AHYI SMT.

SAMPLE ID	Mn CHEM	Pt & Au	REE	Si Chem	P.Sect.	35mm Pho	Archive	Paleo	40 Atom			
D15-1	Bulk			Bulk					Bulk			
D15-2												

Mariana Islands

Sample Description

Cruise I.D: ~~L5-83-HW~~ Sample I.D: Sta: D 15-1 Location: Abyi Slope

Size: 9x7x4cm Weight: 30?

Depth: 1930-1120m

Mn crust thickness: possibly Mn sst

* Total: min: 5mm max: 8mm ave: 6mm

Inner crust: min: max: ave:

Outer crust: min: max: ave:

Surface texture: Rough.

Internal structure: ~~e~~

layered:
laminated:
massive:
porous:
dendritic:
other:

Mineralogy (XRD):

Associated alteration, phosphorite, or hydrothermal deposits:

Some shiny globular hydrothermal Mn(s) on bottom

Substratum:

Rock type: Volcaniclastic Breccia (ss-?)

Description: Orange to greenish-yellow fine to medium grained closely packed, sub rounded well indurated slightly silty sandstone grades into breccia w/ grey vesicular basalt clasts (½-6mm)

* The Mn crust(s) has clasts (up to 5mm) in it of white pumice(?) - grey basalt

Mineralogy (XRD):

MARIANAS ISLANDS
DIS-1

Analyses and subsamples:

analysis:	analyst:
Sampled for XRD:	Charlaine
DIS-1-I: bulk ~~Mn crust~~ Mn Sandstone	
DIS-1-II: bulk sst-breccia	
DIS-1-III: shiny, globular Mn on bottom	
Chemistry-'Manheim' pkg	F. Brown-Barton USGS
DIS-1-A: ~~Mn crust~~ bulk Mn Sandstone	
DIS-1-B: bulk breccia ICP, XRF major, minors	
metallic hydrothermal	
layer - not analyzed	

D15-#1 TT192

Sample Description

Cruise I.D: ~~E5-83-HW~~ Mariana Islands Sample I.D: Sta: D15-2 Location: Ahyi Seamt

Size: 10x9x5cm Weight: 560g

Mn crust thickness: 0

* Total: min: max: ave:

Inner crust: min: max: ave:

Outer crust: min: max: ave:

Surface texture: Rough & Knobby (due to clasts)

Internal structure:

layered:
laminated:
massive:
porous:
dendritic:
other:

Mineralogy (XRD):

Associated alteration, phosphorite, or hydrothermal deposits:

Some Fe oxides on surface & possible yellow zeolitic material

Substratum:

Rock type: Volcaniclastic Breccia

Description: Green to black, very fine grained, well cemented sandstone-breccia. Only one basalt clast in middle of rock, rest of clasts are on upper surface & are well-rounded pumice & basalt. Clast size varies 2-15mm

* Dense of Mn on side of rock (bindstone)

Mineralogy (XRD):

Analyses and subsamples:

analysis:	analyst:
XRD:	Charlaine
D15-2-I: bulk Mn layer	

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Poorly Sorted, graded bedding (reversely graded?)