

A. Vein of altered gabbro in serpentinized peridotite of Site 1070, the westernmost basement high explored in the west Iberia ocean/continent transition zone (interval 173-1070A-13R-2, 1–36 cm). **B.** Probable sediment clasts from Upper Jurassic(?) Subunit VB, Core 173-1069-17R-1, Pieces 12 and 13. The discoid shape of Piece 12 (on the right) is controlled by the foliation, and its rounded and smooth surface is only partly damaged by drilling. The surface of Piece 13 is rounded and relatively smooth, and it is undamaged by the teeth of the drill bit. **C.** Breccia overlying mantle rocks at Site 1068: clasts of amphibolite and one foliated microgabbro (at base) set in a matrix of nannofossil chalk (interval 173-1068A-16R-1, 114–139 cm). **D.** Open fold in foliated amphibolite and quartz-feldspar veins (interval 173-1067A-17R-1, 60–72 cm). **E.** Foliated amphibolite of Site 1067. The foliation is locally overprinted by breccia whose matrix contains epidote, calcite, and chlorite (interval 173-1067A-18R-2, 21–40 cm).