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	Exp-	Site-Co	re-Se	ction	Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Sand	Silt	Clay	Clay Mineral	Clinoptilolite	Calcite	Dolomite	Glauconite	Mica	Opaque Minerals	Phillipsite	Pyrite	Quartz	Apatite	Fe Oxide	Feldspar	Micronodules	Microcrystalline Quartz	Nannofossils	Pyroxene	Volcanic Glass	Zeolite	Foraminifers	Diatoms	Radiolarians	Shells / Molluscs	Silicoflagellates	Spicules	Fish Remains	COMMENTS
32	24 L	11348A	2R	1A	84.22	84.23						5													89					2	3			1		Gray calcareous nannofossil ooze at the top of Section 2R 1, with siliceous component. Lots of discoasters (cenozoic) nannofossils, plus numerous other calcareous nannofossils. Well-preserved diatoms and radiolarians (and silicoflagellates?) are present as a minor constituent. Tubular siliceous fragments are also present (sponge?) Some detrital calcite crystals but not common. Fanshaped/prismatic, calcitic clasts are also present (shell fragments from planktonic fauna?) as are other calcitic fragments. No descernable clay component despite gray color of sediment.
32	24 L	1348A	2R	1A	84.76	84.77						2													95.5						0.5					White/cream nannofossil ooze in Section 2R-1. Some rare foraminifera. Calcite rhombs common (type of disaggregated coccolith?). Very low siliceous component.
32	24 L	11348A	2R	CC-A	85.42	85.43																			95						1					White/cream nannofossil ooze. Dominated by calcareous nannofossils. Foraminifera common (several different species), very low siliceous component.
32	24 L	1348A	10R	1A	161.2	161.2						1													98											White calcareous nannofossil ooze at the top of Core 10R, above the silicified sandstones. Very pure nannofossil ooze, with few other components. Some rare foraminifera fragments and secondary calcite crystals.
32	24 L	1348A	10R	1A	161.3	161.3						3													96.5											White calcareous nannofossil ooze at the top of Core 10R, above the silicified sandstones. Few other nonnannofossil components. Some very rare foraminifera fragments and secondary calcite crystals. Bands of coarser sand-sized material occurs in distinct lenses in this bed.
32	24 L	1348A	12R	1A	180.5	180.5											94					0.5			0.5		5									Green clay band in Core 12R. Pale greenish color. Clasts are angular, transparent to brownish in color with very low birefringence (colorless grains are isotropic). Appear to be predominantly zeolites with some volcanic glass. Possible altered plagioclase fragments. Very low carbonate content (only carbonate is in the form of rare, indistinct calcareous nannofossils). Altered volcanic ash deposit?
32	24 L	1348A	12R	1A	180.5	180.6																4						96								White layer within the green clay in Core 12R. Predominantly needle-like crystals (feldspars? small zeolities?) with rare, small, altered plagioclase crystals in places.
32	24 L	11348A	12R	CC-A	180.8	180.8																														Bright green clay layer in hand specimen. Angular, brownish clasts with a speckled appearance. Very low birefrince. Zeolites probably. Some rare glassy fragments (isotropic). Some fragments have a "limu o pele" texture. Altered ash fall deposit?
32	24 L	1348A	12R	CC-A	180.8	180.8																6						94								White layer within the green clay in Core 12R. Zeollites? Small crystals of rare, altered plagioclase crystals in places.



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3	324 L	J1348A	12R	CC-A	180.9	180.9				30											20	5						45								Yellow claystone next to green clay band in Core 12. Yellowish brown color to all grains - iron oxide. Low birefringence, brownish minerals thoughout (clay minerals). Low to medium birefringece, speckled mineral on many grains - secondary zeolite? Some small, angular plagioclase minerals present.
3	324 L	J1348A	13R	1A	191.3	191.3				1		88									10	1														Brownish carbonaceous clay layer between the bioclastic limestones and the laminated zeolite-rich section. Mostly secondary calcite crystals, with some plagioclase (angular) and Iron oxides. One possible benthic foraminifera test (uniserial, 4 chambers).
3	324 L	J1348A	13R	CC-A	191.5	191.6				30		10					2				5	5					5	43								Reddish brown, laminated claystone in the core catcher. Clay minerals common, as are fiberous, fan-shaped, low birefringence minerals (zeolite?). Small brown tabular crystals also present (phillipsite?). Low carbonate but some secondary calcite. Reddish brown Iron oxide grains. Subangular plagioclase crystals (some grains show undulose extinction). All grains are angular to subangular. Some grains are very low birefringence- almost isotropic. Altered volcanio glass? (ash layer?).

