

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION SHEET

INSTITUTE OF GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES - MARINE GEOLOGY UNIT

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SURFACE SAMPLE	Equipment Used: GS	Seabed Photo: Yes /No	Stored in: 1 Jars, Bags.
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GS Poorly sorted, medium-v. coarse, gravelly, shelly sand.
 Light yellowish brown 2-5 / 6/4 to Light Olive brown 2-5 / 5/4
 Sand fraction: 98% shell frags, angular, low sphericity. Rare whole shells
 Forams common. Terrigenous component mainly quartz, subangular - rounded
 low sphericity.
 Gravel fraction: 95% shell frags, angular low sphericity, max size 35mm. Includes
 whole shells common. Lithic pebbles, subrounded, low sphericity.

CORE SAMPLE	Equipment Used: CS	Stored in: Cut Cores, Uncut Cores, Jars, Bags.
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Depth	Log	Description	Core Photo: Yes/No	Sub Samples	Geotechnical Log
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(m)		2 attempts, no recovery.			
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4					
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○ shear strength Δ compressive strength

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DEPTH INTERVAL (m)		SEDIMENT (Folk class) or subordinate rock type		MUNSELL COLOUR	Sorting HCT Reduction	SAND			MUD	GRAVEL			ABUNDANCE SCALE						Chronostrat	Lithostrat	Unit	Comments															
upper	lower	main rock type	subordinate rock type			Grain Size Range	Roundness Range	Sphericity	% Shell Material	Hardness	Plasticity	% Shell Material	Max. Clast Size (mm)	Roundness Range	Sphericity	Basal Contact	Bedding	Jointing					H ₂ O Odour	Heavy Minerals	Mica	Glaucophane	Faunal/Fossils	Wedge Shells	Forams	Plant Remains							
12	21	GS		2-5Y 6/4	PS	MK	AR	L	98			95	35	AU	L																						

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DEPTH INTERVAL (m)		Label	ADDITIONAL COMMENTS (FREE TEXT)														
upper	lower																
12	21																

SORTING OF TOTAL SAMPLE	HCl REACTION	SAND GRAIN SIZE	ROUNDNESS	SPHERICITY	MUD HARDNESS	MUD PLASTICITY	BASAL CONTACT	BEDDING	JOINTING	H ₂ O 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.

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