

**Table T5.** Siliceous microfossil abundance and preservation, Hole U1359C. (See table notes.).

Core, section	Depth (mbsf)		Group abundance				Siliceous species															
	Top	Bottom	Fragmentation		Preservation		Actinocyclus							Diatoms								
			Dissolution	Pyratization	G	M	G	M	G	M	G	M	G	M	G	M	G	M	G	M	G	
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1H-1	0.40	0.40	C-A	M	G	G																
1H-1	1.30	1.30	F	M	M	G	X	X	R													
1H-3	4.30	4.30	F	M	M	G																
1H-5	6.10	6.10	C-A	M	G		X	X	R													
1H-5	6.80	6.80	X	P	G																	
5H-1	36.05	36.05	C	M	G		R?	X	R-F													
5H-1	36.05	36.05	C	M	M																	
5H-2	38.60	38.60	F	M	G																	
5H-3	38.80	38.80	F	M	G																	
5H-3	38.80	38.80	C	M	G		R-F	X	X													
5H-3	38.90	38.90	F	M	M	X																
5H-4	40.35	40.35	F	M	G		R-F	R		X												
5H-5	42.92	42.92	C	M-G	G																	
5H-6	43.50	43.50	C	M	G																	

Notes: Abundance: A = abundant, C = common, F = few, R = rare, X = trace. Preservation: G = good, M = medium, P = poor, X = present. See “[Biostratigraphy](#)” in the “Methods” chapter for abundance and preservation definitions. ? = uncertainty. Excludes radiolarians; see Table [T7](#) for radiolarian data.