DATE: 1 August
CRUISE ID: SO 33
LOC: I
AREA: A

SAMPLE: 6DK Box Dredge

	time (GMT)	LAT (N)	LON (W)	water depth (m)	wire
ON BOTTOM =	1420	18° 40.9784	158° 18.8480	1047	1260
OFF BOTTOM =	1530	18° 41.1942	158° 18.0048	4816	~52

RECOVERY WEIGHT = Total 300 kg Crust 20 kg?

CRUST THICKNESS = Veneer to 5 cm
Avg.: 1.5 cm
2 generations

SUBSTRATE = Basalt w/ altered olivine, hyaloclastite with smectite. Much rounded rubble w/ Mn ven
Trachyte

COMMENTS: Strange rough surface - Halbach says maybe due to O_2 minimum causing dissolution.

Lots of coral, brittle stars, shark's teeth

* 1 microbio sample
* 2 bio samples (plastic boxes)
* 1 bio sample (plastic bag)

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SO33 6DK2

Color: Dark Gray (N3) ~~to Dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/2)~~ pillowed? trap?

Light brown (5YR/6) to yellowish-gray (5Y 7/2)

Texture: Aphanitic – subaphyric hyalopilitic / pilotaxitic / subtrachytic to dikytaxitic trachytic

Aphanitic hyalopilitic / pilotaxitic / subtrachytic – trachytic flow structure;

Phenocrysts: very rare

Olivine – <1% – 1mm
Pyroxene(?) <<1% " 0.75mm
plagioclase <1–16% 2 1mm

not observed

Groundmass: tabular feldspar (plagioclase?) (~65%, <0.5mm)
glass ~ 30%
Opaques ~ 5%

glass 95–99+% (?)

Vesicles: large flat, lenticular
size: 5–10 cm
filling: empty
shape

dense to scoriaceous
<1 mm – ±3 cm
empty
round to elongate

Clasts:
shape:
size:

subangular – angular
<1 mm — 50+ cm
~ 1 cm avge

Structure: angular – subangular clasts of aphanitic – subaphyric AOB(?) fresh to very altered basalt. ~~generally clasts subaerially in part~~. Texture is highly directed, pilotaxitic ⊥ to top of flow, micaceous ∥ to top of flow more vesicular toward top; plagioclase rare, but locally abundant in fine pieces, oriented ∥ to direction of flow; alteration is localized, fresh material often immediately adjacent to very altered zones (alteration aureoles along fractures?); contact generally w/ thin (<~0.5cm) crust of oxidized basalt and grayish-orange (10YR 7/4) glass; widespread fracturation localized in low-angle features

highly to completely altered basaltic hyaloclastite matrix; alteration is in part to montmorillonite (pale green mineral to ~2 cm blebs(?) and in part to green iron oxide; frequently deposited directly on top of lavas; basal clasts; sometimes these are incorporated in the hyaloclastite above; flow structures can rarely be observed; hyaloclastite cobbles, pebbles usually present within 1 cm thick layer of glass cemented at base (5YR 2/1 to 10YR 7/4)

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SO33 6DK5

SO33 6DK6

Rock Type: Trachyte Hyalo-clastite/Breccia

Color: moderate greenish-yellow to pale olive (10Y 6/2) (10Y 7/4)

Texture: Pyroclastic (holohyaline)

Matrix: Trachyte fragments, pumice, ±55%

Cement: Phosphorite, (pale brown 5YR 5/2) ±45%

Large Grain Size: ±3mm (gravel size)

Large Grain Shape: angular-subangular

Sorting: Very poorly-sorted

Porosity: ±75%

Permeability: ±75%

Alteration: complete? (Smectitization (montmorillonite) zeolitization (phillipsite?), hydration (water), phosphorization (cement)

Remarks: holohyaline, angular fragments of totally altered trachytic pumice? Crystals of any kind usually rare, acicules (feldspar only) very rare shiny black, flat hexagonal crystals (biotite, amphibole?), usually holohyaline, very glassy; individual fragments often show flow structure, directed texture "accordion" structure, like expanded vermiculite; dredge recovered many subrounded clasts (cobble-boulder-size) some bearing thin (±5mm) discontinuous deposits of phosphatic volcanogenic breccia and chalk volcanogenic breccia (lithologies 6, 8), coated generally with veneer-thickness-to 5-cm-thick deposits of δ-MnO_2, often with 2 generations of crust (dendritic to laminar) separated by thin (± 2mm thick) layer of reworked phosphorite

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Trachyte / AOB Hyaloclastite

Light brown (5YR 5/6) to pale greenish-yellow (10Y 8/2)

≠ Texture: do

≠ Matrix: do, ± 40%, AOB glass ± 20%

≠ Cement: do, ± 40%

≠ Large Grain Size: ±

≠ Large Grain Shape: do

≠ Sorting: poorly-sorted

≠ Porosity: ±do

≠ Permeability: ±do

≠ Alteration: do, oxidation

≠ Remarks: do
Similar to Lithology 3, ± 2 but with included (usually larger than trachyte frags) AOB glass?! Some appear to have minute idiomorphic rhombs included, otherwise very like the trachyte (less directed texture, no "accordion" structure)
Some clasts have 1 0.5 mm-thick deposit of δ-MnO_2(?) coating them (incorporated into the trachyte hyaloclastite/breccia lates?); pebble-to-cobble-size rounded to subrounded to subangular clasts coated with veneer of δ-MnO_2 some penetration to 2-3cm with dendritic MnO_2 (remobilized from veneer coating)

Basalt, AOB (?) Subaerially erupted?

≠ Color: Dark Gray (N3)

≠ Texture: intersertal

≠ Phenos: Plagioclase ±5%, ±3mm
Olivine <1%, ±2mm

≠ Groundmass: Olivine ? not Plagioclase detected

≠ Vesicles: ±40% of total, round-oval shape ±0.25mm dia. calcite zeolites, smectite filling ±20% of total vesicles

≠ Alteration: Superficial(?) (zeolitization ?) (iddingsitization of olivine)

≠ Remarks: large cobble-size rounded to subrounded clasts encrusted to ±5mm with chalk/phosphorite coated generally with thin veneer of δ-MnO_2, concentric development of vesicles, crystals in x-section of cobbly (originally volcanic bombs erupted subaerially?), Olivine glomeroporphyric with itself, plagioclase generally single crystals, often displaying resorption.

Phosphorite / Phosphorite Volcanogenic Bre...

Pale brown (5YR 5/...

Clastic/Pyroclastic ... granules

≠ (Matrix) Basalt(?)/trachyte altered aphanitic ch... chyaloclastite

≠ (Cement) Phosphorite (originally chalk)

(Fig 92) ±1mm

≠ grain shape) subrounded

≠ Extremely poorly-so...

≠ complete (smectiti... zeolitization, hydrati... of hyaloclastite f... phosphorization of or... chalk cement.

≠ subangular to subrounded large pebbles & cobbles of (probably) slope talus (often coate... with veneer-to-seve... cm-thick deposits ... δ-MnO_2(?) & tubora... biogenic?) [dendri... growth patterns mark... fragments]; probably de... lopd as foraminife... ooze on terraces ... which received "rain... volcaniclastic mate... subsequently phosph... (volcaniclastic mate... often coated with 1... -thick layers of shin... dark brown, glassy ... phosphorite (phosphi... nodules?); hyaloc... fragments are com... altered to smectite... zeolites; as terrace... collapsed or otherwise... disturbed, clasts of... phosphorite rolled d... slope.

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SO33 6DK9

Rock Type: Trachyte, Chalk Ferromanganese Nodules

Color: Pale brown (5YR5/2) → grayish-orange (10YR7/4) to very pale orange (10YR8/2) → Brownish-black 5YR2/1

Texture: Aphanitic Subtrachytic (micaceous on surfaces ∥ to top of flow) → granular, arenaceous → dendritic, warty, cespitose (internal), (external)

Phenocrysts: absent.

Groundmass: Sanidine ± 0.10 mm, Titanomagnetite? ± 2% ± 0.05 mm

Matrix: Globigerina(?) calcareous foraminiferal test, ± 0.25 mm ± 95%

Cement: calcite, phosphorite(?) ± 5%

Vesicles: absent — 35-40% (scoriaceous variety)

Large (>2): ± 0.25 mm

(Shape): rounded

Sorting: well-sorted

Alteration: moderate-extensive (smectitization, zeolitization, hydration [feldspar]; oxidation [opaques])

Porosity: ± 80%

Permeability: ± 80%

Alteration: incipient/superficial phosphorization, recrystallization of calcite

Remarks. Rare subangular pebble-to-cobble-size clasts set in volcaniclastic volcanogenic conglomerate. The vesicles are angular, some are vesicular, all opaque (rare sanidine microphenocrysts and titanomagnetite microphenocrysts); brown color probably due to alteration of ferromagnetite.

Apparently foraminiferal ooze that has been lithified is in form of pebble-size angular clasts forming the capping layer of other detrital rocks. Incipient phosphorization (heaviest contact with fragmented tuff(?)). Stained variously in shades of pale orange by remobilized $Fe(OH)_3$(?) along fractures dusted or lined with dendritic todorokite(?)

Micro laminae of todorokite? / birnessite? developed in arborescent growths around central axes (resin). Angular - subangular fragments of volcaniclastic material (tuff, hyaloclastite, volcanogenic breccia); thickness varies from ± 1 cm - ± 7 cm, usually with two generations separated by thin (± 1 mm) phosphorite layer. Surface texture warty to cespitose, high porosity, fragile, probably terraced nodules developed around volcaniclastics