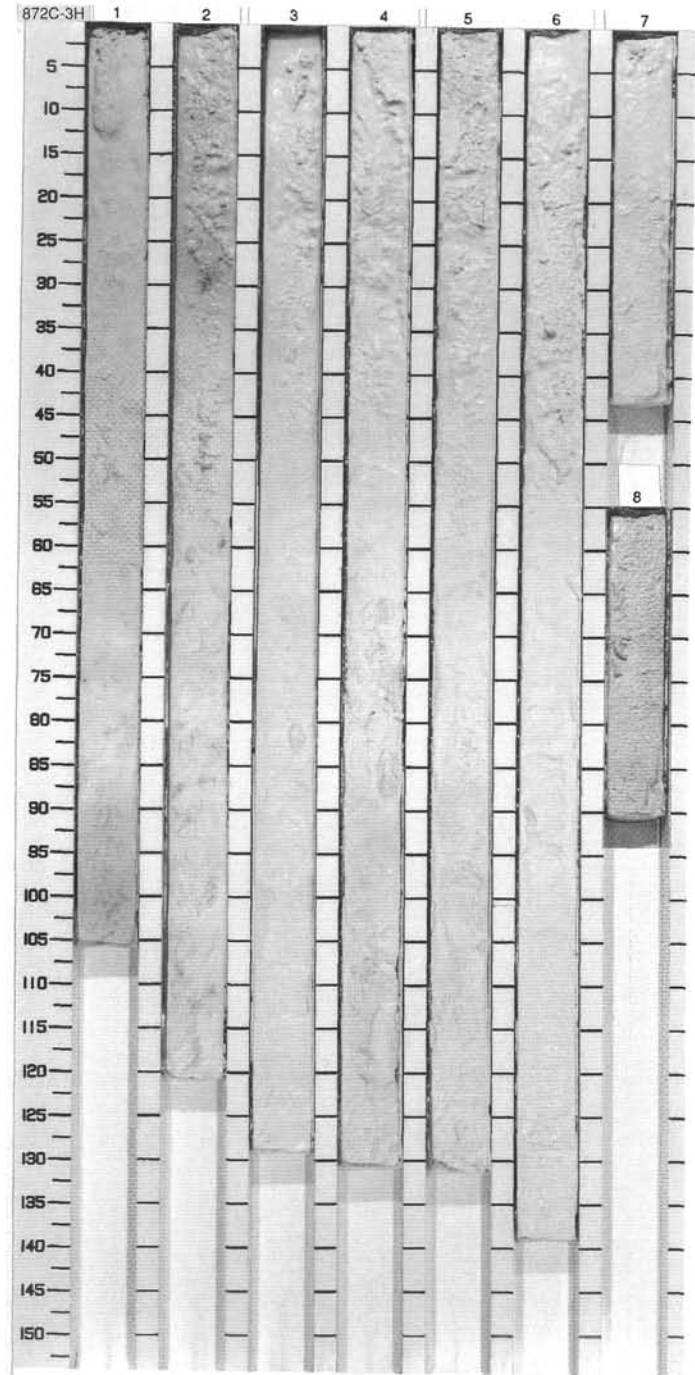
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Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1							M	10YR 7/3
2		2							σ	
3		3							σ	
4		4	Pleistocene	<i>C. macintyreii</i>	N21				σ	10YR 7/3 to 10YR 8/2
5		5							σ	
6		6							P	
7		6							M	
		CC		A/G	A/G	B				

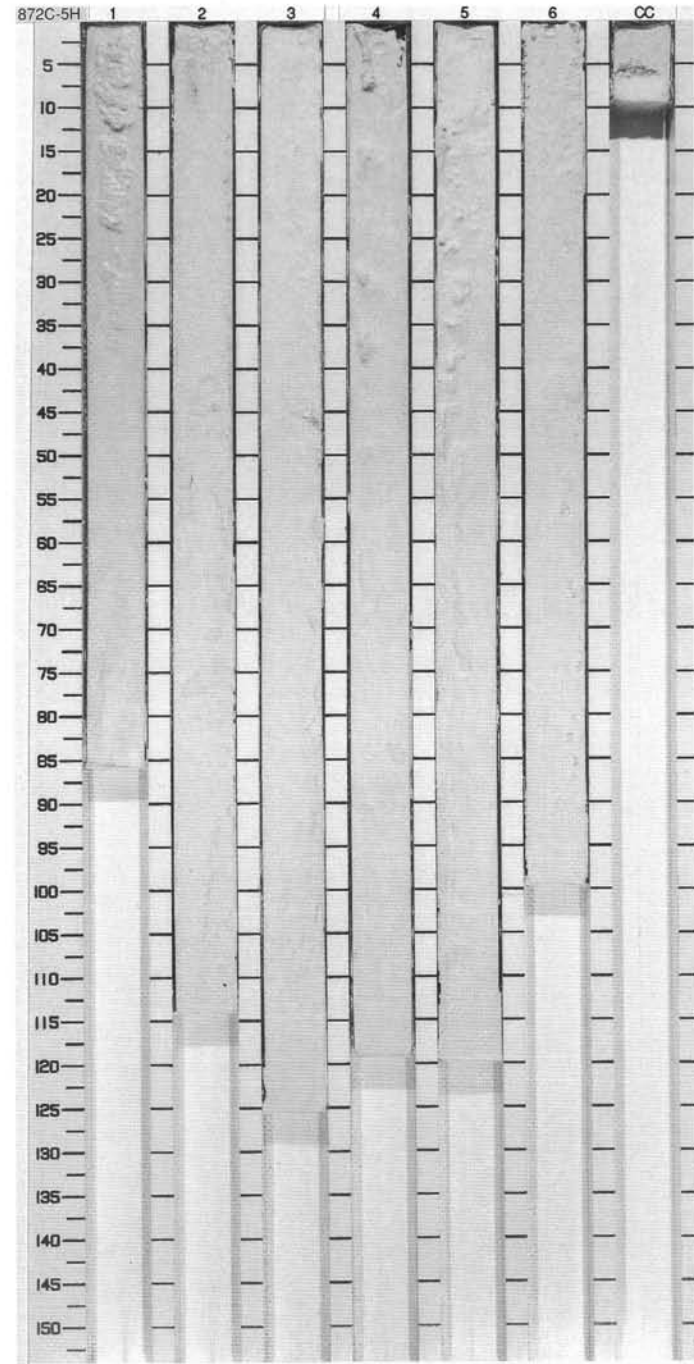
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Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1							σ	10YR 8/3 to 10YR 8/4
2		2							σ	10YR 8/3 to 10YR 8/2
3		3							σ	2.5Y 7/2
4		4	Pliocene	CN12	N19/20				σ	10YR 8/4
5		5							σ	10YR 8/3 to 10YR 8/2
6		6							σ	10YR 8/3 to 10YR 7/4
7		6							σ	10YR 8/3 to 10YR 8/2
8		7							M	
		CC		A/G	A/G	B				

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	Pliocene	[Three horizontal lines]	[Vertical line of small circles]	S	10YR 7/3	FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Homogeneous FORAMINIFER OOZE. The color is white (10YR 8/2) to very pale brown (10YR 7/3) with "patches" of brownish gray (10YR 6/2) mottles probably due to burrowing. The entire core is highly disturbed to soupy.
2		2					10YR 8/2	
3		3		[Wavy pattern]		S	10YR 8/2	
4		4						
5		5		S		10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3		
6		6						
7		7		M		10YR 8/2		
8		8						



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1		1	late Miocene		○○○○○ ○○○○○ ○○○○○ ○○○○○ ○○○○○ ○○○○○	S	10YR 8/2	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: White (10YR 8/2) to very pale brown (10YR 8/3) homogeneous FORAMINIFER OOZE. The texture consists of fine- to medium-grained sands. Echinoid spines in Sections 1 to 3. The entire core is highly disturbed to soupy.
2		2				S	10YR 8/2	
3		3				S	10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3	
4		4				S	10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3	
5		5				S	10YR 8/2 To 10YR 8/3	
6		6				M	10YR 8/2	



872C-3H CORED 18.5 - 28.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1	Pliocene	CN10	N18				S	10YR 7/3
2		2								10YR 8/2
3		3								S
4		4								
5		5								S
6		6								
7		6								10YR 8/2 to 10YR 8/3
8		8								10YR 8/2
		CC			A/M	A/M	B		M	

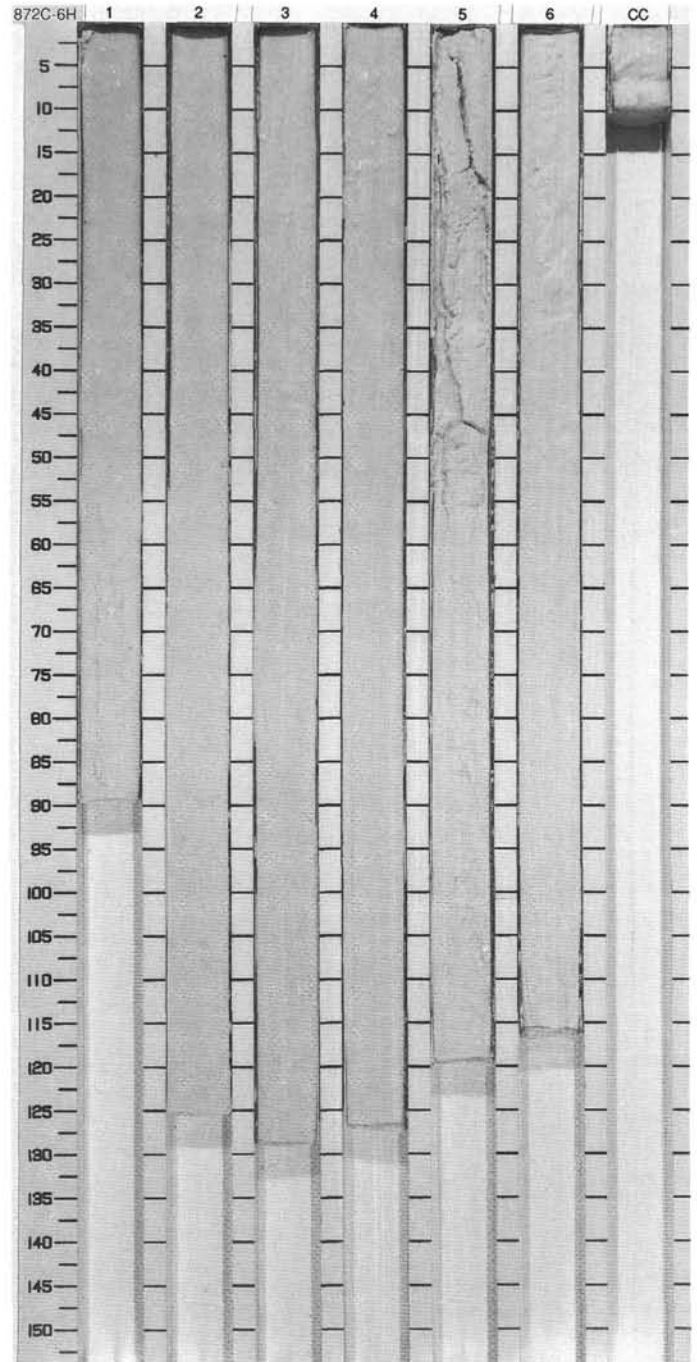
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2		2								10YR 8/1
3		3								10YR 8/2 to 10YR 8/1
4		4								10YR 8/2 to 10YR 7/3
5		5								10YR 7/3
6		6								10YR 8/2 to 10YR 7/3
7		CC		A/G	A/G	B		M		

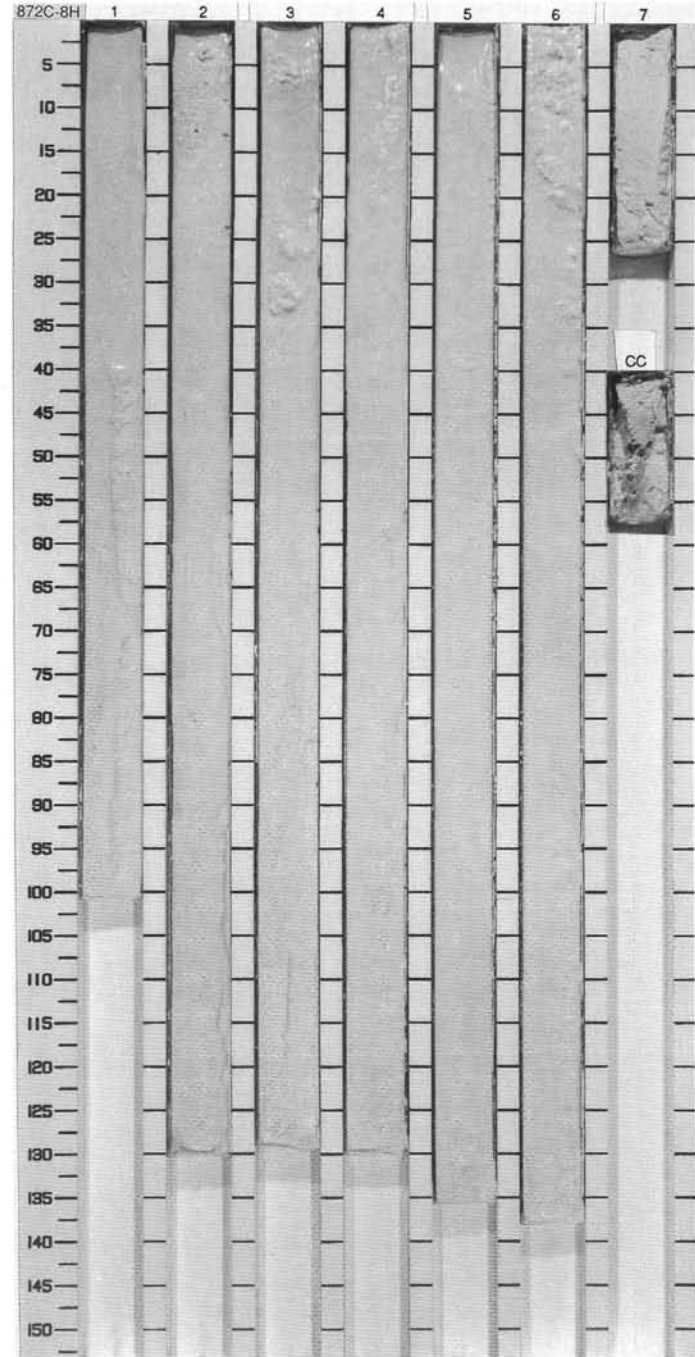
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1		1	late Miocene	CN7	N17				S	10YR 8/2
2		2								10YR 8/1
3		3								10YR 8/2 to 10YR 8/3
4		4								S
5		5								10YR 8/2 to 10YR 8/3
6		6								10YR 8/2
		CC		A/G	A/G	B		M		

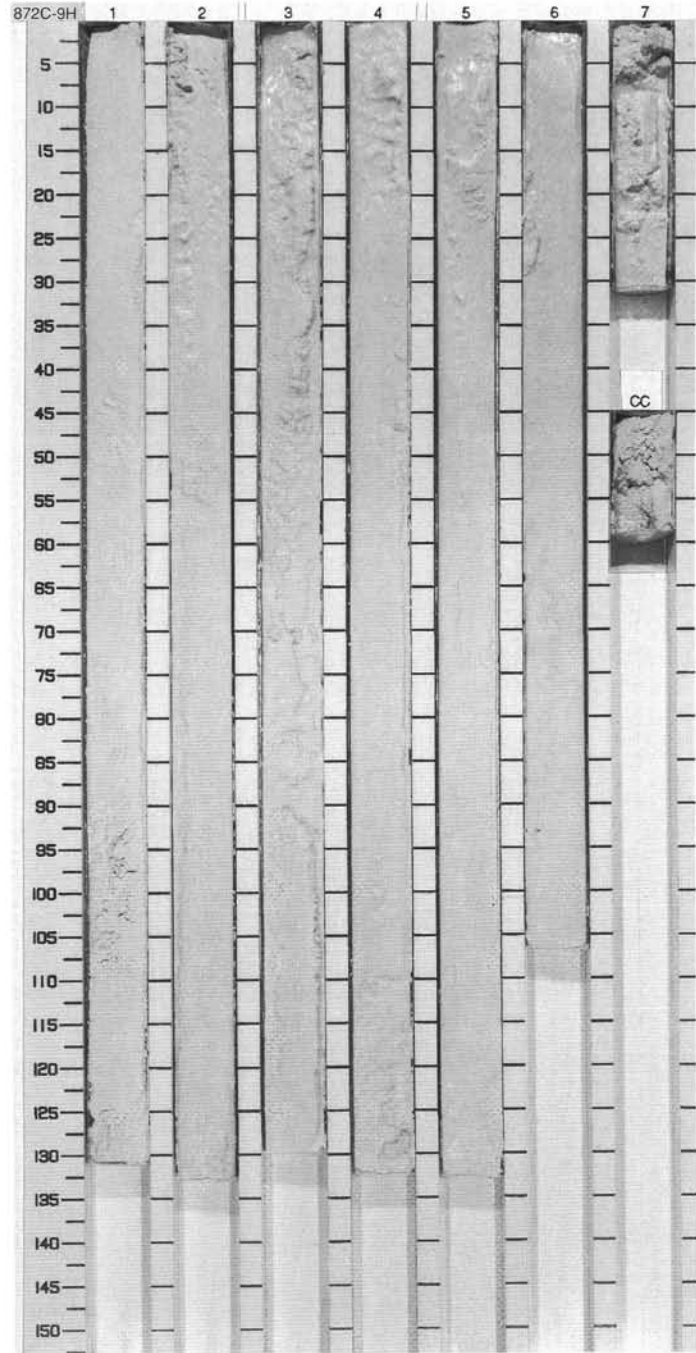
Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	middle Miocene		○	S	10YR 8/2	FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: White (10YR 8/2), homogeneous FORAMINIFER OOZE. The entire core is highly disturbed by drilling to soupy.
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6						
7						M		



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	middle Miocene		○	S	10YR 8/2	FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Soupy, white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE. Some clasts (0.5-1 cm) of FORAMINIFER CHALK.
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6						
7		7						
8	CC				○	M		



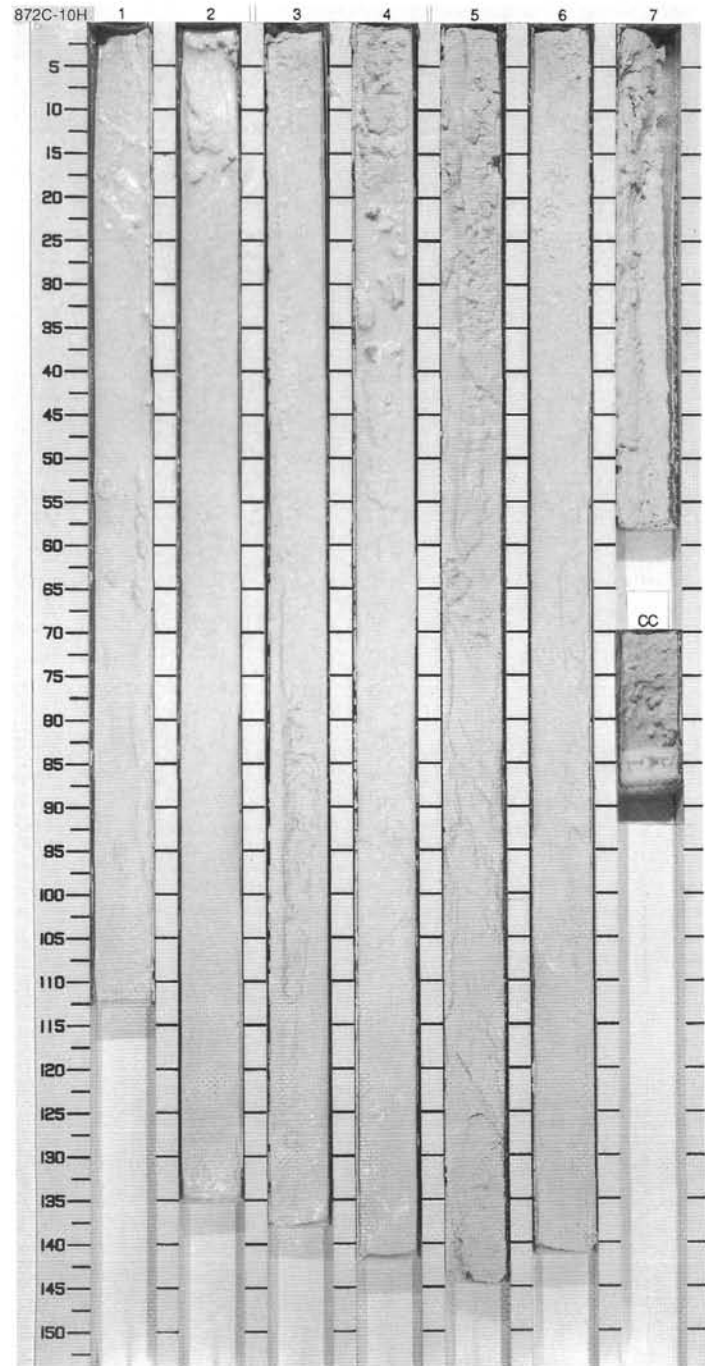
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1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		○			FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: White (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE, soupy, with 0.5–1 cm clasts of FORAMINIFER CHALK.
2		2			○			
3		3			○	S		
4		4			○	10YR 8/2		
5		5			○			
6		6			○			
7		7			○			
8		CC			○	M		



SITE 872 HOLE C CORE 10H

CORED 85.0 - 94.5 mbsf

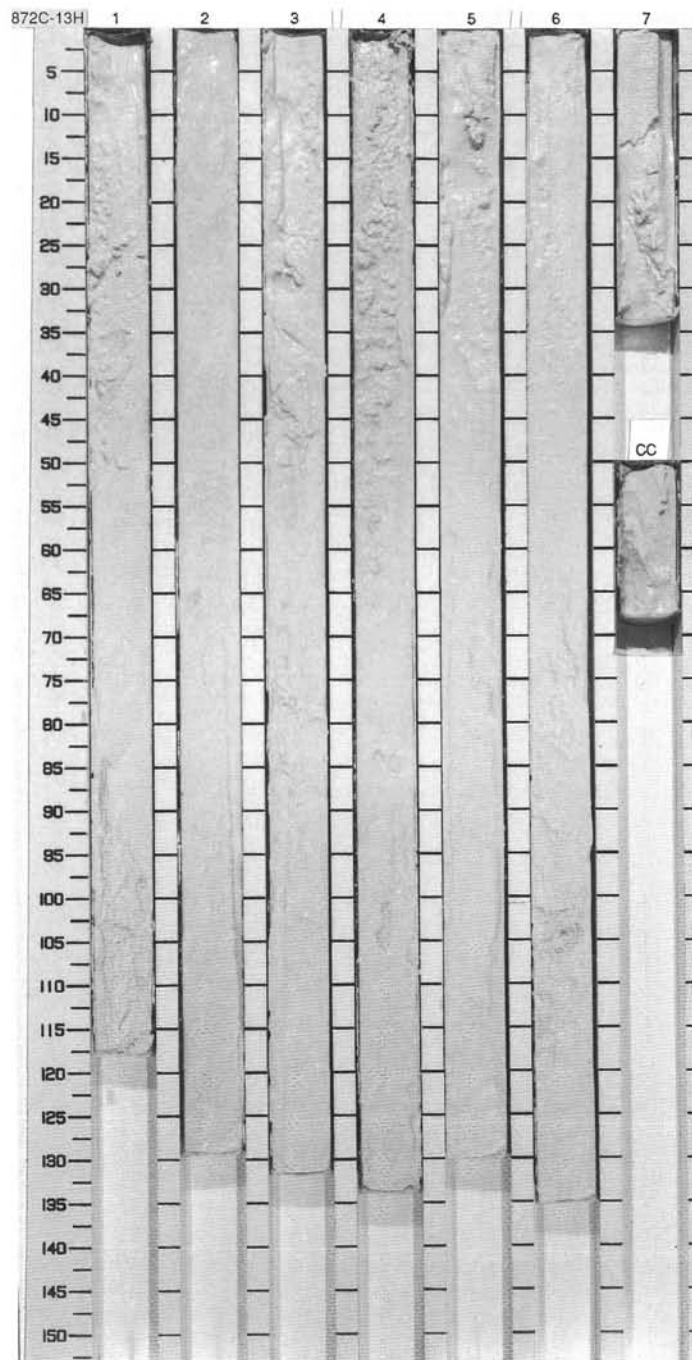
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1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		○	S	10YR 8/2	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Soupy, white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE, fine to medium sand texture. Fewer lumps of chalk than in the overlying cores.
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6						
7		7						
8		CC						



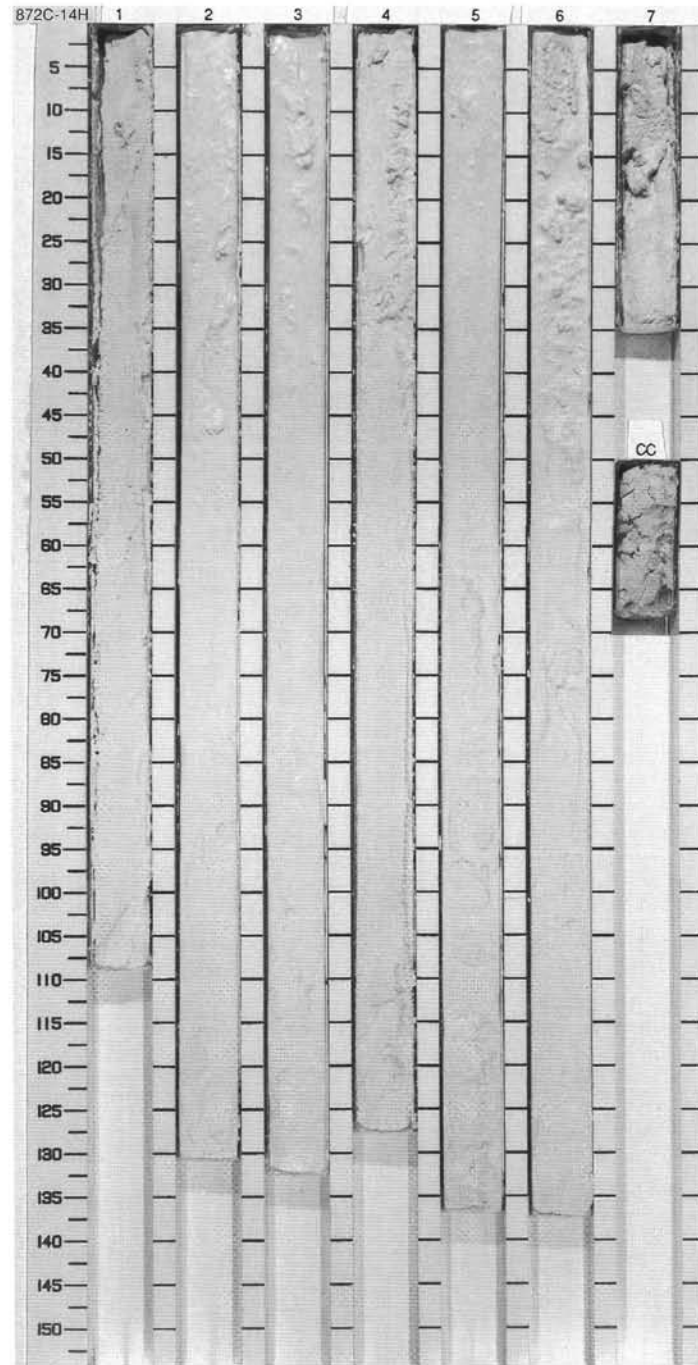
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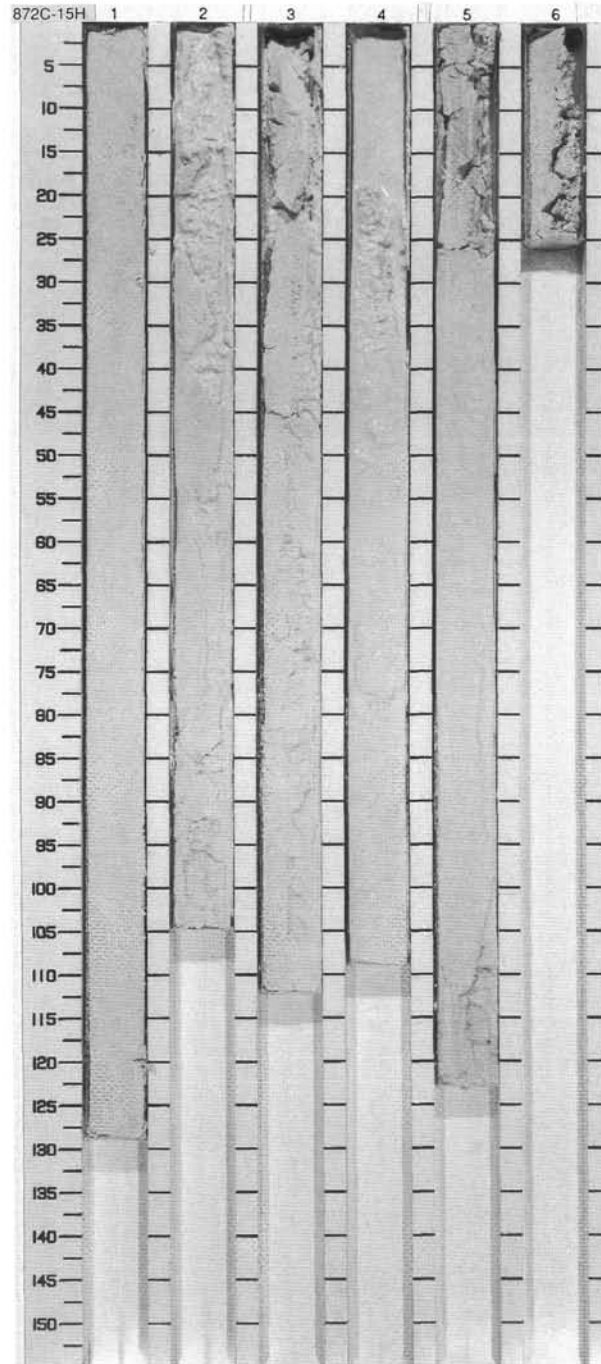
Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		○	S	10YR 8/2	FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Soupy, white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE, fine to medium sand texture.
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6						
7		7						
8		CC				M		



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	early Miocene		○			FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Soupy, white (10YR 8/2) FORAMINIFER OOZE, fine to medium sand texture.
2		2		○				
3		3		○				
4		4		○	S	10YR 8/2		
5		5		○				
6		6		○				
7		7		○				
8		CC		M	○			



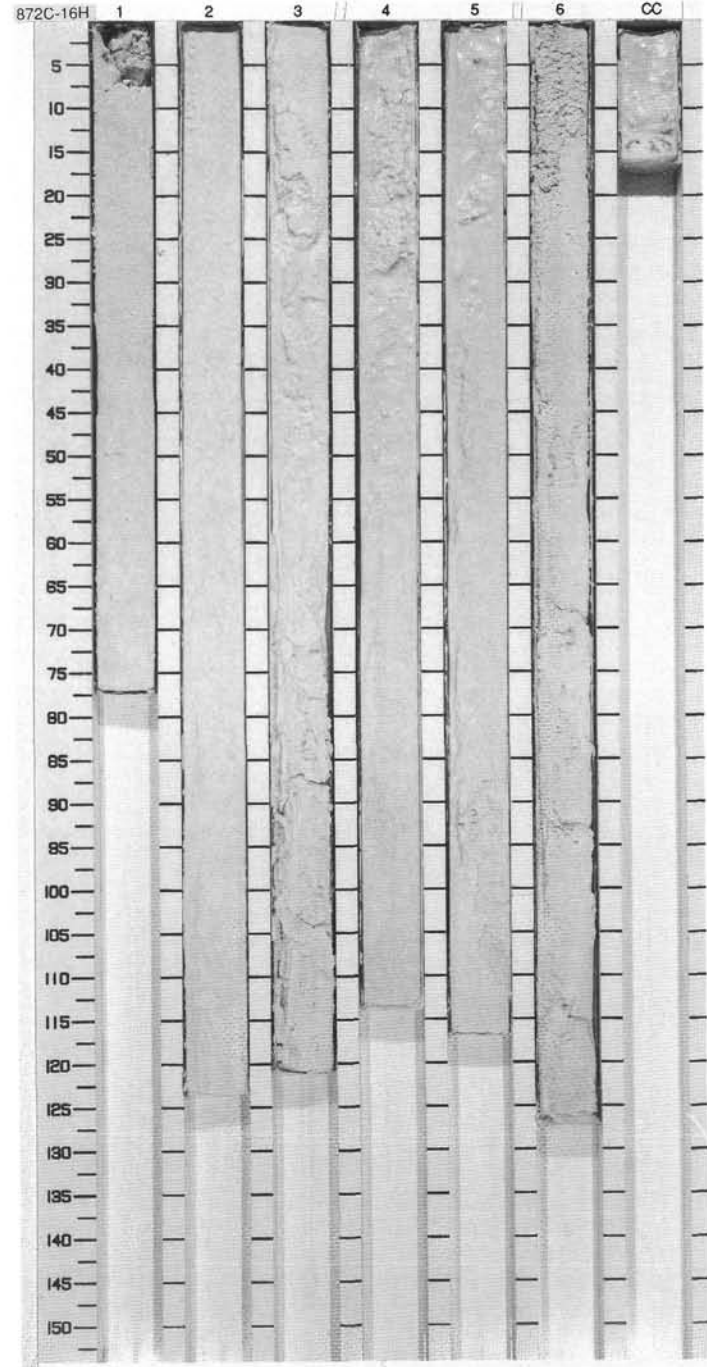
Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	late Oligocene		WWWWWWW	S	10YR 8/3	<p>DESCRIPTION</p> <p>FORAMINIFER OOZE</p> <p>Major Lithology: Homogeneous, very pale brown (10YR 8/3) FORAMINIFER OOZE. The texture consists of fine- to medium-grained sands. Some foraminifers are stained by iron hydroxydes. The entire core is highly disturbed to soupy.</p>
2		2						
3		3						
4		4						
5		5						
6		6						



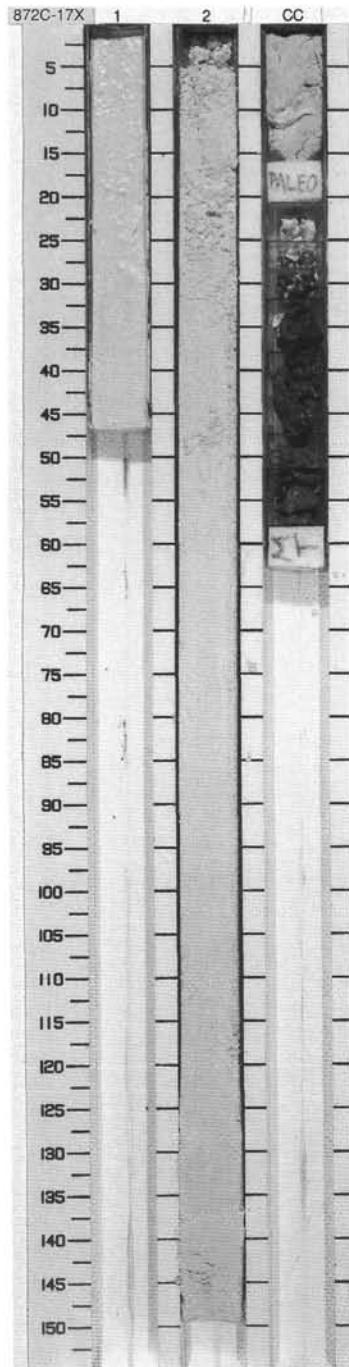
SITE 872 HOLE C CORE 16H

CORED 130.0 – 139.5 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	late Oligocene		[Vertical line with small circles]	S	10YR 8/2	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE Major Lithology: Very homogeneous FORAMINIFER OOZE, fine-grained sand texture. The color ranges from white (10YR 8/2) to very pale brown (10YR 7/4) and light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4) depending on the abundance of stained foraminifers. The core is highly disturbed by drilling, except Section 1, which is moderately disturbed.
2								
3								
4								
5								
6								
		CC				M		



Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Structure	Disturb	Sample	Color	DESCRIPTION
1	[Cross-hatched pattern]	1	late Oligocene		○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○	D M	10YR 8/2	DESCRIPTION FORAMINIFER OOZE and ALTERED BASALT Major Lithologies: Sections 1 and 2, and interval CC, 0-20 cm; Homogeneous, white (10YR 8/2), FORAMINIFER OOZE, fine sand texture. Interval CC, 20-32 cm; numerous partly lithified fragments of white FORAMINIFER OOZE and grayish olive green (5GY 3/2) CLAY and ALTERED BASALT. Size of fragments decreases with depth as does the percentage of FORAMINIFER OOZE fragments. Interval CC, 32-48 cm; Grayish olive green (5GY 3/2), altered BASALT. Interval CC, 48-62 cm; dark reddish gray (10YR 3/1), friable, altered BASALT.
2		2					10YR 8/3	
2		CC					5GY 3/2	



872C-15H CORED 125.0 - 130.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1	late Oligocene	CN19	P22			wwwwwwww	S	10YR 8/3
2		2								
3		3								
4		4								
5		5								
6		6								

872C-16H CORED 130.0 - 139.5 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1	late Oligocene	CP19	P22			wwwwwwww	S	10YR 8/2
2		2								
3		3								
4		4								
5		5								
6		6								

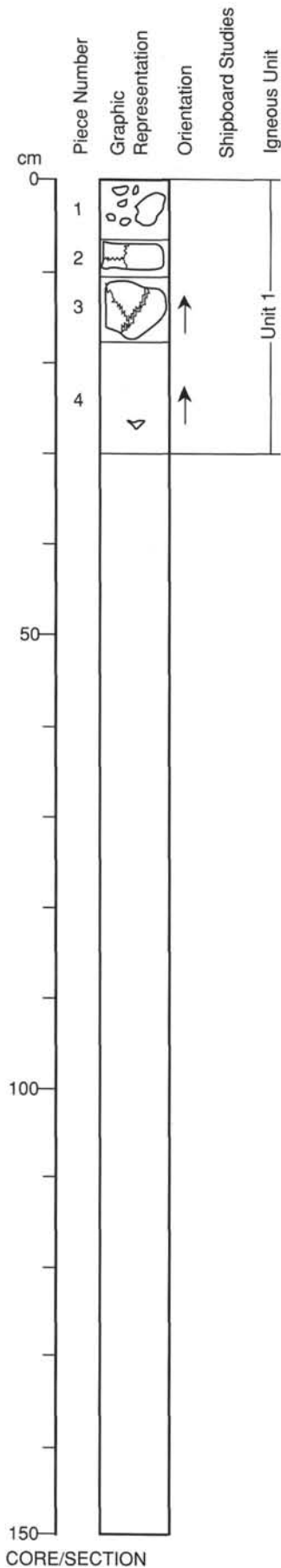
872C-17X CORED 139.5 - 146.0 mbsf

Meter	Graphic Lith.	Section	Age	Calc. nanno.	Plank. foram.	Larger foram.	Structure	Disturb.	Sample	Color
1		1	late Oligocene	CP19	P21			wwwwwwww	D	10YR 8/2
2		2								
3		CC								

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UNIT 1: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 1-4



CONTACTS: None.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 5%; 1-2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered prisms.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline. Numerous small (<<1 mm) dark reddish brown (10R 3/4) patches (after olivine?).

VESICLES: None.

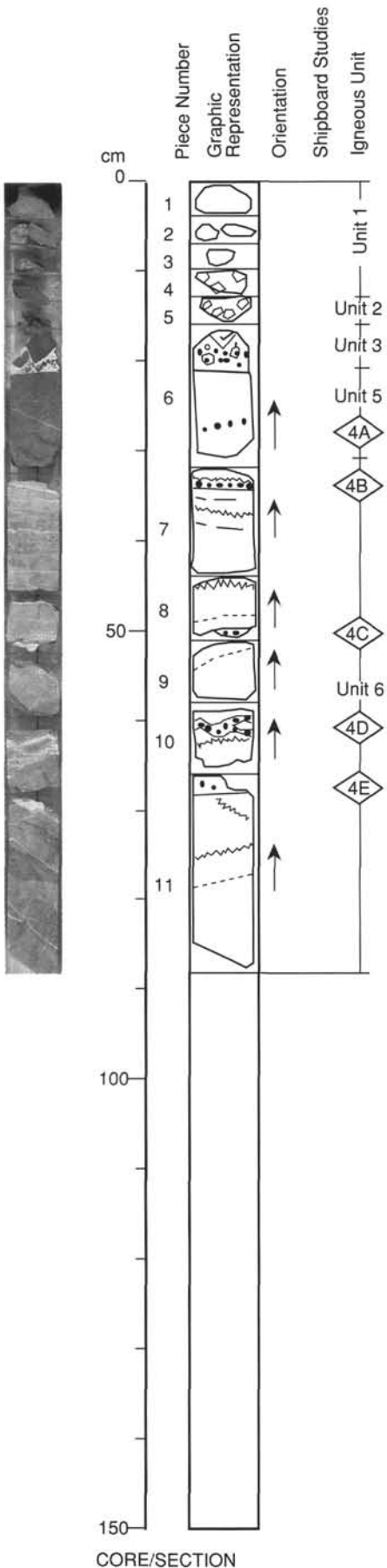
COLOR: Light brownish gray (5YR 3/1).

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Matrix color suggests that much clay development has occurred. Calcite addition.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 2%; 1-2 mm; Calcite-filled. Also, irregular patches of calcite sparsely distributed between 19-29 cm.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: A surprising recovery of basalt at the base of the pelagic section. We were expecting limestone.



UNIT 1: VOLCANOGENIC SANDSTONE

Pieces 1-4

CONTACTS: None.
PHENOCRYSTS: None.
GROUNDMASS: Sand and silt-sized grains of volcanic origin.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Pale yellow to light yellowish brown (2.5Y 7/6-6/4) with strong brown bands (7.5YR 5/6-4/6) 1 cm thick reflecting a more iron rich matrix.
STRUCTURE: Banded with more matrix rich zones.
ALTERATION: Very oxidized with much clay development.
VEINS/FRACTURES: None.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

UNIT 2: PHOSPHATIC PEBBLE CONGLOMERATE

Piece 5

CONTACTS: None.
PHENOCRYSTS: None.
GROUNDMASS: Friable, poorly preserved foraminifer sand matrix.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Pale yellow (7.5YR 5/6).
STRUCTURE: Clast-supported.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Rounded strong brown (7.5YR 5/6-4/6) phosphatic pebbles, 1-2 cm. Occasional, angular, vesicular basalt clasts, 1-2 cm.

UNIT 3: PEBBLE CONGLOMERATE

Piece 6 (top)

CONTACTS: Sharp contact at 21 cm with basalt of Unit 5.
PHENOCRYSTS: None.
GROUNDMASS: Foraminifer sand matrix.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: White.
STRUCTURE: Clast-supported.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Angular basalt clasts, 0.5-5 cm. Santonian foraminifers. Probably filling a large crack.

- Foraminiferal ooze
- ~~~~ Calcite veins (sparry in this section)

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UNIT 4: PELAGIC FORAMINIFER LIMESTONE**Pieces 6–11, infillings**

CONTACTS: Fills fractures in Units 5 and 6.

PHENOCRYSTS: None.

GROUNDMASS: Foraminifer sand.

VESICLES: None.

COLOR: White (N9) to grayish pink (5R 8/2).

VEINS/FRACTURES: Locations and thicknesses: A) 28 cm, 1–2 mm; B) 34 cm, 2 mm; C) 50–51 cm, <1 cm; D) 60–62 cm, 5 cm; E) 67–68 cm, 1 cm.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Unit 4 is identified as a separate unit because of the importance of these foraminifers in defining minimum basement age.

UNIT 5: OLIVINE BASALT**Piece 6 (lower 10 cm)**

CONTACTS: Sharp contact at 21 cm with Unit 3 and with fracture infillings of Unit 4.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Olivine - 2%–3%; 1–2 mm.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline. 10%, <0.5 mm dark reddish brown (10R3/4) patches (after olivine?).

VESICLES: None.

COLOR: Dark brownish gray (5G 4/1), dusky brown (5YR 2/2) along fractures.

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Color and softness of the sample suggest extensive clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: Sparse microfractures whose edges are weathered dusky brown (5YR 2/2).

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

UNIT 6: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT**Pieces 7–11**

CONTACTS: Continues into the next core. Sharp contacts with fracture infillings of Unit 4.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 2%–3%; <1 mm; Black (N1), elongate prisms.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: None.

COLOR: Dark gray (N3). Weathered moderate yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) above 77 cm, especially adjacent to fractures.

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Light color suggests that much clay development has occurred.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 32–52 cm, subhorizontal fractures with a 0.5–2 cm spacing. 52–87 cm, dipping (30 degrees) fractures, spacing increases from 2 cm to 5 cm downhole.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

UNIT 6: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1–15

CONTACTS: Continues from 4R-1 and into 5R-2.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 2%–3%; <1 mm; Black (N1), elongate prisms.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: None.

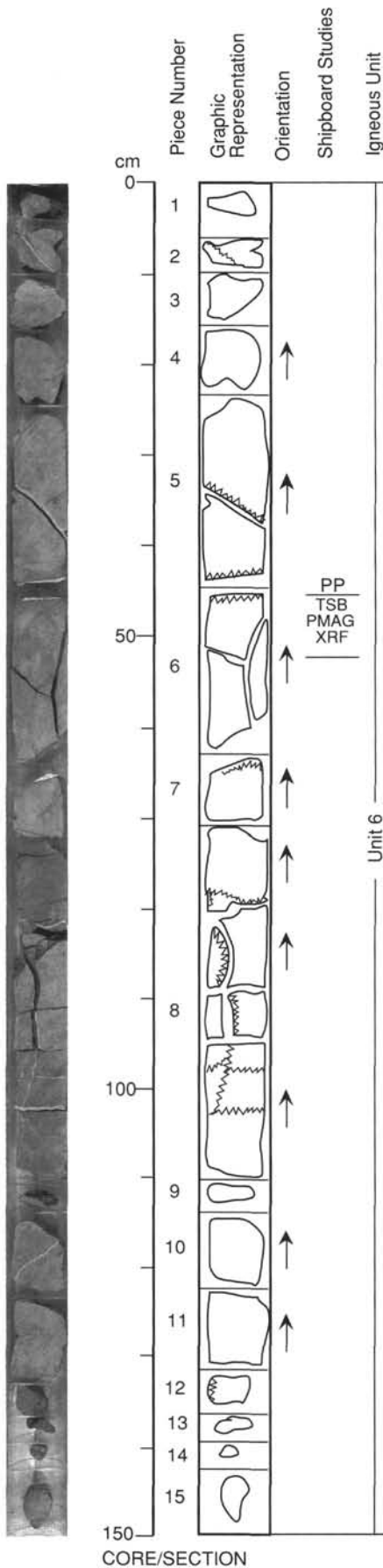
COLOR: Dark gray (N3). Weathered to a brownish gray (5Y 4/1) from 110–149 cm.

STRUCTURE: None.

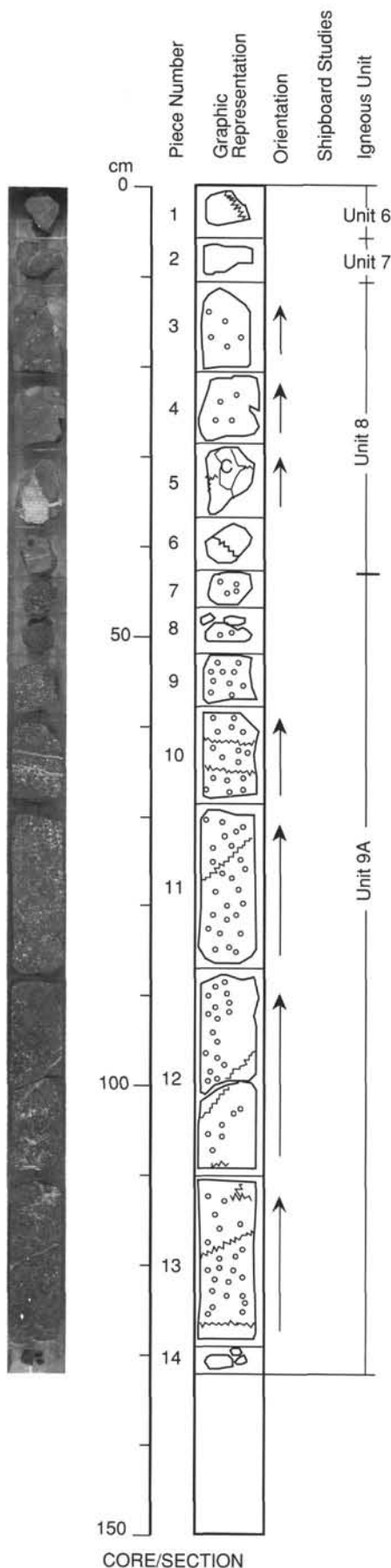
ALTERATION: Brownish-gray (5Y 4/1) color suggests alteration to clay minerals. Dark gray (N3) portions look quite fresh.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 14 mm; Occasional, calcite-filled veins.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.



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C Large calcite blob
 ∅ Vesicles

UNIT 6: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Piece 1

CONTACTS: Continues from 5R-1.
PHENOCRYSTS:
 Clinopyroxene - 2%-3%; <1 mm; Black (N1), elongate prisms.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Weathered to a brownish gray (5Y 4/1).
STRUCTURE: None.
ALTERATION: Brownish gray (5Y 4/1) color suggests alteration to clay minerals.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 1-4 mm; Occasional, calcite-filled veins.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

UNIT 7: BASALT

Piece 2

CONTACTS: None.
PHENOCRYSTS: Aphyric.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Dusky red (5R 3/4).
STRUCTURE: None.
ALTERATION: 5%, 0.25-3 mm blotches of calcite and chabazite (zeolite identified by X-ray diffraction).
VEINS/FRACTURES: None.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

UNIT 8: BASALT

Pieces 3-6

CONTACTS: None.
PHENOCRYSTS: Aphyric.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: 5%-20%; 1-15 mm; Irregular to round; Filled with a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, and occasionally with clay.
COLOR: Moderate brown (5YR 4/4).
STRUCTURE: None.
ALTERATION: Moderate brown (5Y 4/1) color suggests extensive clay development.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 1-3 mm; Filled with pinkish-orange zeolite and calcite.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: At 29-35 cm there is a 3X6 cm crack filled with calcite (some parts are clear) plus a dusky green (5G 3/2) clay. The entire piece is rimmed with 2 mm of grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.

UNIT 9A: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 7-14

CONTACTS: Continues into 5R-3.
PHENOCRYSTS: Below 100 cm the clinopyroxenes are altered to dusky green (5G 3/2) phyllosilicates.
 Clinopyroxene - 2%; 3-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), prisms and subrounded shapes.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: 30%-50%; 0.5-5 mm; Subround; Rimmed (1 mm thick) with a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, and then filled with calcite, and occasionally with dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.
COLOR: See Additional Comments. Insufficient space in this data field.
STRUCTURE: None.
ALTERATION: Colors suggest oxidation and clay development.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.5-2 mm; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, sparry calcite, and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay. Zone 102-113 cm there are 40% irregular blotches of alteration to 1 cm.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: To 84 cm mottled medium gray (N5) and dusky red (5R 3/4) on a millimeter scale; 84-108 cm there are large (15 cm) areas of very dark red (5R 2/6) and moderate brown (5YR 4/4); 108-129 cm medium (7 cm) areas of very dusky red purple (5RP 2/2) and very dark red (5R 2/6).

UNIT 9A: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-7

CONTACTS: Continues from 5R-2. Grades into Subunit 9B.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 2%; 3-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), prisms and subrounded shapes.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 30%-50%; 0.5-5 mm; Subround; Rimmed (1 mm thick) with a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, and then filled with calcite, and occasionally with dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

COLOR: 0-4 cm medium (7 cm) areas of very dusky red purple (5RP 2/2) and dusky red (5R 3/4); 4-68 cm mottled medium gray (N5) and dusky red (5R 3/4) on a millimeter scale.

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Colors suggest oxidation and some clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.5-2 mm; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, sparry calcite, and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Subunit 9A is the more altered portion of Unit 9.

UNIT 9B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 8-14

CONTACTS: Continues into 5R-4. Grades from Subunit 9A.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 2%; 3-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), prisms and subrounded shapes.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 70-97 cm, 20%, irregular to round, 2-6 mm, mostly filled with grayish-orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, but a few are filled with moderate brown (5YR 3/4) clay and a few are empty, rimmed with a 0.1 mm pale blue (5B 7/6) material; 97-130 cm, 10%, 1-3 mm, round, rimmed with 0.1 mm pale green (10G 6/2) material and a few are filled with calcite; 130-143 cm, 40%, 1-4 mm, round, filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite; 143-147 cm, 2%, 0.5-2 mm, subround, filled with grayish orange zeolite.

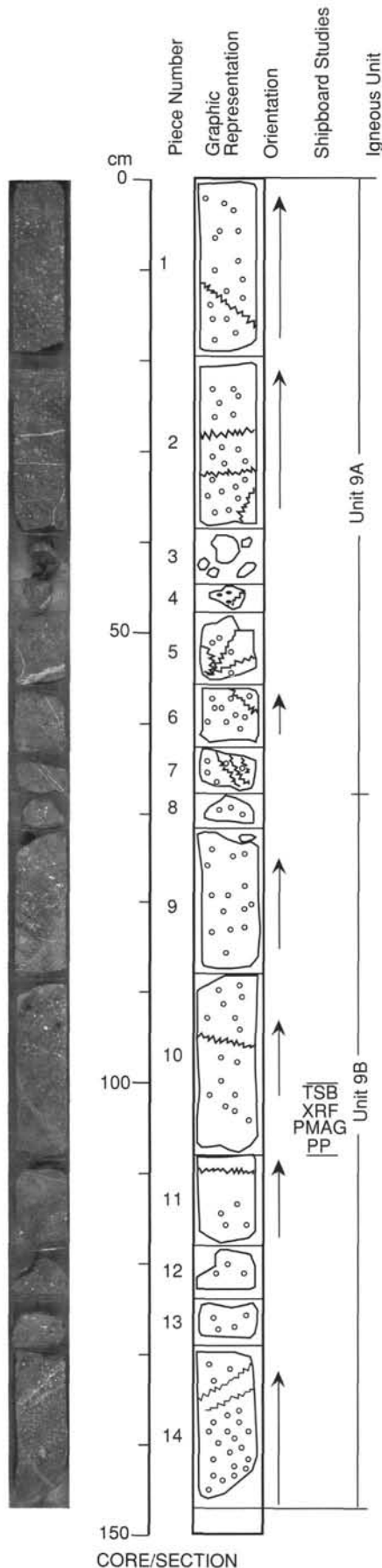
COLOR: Matrix grades from medium gray (N5) to grayish red (5R 4/2) downsection.

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Less clay in the matrix, but most vesicles are filled.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.5-2 mm; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite, sparry calcite, and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Subunit 9B is the less altered portion of Unit 9.



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UNIT 9B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-3

CONTACTS: Continues from 5R-3.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 2%; 3-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), prisms and subrounded shapes.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-5 cm, 2%, 0.5-2 mm, subround, filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. 5-23 cm, 40%, 1-4 mm, subround, filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.

COLOR: Grayish-red (5R 4/2).

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Less clay in the matrix, but most vesicles are filled.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.2-1 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Subunit 9B is the less altered portion of Unit 9.

UNIT 10A: BASALT BRECCIA

Pieces 4-8

CONTACTS: Continues into 6R-1.

PHENOCRYSTS: Aphyric.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: Concentrations up to 30%, 1-2 mm, in about 40% of the clasts. Calcite-filled.

COLOR: Black (N1), blackish red (5R 2/2), and dusky red (5R 3/4) clasts. Breccia matrix is predominantly dusky red (5R 3/4).

STRUCTURE: Flow-top breccia.

ALTERATION: Oxidized and moderately altered.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; <1 mm; Fine calcite veins, mostly in the matrix.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Clasts are irregular and subrounded, 2-5 cm. Subunit is the flow-top rubble.

UNIT 10B: BASALT

Pieces 9-12

CONTACTS: Continues into 6R-1.

PHENOCRYSTS: Aphyric.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: 5%-30%; 1-10 mm; Round; Filled with calcite and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Vesicularity is highly variable, changing on about a 10 cm interval.

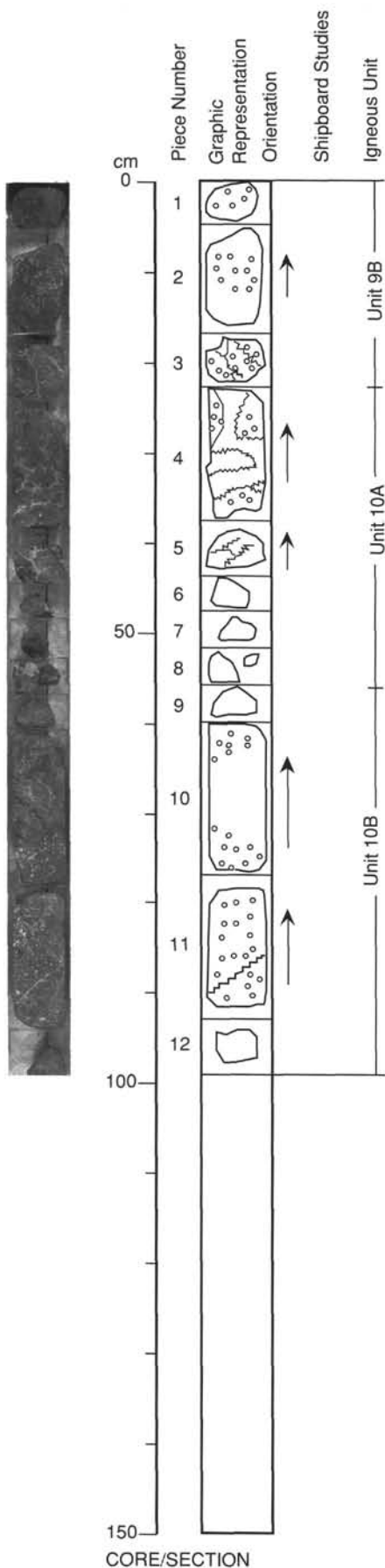
COLOR: Grayish red (5R 4/2).

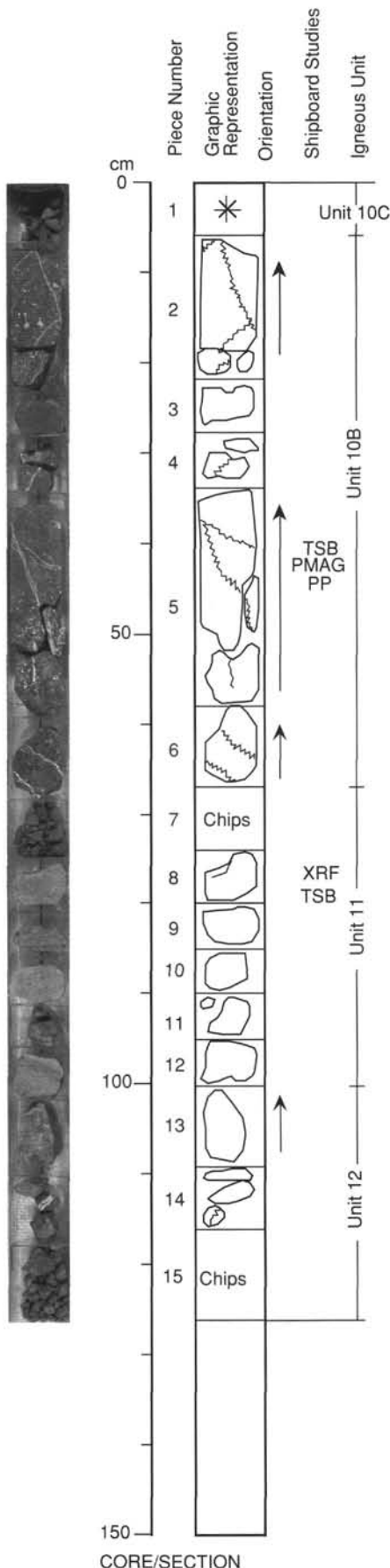
STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Oxidized and moderately altered.

VEINS/FRACTURES: None.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Lower massive part of Unit 10.





* Rounded pebbles

UNIT 10B: BASALT (continued)

Pieces 2-6

CONTACTS: Continues from 5R-4.
PHENOCRYSTS: Aphyric.
GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.
VESICLES: 3%-30%; 1-10 mm; Round; Filled with calcite and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Vesicularity is highly variable, changing on about a 10 cm interval. Interval 25-39 cm has few vesicles so it is best for sampling.
COLOR: Grayish red (5R 4/2).
STRUCTURE: Massive.
ALTERATION: Oxidized and moderately altered.
VEINS/FRACTURES: None.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Lower, massive part of Unit 10. Piece 1 consists of numerous, rounded to subangular basalt pebbles, 3-20 mm. On VCD this is called Subunit 10C.

UNIT 11: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 8-12

CONTACTS: None.
PHENOCRYSTS: Clinopyroxene - 2%-3%; 1-2 mm; Microphenocrysts.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Dark gray (N3).
ALTERATION: Slight except 95-100 cm where the groundmass is weathered a light brownish-gray (5YR 3/1).
VEINS/FRACTURES: None.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

UNIT 12: BASALT

Pieces 13-15

CONTACTS: None.
PHENOCRYSTS: Aphyric.
GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Dusky red (5R 3/4).
STRUCTURE: None.
ALTERATION: Color suggests some oxidation and clay development.
VEINS/FRACTURES: 5%-10%; 1-7 mm; Calcite-filled.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

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UNIT 13: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 1-5

CONTACTS: None.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-3 mm; Subhedral; Slightly altered to dusky red (5R 3/4).

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: 20%; 0.5-7 mm; Irregular; 15% filled with chert; 10% filled with calcite; 73% filled with a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite; 2% filled with a dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

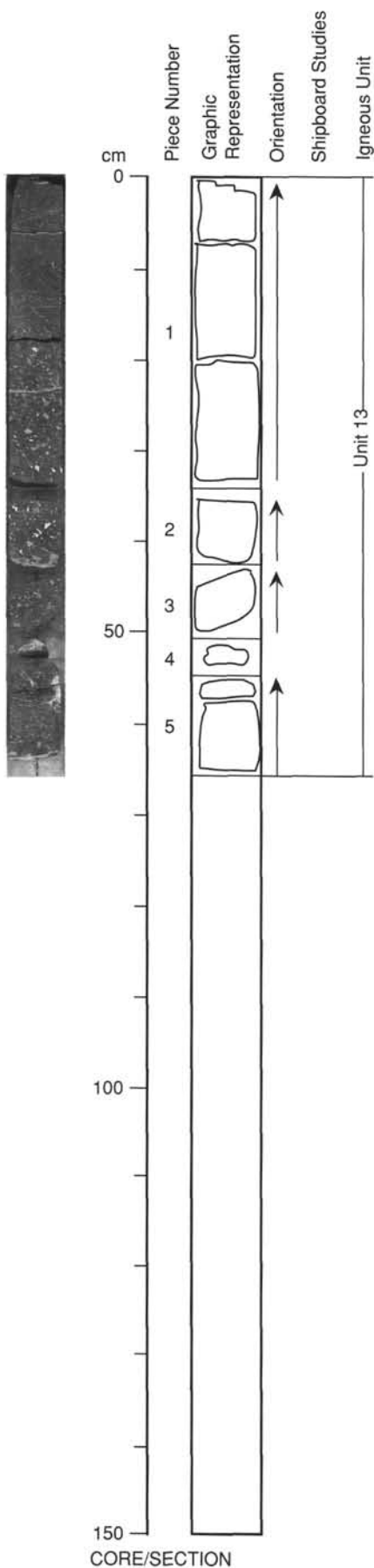
COLOR: Mottled grayish red (5R 4/2) to very dark red (5R 2/6).

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Color suggests some oxidation and development of clay minerals.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 4%; 0.25-5 mm; Horizontal; Filled with calcite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

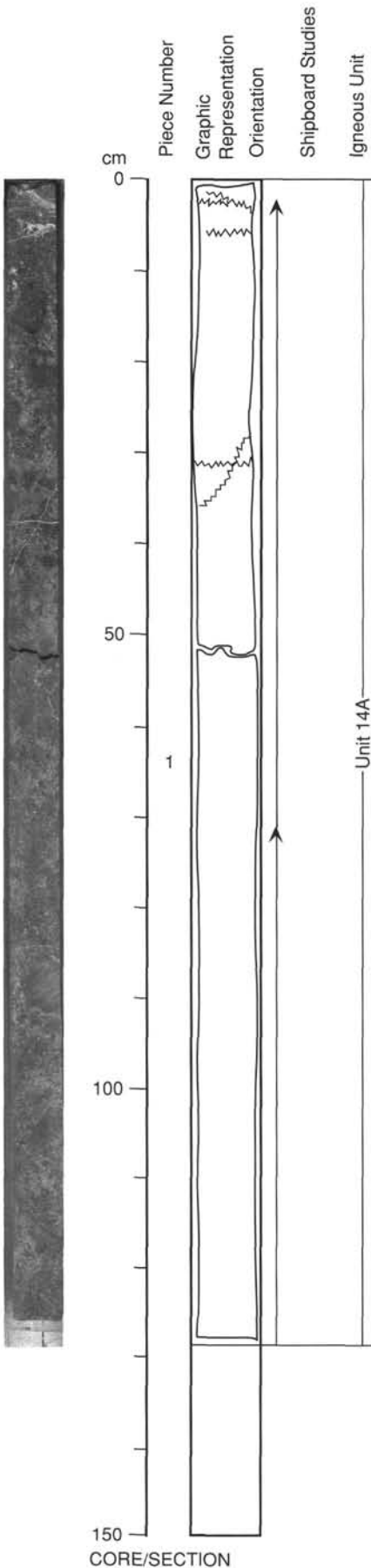
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.



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UNIT 14A: CLINOPYROXENE-OLIVINE BASALT BRECCIA

Piece 1



CONTACTS: Continues into 7R-3.

PHENOCRYSTS: Only present in the larger clasts.

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-3 mm; Prisms.

Olivine - 1%; 1 mm; Iddingsitized.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: 0-30%; 1-4 mm; Subround to irregular; Filled with calcite and a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. A few are empty. Vesicularity varies greatly from clast to clast.

COLOR: Clasts vary from very dark red (5R 2/6) to medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.

ALTERATION: Color suggest oxidation and some development of clay minerals.

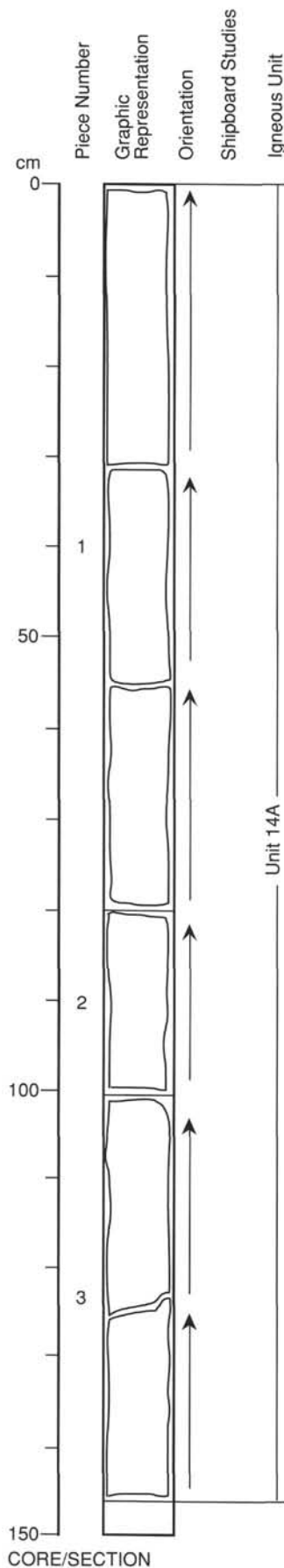
VEINS/FRACTURES: <2%; 1-7 mm; Filled with calcite, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Matrix around clasts is volcanogenic sand, cemented with calcite and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Unit is clearly subaerial.

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UNIT 14A: CLINOPYROXENE-OLIVINE BASALT BRECCIA (continued)

Pieces 1-3



CONTACTS: Continues from 7R-2 and into 7R-4.

PHENOCRYSTS: Only present in the larger clasts.

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-3 mm; Prisms.

Olivine - 1%; 1 mm; Iddingsitized.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: 0-30%; 1-4 mm; Subround to irregular; Filled with calcite and a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. A few are empty. Vesicularity varies greatly from clast to clast.

COLOR: Clasts vary from very dark red (5R 2/6) to medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.

ALTERATION: Color suggests oxidation and some development of clay minerals.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <2%; 1-7 mm; Filled with calcite, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Matrix around clasts is volcanogenic sand cemented with calcite and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Unit is clearly subaerial. A large clast, 107-121 cm, has a medium gray (N5) matrix, very fresh clinopyroxene, and is a good geochemical choice.

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UNIT 14A: CLINOPYROXENE-OLIVINE BASALT BRECCIA (continued)

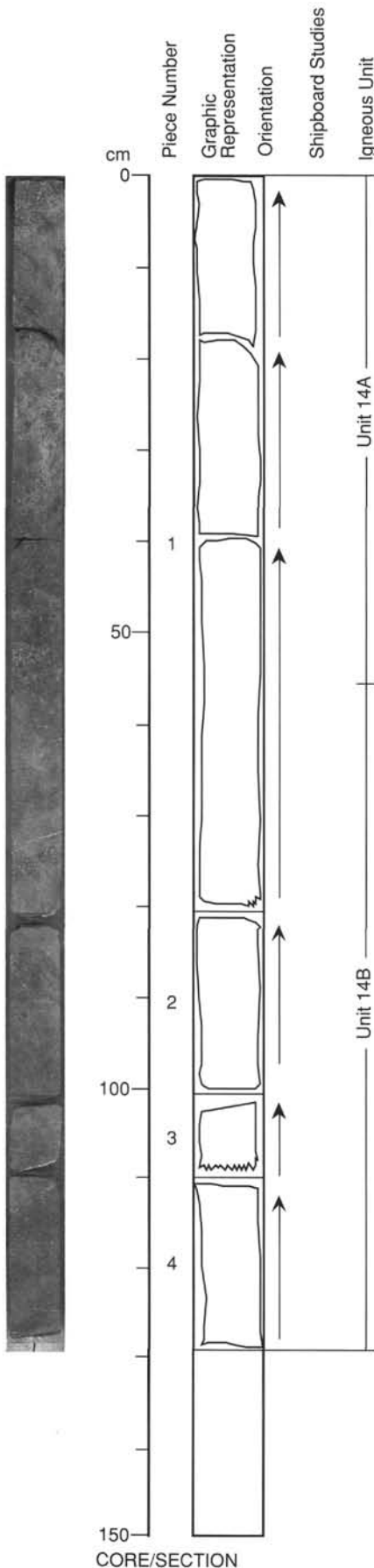
Piece 1 (top)

CONTACTS: Continues from 7R-3 and sharply contacts Subunit 14B at 55 cm.
PHENOCRYSTS: Only present in the larger clasts.
 Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1–3 mm; Prisms.
 Olivine - 1%; 1 mm; Iddingsitized.
GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.
VESICLES: 0–30%; 1–4 mm; Subround to irregular; Filled with calcite and a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. A few are empty. Vesicularity varies greatly from clast to clast.
COLOR: Clasts vary from very dark red (5R 2/6) to medium gray (N5).
STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.
ALTERATION: Color suggests oxidation and some development of clay minerals.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <2%; 1–7 mm; Filled with calcite, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Matrix around clasts is volcanogenic sand cemented with calcite and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Unit is clearly subaerial.

UNIT 14B: CLINOPYROXENE-OLIVINE BASALT

Pieces 1, (bottom), and 2–4

CONTACTS: Continues into 7R-5. Sharply contacts Subunit 14A at 55 cm.
PHENOCRYSTS:
 Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1–3 mm; Prisms.
 Olivine - 1%; 1 mm; Iddingsitized.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: 0–15%; 1–7 mm; Subround to irregular; Filled with calcite and a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.
COLOR: Medium gray (N5).
STRUCTURE: Massive.
ALTERATION: Lightness of matrix color suggests some development of clay minerals.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <2%; 1–3 mm; Filled with calcite, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 14A this forms a typical subaerially a'a flow.



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UNIT 14B: CLINOPYROXENE-OLIVINE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-13

CONTACTS: Continues from 7R-4 and into 7R-6.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-3 mm; Prisms.
Olivine - 1%; 1 mm; liddingsitized.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-15%; 1-7 mm; Subround to irregular; Filled with calcite and a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.

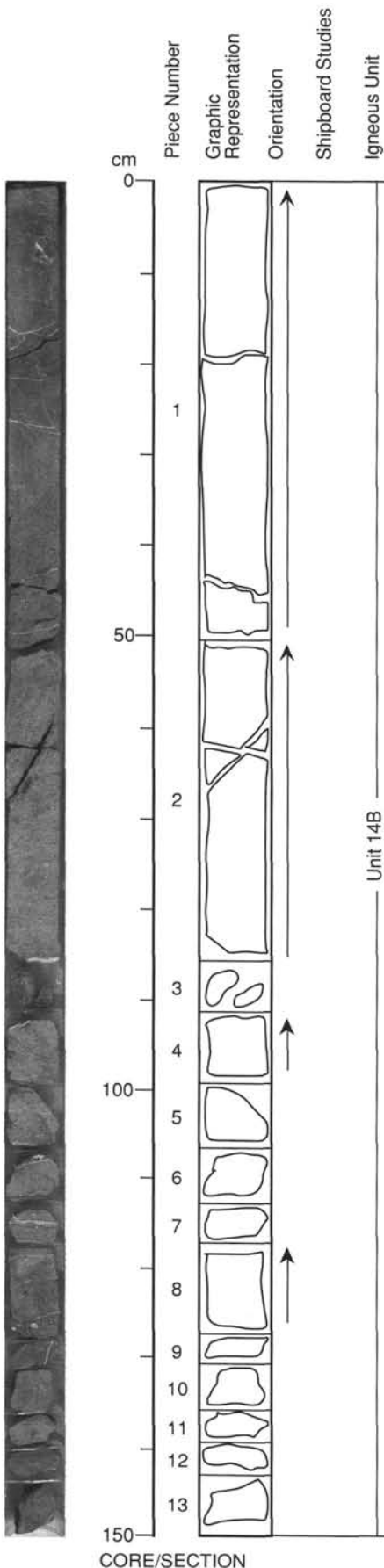
COLOR: 0-35 cm matrix is medium gray (N5); 35-58 cm matrix is greenish gray (5G 6/1); 58-150 cm matrix is grayish olive green (5GY 3/2).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

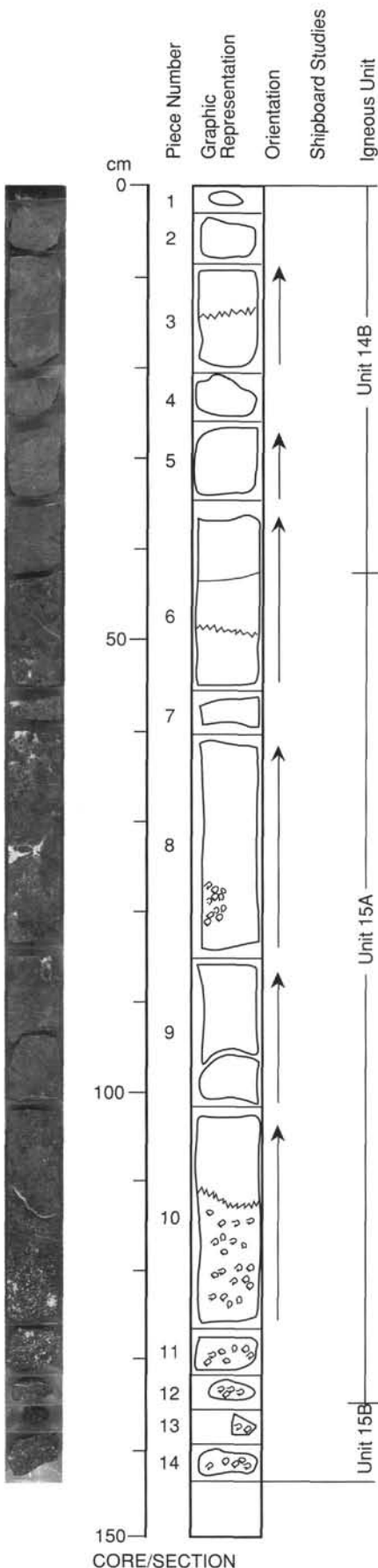
ALTERATION: Lower two-thirds of the section is more oxidized and altered. The change is gradational. There are isolated areas of iron staining. Clinopyroxene is still fresh.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <2%; 1-3 mm; Filled with calcite, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 14B this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.



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UNIT 14B: CLINOPYROXENE-OLIVINE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-5, 6 (top)

CONTACTS: Continues from 7R-5. Sharp contact with Unit 15 at 43 cm.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-3 mm; Prisms.
Olivine - 1%; 1 mm; liddingsitized.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-15%; 1-7 mm; Subround to irregular; Filled with calcite and a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.

COLOR: 0-10 cm matrix is grayish olive green (5GY 3/2); 10-43 cm matrix is medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: 10-43 cm the matrix is less altered, with occasional iron staining. There are horizontally elongated, dusky green (5G 3/2), soft areas (chlorite?) replacing matrix.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <2%; 1-3 mm; Filled with calcite, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 14A this is a typical subaerial a'a flow.

UNIT 15A: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT BRECCIA

Pieces 6, (bottom), and 7-12

CONTACTS: Sharp contact with Unit 14 at 43 cm; Grades into Subunit 15B about 135 cm.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2) prisms; Some are soft, (altered to chlorite?).

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: 10%; 1-4 mm; Subround to irregular; 70% are filled with a grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite; 30% are lined with a pale blue (5B 6/2) clay and empty.

COLOR: Clasts are 0.5-10 cm, subangular, and dark gray (N3) to very dark red (5R 2/6).

STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.

ALTERATION: Color suggests that oxidation and some development has occurred.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 1%-4%; 1-4 mm; Subhorizontal; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Matrix around clasts is made of sand and granule-sized volcanogenic subangular grains cemented with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. 57-75 cm there are 10%, to 2 cm, grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite rimmed, calcite-filled blotches. With Subunit 15B this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.

UNIT 15B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 13-14

CONTACTS: Grades from Subunit 15A at 135 cm; Continues into 7R-7.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2) prisms; Some are soft (H2), (altered to chlorite?).

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 5%-30%; 1-20 mm; Irregular; Filled or rimmed with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. The larger vesicles are filled with calcite and in places with a fibrous zeolite (natrolite?). A few are empty, lined with a pale blue (5B 6/2) clay.

COLOR: Medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Color suggests moderate clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 1%-4%; 1-4 mm; Subhorizontal; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 15A this is a typical subaerial a'a flow.

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UNIT 15B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-9, 10 (top)

CONTACTS: Continues from 7R-6. Sharp contact with Unit 16 at 83 cm.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 1-6 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2) prisms; Some are soft (H2), (altered to chlorite?).

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 5%-30%; 1-20 mm; Irregular; Filled or rimmed with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. The larger vesicles are filled with calcite and in places with a fibrous zeolite (natrolite?). A few are empty, lined with a pale blue (5B 6/2) clay.

COLOR: Medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Color suggests moderate clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 1%-4%; 1-4 mm; Subhorizontal; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 15A this is a typical subaerial a'a flow.

UNIT 16A: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT BRECCIA

Piece 10 (bottom)

CONTACTS: Contacts sharply with Unit 15 at 83 cm. Continues into 8R-1.

PHENOCRYSTS: Only present in the larger clasts.

Clinopyroxene - 1%-3%; 0.5-3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: To 50%; 0.25-3 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolites. Very variable abundances from clast to clast.

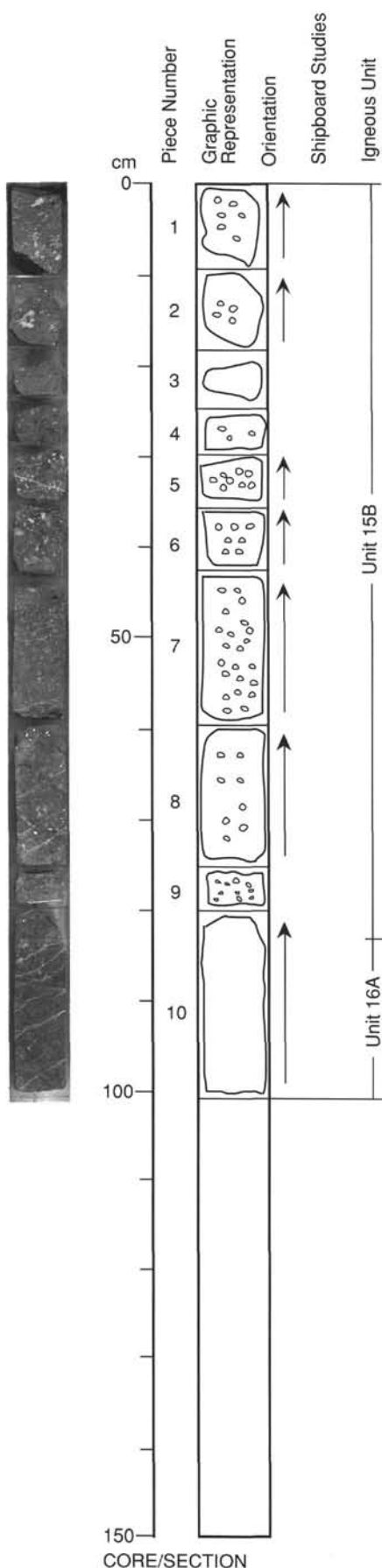
COLOR: 1-10 cm clasts are very dusky red purple (5RP 2/2), dark gray (N3), and medium gray (N5) and have indistinct boundaries.

STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.

ALTERATION: Color suggests oxidation and some clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-6 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: The matrix around the clasts is comprised of sand-sized, subangular volcanogenic grains. With Subunit 16B this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.



UNIT 16A: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT BRECCIA (continued)

Pieces 5–10

CONTACTS: Continues from 7R-7 and into 8R-2.

PHENOCRYSTS: Only present in the larger clasts.

Clinopyroxene - 1%–3%; 0.5–3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: To 50%; 0.25–3 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Very variable abundances from clast to clast.

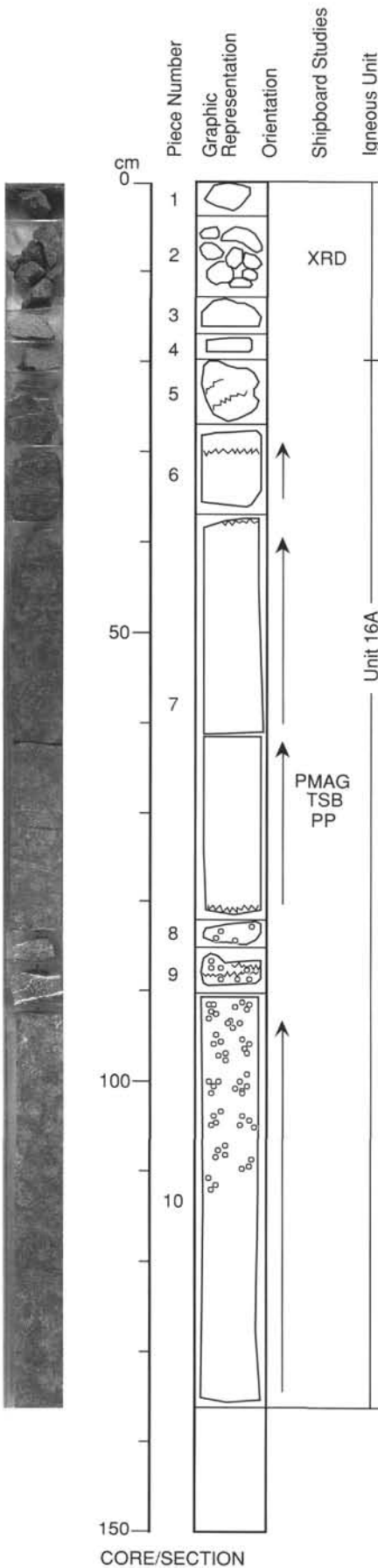
COLOR: 1–10 cm sized clasts are very dusky red purple (5RP 2/2), dark gray (N3), and medium gray (N5) and have indistinct boundaries.

STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.

ALTERATION: Color suggests that oxidation and some clay development has occurred.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25–6 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: The matrix around the clasts is comprised of sand-sized, subangular volcanogenic grains. 1–20 cm of this section, Pieces 1–4, are small pieces of previous units which have fallen down the hole. With Subunit 16B this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.



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UNIT 16A: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT BRECCIA (continued)

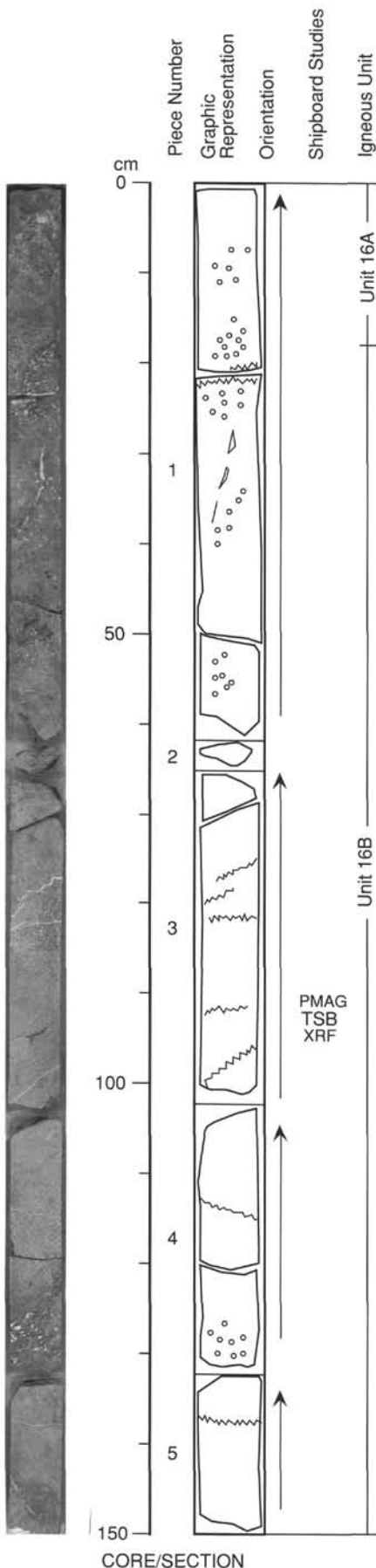
Piece 1 (top)

CONTACTS: Continues from 8R-1. Sharp contact with 16A at 18 cm.
PHENOCRYSTS: Only present in the larger clasts.
 Clinopyroxene - 1%-3%; 0.5-3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.
GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.
VESICLES: To 50%; 0.25-3 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite. Very variable abundances from clast to clast.
COLOR: 1-10 cm clasts are very dusky red purple (5RP 2/2), dark gray (N3), and medium gray (N5) and have indistinct boundaries.
STRUCTURE: Rubbly flow-top.
ALTERATION: Color suggests oxidation and some clay development.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-6 mm; Filled with calcite.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: The matrix around the clasts is comprised of sand-sized, subangular volcanogenic grains. With Subunit 16B this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.

UNIT 16B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 1 (Bottom), 2-5

CONTACTS: Continues into 8R-3. Sharp contact with 16A at 18 cm.
PHENOCRYSTS:
 Clinopyroxene - 1%-3%; 0.5-3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.
GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.
VESICLES: 2%; 1-10 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite; some with calcite centers. 18-27 cm has 30%, 2-6 mm, round vesicles; 124-132 cm has 50%, horizontally elongate, irregular vesicles. Vesicles of both zones are filled with the grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolites.
COLOR: Dark greenish gray (5G 4/1).
STRUCTURE: Massive.
ALTERATION: Color suggests extensive dusky green (5G 3/2) clay development.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-6 mm; Filled with calcite.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 16A this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.



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UNIT 16B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-15

CONTACTS: Continues from 8R-2 and into 8R-4.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 1%-3%; 0.5-3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 2%; 1-10 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.

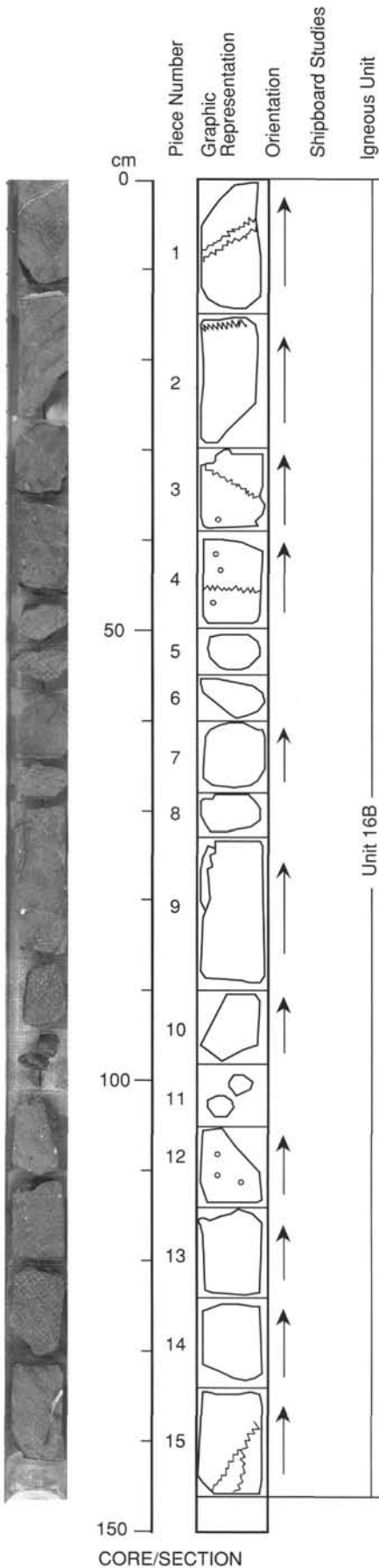
COLOR: Dark greenish gray (5G 4/1).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Color suggests significant dusky green (5G3/2) clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-6 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: 68-72, 85-90, 129-146 cm are zones of more severe oxidation. The matrix is light olive gray (5Y 5/2), iron staining is prevalent, and vesicles are filled with a dusky yellow (5Y 6/4) clay. With Subunit 16A this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.



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UNIT 16B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-6

CONTACTS: Continues from 8R-3 and into 9R-1.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 1%-3%; 0.5-3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 2%; 1-10 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolites.

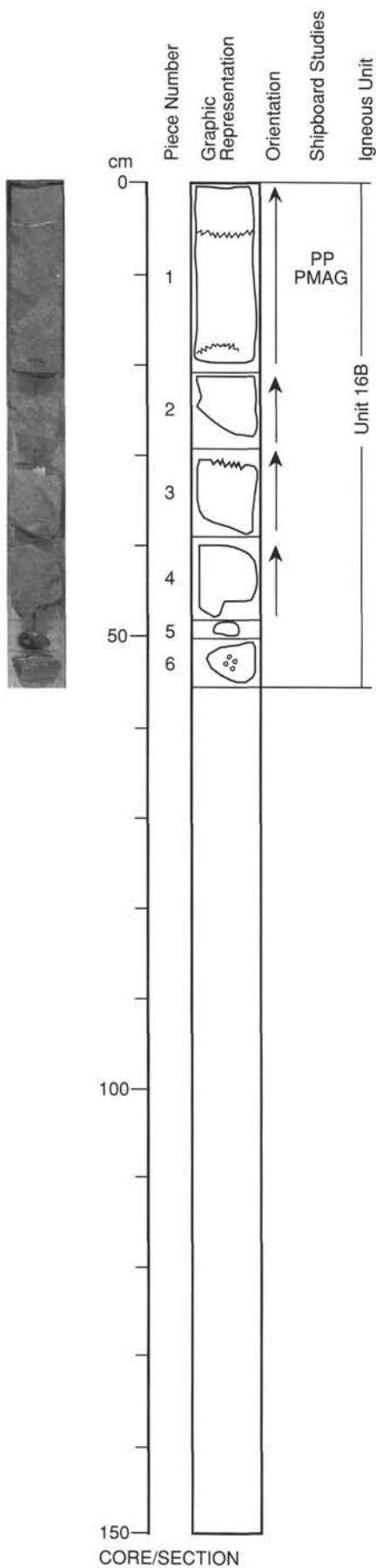
COLOR: Dark greenish gray (5G 4/1).

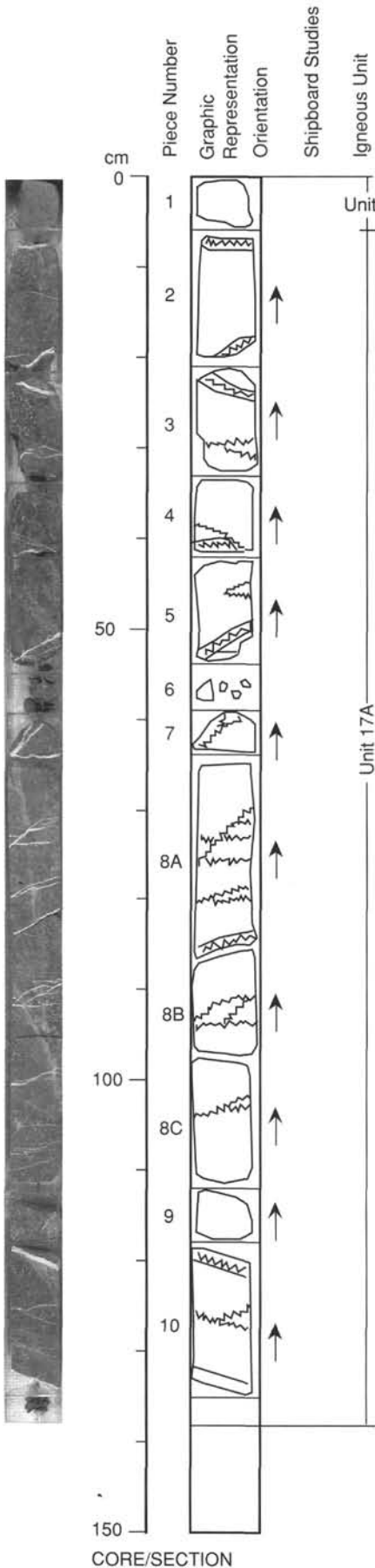
STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Color suggests significant development of dusky green (5G 3/2) clay.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-6 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: 14-21 cm is a zone of more severe oxidation. The matrix is light olive gray (5Y 5/2), iron staining is prevalent, and vesicles are filled with a dusky yellow (5Y 6/4) clay. With Subunit 16B this is a typical subaerial a'a flow.





UNIT 16B: CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Piece 1

CONTACTS: Continues from 8R-4.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 1%-3%; 0.5-3 mm; Prisms to subround shapes; Variable distribution.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 2%; 1-10 mm; Irregular; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite.

COLOR: Dark greenish gray (5G 4/1).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Color suggests significant dusky green (5G 3/2) clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-6 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 16A this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.

UNIT 17A: BASALT BRECCIA

Pieces 2-10

CONTACTS: Continues into the next section.

PHENOCRYSTS: Found only in the larger clasts.

Clinopyroxene - <1%; 1-2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered to chlorite.

GROUNDMASS: The clasts are angular, 2-10 cm, and aphanitic.

VESICLES: <5%; 1-3 mm; Round; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and calcite.

COLOR: Medium gray (N5) to black (N1).

STRUCTURE: Flow-top breccia.

ALTERATION: Matrix is altered and oxidized to very dusky red purple (5R 2/6).

VEINS/FRACTURES: 2%-3%; 0.25-3 mm; Most dip at 15 degrees; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: With Subunit 17B this forms a typical subaerial a'a flow.

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UNIT 17A: BASALT BRECCIA (continued)

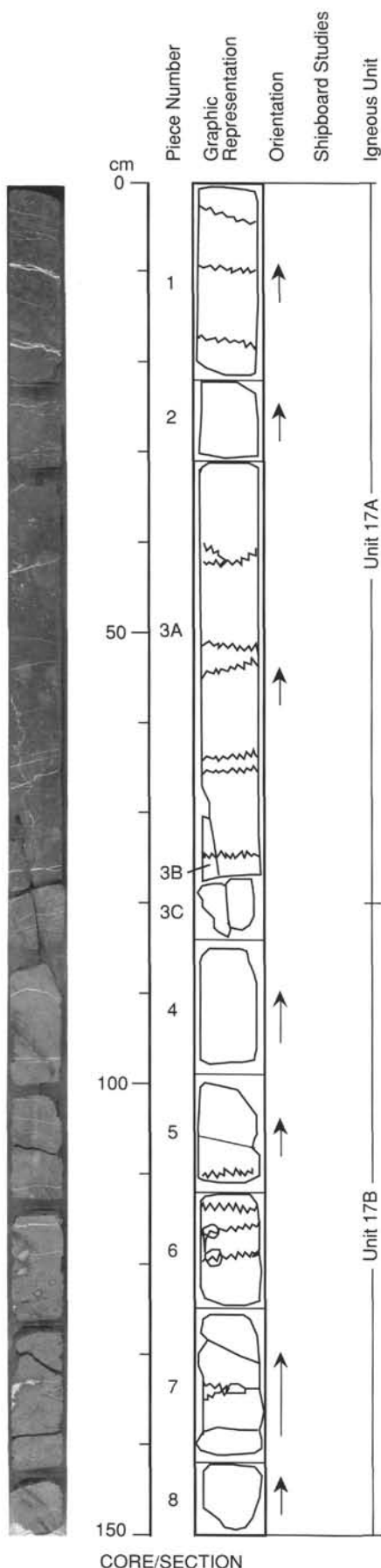
Pieces 1–2, most of 3

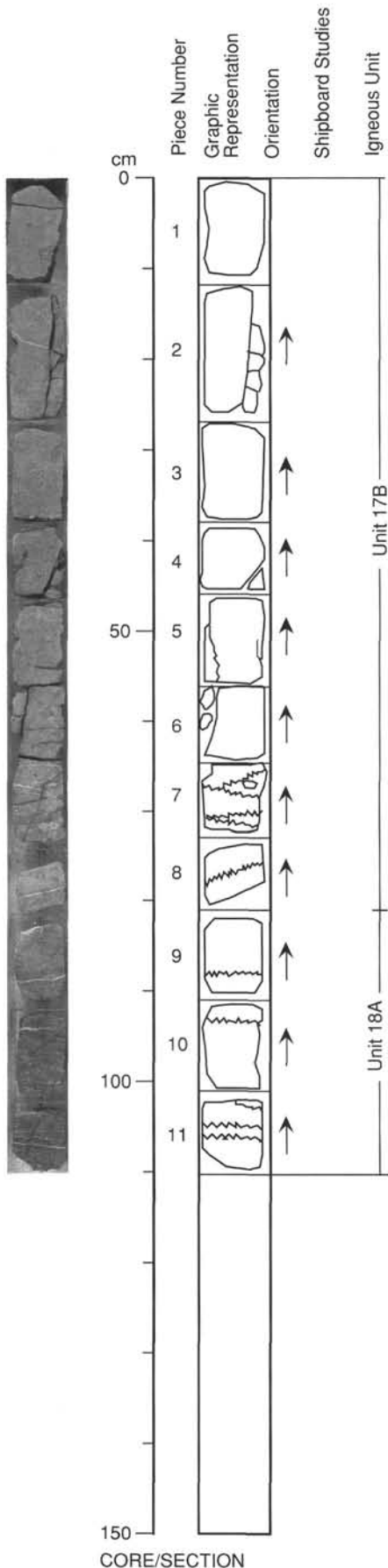
CONTACTS: Continues from 9R-2. Sharp contact at 80 cm with the lower massive portion of the flow.
PHENOCRYSTS: Found only in the larger clasts.
 Clinopyroxene - <1%; 1–2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered to chlorite.
GROUNDMASS: The clasts are angular, 2–10 cm, and aphanitic.
VESICLES: <5%; 1–3 mm; Round; Filled with grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolite and calcite.
COLOR: Medium gray (N5) to black (N1).
STRUCTURE: Flow-top breccia.
ALTERATION: Alteration and oxidation has changed the matrix to very dusky red purple (5RP 2/6).
VEINS/FRACTURES: 2%–3%; 0.25–3 mm; Most dip at 15 degrees; Filled with calcite.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Single clast of medium gray (N5), aphyric basalt at 18–35 cm. Subunit is upper, rubbly part of a single flow.

UNIT 17B: BASALT

Pieces 3 (bottom), 4–8

CONTACTS: Continues into 9R-3. Sharp contact at 80 cm with the flow-top breccia.
PHENOCRYSTS:
 Clinopyroxene - <1%; 1–2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered to chlorite.
GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.
VESICLES: None.
COLOR: Medium gray (N5).
STRUCTURE: Massive.
ALTERATION: Phenocrysts to dusky green (5G 3/2) clays; Matrix appears fresh.
VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25–2 mm; Subhorizontal; Filled with calcite.
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Lower part of a single flow.





UNIT 17B: BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-9

CONTACTS: Continues from 9R-2.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - <1%; 1-2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered to chlorite.

GROUNDMASS: Aphanitic.

VESICLES: None.

COLOR: Medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Horizontally elongated dusky green (5G 3/2) areas form 2%-3% of the sample in this section. They are on fine fractures, typically 1-3 mm, and soft (H2) (chlorite?).

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 0.25-2 mm; Subhorizontal; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Lower part of a single flow.

UNIT 18A: OLIVINE-CLINOPYROXENE BASALT BRECCIA

Pieces 10-11

CONTACTS: Continues into 9R-4.

PHENOCRYSTS: Clasts in this flow-top breccia are aphyric.

GROUNDMASS: Clasts are aphanitic, subrounded, and <5 cm.

VESICLES: None.

COLOR: Dark gray (N3).

STRUCTURE: Flow-top breccia.

ALTERATION: Calcite addition and minor alteration to clays.

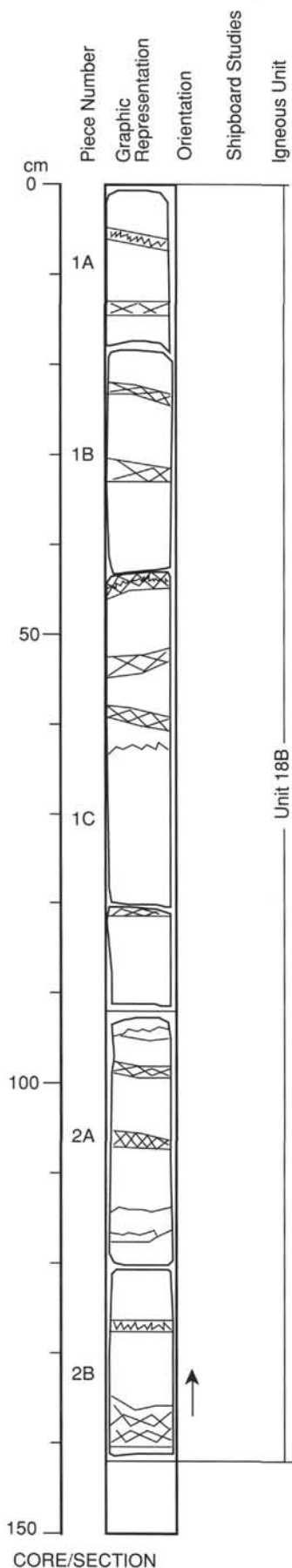
VEINS/FRACTURES: None.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Matrix is volcanogenic sand, mottled very dusky red purple (5P 2/2) and dusky green (5G 3/2).

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UNIT 18B: OLIVINE-CLINOPYROXENE BASALT

Pieces 1A-2B



CONTACTS: Continues into 9R-4. Flow-top breccia was in the previous section, but no contact was recovered.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - <3%; 2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered to (?)chlorite. Some are fresh.
Olivine - 10%; 2-5 mm; Moderate yellow green (5GY 7/4) altered to clays and calcite.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-43 cm, 20%, 1-3 mm, round, filled with a white (N9) zeolite and a dusky green (5G 3/2) mineral (chlorite?); 43-70 cm, 10%-15%, to 5 mm, round, filled with calcite; 70-85 cm, no vesicles; 85-125 cm, 20%-25%, 3-5 mm, round, filled with calcite; 125-141 cm, 5%-10%, 5-10 mm, round, filled with calcite.

COLOR: 0-70 cm very dusky red purple (5P 2/2); 70-85 cm very dark red (5R 2/6); 85-125 cm dark gray (N3); 125-141 cm dark greenish gray (5G 4/1).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Calcite addition and minor alteration to clays.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 5%-10%; 5-20 mm; Subhorizontal; Anastomosing clusters of fine veins, spaced roughly 5 cm apart.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Phenocrysts are likely to be xenocrysts.

- Fine anastomosing calcite
- Solid sparry calcite

UNIT 18B: OLIVINE-CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Piece 1

CONTACTS: Continues from 9R-4 and into 9R-6.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered to (?) chlorite. Some are fresh.
 Olivine - 10%; 2-5 mm; Moderate yellow green (5GY 7/4) altered to clays and calcite.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-12 cm, 25%, 1-3 mm, round, filled with a white (N9) zeolite; 42-61 cm, 10%, 1-2 mm, irregular, filled with a white (N9) zeolite; 63-102 cm, 10%, 1-2 cm, irregular, filled with calcite; 120-130 cm, 10%, 2-3 mm, round, filled with a white (N9) zeolite. Intervals not covered have sparse vesicles.



COLOR: Light greenish-gray (5G 8/1).

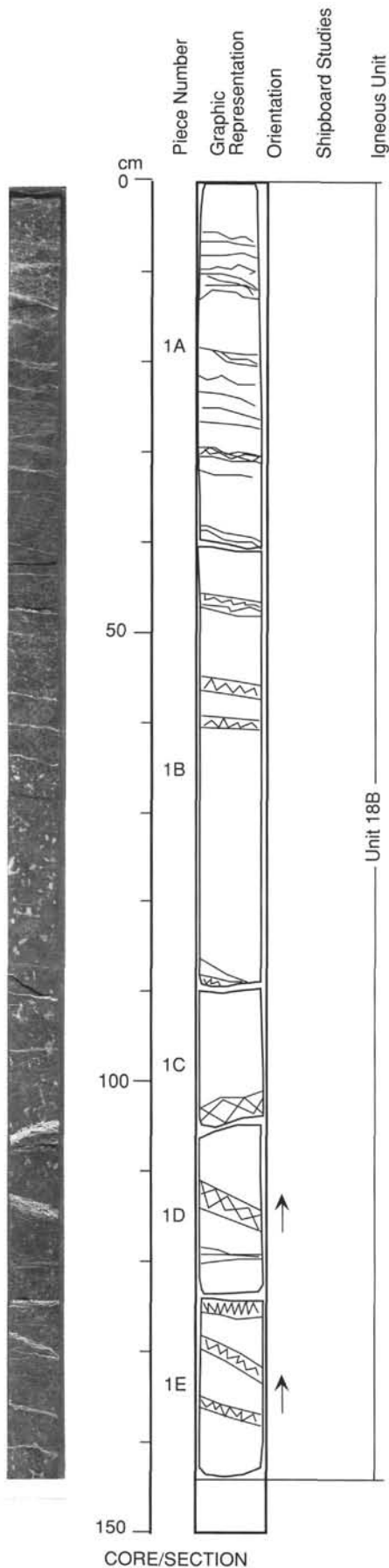
STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Calcite addition and the matrix color suggests alteration to dusky green (5G 3/2) clays.

VEINS/FRACTURES: 5%-10%; 5-20 mm; Subhorizontal; Anastomosing clusters of fine veins, spaced roughly 5 cm apart.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Lower portion of a single flow.

-  Anastomosing calcite veinlets
-  Calcite veins



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UNIT 18B: OLIVINE-CLINOPYROXENE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-5

CONTACTS: Continues from 9R-5.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Clinopyroxene - 3%; 2 mm; Dusky green (5G 3/2), altered (to chlorite?). Some are fresh.
Olivine - 10%; 2-5 mm; Moderate yellow green (5GY 7/4) altered to clays and calcite.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-7 cm, 5%, 3-5 mm, round, filled with a white (N9) zeolite; 50-58 cm, 15%, <1 mm, irregular, filled with a white (N9) zeolite; Sparse elsewhere.

COLOR: Light greenish gray (5G 8/1).

STRUCTURE: Massive.

ALTERATION: Calcite addition and matrix color suggests alteration to dusky green (5G 3/2) clays.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <5%; 5-20 mm; Subhorizontal; Anastomosing clusters of fine veins, spaced roughly 5 cm apart. Less abundant below Piece 1.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Lower portion of a single flow.

UNIT 19: BASALT

Pieces 6-7

CONTACTS: None.

PHENOCRYSTS: No primary features are visible.

GROUNDMASS: Unknown.

VESICLES: None.

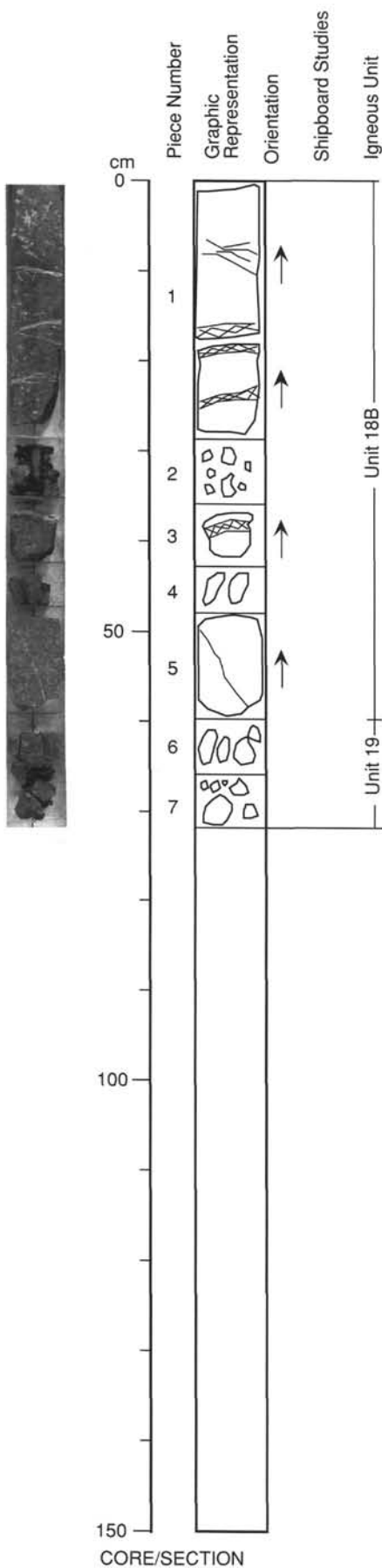
COLOR: Dark greenish gray (5G 4/1).

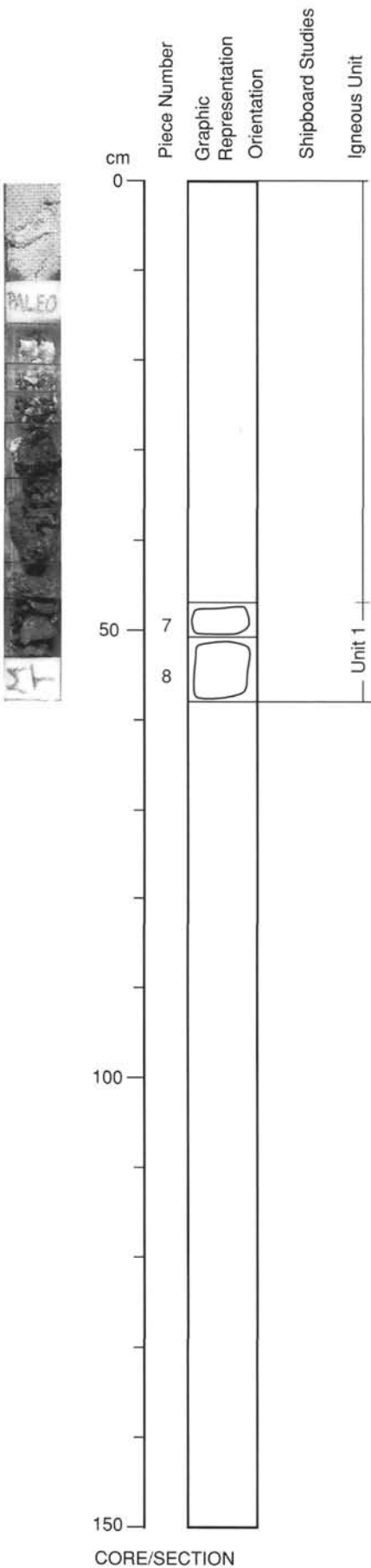
STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Extreme.

VEINS/FRACTURES: None.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.





UNIT 1: OLIVINE BASALT

Pieces 7-8

CONTACTS: Continues into 18X-1.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Olivine - 1%-2%; 1-3 mm; Altered to dusky green (5G 3/2) and not identifiable except in thin section.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-15%; Filled with white (N9) and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolites and a dusky green (5G 3/2) clay (celadonite?).

COLOR: Grayish red (5R 4/2).

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Vein and vesicle-fillings; groundmass color suggests some clay development.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 1-3 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: More weathered portion of the basalt recovered in 18X-1 and 18X-2.

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UNIT 1: OLIVINE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-21

CONTACTS: Continues from 17X-CC and into 18X-2.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Olivine - 1%-2%; 1-3 mm; Altered to a dusky green (5G 3/2) clay; Only identifiable as olivine in thin section.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-15%; Filled with white (N9) and grayish orange pink (5YR 1/2) zeolites and a dusky green (5G 3/2) clay (celadonite?).

COLOR: Medium gray (N3).

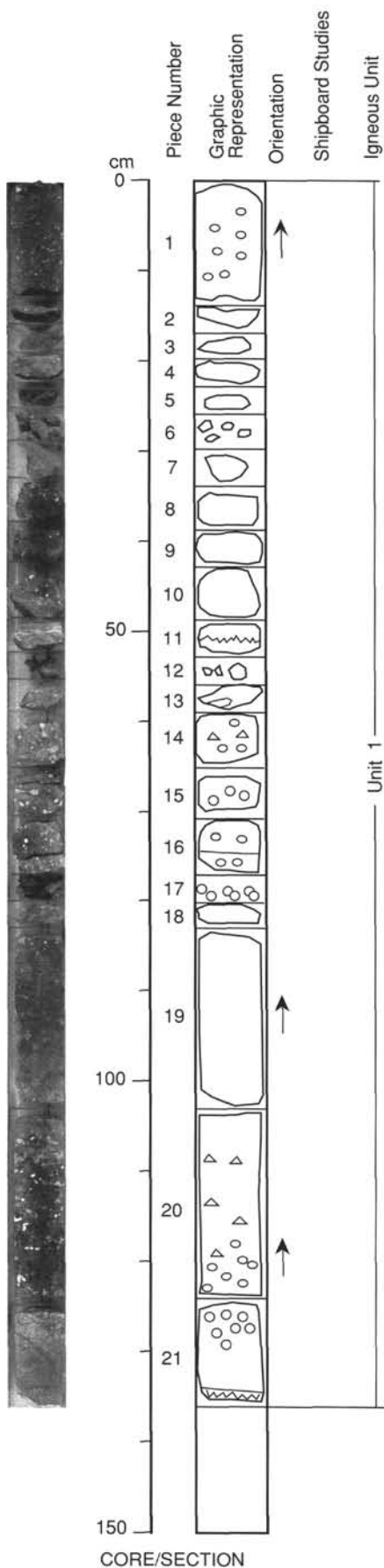
STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Vein and vesicle-fillings; Groundmass color suggests some alteration to clays.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 1-3 mm; Filled with calcite.

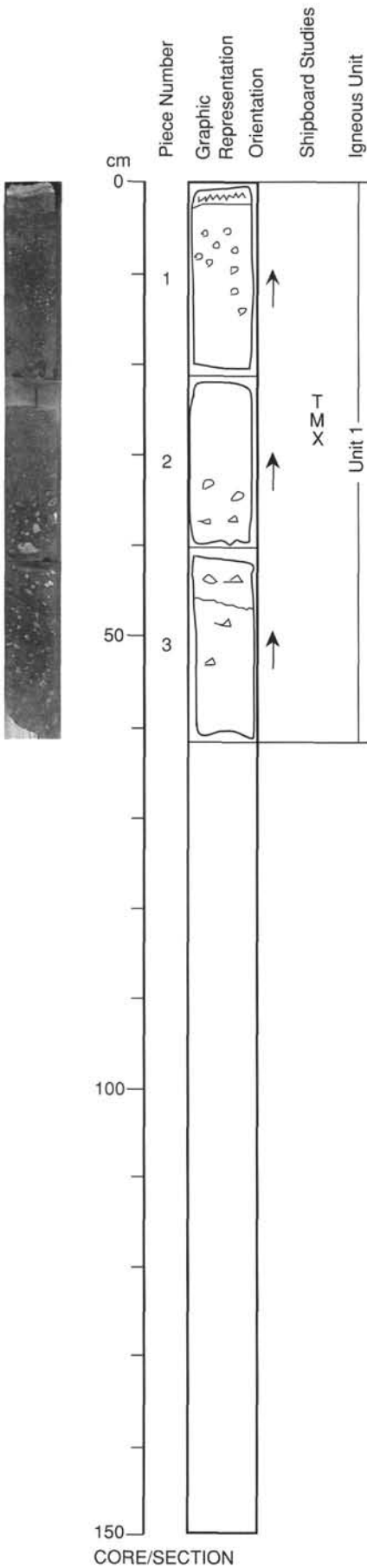
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Less altered portion of the basalt in 17X-CC.

- ~ Calcite veins
- △ Irregular large vesicles
- Vesicles



UNIT 1: OLIVINE BASALT (continued)

Pieces 1-3



CONTACTS: Continues from 18X-1.

PHENOCRYSTS:

Olivine - 1%-2%; 1-3 mm; Altered to a dusky green (5G 3/) clay; Only identifiable as olivine in thin section.

GROUNDMASS: Microcrystalline.

VESICLES: 0-15%; Filled with white (N9) and grayish orange pink (5YR 7/2) zeolites and a dusky green (5G 3/2) clay (celadonite?).

COLOR: Medium gray (N5).

STRUCTURE: None.

ALTERATION: Vein and vesicle-fillings; Groundmass color suggests some alteration to clays.

VEINS/FRACTURES: <1%; 1-3 mm; Filled with calcite.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Less altered portion of the basalt in 17X-CC.