

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION SHEET

INSTITUTE OF GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES - MARINE GEOLOGY UNIT

SAMPLE NO.

59 - 01 204

SURFACE SAMPLE

Equipment Used: GS

Seabed Photo: Yes/No

Stored in: 1 Jars, Bags.

ms Well sorted, fine to v. fine, silty, olive 5Y 4/4 sand.

CORE SAMPLE

Equipment Used: CS

Stored in: 1 Cut Cores, Uncut Cores, Jars, Bags.

Depth	Log	Description	Core Photo: Yes/No	Sub Samples	Geotechnical Log
(m)					
0.20		<u>ms</u> Description as for GS sample.			
0.47		<u>ms</u> v. soft, fine to v. fine, silty, clayey, olive grey 5Y 4/2 sand with shell fragments, scaphopoda and pebbles.			
		<u>ms</u> and <u>SM</u>			
1	0.78	Intermixed irregular units of olive grey 5Y 4/2 fine to v. fine silty, clayey sand and v. soft, grey 5Y 5/1, highly plastic, fine to v. fine sandy, silty clay.			
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					

○ shear strength △ compressive strength

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DEPTH INTERVAL (m)		SEDIMENT (Folk class) or subordinate rock type		MUNSELL COLOUR	Sorting	SAND			MUD		GRAVEL			ABUNDANCE SCALE							Chronostrat	Lithostrat	Unit	Comments								
upper	lower	main rock type	subordinate rock type		HCT	Grain Size Range	Roundness	Sphericity	% Shell Material	Hardness	Plasticity	% Shell Material	Max. Clast Size (mm)	Roundness	Sphericity	Basal Contact	Bedding	Jointing	PS Odour	Heavy Minerals	Mica	Glaucanite	Faunal Fossils	Whole Shells	Forams	Plant Remains						
61.60	62.20	MS		5Y4/1G	W	F	S	R	H		F					S																
62.20	64.7	GMS		5Y4/2	M	N	F			V			90	20	S	S																
64.7	67.8	MS	SM	5Y4/2	M	N	F			V	H																					

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DEPTH INTERVAL (m)		Label	ADDITIONAL COMMENTS (FREE TEXT)
upper	lower		
61.67	67.8		THIS IS 2 INTERMIXED UNITS WITH THE CLAY IN LESSER AMOUNT.

SORTING OF TOTAL SAMPLE	HCI REACTION	SAND GRAIN SIZE	ROUNDNESS	SPHERICITY	MUD HARDNESS	MUD PLASTICITY	BASAL CONTACT	BEDDING	JOINTING	H ₂ S ODOUR	ABUNDANCE SCALE	LITHOSTRAT UNIT	COMMENTS
V=very poorly sorted P=poorly sorted M=moderately sorted W=well sorted X=very well sorted	N=no reaction W=weak M=moderate S=strong	S=silt V=very fine F=fine M=medium C=coarse K=very coarse	V=very angular A=angular S=subangular U=subrounded R=rounded W=well rounded	L=low H=high	V=very soft S=soft F=firm T=stiff Y=very stiff H=hard	N=non-plastic L=low plasticity I=intermediate H=highly plastic	G=gradational S=sharp E=erosive U=unconformity	F=flat lamination R=ripple lamination X=cross-bedded D=disturbed C=colour banded G=graded bedding	J=prominent joints D=prominent discontinuities F=fissuring	W=weak M=moderate S=strong A=induced by acid	R=rare C=common A=abundant	G=group F=formation M=member B=bed I=informal	C = additional comments below 1,2 etc = label if more than one comment. SHEET ____ OF ____