DREDGE 54
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Smt

AMPLE ID	Mn CHEM	Pt & Au	REE	Si Chem	P.Sect.	35mm Pho	Archive	Paleo					
D54-1													
D54-2													
D54-3													
D54-4													
D54-5													

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

Cruise Id: TT192 Size: 6x6x2.5cm cooler Location: N. Side North [illegible]

Sample Id: D54-1 Weight: 1kg Depth: 1250-1411m

Mn Crust Description

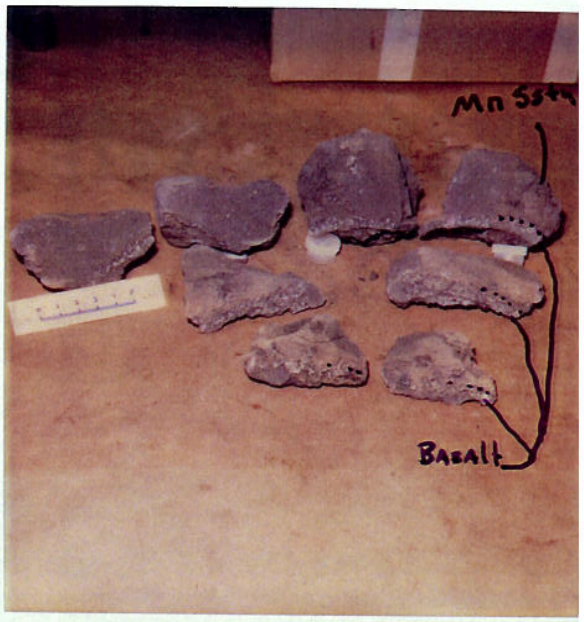
Surface Texture:

Mn Crust Thickness:

Min:_____ Max:_____ Ave:_____

Layers (Outer to Inner):

	Min	Max	Ave	Texture
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				



Mariana Islands
D54-1

Comments and XRD Mineralogy:

Each Basalt is covered w/ Mn Sandstone
Poorly sorted mixture of angular/subangular
basalt

ANALYSES

Substrate Description

Rock Type: Porphyritic Basalt

Description:

Vesicular basalt w/ abundant phenocrysts (up to 3mm) of plagioclase & pyroxene

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Sample Description

Cruise I.D: ~~L5-83-HW~~

Sample I.D: Sta: D54-2

Location: N. Sarigan, N. Alamagan

Size: 2 pieces Weight: 207 grams total (wet)

from 6x3x1 cm to 13x7x2.5 cm

Depth: 1200 meters

Mn crust thickness:

Total: min: max: ave:

Inner crust: min: max: ave:

Outer crust: min: max: ave:

Surface texture:

Internal structure:

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

Mineralogy (XRD):

Associated alteration, phosphorite, or hydrothermal deposits:

Substratum:

Rock type: Mn Sandstones, misc pieces

Description: All pieces medium to fine grained S.S. w/a hard fracture ochree yellow to Color and fine grained. Either more clayey or massive Mn oxide layer

Mineralogy (XRD):

Mariana Islands
D54-2

Analyses and subsamples:

analysis:	analyst:
Chemistry: whole manganese crust (D54-2-I) (D54-2)	L. Mordenson
XRD: bulk powder on same piece as for chem (D54-2-I)	
*D54-2-IA (D54-2-I) Mn-chem etc. & XRD of massive ochre layer	M. Morrison ICP

*Not enough material to run separate powder mount. Must run bulk powder from the gel formed for chem.

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

Cruise Id: TT192 Size: Largest sample 8x4.5x2.5cm Location: N. Side N. Hiwassee Bnk

Sample Id: D54-3 Weight: 1kg Depth: 1250-1610

Mn Crust Description

Surface Texture:

Mn Crust Thickness:

Min: Max: Ave:

Layers (Outer to Inner):

	Min	Max	Ave	Texture
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

Comments and XRD Mineralogy:

ANALYSES

Substrate Description

Rock Type: Marcus-Wake foraminiferal limestone

Description:

Sandstone w/ Mn rich laminae & Mn cemented Detrital Mafic and feldspars. (Dom. quartz & Mica) Fe stained bands

Mariana Islands
Cruise I.D: TT-192

Sample Description

Sample I.D: Sta: D54-4

Location: N side N. Rainbow Seamt

Size: 10mm x 5cm (already sliced) Weight: 105 gms (dry)

Mn crust thickness:

Total: min: <1mm max: 3mm ave: 2mm

Inner crust: min: max: ave:

Outer crust: min: max: ave:

Surface texture: botryoidal and massive

Internal structure:

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

Mineralogy (XRD):

Associated alteration, phosphorite, or hydrothermal deposits:

Substratum:

Rock type: Mn volcanic(?) breccia

Description: poorly sorted angular clasts, with Mn cementing(?) or partially surrounding clasts. Hydrothermal(Mn) on outside of sample breakaways in places

Clasts really don't look volcanic, maybe highly altered

Mineralogy(XRD):

Analyses and subsamples:

analysis:	analyst:
Silicate Chem on Bulk Sample Fe-Mn nodule %	M Monteiro 10-2-87

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

Cruise Id: TT192 Size: Largest 7x5 cm Location: N. Side N. Hiyoshi Smt.

Sample Id: D54-5 Weight: 1 kg Depth: 1250 - 1610

Mn Crust Description

Surface Texture:

Mn Crust Thickness:

Min: Max: Ave:

Layers (Outer to Inner):

	Min	Max	Ave	Texture
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

Comments and XRD Mineralogy:

ANALYSES

Substrate Description

Rock Type: Mariana Forma Breccia

Description:

Clasts are very poorly sorted may have been mudstones, maybe volcanic?. Almost looks as if clasts are being replaced by Mn (?). Larger clasts (up to 2 cm) in a continuous manganese matrix.

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