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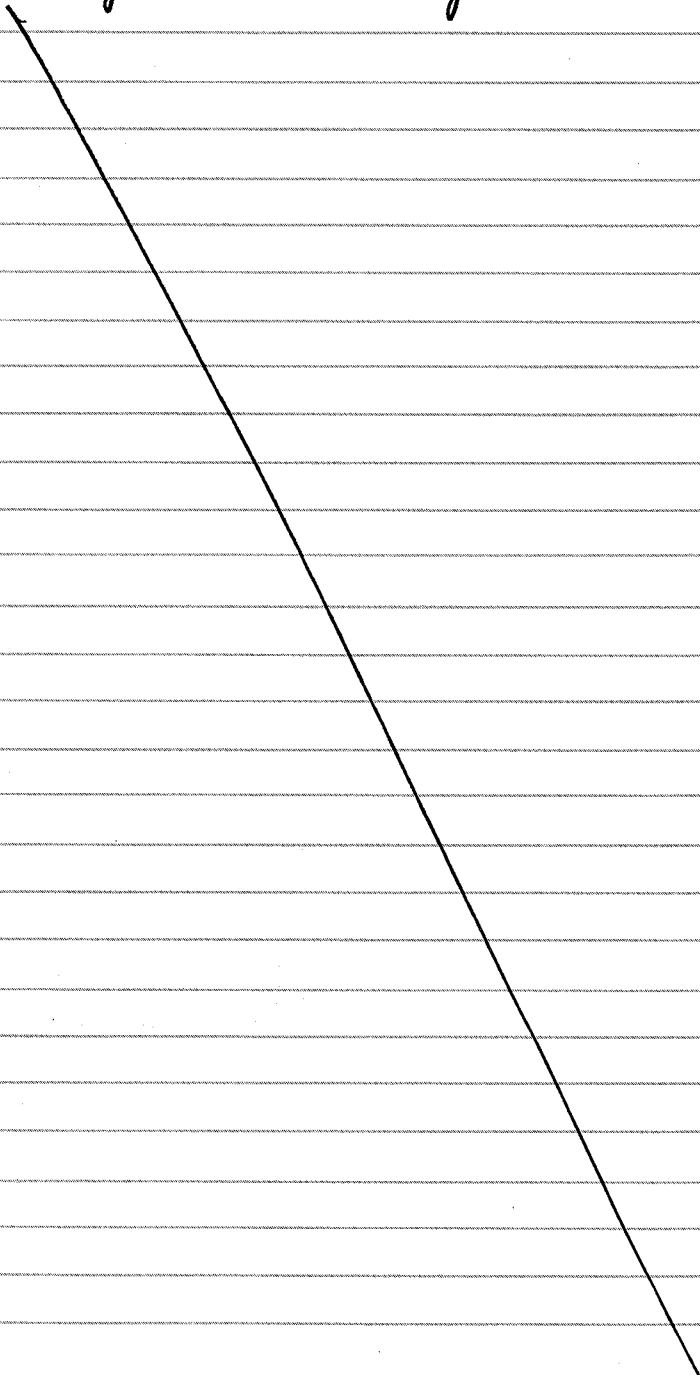


# Geochemical Analog of Contaminant Transport in Unsaturated Rock Research Project

Initial Entries 6/1/93 by Bret Leslie BWL

This book is continuation of the contents of AN-1  
Scientific Notebook # 024.

This book chronicles the laboratory investigation  
of the Analogs Research Project.





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# Whole Rock Analyses Texas Tech

## Major Element Analyses

Sample #	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	Fe2O	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	TOTAL	Sr	Ba	Zr	Y
1401 5339	73.11	0.19	9.19	10.52	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.18	2.83	0.01	3.42	99.60	48	473	255*	32.0
1402 5345	76.42	0.25	12.87	0.59	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.54	6.06*	0.01	2.41	99.28	39	67	250*	34.3
1403 5349	75.29	0.21	9.27	4.42	0.01	0.01	0.44	0.09	1.98	0.03	4.29	96.02	97	382	291*	73.8
1404 5352	73.39	0.26	13.62	1.87	0.04	0.28	1.20	4.04	4.10	0.04	1.07	99.90	104	818	217	25.7
1405 5351	77.48	0.24	13.03	0.61	0.01	0.03	0.09	0.30	4.80*	0.02	2.92	99.53	45	118	247*	40.7
1406 5344	73.00	0.23	15.37	3.33	0.00	0.01	0.09	0.11	1.67	0.02	6.56	100.38	119	147	208	10.6
1407 5335	62.63	0.80	15.95	5.94	0.16	1.68	5.05	5.14*	1.82	0.72*	1.30	101.19	184	380	224	55.1
1408 5340	63.21	0.77	15.68	5.61	0.16	1.52	4.14	5.19*	2.09	0.24	0.52	99.12	167	384	225	54.3
1409 5343	59.18	0.69	14.84	5.38	0.13	2.52	5.25	2.77	1.73	0.89*	6.87	100.25	267	470	160	30.8
1410 5338	48.90	2.97*	13.63	12.44	0.18	7.27	11.51*	2.41	0.56	0.31	0.33	100.51	392	131	167	28.1
1411 5347	77.46	0.22	12.37	0.71	0.00	0.02	0.13	0.31	4.25	0.01	3.22	98.72	56	82	206	23.5
1413 5353	76.38	0.24	12.79	0.72	0.01	0.12	0.13	0.53	6.36*	0.02	2.49	99.78	31	68	235*	38.4
1414 5356	56.31	0.84	16.59	7.68	0.16	3.15	7.24	3.48	1.52	0.12	1.94	99.03	235	356	135	31.3
1415 5330	59.59	0.72	14.25	5.75	0.14	2.59	5.15	2.94	1.74	0.64*	6.12	99.63	220	413	161	33.3
1416 5329	59.95	0.15	8.56	26.01*	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.06	0.97	0.01	4.72	100.60	57	243	527*	52.5
1418 5360	77.01	0.25	13.28	0.57	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.43	5.77*	0.02	2.83	100.28	35	85	307*	76.1
1419 5336	76.57	0.22	10.97	4.09	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.23	3.61	0.00	3.42	99.25	63	127	226	16.5
1420 5359	77.02	0.26	13.73	0.44	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.31	4.63	0.01	3.26	99.80	53	79	266*	37.4
1421 5357	78.25	0.23	12.65	0.57	0.00	0.02	0.07	0.31	4.77	0.02	3.12	100.02	52	120	246*	33.4
1906 5348	76.92	0.22	11.72	1.63	0.01	0.02	0.09	0.30	4.59	0.01	3.27	98.78	52	567	214	18.5

# out of range of standard calibration

sample	element	comment
1410	Ti	should be good $\pm 2\%$
1416	Fe	may be off by as much as 10%; probably high
1410	Ca	should be OK $\pm 4\%$
ok 1407	Na	should be good $\pm 3\%$
ok 1408	Na	"
1402	K	should be OK $\pm 4\%$
1405	K	"
1413	K	"
1418	K	"
ok 1407	P	should be good $\pm 2\%$
1409	P	"
ok 1415	P	"
(.....)	Zr	samples under 300 should be fine
1414	Zr	needs to be checked for sure; probably high
(.....)	Y	samples under 40 should be fine; others probably high

The results presented on pages 2-6 are reflective of the analyses purchased on PO's 68009 (Reg No 869605) and PO 49146 (Reg No 850679). These represent the completed analyses and completed PO for PO 49146. Results for item A on 68009(PO) have not yet been received. Also Zn, Cr, BWL 6/19/93 Cr, Ni, Zr results in line B of PO 68009.

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## Minor Elements and FeO Reanalysis of Zn & Y (log 4) Corrected Zn, Y values!

Sample	#	Zn ppm	Y ppm	Rb ppm	FeO wt%
1401	5944	356	30.5	137	0.06
1402	5912	88	33.8	338	0.1
1403	5948	1325	67.1	81	0.51
1404				150	1.28
1405	5916	313	38.9	245	0.09
1406				59	0.12
1407	5943	84	49.0	58	1.65
1408	5945	79	50.6	63	1.74
1409				61	1.87
1410				11	8.02
1411	5913	185	23.6	228	0.01
1412	5931	28	31.2	294	0.15
1413	5917	117	35.8	341	0.16
1414				48	3.17
1415	5937	81	31.7	62	1.99
1416	5933	1297	49.2	41	0.31
1417	5927	91	10.5	168	1.61
1418	5921	99	65.0	300	0.18
1419	5934	330	16.8	170	0.09
1420	5920	145	33.9	245	0.1
1421	5918	146	30.6	245	0.08
1422	5925	321	38.3	242	0.08
1423	5932	316	15.8	168	0.12
1424	5928	247	50.6	120	2.17
1425	5995	1423	51.1	42	0.23
1901	6004	355	33.5	217	0.16
1902	5970	196	21.2	243	0.08
1903	5998	1351	118.5	133	0.29
1904				169	1.32
1905	6002	435	45.4	137	0.15
1906	5914	162	18.9	247	0.12
1907	5962	239	37.4	253	0.11
1908	5963	364	15.8	185	0.12
1909	5977	1900	275.1	96	0.15
1910	5973	645	22.0	161	0.15
1911	5952	1155	119.8	132	0.23
1912	5987	247	51.1	119	2.21
1913	5980	2335	100.6	87	0.21
1914	5992	807	81.4	123	0.3
1915	5990	375	15.7	184	0.11

## Major Element Analyses

Sample #	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	Fe2O	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	TOTAL	Sr	Ba	Zr	Y	
1412	5278	74.89	0.24	12.80	1.54	0.04	0.13	0.54	1.09	6.67 *	0.09	2.81	100.84	70	159	227	34.1
1417	5279	68.88	0.47	15.49	2.70	0.04	0.72	1.94	4.08	4.56	0.14	0.61	99.63	489	1855 *	319	10.7
1422	5281	77.18	0.24	12.71	0.60	0.01	0.03	0.10	0.32	5.04 *	0.04	2.95	99.19	44	118	226	39.2
1423	5275	76.52	0.22	11.20	4.13	0.01	0.03	0.11	0.24	3.69	0.02	3.41	99.56	63	125	212	16.4
1424	5284	60.65	0.12	17.59	5.07	0.24	0.09	1.14	8.53 *	4.30	0.17	1.57	99.46	700	580	1023 *	54.8
1425	5274	60.22	0.15	8.47	24.72 *	0.01	0.02	0.15	0.07	0.99	0.02	4.72	99.54	55	248	474 *	54.4
1901	5268	76.59	0.24	12.02	1.34	0.01	0.04	0.09	0.28	4.50	0.06	3.50	98.66	67	174	241	33.7
1902	5250	74.95 :	0.22	11.45	3.91	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.32	4.84	0.04	3.29	99.12	43	633	221	21.5
1903	5273	76.86	0.21	10.22	4.69	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.15	2.99	0.06	3.82	99.14	89	301	434 *	155.3
1904	5266	69.40	0.48	15.09	2.60	0.04	0.76	1.93	4.07	4.48	0.13	0.59	99.56	475	1838 *	319 *	10.1
1905	5269	76.31	0.27	13.04	2.45	0.01	0.06	0.09	0.16	3.19	0.04	4.53	100.14	87	190	274 *	49.0
1907	5254	73.99	0.26	14.10	1.14	0.01	0.04	0.08	0.30	5.18 *	0.05	4.03	99.17	66	75	252 *	39.2
1908	5252	79.08	0.24	10.88	1.62	0.01	0.03	0.13	0.23	4.02	0.05	3.49	99.77	61	138	246 *	16.0
1909	5265	77.97	0.20	8.97	5.66	0.01	0.01	0.11	0.13	2.27	0.06	4.00	99.38	81	308	529 *	441.9
1910	5251	77.46	0.24	11.17	2.53	0.01	0.02	0.12	0.21	3.47	0.03	4.02	99.27	64	143	267	21.7
1911	5256	77.47	0.21	9.92	4.61	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.15	2.89	0.06	3.79	99.24	86	306	445 *	157.0
1912	5262	59.90	0.13	17.97	5.40	0.24	0.09	1.16	8.45 *	4.21	0.16	1.57	99.30	713	583	1023 *	54.5
1913	5264	71.94	0.18	12.78	6.19	0.01	0.05	0.17	0.11	1.98	0.04	5.84	99.29	72	269	508 *	114.4
1914	5258	77.27	0.22	10.07	3.95	0.01	0.02	0.12	0.15	2.83	0.11	4.64	99.39	221	409	500 *	95.2
1915	5261	78.57	0.24	11.23	1.71	0.01	0.03	0.14	0.24	4.16	0.02	3.49	99.82	65	141	233	15.6

# out of range of standard calibration

1912 } = STM  
1424 }

sample	element	comment
1425	Fe	maybe 5-10% high
1912	Na	should be OK
1424	"	"
1412	K	should be good
1422	"	"
1907	"	"

1417	Ba	needs to be reanalyzed	} these look to be standards
1904	"	"	
(...)	Zr	samples under 300 should be fine, but these need to be checked	
(...)	Y	samples under 40 should be fine	

note: Zr usually more accurate on majors rather than trace run b/c of complexing problem with Si in concentrated solutions; although high Zr should be accurate; still I'll check it



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## Minor (Trace) Element Analyses

Sampl #	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	check conc.
1401 5425	2.5	87	10	3	12	206 <sup>+</sup>	19	31.4	257	492	49	✓
1402 5431	3.1	19	4	7	4	87	30	36.9 <sup>+</sup>	256	69	38	✓
1403 5428	4.4	184	40	13	45	-870 <sup>+</sup>	-26 <sup>+</sup>	77.4 <sup>+</sup>	291	397	100	✓
1404 5436	4.3	12	9	7	14	33	10	26.5	225	810	106	✓
1405 5435	1.6	169	7	8	18	312 <sup>+</sup>	33	41.7 <sup>+</sup>	249	119	43	✓
1406 5430	9.4	60	36	69	9	30	32	11.9	213	144	118	✓
1407 5421	17.3	58	9	6	20	79	12	51.9 <sup>+</sup>	91	362	183	✓
1408 5426	17.2	50	6	2	10	61	10	53.1 <sup>+</sup>	220	377	171	✓
1409 5429	14.8	98	41	18	44	77	9	30.4	47	465	264	✓
1410 5420	32.3	294 <sup>+</sup>	278	68	90 <sup>+</sup>	92	18	28.3	158	125	390	✓
1411 5433	1.7	29	12	16	7	182 <sup>+</sup>	27	25.4	215	85	57	✓
1412 5414	3.1	15	6	3	0	30	31	35.9 <sup>+</sup>	239	163	65	✓
1413 5438	3.3	20	8	23	2	113	36	38.9 <sup>+</sup>	241	72	31	✓
1414 5439	25.8	199	10	18	16	74	10	31.1	138	347	226	✓
1415 5418	16.4	96	45	16	41	80	9	35.0 <sup>+</sup>	156	415	222	✓
1416 5417	7.7	317 <sup>+</sup>	14	53	31	-1000 <sup>+</sup>	24	56.5 <sup>+</sup>	539	241	54	✓
1417 5413	3.2	32	12	10	11	85	15	105.2 <sup>+</sup>	326	1773 <sup>+</sup>	477	✓
1418 5443	4.4	56	5	9	5	88	36	77.4 <sup>+</sup>	305	85	33	✓
1419 5423	2.4	92	2	0	10	212 <sup>+</sup>	36	15.7	219	126	62	✓
1420 5442	3.5	44	8	14	4	132 <sup>+</sup>	36	37.6 <sup>+</sup>	258	82	51	✓
1421 5440	2.6	64	7	18	5	140 <sup>+</sup>	35	33.3	243	128	52	✓
1422 5411	1.6	171	6	11	19	213 <sup>+</sup>	35	41.3 <sup>+</sup>	231	115	41	✓
1423 5416	2.4	93	4	5	11	232 <sup>+</sup>	34	17.3	219	126	61	✓
1424 5410	0.3	1	9	11	6	172 <sup>+</sup>	328 <sup>+</sup>	53.8 <sup>+</sup>	1206 <sup>+</sup>	552	703	✓
1425 5400	7.8	332	6	3	28	-1000 <sup>+</sup>	24	54.4 <sup>+</sup>	508	251	55	✓
1901 5407	3.0	73	5	1	11	232 <sup>+</sup>	35	37.7 <sup>+</sup>	257	188	71	✓
1902 5386	1.4	36	8	1	0	159 <sup>+</sup>	20	20.5	222	616	42	✓
1903 5402	9.6	175	5	2	40	-1000 <sup>+</sup>	33	158.3 <sup>+</sup>	491	331	93	✓
1904 5408	3.4	34	10	6	10	80	15	10.6	339	1787 <sup>+</sup>	494	✓
1905 5405	3.4	114	12	24	19	234 <sup>+</sup>	41	52.0 <sup>+</sup>	293	208	94	✓
1906 5434	2.0	28	10	6	0	161 <sup>+</sup>	24	19.1	213	586	52	✓
1907 5383	2.3	46	5	6	10	185 <sup>+</sup>	39	38.8 <sup>+</sup>	258	75	66	✓
1908 5385	2.4	52	16	26	4	226 <sup>+</sup>	31	15.9	248	145	63	✓
1909 5390	12.3	171	4	4	43	-2804 <sup>+</sup>	32	434.0 <sup>+</sup>	554	310	82	✓
1910 5388	3.0	79	42	70	9	152 <sup>+</sup>	30	21.0	275	137	62	✓
1911 5382	8.9	149	4	7	37	-822 <sup>+</sup>	33	145.0 <sup>+</sup>	458	300	84	✓
1912 5394	0.4	0	3	1	9	196 <sup>+</sup>	338 <sup>+</sup>	54.5 <sup>+</sup>	1201 <sup>+</sup>	569	707	✓
1913 5392	12.9	173	4	3	38	-6000 <sup>+</sup>	30	114.0 <sup>+</sup>	515	265	69	✓
1914 5398	10.0	128	7	5	16	-30 <sup>+</sup>	35	94.9 <sup>+</sup>	511	410	219	✓
1915 5396	2.6	51	6	3	3	236 <sup>+</sup>	31	15.9	248	153	68	✓

\* out of range of standards

Zn calibration was way off causing a concave curve thus the negative #

Note the corrected Zn, Y and Rb &amp; FeO analyses for these samples are located on page 3.

Also note that the analyst can pick out the "unknown standards" submitted for analysis. See analyst note on page 3 that 1912 &amp; 1424 = STM. This is accurate.

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## Major Element Analyses and FeO

Sample #	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	Fe2O3	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	TOTAL	FeO	Sr	Ba	Zr	Y
41001 6915	76.57	0.23	12.32	0.93	0.01	0.07	0.19	0.59	6.43	0.03	2.25	99.62	0.27	24	69	232	34.6
41003 6927	77.98	0.25	11.93	0.60	0.01	0.06	0.17	0.57	5.88	0.02	2.38	99.84	1.19	32	63	254	31.8
41004 6918	77.28	0.24	12.37	0.48	0.01	0.06	0.16	0.53	6.05	0.04	2.48	99.69	0.24	39	66	263	33.2
41005 6916	76.33	0.25	13.03	0.54	0.00	0.06	0.17	0.54	6.38	0.03	2.51	99.84	0.08	32	71	237	36.5
41006 6921	76.00	0.24	13.08	0.57	0.01	0.06	0.17	0.62	6.64	0.06	2.38	99.85	0.07	64	63	244	33.9
41008 6924	79.43	0.25	10.81	2.39	0.01	0.05	0.15	0.25	3.27	0.04	3.43	100.07	0.16	64	124	256	17.5
41009 6923	74.66	0.22	10.97	6.56	0.01	0.05	0.19	0.26	3.38	0.03	3.71	100.05	0.09	59	105	249	16.2
41010 6919	66.17	0.29	16.09	8.25	0.01	0.05	0.19	0.14	1.55	0.07	7.08	99.88	0.16	232	297	561	41.1
41023 6926	79.49	0.24	10.57	2.38	0.01	0.05	0.15	0.25	3.14	0.02	3.53	99.81	0.16	63	123	244	17.0
41002 6893	69.48	0.48	15.19	2.68	0.04	0.75	1.90	4.03	4.38	0.15	0.57	99.65	1.56	463	1779	348	10.6
41003 6889	77.68	0.25	12.39	0.68	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.53	5.67	0.01	2.38	99.75	1.19	33	62	268	32.9
41007 6886	51.96	1.05	15.03	10.76	0.16	6.24	10.96	2.16	0.57	0.11	0.23	99.23	8.61	179	159	82	23.7
41008 6896	78.78	0.24	10.85	2.30	0.01	0.04	0.09	0.24	3.14	0.05	3.43	99.16	0.16	64	123	245	17.3
41009 6897	74.95	0.22	11.10	6.55	0.01	0.04	0.12	0.25	3.40	0.03	3.71	100.38	0.09	59	102	245	16.7
41011 6888	74.95	0.21	11.24	6.90	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.14	2.13	0.02	4.22	99.93	0.13	61	122	213	12.4
41012 6894	58.85	1.03	17.09	6.73	0.10	1.47	4.77	4.15	2.82	0.50	1.63	99.14	2.15	641	1124	221	20.0
41013 6885	71.77	0.20	15.45	3.25	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.55	0.01	8.21	99.60	0.13	146	225	234	11.3
41014 6880	71.68	0.19	12.94	6.16	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.04	0.64	0.01	7.42	99.13	0.18	282	508	297	10.9
41015 6882	72.72	0.21	14.11	0.77	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.06	1.58	0.01	10.74	100.28	0.17	349	448	266	11.5
41016 6883	74.47	0.22	14.61	0.64	0.00	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.89	0.02	8.33	99.33	0.15	189	237	227	11.2
41017 6879	74.54	0.24	12.23	1.40	0.07	0.12	0.38	1.06	6.36	0.07	2.50	99.00	0.19	63	159	228	33.0
41018 6857	78.20	0.22	10.83	0.94	0.01	0.07	0.06	0.11	1.07	0.02	8.16	99.67	0.23	186	428	398	12.4
41019 6877	74.18	0.21	12.45	1.37	0.00	0.08	0.07	0.06	1.32	0.01	9.31	99.08	0.23	291	349	283	12.2
41020 6874	74.32	0.23	14.13	1.54	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.08	1.48	0.03	8.22	100.13	0.16	196	303	224	10.6
41021 6848	77.55	0.24	12.29	0.56	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.20	2.82	0.04	6.08	99.90	0.14	143	168	237	13.9
41022 6876	76.54	0.25	13.33	0.65	0.01	0.05	0.13	0.58	6.58	0.02	2.41	100.56	0.05	65	64	256	34.4
41023 6850	78.91	0.24	10.60	2.38	0.01	0.04	0.07	0.23	3.17	0.04	3.53	99.21	0.16	63	124	240	17.6
41024 6871	72.02	0.20	13.19	6.52	0.00	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.65	0.01	7.49	100.21	0.2	289	536	323	11.1
41025 6852	77.20	0.25	12.25	0.56	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.19	2.72	0.03	6.12	99.42	0.13	141	163	230	13.7



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Sample #	Sc	V	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Ba	Sr	Rb
41001 6983	3.8	24	3	130	35	35.3	74	22	360
41002 6985	4.0	34	15	102	13	11.3	1859	478	168
41003 6987	3.6	18	2	117	32	33.9	68	33	324
41004 6988	4.0	25	2	101	35	34.3	70	41	318
41005 6989	4.8	31	1	105	35	40.4	75	32	357
41006 6975	3.0	27	1	125	41	35.5	66	64	368
41007 6976	35.3	228	91	86	8	23.7	164	188	19
41008 6979	3.0	74	6	190	52	16.9	125	62	144
41009 6980	2.6	127	9	285	41	16.3	105	57	156
41010 6982	13.2	332	22	374	37	43.0	294	231	67
41011 6968	3.6	75	6	64	30	12.4	130	62	96
41012 6970	11.7	118	55	94	11	21.0	1168	670	67
41013 6971	12.2	138	8	98	31	11.9	227	158	10
41014 6972	15.8	116	6	37	30	11.1	519	292	10
41015 6974	36.8	124	4	37	38	12.1	451	362	12
41016 6958	28.7	133	4	36	35	10.9	233	190	12
41017 6959	3.2	14	2	33	34	32.1	168	62	304
41018 6961	26.7	112	6	42	36	11.9	409	177	14
41019 6962	24.9	142	11	57	34	12.4	345	287	16
41020 6984	18.6	191	8	56	35	11.0	292	194	39
41021 6951	15.3	104	5	29	40	13.8	170	146	103
41022 6952	3.1	26	4	112	41	34.7	68	64	347
41023 6954	2.4	77	6	189	42	17.4	129	66	136
41024 6955	15.6	114	6	26	31	10.8	530	297	9
41025 6957	15.7	105	5	22	38	13.7	159	148	105

Note for samples 41001 → 41025 analyses of Zr, Cr, Ni are not yet complete.

The identification of these samples have been previously described in AN-1 (024; pages 225, 227 and 275).

Note the analysts notes on problem elemental analyses and her estimated accuracy on problem samples. This is shown on pages 2-4. For samples numbered 411 XXX the analyst reported no problems other than the incomplete analyses for Ni, Cr and Zr during her trace element runs.

An attempt to summarize the results and analyzing the quality of the reported values is conducted on the following pages.

It is unclear whether results quoted for 41XXX series analyses  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  is  $\text{TFe}_2\text{O}_3$  or the calculated from  $\text{FeO}$  analysis

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## Presentation of Major Element Analyses of Standards

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TTID	ID	SiO <sub>2</sub>	TiO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	TFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	FeO	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>
G-2 Standard		69.11	0.50	15.40	2.65	1.45	1.08	0.03	0.76	1.94	4.07	4.51	0.14
1904	G2	69.40	0.48	15.09	2.60	1.32	1.13	0.04	0.76	1.93	4.07	4.48	0.13
1417	G2	68.88	0.47	15.49	2.70	1.61	0.92	0.04	0.72	1.94	4.08	4.56	0.14
41002	G2	69.48	0.48	15.19	2.68	1.56	0.95	0.04	0.75	1.90	4.03	4.38	0.15
% difference 1904		0.42	-4.00	-2.01	-1.89	-8.97	4.39	33.33	0.00	-0.52	0.00	-0.67	-7.14
% difference 1417		-0.33	-6.00	0.58	1.89	11.03	-15.04	33.33	-5.26	0.00	0.25	1.11	0.00
% difference 41002		0.54	-4.00	-1.36	1.13	7.59	-11.94	33.33	-1.32	-2.06	-0.98	-2.88	7.14
Average % difference		0.21	-4.67	-0.93	0.38	3.22	-7.53	33.33	-2.19	-0.86	-0.25	-0.81	0.00
STM-1 Stand.		59.60	0.15	18.50	5.21	2.08	2.85	0.23	0.09	1.10	8.91	4.30	0.16
1912	STM-1	59.90	0.13	17.97	5.40	2.21	2.90	0.24	0.09	1.16	8.45	4.21	0.16
1424	STM-1	60.65	0.12	17.59	5.07	2.17	2.63	0.24	0.09	1.14	8.53	4.30	0.17
% difference 1912		0.50	-13.33	-2.86	3.65	6.25	1.89	4.35	0.00	5.45	-5.16	-2.09	0.00
% difference 1424		1.76	-20.00	-4.92	-2.69	4.33	-7.86	4.35	0.00	3.64	-4.26	0.00	6.25
Average % difference		1.13	-16.67	-3.89	0.48	5.29	-2.98	4.35	0.00	4.55	-4.71	-1.05	3.13
RGM-1 Stand.		72.70	0.27	13.80	1.87	1.23	0.49	0.04	0.28	1.13	4.03	4.33	0.05
1404	RGM-1	73.39	0.26	13.62	1.87	1.28	0.46	0.04	0.28	1.20	4.04	4.10	0.04
% difference 1404		0.95	-3.70	-1.30	0.00	4.07	-5.92	0.00	0.00	6.19	0.25	-5.31	-20.00
BHVO-1 Stand.		49.90	2.65	13.80	12.20	8.59	2.65	0.17	7.14	11.40	2.21	0.55	0.29
1410	BHVO-1	48.90	2.97	13.63	12.44	8.02	3.59	0.18	7.27	11.51	2.41	0.56	0.31
% difference 1410		-2.00	12.08	-1.23	1.97	-6.64	35.49	5.88	1.82	0.96	9.05	1.82	6.90
W-2 Standard		52.68	1.06	15.45	10.83	8.34	1.53	0.17	6.37	10.86	2.20	0.63	0.14
41007	W-2	51.96	1.05	15.03	10.76	8.61	1.34	0.16	6.24	10.96	2.16	0.57	0.11
% difference 41007		-1.37	-0.94	-2.72	-0.65	3.24	-12.74	-5.88	-2.04	0.92	-1.82	-9.52	-21.43
AGV-1 Stand.		59.00	1.04	17.25	6.76	2.05	4.51	0.10	1.53	4.90	4.26	2.89	0.49
41012	AGV-1	58.85	1.03	17.09	6.73	2.15	4.26	0.10	1.47	4.77	4.15	2.82	0.50
% difference 41012		-0.25	-0.96	-0.93	-0.44	4.88	-5.57	0.00	-3.92	-2.65	-2.58	-2.42	2.04

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# Presentation of Major Element Analyses of Duplicate Samples

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T T ID	ID	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	TFe2O3	FeO	Fe2O3	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5
1903	11.78	76.86	0.21	10.22	4.69	0.29	4.25	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.15	2.99	0.06
1911	11.78	77.47	0.21	9.92	4.61	0.23	4.23	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.15	2.89	0.06
% difference		0.79	0.00	-2.94	-1.71	-20.69	-0.33	0.00	0.00	-9.09	0.00	-3.34	0.00
1908	12.65	79.08	0.24	10.88	1.62	0.12	1.45	0.01	0.03	0.13	0.23	4.02	0.05
1915	12.65	78.57	0.24	11.23	1.71	0.11	1.54	0.01	0.03	0.14	0.24	4.16	0.02
% difference		-0.64	0.00	3.22	5.56	-8.33	6.78	0.00	0.00	7.69	4.35	3.48	-60.00
1405	11.55	77.48	0.24	13.03	0.61	0.09	0.50	0.01	0.03	0.09	0.30	4.80	0.02
1422	11.55	77.18	0.24	12.71	0.60	0.08	0.50	0.01	0.03	0.10	0.32	5.04	0.04
% difference		-0.39	0.00	-2.46	-1.64	-11.11	0.18	0.00	0.00	11.11	6.67	5.00	100.00
1419	13.5	76.57	0.22	10.97	4.09	0.09	3.88	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.23	3.51	0.00
1423	13.5	76.52	0.22	11.20	4.13	0.12	3.88	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.24	3.69	0.02
% difference		-0.07	0.00	2.10	0.98	33.33	0.18	0.00	50.00	10.00	4.35	2.22	-100.00
1416	13.95	59.95	0.15	8.56	26.01	0.31	24.92	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.06	0.97	0.01
1425	13.95	60.22	0.15	8.47	24.72	0.23	23.76	0.01	0.02	0.15	0.07	0.99	0.02
% difference		0.45	0.00	-1.05	-4.96	-25.81	-4.69	0.00	100.00	7.14	16.67	2.06	100.00
41106	8.15	76.00	0.24	13.08	0.57	0.07	0.48	0.01	0.06	0.17	0.62	6.64	0.06
41022	8.15	76.54	0.25	13.33	0.65	0.05	0.58	0.01	0.05	0.13	0.58	6.58	0.02
% difference		0.71	4.17	1.91	14.04	-28.57	20.62	0.00	-16.67	-23.53	-6.45	-0.90	-66.67
41008	14.45	79.43	0.25	10.81	2.39	0.16	2.15	0.01	0.05	0.15	0.25	3.27	0.04
41023	14.45	78.91	0.24	10.60	2.38	0.16	2.14	0.01	0.04	0.07	0.23	3.17	0.04
% difference		-0.65	-4.00	-1.94	-0.42	0.00	-0.45	0.00	-20.00	-53.33	-8.00	-3.06	0.00
41014	18.05	71.68	0.19	12.94	6.16	0.18	5.79	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.04	0.64	0.01
41024	18.05	72.02	0.20	13.19	6.52	0.20	6.12	0.00	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.65	0.01
% difference		0.47	5.26	1.93	5.84	11.11	5.67	0.00	200.00	50.00	50.00	1.56	0.00
41021	20.65	77.55	0.24	12.29	0.56	0.14	0.40	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.20	2.82	0.04
41025	20.65	77.20	0.25	12.25	0.56	0.13	0.41	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.19	2.72	0.03
% difference		-0.45	4.17	-0.33	0.00	-7.14	2.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	-5.00	-3.55	-25.00

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TT ID	ID	Sr)m	Ba)m	Zr)m	Y)m	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
<b>G-2 Standard</b>		479	1870	300	12.0	3.7	35	7	5	12	85	14	12.0	300	1870	479	168
1904	G2	475	1838	319	10.1	3.4	34	10	6	10	80	15	10.6	339	1787	494	169
1417	G2	489	1855	319	10.7	3.2	32	12	10	11	91	15	10.5	326	1773	477	168
41002	G2	463	1779	348	10.6	4.0	34			15	102	13	11.3		1859	478	168
% difference 1904		-0.84	-1.71	6.33	-15.83	-8.11	-2.86	42.86	20.00	-16.67	-5.88	7.14	-11.67	13.00	-4.44	3.13	0.60
% difference 1417		2.09	-0.80	6.33	-10.83	-13.51	-8.57	71.43	100.00	-8.33	7.06	7.14	-12.50	8.67	-5.19	-0.42	0.00
% difference 41002		-3.34	-4.87	16.00	-11.67	8.11	-2.86			25.00	20.00	-7.14	-5.83		-0.59	-0.21	0.00
Average % difference		-0.70	-2.46	9.56	-12.78	-4.50	-4.76	57.14	60.00	0.00	7.06	2.38	-10.00	10.83	-3.40	0.84	0.20
<b>STM-1 Standard</b>		730	590	1260	53.0	0.7	2	3	2	4	230	270	53	1260	590	730	120
1912	STM-1	713	583	1023	54.5	0.4	0	3	1	9	247	338	51.1	1201	569	707	119
1424	STM-1	700	580	1023	54.8	0.3	1	9	11	6	247	328	50.6	1206	552	703	120
% difference 1912		-2.33	-1.19	-18.81	2.83	-42.86	-100.00	0.00	-50.00	125.00	7.39	25.19	-3.58	-4.68	-3.56	-3.15	-0.83
% difference 1424		-4.11	-1.69	-18.81	3.40	-57.14	-50.00	200.00	450.00	50.00	7.39	21.48	-4.53	-4.29	-6.44	-3.70	0.00
Average % difference		-3.22	-1.44	-18.81	3.11	-50.00	-75.00	100.00	200.00	87.50	7.39	23.33	-4.06	-4.48	-5.00	-3.42	-0.42
<b>RGM-1 Standard</b>		114	820	210	27.0	5.0	14	3	7	11	32	9	27.0	210	820	114	156
1404	RGM-1	104	818	217	25.7	4.3	12	9	7	14	33	10	26.5	225	810	106	150
% difference 1404		-8.77	-0.24	3.33	-4.81	-14.00	-14.29	260.00	0.00	30.84	3.13	11.11	-1.85	7.14	-1.22	-7.02	-3.85
<b>BHVO-1 Standard</b>		440	142	180	28.0	30.2	314	300	117	137	102	19	28.0	180	142	440	10
1410	BHVO-1	392	131	167	28.1	32.3	294	278	68	90	92	18	28.3	158	125	390	11
% difference 1410		-10.91	-7.75	-7.22	0.36	6.95	-6.37	-7.33	-41.88	-34.31	-9.80	-5.26	1.07	-12.22	-11.97	-11.36	10.00
<b>W-2 Standard</b>		192	174	100	23.0	35.7	259	92	70	106	80	7	23.0	100	174	192	21
41007	W-2	179	159	82	23.7	35.3	228			91	86	8	23.7		164	188	19
% difference 41007		-6.77	-8.41	-18.00	3.04	-1.12	-11.97			-14.15	7.50	14.29	3.04		-5.53	-2.08	-9.09
<b>AGV-1 Standard</b>		657	1208	225	21.3	13.4	125	12	19	60	84	15	21.3	225	1208	657	67
41012	AGV-1	641	1124	221	20.0	11.7	118			55	94	11	21.0		1168	670	67
% difference 41012		-2.44	-6.95	-1.78	-6.10	-12.69	-5.60			-8.33	11.90	-26.67	-1.41		-3.31	1.98	0.00

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TT ID	ID	Sr)m	Ba)m	Zr)m	Y)m	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
1903	11.78	89	301	434	155.0	9.6	175	5	2	40	1351	33	118.5	491	331	93	133
1911	11.78	86	306	445	157.0	8.9	149	4	7	37	1155	33	119.8	458	300	84	132
% difference		-3.37	1.66	2.53	1.29	-7.3	-15	-20	250	-8	-15	0	1.1	-7	-9	-10	-1
1908	12.65	61	138	246	16.0	2.4	52	16	26	4	364	31	15.8	248	145	63	185
1915	12.65	65	141	233	15.6	2.6	51	6	3	3	375	31	15.7	248	153	68	184
% difference		-6.56	2.17	-5.28	-2.50	8.3	-2	-63	-88	-25	3	0	-0.6	0	6	8	-1
1405	11.55	45	118	247	40.7	1.6	169	7	8	18	313	33	38.9	249	119	43	245
1422	11.55	44	118	226	39.2	1.6	171	6	11	19	321	35	38.3	231	115	41	242
% difference		-2.22	0.00	-8.50	-3.69	0.0	1	-14	38	6	3	6	-1.5	-7	-3	-5	-1
1419	13.5	63	127	226	16.5	2.4	92	2	0	10	330	36	16.8	219	126	62	170
1423	13.5	63	125	212	16.4	2.4	93	4	5	11	316	34	15.8	219	126	61	168
% difference		0.00	-1.57	-6.19	-0.61	0.0	1	100	-100	10	-4	-6	-6.0	0	0	-2	-1
1416	13.95	57	243	527	52.5	7.7	317	14	53	31	1297	24	49.2	539	241	54	41
1425	13.95	55	248	474	54.4	7.8	332	6	3	28	1423	24	51.1	508	251	55	42
% difference		-3.51	2.06	-10.06	3.62	1.3	5	-57	-94	-10	10	0	3.9	-6	4	2	2
41006	8.15	64	63	244	33.9	3.0	27			1	125	41	35.5		66	64	368
41022	8.15	65	64	256	34.4	3.1	26			4	112	41	34.7		68	64	347
% difference		1.56	1.59	4.92	1.47	3.3	-4			300	-10	0	-2.3		3	0	-6
41008	14.45	64	124	256	17.5	3.0	74										
41023	14.45	63	124	240	17.6	2.4	77			6	190	52	16.9		125	62	144
% difference		-1.56	0.00	-6.25	0.57	-20.0	4			6	189	42	17.4		129	66	136
										0	-1	-19	3.0		3	6	-6
41014	18.05	282	508	297	10.9	15.8	116										
41024	18.05	289	536	323	11.1	15.6	114			6	37	30	11.1		519	292	10
% difference		2.48	5.51	8.75	1.83	-1.3	-2			6	26	31	10.8		530	297	9
										0	-30	3	-2.7		2	2	-10
41021	20.65	143	168	237	13.9	15.3	104			5	29	40	13.8				
41025	20.65	141	163	230	13.7	15.7	105			5	22	38	13.7		170	146	103
% difference		-1.40	-2.98	-2.95	-1.44	2.6	1			0	-24	-5	-0.7		-6	1	2

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# Replicate Analyses of NOP-ECP-1 From 5/91 $\Rightarrow$ 6/93 Long Term Reproducibility

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T T ID	ID	Sr)m	Ba)m	Zr)m	Y)m	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
5909	NOP-ECP					3.1	16	4	3	0	32	30	32	222	183	63	303
5912	-WR1/2					3.2	16	3	2	0	30	27	32.5	207	180	72	291
3105	5912					3.1	17	0	0	3	29	32	36.6	230	164	70	293
1412	5912	70	159	227	34.1	3.1	15	6	3	0	28	31	31.2	239	163	65	294
41017	5909	63	159	228	33	3.2	14			2	33	34	32.1		168	62	304
Average						3.1	15.6	3.3	2.0	1.0	30.4	30.8	32.9	224.5	171.6	66.4	297.0
STD						0.1	1.1	2.5	1.4	1.4	2.1	2.6	2.1	13.6	9.3	4.4	6.0
5909 % diff						0.00	2.56	21.21	50	100	5.26	2.60	2.74	1.11	6.64	5.12	2.02
5912 % diff						3.23	2.56	9.09	0	100	1.32	12.34	1.22	7.80	4.90	8.43	2.02
3105 % diff						0.00	8.97	100.00	100	200	4.61	3.90	11.25	2.45	4.43	5.42	1.35
1412 % diff						0.00	3.85	81.82	50	100	7.89	0.65	5.17	6.46	5.01	2.11	1.01
41017 % diff						3.23	10.26	100.00	100	100	8.55	10.39	2.43		2.10	6.63	2.36
Average % diff						1.3	5.6	62.4	60.0	120.0	5.5	6.0	4.6	4.5	4.6	5.5	1.8
T T ID	ID	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	TFE2O3	FeO	Fe2O3	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	Total		
5909	NOP-ECP	75.73	0.25	12.74	1.48	0.23	1.23	0.07	0.14	0.34	1.1	6.53	0.07	2.45	100.89		
5912	-WR1/2	74.75	0.26	12.75	1.64	0.32	1.29	0.05	0.16	0.48	1.04	6.43	0.07	2.74	100.35		
3105	5912	74.22	0.24	12.54	1.52			0.05	0.14	0.49	1.11	6.29	0.07	2.82	99.49		
1412	5912	74.89	0.24	12.80	1.54	0.15	1.34	0.04	0.13	0.54	1.09	6.67	0.09	2.81	100.84		
41017	5909	74.54	0.24	12.28	1.40	0.19	1.16	0.07	0.12	0.38	1.06	6.36	0.07	2.50	99.00		
Average		74.83	0.25	12.62	1.52	0.22	1.25	0.06	0.14	0.45	1.08	6.46	0.07	2.66	100.11		
STD		0.56	0.01	0.22	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.01	0.01	0.08	0.03	0.15	0.01	0.18	0.84		
5909 % diff		1.20	0.00	0.95	2.63	4.55	1.60	16.67	0.00	24.44	1.85	1.08	0.00	7.89	0.78		
5912 % diff		0.11	4.00	1.03	7.89	45.45	3.20	16.67	14.29	6.67	3.70	0.46	0.00	3.01	0.24		
3105 % diff		0.82	4.00	0.63	0.00			16.67	0.00	8.89	2.78	2.63	0.00	6.02	0.62		
1412 % diff		0.08	4.00	1.43	1.32	31.82	6.91	33.33	7.14	20.00	0.93	3.25	28.57	5.64	0.73		
41017 % diff		0.39	4.00	2.69	7.89	13.64	7.35	16.67	14.29	15.56	1.85	1.55	0.00	6.02	1.11		
Average % diff		0.5	3.2	1.3	3.9	23.9	4.8	20.0	7.1	15.1	2.2	1.8	5.7	7.1	0.7		

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Samples 5909 and 5912 are two bulk powders of NOP-ECP-1  
They represent the unaltered Nopal Formation

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## Summary of Santorini Rock Chemistry

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Sample ID	Distance West (m)	SiO <sub>2</sub>	TiO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	TFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	FeO	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	LOI	Total
1407	SAN-WMM-007	62.63	0.80	15.95	5.94	1.65	4.02	0.16	1.68	5.05	5.14	1.82	0.72	1.30	101.19
1408	SAN-WMM-008	63.21	0.77	15.68	5.61	1.74	3.61	0.16	1.52	4.14	5.19	2.09	0.24	0.52	99.12
1409	SAN-WMM-009	59.18	0.69	14.84	5.38	1.87	3.24	0.13	2.52	5.25	2.77	1.73	0.89	6.87	100.25
1414	SAN-WMM-004	56.31	0.84	16.59	7.68	3.17	4.10	0.16	3.15	7.24	3.48	1.52	0.12	1.94	99.03
1415	SAN-WMM-005	59.59	0.72	14.25	5.75	1.99	3.48	0.14	2.59	5.15	2.94	1.74	0.64	6.12	99.63

## Trace santorini

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Sample ID	Distance West (m)	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
1407	SAN-WMM-007	17.3	58	9	6	20	84	12	49.0	91	362	183	58
1408	SAN-WMM-008	17.2	50	6	2	10	79	10	50.6	220	377	171	63
1409	SAN-WMM-009	14.8	98	41	18	44	77	9	30.4	47	465	264	61
1414	SAN-WMM-004	25.8	199	10	18	16	74	10	31.1	138	347	226	48
1415	SAN-WMM-005	16.4	96	45	16	41	81	9	31.7	156	415	222	62

Compare these results to results of leachant study to determine the proper framework to interpret these results.



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Summary of E-W Transect at 7.5 m North on +10m lat 13

Sample ID	Distance West (m)	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	TFe2O3	Feo	Fe2O3	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	Total
1413	2.55	76.38	0.24	12.79	0.72	0.16	0.53	0.01	0.12	0.13	0.53	6.36	0.02	2.49	99.78
41001	4.00	76.57	0.23	12.32	0.93	0.27	0.62	0.01	0.07	0.19	0.59	6.43	0.03	2.25	99.62
41003	5.20	77.98	0.25	11.93	0.60	1.19	-0.68	0.01	0.06	0.17	0.57	5.88	0.02	2.38	99.84
41004	6.20	77.28	0.24	12.37	0.48	0.24	0.21	0.01	0.06	0.16	0.53	6.05	0.04	2.48	99.69
41005	7.45	76.33	0.25	13.03	0.54	0.08	0.44	0.00	0.06	0.17	0.54	6.38	0.03	2.51	99.84
41106	8.15	76.00	0.24	13.08	0.57	0.07	0.48	0.01	0.06	0.17	0.62	6.64	0.06	2.38	99.85
41022	8.15	76.54	0.25	13.33	0.65	0.05	0.58	0.01	0.05	0.13	0.58	6.58	0.02	2.41	100.56
AVG	8.15	76.27	0.25	13.21	0.61	0.06	0.53	0.01	0.06	0.15	0.60	6.61	0.04	2.40	100.21
1418	9.00	77.01	0.25	13.28	0.57	0.18	0.36	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.43	5.77	0.02	2.83	100.28
1402	9.70	76.42	0.25	12.87	0.59	0.10	0.47	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.54	6.06	0.01	2.41	99.28
1421	10.30	78.25	0.23	12.65	0.57	0.08	0.47	0.00	0.02	0.07	0.31	4.77	0.02	3.12	100.02
1420	10.80	77.02	0.26	13.73	0.44	0.10	0.32	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.31	4.63	0.01	3.26	99.80
1405	11.55	77.48	0.24	13.03	0.61	0.09	0.50	0.01	0.03	0.09	0.30	4.80	0.02	2.92	99.53
1422	11.55	77.18	0.24	12.71	0.60	0.08	0.50	0.01	0.03	0.10	0.32	5.04	0.04	2.95	99.19
AVG	11.55	77.33	0.24	12.87	0.61	0.09	0.50	0.01	0.03	0.10	0.31	4.92	0.03	2.94	99.36
1403	11.90	75.29	0.21	9.27	4.42	0.51	3.75	0.01	0.01	0.44	0.09	1.98	0.03	4.29	96.02
1411	12.50	77.46	0.22	12.37	0.71	0.01	0.68	0.00	0.02	0.13	0.31	4.25	0.01	3.22	98.72
1401	12.95	73.11	0.19	9.19	10.52	0.06	10.15	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.18	2.83	0.01	3.42	99.60
1419	13.50	76.57	0.22	10.97	4.09	0.09	3.88	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.23	3.61	0.00	3.42	99.25
1423	13.50	76.52	0.22	11.20	4.13	0.12	3.88	0.01	0.03	0.11	0.24	3.69	0.02	3.41	99.56
AVG	13.50	76.55	0.22	11.09	4.11	0.11	3.88	0.01	0.03	0.11	0.24	3.65	0.01	3.42	99.41
1416	13.95	59.95	0.15	8.56	26.01	0.31	24.92	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.06	0.97	0.01	4.72	100.60
1425	13.95	60.22	0.15	8.47	24.72	0.23	23.76	0.01	0.02	0.15	0.07	0.99	0.02	4.72	99.54
AVG	13.95	60.09	0.15	8.52	25.37	0.27	24.34	0.01	0.02	0.15	0.07	0.98	0.02	4.72	100.07
41008	14.45	79.43	0.25	10.81	2.39	0.16	2.15	0.01	0.05	0.15	0.25	3.27	0.04	3.43	100.07
41023	14.45	78.91	0.24	10.60	2.38	0.16	2.14	0.01	0.04	0.07	0.23	3.17	0.04	3.53	99.21
AVG	14.45	79.17	0.25	10.71	2.39	0.16	2.15	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.24	3.22	0.04	3.48	99.54
41009	15.00	74.66	0.22	10.97	6.56	0.09	6.27	0.01	0.05	0.19	0.26	3.38	0.03	3.71	100.05
41010	15.60	66.17	0.29	16.09	8.25	0.16	7.84	0.01	0.05	0.19	0.14	1.55	0.07	7.08	99.88
41011	16.40	74.95	0.21	11.24	6.90	0.13	6.56	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.14	2.13	0.02	4.22	99.93
1406	17.00	73.00	0.23	15.37	3.33	0.12	3.11	0.00	0.01	0.09	0.11	1.67	0.02	6.56	100.38
41013	17.40	71.77	0.20	15.45	3.25	0.13	3.02	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.55	0.01	8.21	99.60

Sample ID	Distance West (m)	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	TFe2O3	Feo	Fe2O3	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	Total
41014	18.05	71.68	0.19	12.94	6.16	0.18	5.79	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.04	0.64	0.01	7.42	99.13
41024	18.05	72.02	0.20	13.19	6.52	0.20	6.12	0.00	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.65	0.01	7.49	100.21
AVG	18.05	71.85	0.20	13.07	6.34	0.19	5.95	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.65	0.01	7.46	99.67
41015	18.35	72.72	0.21	14.11	0.77	0.17	0.57	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.06	1.58	0.01	10.74	100.28
41016	18.60	74.47	0.22	14.61	0.64	0.15	0.46	0.00	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.89	0.02	8.33	99.33
41018	19.00	78.20	0.22	10.83	0.94	0.23	0.67	0.01	0.07	0.06	0.11	1.07	0.02	8.16	99.67
41019	19.65	74.18	0.21	12.45	1.37	0.23	1.09	0.00	0.08	0.07	0.06	1.32	0.01	9.31	99.08
41020	20.10	74.32	0.23	14.13	1.54	0.16	1.33	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.08	1.48	0.03	8.22	100.13
41021	20.65	77.55	0.24	12.29	0.56	0.14	0.40	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.20	2.82	0.04	6.08	99.90
41025	20.65	77.20	0.25	12.25	0.56	0.13	0.41	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.19	2.72	0.03	6.12	99.42
AVG	20.65	77.38	0.25	12.27	0.56	0.14	0.40	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.20	2.77	0.04	6.10	99.66

Call Melanie Bowers to  
check FeO/Fe2O3 at on 41xxx series samples.

## E-W Transect summary Trace

Sample ID	Distance West (m)	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
1413	2.55	3.3	20	8	23	2	113	36	38.9	241	72	31	341
41001	4.00	3.8	24			3	130	35	35.3		74	22	360
41003	5.20	3.6	18			2	117	32	33.9		68	33	324
41004	6.20	4.0	25			2	101	35	34.3		70	41	318
41005	7.45	4.8	31			1	105	35	40.4		75	32	357
41106	8.15	3.0	27			1	125	41	35.5		66	64	368
41022	8.15	3.1	26			4	112	41	34.7		68	64	347
AVG	8.15	3.1	27			3	113	41	35.1	0	67	64	358
1418	9.00	4.4	56	5	9	5	88	36	77.4	305	85	33	300
1402	9.70	3.1	19	4	7	4	87	30	36.9	256	69	38	338
1421	10.30	2.6	64	7	18	5	140	35	33.3	243	128	52	245
1420	10.80	3.5	44	8	14	4	132	36	37.6	258	82	51	245
1405	11.55	1.6	169	7	8	18	312	33	41.7	249	119	43	245
1422	11.55	1.6	171	6	11	19	213	35	41.3	231	115	41	242
AVG	11.55	1.6	170	7	10	19	213	34	41.5	240	117	42	244
1403	11.90	4.4	184	40	13	45	870	50	77.4	291	397	100	81
1411	12.50	1.7	29	12	16	7	182	27	25.4	215	85	57	228
1401	12.95	2.5	87	10	3	12	206	19	31.4	257	492	49	137
1419	13.50	2.4	92	2	0	10	212	36	15.7	219	126	62	170
1423	13.50	2.4	93	4	5	11	232	34	17.3	219	126	61	168
AVG	13.50	2.4	93	3	3	11	222	35	16.5	219	126	62	169
1416	13.95	7.7	317	14	53	31	1000	24	56.5	539	241	54	41
1425	13.95	7.8	332	6	3	28	1000	24	54.4	508	251	55	42
AVG	13.95	7.8	325	10	28	30	1000	24	55.5	524	246	55	42
41008	14.45	3.0	74			6	190	52	16.9		125	62	144
41023	14.45	2.4	77			6	189	42	17.4		129	66	136
AVG	14.45	2.7	76			6	-6	47	17.2	0	127	64	140
41009	15.00	2.6	127			9	285	41	16.3		105	57	156
41010	15.60	13.2	332			22	374	37	43.0		294	231	67
41011	16.40	3.6	75			6	64	30	12.4		130	62	96
1406	17.00	9.4	60	36	69	9	30	32	11.9	213	144	118	59
41013	17.40	12.2	138			8	98	31	11.9		227	158	10
41014	18.05	15.8	116			6	37	30	11.1		519	292	10
41024	18.05	15.6	114			6	26	31	10.8		530	297	9
AVG	18.05	15.7	115			6	26	31	11.0	0	525	295	10

Sample ID	Distance West (m)	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
41015	18.35	36.8	124			4	37	38	12.1		451	362	12
41016	18.60	28.7	133			4	36	35	10.9		233	190	12
41018	19.00	26.7	112			6	42	36	11.9		409	177	14
41019	19.65	24.9	142			11	57	34	12.4		345	287	16
41020	20.10	18.6	191			8	56	35	11.0		292	194	39
41021	20.65	15.3	104			5	29	40	13.8		170	146	103
41025	20.65	15.7	105			5	22	38	13.7		159	148	105
AVG	20.65	15.5	105			5	26	39	13.8	0	165	147	104

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 GML E-W Transect at 7.5 m level on +10m level



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Majors 2m E-W at 9.1 m N

Sample ID	Distance West (m)	SiO2	TiO2	Al2O3	TFe2O3	FeO	Fe2O3	MnO	MgO	CaO	Na2O	K2O	P2O5	LOI	Total
1901	11	76.59	0.24	12.02	1.34	0.16	1.13	0.01	0.04	0.09	0.28	4.50	0.06	3.50	98.66
1905	11.22	76.31	0.27	13.04	2.45	0.15	2.22	0.01	0.06	0.09	0.16	3.19	0.04	4.53	100.14
1907	11.4	73.99	0.26	14.10	1.14	0.11	0.99	0.01	0.04	0.08	0.30	5.18	0.05	4.03	99.17
1909	11.6	77.97	0.20	8.97	5.66	0.15	5.34	0.01	0.01	0.11	0.13	2.27	0.06	4.00	99.38
1903	11.78	76.86	0.21	10.22	4.69	0.29	4.25	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.15	2.99	0.06	3.82	99.14
1911	11.78	77.47	0.21	9.92	4.61	0.23	4.23	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.15	2.89	0.06	3.79	99.24
AVG	11.78	77.17	0.21	10.07	4.65	0.26	4.24	0.01	0.02	0.11	0.15	2.94	0.06	3.81	99.19
1913	12	71.94	0.18	12.78	6.19	0.21	5.79	0.01	0.05	0.17	0.11	1.98	0.04	5.84	99.29
1914	12.18	77.27	0.22	10.07	3.95	0.30	3.52	0.01	0.02	0.12	0.15	2.83	0.11	4.64	99.39
1910	12.42	77.46	0.24	11.17	2.53	0.15	2.30	0.01	0.02	0.12	0.21	3.47	0.03	4.02	99.27
1908	12.65	79.08	0.24	10.88	1.62	0.12	1.45	0.01	0.03	0.13	0.23	4.02	0.05	3.49	99.77
1915	12.65	78.57	0.24	11.23	1.71	0.11	1.54	0.01	0.03	0.14	0.24	4.16	0.02	3.49	99.82
AVG	12.65	78.83	0.24	11.06	1.67	0.12	1.49	0.01	0.03	0.14	0.24	4.09	0.04	3.49	99.80
1906	12.87	76.92	0.22	11.72	1.63	0.12	1.46	0.01	0.02	0.09	0.30	4.59	0.01	3.27	98.78
1902	13	74.93	0.22	11.45	3.91	0.08	3.71	0.01	0.02	0.10	0.32	4.84	0.04	3.29	99.12

Trace 2m E-W at 9.1 m N

Sample ID	Distance West (m)	Sc	V	Cr	Ni	Cu	Zn	Nb	Y	Zr	Ba	Sr	Rb
1901	11	3.0	73	5	1	11	355	35	33.5	257	188	71	217
1905	11.22	3.4	114	12	24	19	435	41	45.4	293	208	94	137
1907	11.4	2.3	46	5	6	10	239	39	37.4	258	75	66	253
1909	11.6	12.3	171	4	4	43	1900	32	275.1	554	310	82	96
1903	11.78	9.6	175	5	2	40	1351	33	118.5	491	331	93	133
1911	11.78	8.9	149	4	7	37	1155	33	119.8	458	300	84	132
AVG	11.78	9.3	162	5	5	39	1253	33	119.2	475	316	89	133
1913	12	12.9	173	4	3	38	2335	30	100.6	515	265	69	87
1914	12.18	10.0	128	7	5	16	807	35	81.4	511	410	219	123
1910	12.42	3.0	79	42	70	9	645	30	22.0	275	137	62	161
1908	12.65	2.4	52	16	26	4	364	31	15.8	248	145	63	185
1915	12.65	2.6	51	6	3	3	375	31	15.7	248	153	68	184
AVG	12.65	2.5	52	11	15	4	370	31	15.8	248	149	66	185
1906	12.87	2.0	28	10	6	0	162	24	18.9	213	586	52	247
1902	13	1.4	36	8	1	0	196	20	21.2	222	616	42	243

Summary of Major and Minor (Trace)  
Element Analyses for 2 meter traverse at  
9.1 m North end +10 m level of Nepal I.

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## Acceptance of Texas Tech Whole-Rock Analyses

A January 23, 1991 memo from R.A. Brient to the Center Qualified Suppliers List gives the acceptance criteria currently in effect for geochemical data at the Center.

Some of the analyses provided in these batches of samples do not meet the criterion in the Brient memo, nevertheless, the analyses do have scientific usefulness and will not be summarily discarded.

## Major Elements (&gt;1 wt%)

Analyses for FeO (on standards G-2, STM-1, & BHVO-1),  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  (calculated from  $\text{TFe}_2\text{O}_3$  & FeO) (on standards G-2, STM-1, BHVO-1, W-2, and AGV-1 and duplicates 1908/1915 and 41014/41024),  $\text{TFe}_2\text{O}_3$  (duplicates 1908/1915 and 41014/41024), CaO (standards STM-1, RGM-1),  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  (standards STM-1 & BHVO-1) and  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  (standards RGM-1 and duplicates 1405/1422) fail to meet the Brient Memo criteria because the abundances of each oxide are just over 1 wt% and are therefore subject to a maximum 5% variance in any standard or duplicate analysis.

This explanation is appropriate for the CaO analysis, however, this is not the case for other "elements".

Problems with FeO with precision and accuracy require further analysis before summarily rejecting all analyses of FeO. First, it is important to note that the Texas Tech Lab can measure the difference between 1.2, 1.4, 2.0, and 8.0 wt% FeO where errors (variance is <10%) for analyses over 1 wt% FeO. It is equally clear that for values <1 wt% FeO, variances can be up to 30% but the absolute differences for duplicate samples only range from 0.01-0.08 wt%.

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Again Texas Tech can tell the difference between values around .1 and .2 wt% FeO and this means that the analyses have scientific value.

From perusal of the  $\text{TFe}_2\text{O}_3$  on the standards and duplicates it is clear that error arising in  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  appears to be derived primarily from error in FeO analyses since  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  is calculated from  $\text{TFe}_2\text{O}_3 - \text{FeO} \equiv \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ . Thus errors given in below table for FeO will be used as a conservative measure of error of  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  measurements.

For  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  the error on standard STM-1 is 5.16% (.46 wt% too low) and on BHVO-1 the error is less than 10%. The Texas Tech lab can tell the difference between samples 2, 4, 8 wt%  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  and this is scientifically meaningful. For analyses over 1 wt%  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  error of 10% can be assumed.

Finally for  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  errors on RGM-1 and duplicates 1405/1422 are 5.31% and 5.0%, respectively, and are only .23 and .24 wt% too low. Again the analyst can distinguish between standards and duplicates which are 0.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 and thus the  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  analyses retain scientific usefulness.

Reasonable uncertainties for Major Elements						
	FeO	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	TFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	CaO	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O
%	10	20	<5	5	5	5

We will use these analyses, however, we will retain acute awareness of the uncertainty associated with these numbers.



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## Minor Elements (&lt;1 wt%)

No distinction is made in the Brient Memo between "minor" elements and "trace" elements. Therefore many of these analyses fail to meet the % variance criteria because they have small absolute variances which are large % variance. For example, if a standard contained 3 ppm of X and was reported by Texas Tech to contain 2 ppm of X, it would have a 66% variance and, by the Brient memo criteria, be unacceptable.

We will use such data because it is scientifically meaningful and will seek to have the acceptance criteria for trace components modified appropriately.

Specifically data in these analyses for  $\text{TiO}_2$ ,  $\text{MnO}$ ,  $\text{MgO}$ ,  $\text{FeO}$ ,  $\text{CaO}$ ,  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{Sc}$ ,  $\text{V}$ ,  $\text{Cr}$ ,  $\text{Ni}$ ,  $\text{Cu}$ ,  $\text{Zn}$ ,  $\text{Nb}$ ,  $\text{Y}$ ,  $\text{Zr}$ ,  $\text{Ba}$ , &  $\text{Sr}$  falls into the above category.

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OCL

2L OF 1.0 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  WAS MADE BY MEASURING OUT 286 mL OF 7N  $\text{HNO}_3$  (LOT # 913941) IN A CLEANED 100 mL AND 50 mL GRADUATED CYLINDERS. ACID POURED INTO LABELED AND CLEANED ACID BOTTLE WHERE 714 mL OF NANOPURE  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  WAS ADDED. SOLUTION WAS MIXED AND LABELED:

1.0 N  $\text{HNO}_3$   
LOT # 913941  
6/21/93 OCL

100 mL OF 10% TBP / AMYL ACETATE WAS PREPARED BY MEASURING OUT 10 mL (LOT # 911238) OF Tri-n-butylphosphate in a cleaned 10 mL GRADUATED CYLINDER AND POURING INTO AN AMBER BROWN 4L BOTTLE. 90 mL OF AMYL ACETATE (LOT # 902158) MEASURED IN A CLEANED 100 mL GRADUATED CYLINDER IS THEN POURED INTO ABOVE 4L BOTTLE & LABELED.

\* NOTE : SAMPLES 1287/9.1 AND 12.42/9.14 WERE MIXED DURING FINAL  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  EXTRACTION. 5 - 25 mL EXTRACTIONS [1 BEING SAMPLE 12.87/9.1] WAS ADDED TO 12.42/9.14 AND 12.87/9.1 WENT THROUGH 3 EXTRACTIONS OF 1 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

6/22/93  
pg 1  
Continuation of Autoradiographic Experiment  
CSE AN-1 042/239

The samples processed for 1 hour on  
6/8/93 did not show any alpha hits.

NOPI-ECP. 12.5/7.95-TS1 (RA10) &  
NOPI-ECP 22.5/10.4-TS1 (RA13) WERE  
RE-EXPOSED TO CR-39 FOR 2 DAYS.  
The procedure used is described on page  
239 & 277 of AN-1(042)

These samples were countable. An AREA  
WAS CHOSEN & ON NOPI-ECP. 22.5/10.4-TS1  
and alpha hits within the fracture were  
counted using the square reticle and  
objective 20X.

6/22/93  
pg 1  
SEM Analysis of the following samples  
was performed at DIVIS using an AMRAY  
1610 SEM & Tracor Northern 5505 EDS.

NOPI-ECP. 10.16/13.5 is a calcite  
sample with small areas of some kind  
of metal oxide that has acicular crystals.  
EDS was performed and the crystals were  
found to be Mn. Also found were smaller  
acicular crystals of iron oxide.

NOPI-ECP. 12.22/13.55 - was powder that remained  
from a fracture sample. The grains were  
not fixed well & moved when exposed  
to the electron beam. Pictures were  
not taken. An EDS showed no uranium.  
The sample consists of Fe, S, Si and lesser  
amounts of K, Al, & As.

NOPI-ECP. 3.78/13.70 was also from  
the fracture but further away from  
the fracture surface. No U was found.  
Sample consists of Fe, Si, Al with  
smaller amts of Zn, As & Ca.

NOPI-ECP. 17 is a calcite sample.  
Picture was taken showing homogenous  
layering. ~~At~~ Closer examination  
did not show any obvious differences.

6/24/93 Auto radiographic Experiment

Purpose: To EXPOSE NOPI-ECP. 33-TS3  
for a short period of time in order to  
make a count of alpha hits within the  
fracture.

Method, supplies & procedures are the  
same as found in 042/239.  
This sample will be allowed to  
SET for 4 weeks.



6/24/93  
pg 2 Calibration of the new XRD computerized system was performed by re-running selected samples on the new system & comparing the results to previously obtained results. The analysis & summary are in a Notebook labeled XRD calibration located in Bldg 51.

6/25/93 OCL 6/16/94

6/25/95 ALPHA SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS ON OCL ROCK SAMPLES IN THE NOPAL FORMATION OF PEÑA BLANCA, MEXICO HAVE BEEN AND WILL BE MEASURED. THE FOLLOWING TRAVERSES PLAN TO BE THE SAMPLE AREAS DESIGNATED:

- E/W TRAVERSE AT 7.5 N + 10 m Level
- 2 meter E/W TRAVERSE TRANSECT AT 9.1 meters N + 10 m level.
- FRACTURE AT 13.5 m North + 10 m Level

EXPERIMENTAL PROCESS CHOSEN TO BE USED FOR THIS STUDY IS OUTLINED IN THE METHOD BY M. GASCOYNE AND J.P.A. LAROCQUE ENTITLED A RAPID METHOD OF EXTRACTION OF URANIUM AND THORIUM FROM GRANITE FOR ALPHA SPECTROMETRY.

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EACH SAMPLE WILL BE POWDERED AND DRIED AND THE STEPS OUTLINED IN PART 4. METHOD OF GASCOYNE AND LAROQUE WILL BE FOLLOWED. EACH STEP OF THIS METHOD WILL BE RECORDED ON A DATA SHEET ALREADY PREPARED.

## U/Th FUSION SAMPLE SHEET

Sample \_\_\_\_\_  
I.D. # \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Analyst: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>FUSION:</b>	U-232/Th-228 SPIKE #: _____
Weights: SPEX LiBO <sub>2</sub> (Lot # _____)	g Reference Date: _____
Sample Powder _____	g Reference Activity: _____ pCi/g
<u>Drying Under Heat Lamp</u>	Spike Weight: _____ grams
Start Dry _____	U spec. Activity: _____ dpm/g
Finish Dry _____	Th/U ratio: _____
<u>Melting in Muffle Furnace</u>	
Start Time _____	
Finish Time _____	
Temp. oC _____	
<u>Quenching Sample in 1 N HNO<sub>3</sub></u>	
Volume 1.0 N HNO <sub>3</sub> (Lot# _____)	ml

Transfer 100 ml of glass solution into labeled Nalgene bottle and proceed with solvent extraction.

**SOLVENT EXTRACTION:**

Weight: Al(NO<sub>3</sub>)-9H<sub>2</sub>O (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ g  
10% TBP/Amyl Acetate \_\_\_\_\_ ml  
(Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

Shaken in Erlenmeyer Flask Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Pour into Separatory Funnel, drain inorganic to waste, and organic to new Erlenmeyer flask

Add 25 ml H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)  
Extract, Pour into Separatory Funnel and save H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
Extraction 1 Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Extraction 2 Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Extraction 3 Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Extraction 4 Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_



**PLATING Continued:**

Th: Date \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Wash residue with < 5 ml 0.1N HNO<sub>3</sub> (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) ml used \_\_\_\_\_

Transfer wash with pasteur pipet to centrifuge tube

Adjust pH to 1.0 with NaOH solutions (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

Add 1- 2 ml 0.4 M TTA in benzene (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) ml used \_\_\_\_\_

FILE NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Date and time started counting \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Date and time finish counting \_\_\_\_\_ Total time minutes \_\_\_\_\_

## U/Th FUSION SAMPLE SHEET

Gently boil H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> to dryness

Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_

Heat more strongly to drive off SO<sub>3</sub>

Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_

**COLUMN SEPARATION:****Column Preparation:**

BIO-RAD Anion Exchange Resin (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

AG 1-X8 100-200 mesh Chloride form

Prewash 4 cm x 1 cm column of resin with 0.1 N HCl (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

\_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml

60 ml 9 N HCL 9 N HCl (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

\_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml

**Elution:**

Dissolve dried residue in 9 N HCl \_\_\_\_\_ ml and load on column and allow to drain

Elute Th fraction with 9 N HCl (45-60 ml) \_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml

Elute U fraction with 0.1 N HCl (45-60 ml) \_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml + \_\_\_\_\_ ml

Drying of Th eluate

Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_

Drying of U eluate

Start Time \_\_\_\_\_ Finish Time \_\_\_\_\_

**PLATING:**

U: Date \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Wash residue with < 5 ml 0.1N HNO<sub>3</sub> (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) ml used \_\_\_\_\_

Transfer wash with pasteur pipet to centrifuge tube

Adjust pH to 3- 3.5 with NaOH solutions (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

Add 1- 2 ml 0.4 M TTA in benzene (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) ml used \_\_\_\_\_

FILE NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Date and time started counting \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_

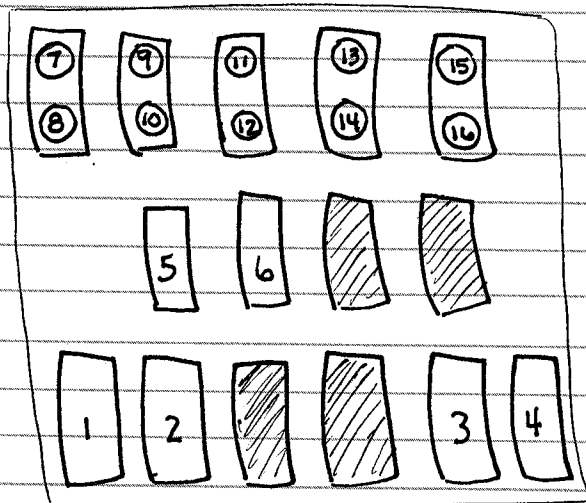
Date and time finish counting \_\_\_\_\_ Total time minutes \_\_\_\_\_

ONCE ALL SAMPLE SHEETS ARE FILLED OUT,  
ALPHA SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS COMPLETE, AND  
RESULTS ANALYZED, THE DATA WILL BE  
COLLECTED AND PLACED IN A <sup>SEPARATE</sup> BINDER ACCORDING  
TO WHICH AREA THE ROCK SAMPLE ORIGINATED.

~~1-8-94~~ FOLLOWING SAMPLES HAVE BEEN PREPARED  
OCL FOR ALPHA SPECTROMETRY AND ARE  
NOW MEASURING:

- NOPI-ECP- 13.0/9.2 - WR Thorium
- NOPI-ECP - 11.0/9.15 - WR Uranium
- NOPI-ECP - 11.78/9.17 - WR U & Th
- NOPI-ECP - 11.22/9.07 - WR U & Th

RECONFIGURATION OF CHANNELS HAS  
CHANGED LABELS ON CHANNEL NUMBERING.  
FOLLOWING DIAGRAM REVEALS THE NEW  
CONFIGURATION ON THE  $\alpha$  SPECTROMETER



1/27/94 A NEW TRAVERSE WILL BEGIN ALPHA SPECTROMETRY  
OCL ANALYSIS. TAKEN FROM THE FRACTURE AT 13.5 m N  
+ 10 m level. THE FOLLOWING SAMPLES WILL BE  
MEASURED:

- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 0
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 1
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 2
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 3
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 4
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 5
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 6
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 7
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - GAM - 8
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.77 - WR - GAM
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.73
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.66
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.62
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.80
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.83
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.86
- NOPI-ECP - 4.5/13.90

7/28  
OCL

SAMPLES :

NOPI-ECP-4.5/13.62  
 NOPI-ECP-4.5/13.83  
 NOPI-ECP-4.5/13.86  
 NOPI-ECP-4.5/13.90

} ALL PREPARED  
 FOR  $\alpha$  SPEC  
 USING GASCOYNE  
 AND LAROCQUE  
 METHOD

NOTE : AFTER QUENCHING, ALL SOLUTIONS  
 HAD TROUBLE FULLY DISSOLVING. VERY  
 CLOUDY WITH CLEAR PARTICLES REMAINING  
 AT BOTTOM.

SOLNS. HEATED & MIXED  
 FOR 63 minutes.

\* SAMPLE POWDERS MAY  
 HAVE BEEN TOO LARGE PARTICLES  
 CAUSING BAD HETERGENIZING  
 OF  $\text{LiBO}_2$  + POWDER. I WILL  
 SIFT POWDERS FROM NOW ON  
 BEFORE I BEGIN SAMPLE PREPARATION.

SOLNS. TRANSFERRED  
 TO 600 mL Beakers  
 & volume increased to 300 mL.

extra mix-time 57 min  
 total time 120 min !!

7/29

\* SAMPLE NOPI-ECP-4.5/13.90 CONTAINED  
 LARGE AMOUNTS OF WHITISH-GREY PRECIPITATE.  
 PROBABLY SOME SULFATE COMPOUND, THIS  
 SOLID HAS CAUSED THE SOLN. NOT TO SEPARATE  
 WITH THE TBP/AMYL ACETATE. I HAVE DECIDED  
 TO ABANDON THIS SAMPLE AND STORE IT UNTIL I CAN  
 SPEAK WITH BRET LESLIE. SAMPLES 4.5/13.62,  
 4.5/13.83, AND 4.5/13.86 DID CONTAIN THE  
 PRECIP. I FOUND IN 4.5/13.90, BUT A CLEAN  
 SEPARATION DID OCCUR AND INORGANIC WAS ELUTED  
 WITH LITTLE PROBLEM.



8/5/93 JP Preparation of Whole Rock Powders

The following samples consist of Fe-oxide rich material taken from an E-W trending fracture on the +10 level of the Wopal I deposit between 42 and 43 m North. The samples will be powdered and the powder used for gamma spectrometry & XRD analysis.

\* All sample with \* have been re-labeled using the new Sample No.

\* 393-8.1/43.2\*WR is a subsample of NOP1-223\*WR1 393-8.1/42.3. A dark red Fe-oxide rich material - Fracture fill - noncompetent.

\* 393-11.2/42.3\*WR is a subsample of NOP1-224\*WR1 393-11.2/42.3. A red/black Fe-oxide Fracture-filling material - noncompetent.

\* 393-12.1/42.5\*WR is a subsample of NOP1-225\*WR1 393-12.1/42.5. A red/black Fe-oxide rich Fracture-filling material - noncompetent.

\* 393-13.9/42.4\*WR is a subsample of NOP1-226\*WR1 393-13.9/42.4. A red/black Fe-oxide rich Fracture-filling material - noncompetent.

\* 393-15.0/42.3\*WR is a subsample of NOP1-227\*WR1 393-15.0/42.3. A red/black Fe-oxide rich Fracture-filling material - noncompetent.

\* 393-17.1/42.5\*WR is a subsample of NOP1-228\*WR1 393-17.1/42.5. A very dark red/black Fe-oxide rich Fracture-filling material. Noncompetent. Some orange limonitic crust present.

These samples were dried in an oven overnight at 110°C and then powdered using the SPEX 8000 Mixer/Mill with tungsten carbide grinding vial.

8/6/93 JP

After powdering the samples were weighed and placed in plastic sample containers.

Weight of sample powders are listed below:

* 393-8.1/43.2*WR	5.988 g
NOP1-223*WR1	
* 393-11.2/42.3*WR	9.853 g
NOP1-224*WR1	
* 393-12.1/42.5*WR	12.864 g
NOP1-225*WR1	
* 393-13.9/42.4*WR	2.836 g
NOP1-226*WR1	
* 393-15.0/42.3*WR	7.475 g
NOP1-227*WR1	
* 393-17.1/42.5*WR	5.337 g
NOP1-228*WR1	

Samples were stored in a desiccator.

8/11/93 JP Gamma vials for the samples were prepared as follows

Sample No	wt of Vial	wt Vial + Sample	wt of Sample
NOP1-223*WR1 * GAM1 (393) 11.2/42.3 GAM	2.069	6.668	4.599
NOP1-223*WR1 * GAM1 (393) 8.1/43.2 GAM	2.061	5.571	3.510
NOP1-225*WR1 * GAM1 (393) 12.1/42.5 GAM	2.059	6.019	3.960
NOP1-226*WR1 * GAM1 (393) 13.9/42.4 GAM	2.086	4.423	2.337
NOP1-227*WR1 * GAM1 (393) 15.0/42.3 GAM	2.069	5.957	3.888
NOP1-228*WR1 * GAM1 (393) 17.1/42.5 GAM	2.060	6.072	4.012

8/16/93  
pgh

Autoradiographic Experiment started on 6/24/93 was processed (using the procedures used in previous experiments) on 7/7/93. The results were very poor. The alpha hits were not concentrated enough to count.

The experiment was restarted on 8/16/93 and the slide - DOP1-ECP-33-TS3 will be allowed to remain in contact with the CR-39 for 3 weeks.

8/16/93

XRD samples were prepared by dividing to  $< 45 \mu$  the whole rock samples of the following

(393) 8.1/43.2 - XRD1 DOP1-223 \* XRD1  
 (393) 11.2/42.3 XRD1 DOP1-224 \* XRD1  
 (393) 12.1/42.5 XRD1 DOP1-225 \* XRD1  
 (393) 13.9/42.4 XRD1 DOP1-226 \* XRD1  
 (393) 15.0/42.3 XRD1 DOP1-227 \* XRD1  
 (393) 17.1/42.5 XRD1 DOP1-228 \* XRD1

(PLANTS)

8/23

SAMPLES TAKEN FROM THE NOPAL I URANIUM DEPOSIT ON THE LAST TRIP HAVE BEEN DRIED AT  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  FOR THREE DAYS AND ALLOWED TO SIT IN THE DRYER UNTIL THIS PROCEDURE WAS FINALIZED BY BRET LESLIE. THESE PLANTS ARE CONTAINED IN TWO PLASTIC TRAYS. SINCE SAMPLES ARE ALREADY SEPARATED INTO TWO GROUPS, I WILL LABEL ONE SAMPLE GROUP A - WASHED AND THE OTHER B - UNWASHED. THE SAMPLES ARE WEIGHED ON A BALANCE.

OCL  
8/23

	MASS (g)
SAMPLE GROUP A :	140.95

SAMPLE GROUP B :	212.60
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TOTAL MASS: 353.55 g

SAMPLE GROUP B WILL CONTINUE WITH PREPARATION FOR GAMMA SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS WHILE SAMPLE GROUP A WILL WAIT. FOUR PREWEIGHED 50 mL PORCELAIN CRUCIBLES WILL BE FILLED WITH THE PLANT SAMPLES. PLACING THE LABELED SAMPLES INTO THE FURNACE AND PROGRESSIVELY RAISING THE TEMPERATURE TO  $450^{\circ}\text{C}$  FOR 12 HOURS WILL ASH THE SAMPLES.

(SAMPLE LABEL WILL BE DONE AS FOLLOWS:)

PR - B - (#SAMPLE)

PHACELIA  
ROBUSTA

PR-B-1	WT. SAMPLE + CRUCIBLE	38.906 g
(LEAVES + STEM FROM 1 MAIN BRANCH)	WT. CRUCIBLE	- 33.654 g
	WT. SAMPLE	5.252 g

PR-B-2	WT. SAMPLE + CRUCIBLE	45.84 g
(LEAVES + STEM FROM LARGE CLUSTER OF BRANCHES)	WT. CRUCIBLE	- 33.995 g
	WT. SAMPLE	11.845 g

PR-B-3	WT. SAMPLE + CRUCIBLE	36.52 g
(LEAVES ONLY)	WT. CRUCIBLE	- 29.666 g
	WT. SAMPLE	6.854 g

PR-B-4	WT. SAMPLE + CRUCIBLE	37.91 g
(STEMS ONLY)	WT. CRUCIBLE	- 28.815 g
	WT. SAMPLE	9.095 g

SAMPLE GROUP A WILL NOW BE PREPARED  
 FOR GAMMA SPECTROMETRY. THE PLANTS  
 WILL BE DUNKED IN A 4L BEAKER FULL  
 OF NANOPURE H<sub>2</sub>O AND DRIED AT 100°C.

8/24/39

## Prepare Whole Rock Powders

Samples consist of Fe-oxide rich  
 material from fractures on  
 +10 level. Samples will be  
 powdered for gamma spectrometry  
 & XRD analysis

\* 393-10-28/5 \* WR is a subsample  
 NOPI. 229 \* WR of 393-10-28/5. Brown-orange  
 material, fairly competent (may have  
 some cement, limonitic in appearance.  
 From a vertical fracture on +10  
 level.

\* 393-10-14/6 \* WR is a subsample  
 NOPI. 230 \* WR of 393-10-14/6. Brown-black material,  
 fairly competent. Some yellow-orange  
 limonitic material covering outside.  
 From a vertical fracture on +10  
 level.

The following samples are from the  
 E-W fracture at 13.5 m depth on the  
 +10 level.

10.078  
 \* 793-(10.0)/13.5 \* WR is a subsample  
 NOPI. 303 \* WR of 793-(10.0)/13.5. Brown-orange  
 material, competent, limonitic in  
 appearance. Layering



# 793-6.1/14.0 \*WR is a subsample  
 NDI-301 \*WR of 793-6.1/14.0. Black-red-orange.  
 Fe-oxide material. Hematite/limonite.  
 Fairly competent. Limonite material  
 appears to occur on surface of  
 rock.

# 793-8.4/13.8 \*WR is a subsample  
 NDI-302 \*WR of 793-8.4/13.8. Dark brown/red  
 material. Competent. Limonite material  
 on surface of darker (red-brown)  
 material. Layering.

# 793-4.6/13.8 \*WR is a subsample of  
 NDI-300 \*WR 793-4.6/13.8. Orange-brown layered  
 material. Friable. Limonite in  
 appearance.

# 793-(-10.07)/14.7 \*WR is a subsample  
 NDI-294 \*WR of 793-(-10.07)/14.7. Black-red-orange  
 iron oxides. Very competent fracture  
 fill material. Limonite coating hematite.

# 793-(-12.2)/15.17 \*WR. Black-red  
 NDI-298 \*WR Fe-oxides. Very competent fracture  
 fill. This is a subsample of  
 793-(-12.2)/15.17.

# 793-(-11.23)/14.91 \*WR is a subsample  
 of 793-(-11.23)/14.91. Dark red-brown  
 NDI-296 \*WR black fracture filling iron oxide.  
 Slightly competent.

# 793-(-11.07)/14.75 \*WR is a subsample  
 NDI-295 \*WR of 793-(-11.07)/14.75. Dark red-black  
 fracture filling iron oxide.  
 Very competent.

# 793-(-13.1)/15.2 \*WR is a subsample  
 NDI-299 \*WR of 793-(-13.1)/15.2. Black-red  
 competent iron oxides lining fractures.

# 793-(-11.81)/14.95 \*WR is a subsample  
 NDI-297 \*WR of 793-(-11.81)/14.95. Black iron oxides  
 covered by limonite. Black material  
 is very competent.

OCL 8-25 REFERRING BACK TO PAGES 35-36, SAMPLE GROUPS A AND B CONTINUE PREPARATION FOR GAMMA SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS. SAMPLE GROUP B FINISHED ASHING AND WAS REWEIGHED:

FR-B-1 WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE BEFORE ASHING 38.90  
WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE AFTER ASHING 34.30  
MASS CHANGE 4.604

FR-B-2 WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE BEFORE ASHING 45.8  
WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE AFTER ASHING 35  
MASS CHANGE 10.3

FR-B-3 WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE BEFORE ASHING 36.5  
WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE AFTER ASHING 30.4  
MASS CHANGE 6.05

FR-B-4 WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE BEFORE ASHING 37  
WT. CRUC. + SAMPLE AFTER ASHING 29  
MASS CHANGE 7.9

SAMPLE GROUP A MASS AFTER DRYING 138.11 g

EACH SAMPLE WAS CRUSHED IN A MORTAR AND PESTLE THEN COMPACTED INTO LABELED GAMMA SPECTROMETRY VIALS. FOLLOWING DATA SHOW MASSES OF SAMPLE + VIAL, VIAL, & SAMPLE.

MADE ON		MASS VIAL + SAMPLE	MASS VIAL	MASS SAMPLE
8/24/93	FR-B-1	2.774	2.043	.731 g
by	" -2	3.428	2.196	1.232 g
	" -3	2.930	2.008	.922 g
OCL	" -4	3.202	1.998	1.204 g

INSTRUCTED by BRET LESLIE, THE FOLLOWING SAMPLE SEPARATES WILL BE PREPARED FOR ALPHA SPECTROMETRY. I WILL FOLLOW THE "URANIUM SERIES ISOCHRON DATING OF CARBONATES" OUTLINED BELOW:

### Uranium series isochron dating of carbonates (calcite/caliche)

#### A. Sample preparation:

1. Obtain sample by carefully choosing areas which are relatively free of detrital contamination. This is done by first choosing an appropriate bulk rock sample and crushing the rock into particles containing the mineral. For calcite samples, the mineral is relatively soft and should be gently crushed and picked up using metal tweezers.
2. Sample custody log forms will be completed both for the calcite mineral particles and the unwanted particles, which will be placed into a labeled glass vial.
3. Once an adequate amount of calcite is obtained (> 1 gram), the calcite is rinsed with nanopure water and transferred into a larger glass beaker, and placed into the ultrasonicator. Any unwanted particles, such as silicates, will float to the top and be decanted out into the sink. This is continued until the sample is free of residue particles (use microscope). The sample is then placed into the Thermolyne oven for twenty-four hours at 100 degrees Celcius. The sample is finally crushed in an agate mortar and pestle, and stored in a labeled glass vial.
4. Place and weigh 1- 10 grams (total dpm >5) into porcelain or platinum crucible. Assume that the activity of each sample is 8 dpm/g.
6. Place crucible into muffle furnace and heat at 850 °C for at least 4 hours.
7. Allow to cool to about 100 °C in furnace and then place in dessicator to finish cooling.
8. Reweigh sample.

#### B. Sample dissolution

1. Transfer the sample with a minimum amount of ultrapure water (squirrt bottle) to a labeled (magic marker) 250. teflon beaker.
2. Add 75 ml 0.1 N HNO<sub>3</sub> to the beaker.

3. Concentrated  $\text{HNO}_3$  is added to the sample until the pH = 1-2. The approximate amount needed is determined by calculation from the weight of the CaO present.
4. If all the sample is solubilized (pure carbonates) skip to **section C**, otherwise proceed with the following steps.
5. Take sample to near dryness on the hot plate (setting 5-6).
6. Remove sample from hot plate.
6. Add 50 mls HF, using a plastic beaker, and 5 ml  $\text{HClO}_4$ .
7. Cover beaker with teflon and put on hot plate and evaporate until  $\text{HClO}_4$  fumes.
8. Repeat steps 6 and 7 if residue remains.
9. After dissolution add 50 ml aqua regia (3 conc. HCL: 1 conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$ ).
10. Gently heat solution (2 or 3 on hot plate) for 1 hour and then raise hot plate setting (5 or 6) and take solution to near dryness (< 10 ml).
11. Carefully add 25-50 ml ultrapure water.

### C. Spiking and coprecipitation

1. Add 1 ml (25 mg) of clean Fe carrier using Eppendorf fixed volume pipet and disposable tips. This is unnecessary for samples with large detrital silicate fractions (Fe- containing). Homogenize sample after addition of carrier by replacing lid and swirling the centrifuge tube.
2. Add an amount of the  $^{232}\text{U}/^{228}\text{Th}$  spike (17A-1A) which is comparable to the expected U activity of the sample. Record the total amount of spike used in the Radioactive Log Book.
3. The spike is added by mass, utilizing a clean pasteur pipet and a tared weighing boat (spike mass recorded) and is transferred quantitatively to the sample beaker using 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  from a squirt bottle. The used pipet is discarded in the radioactive waste container.
4. Allow the spike sample solution to equilibrate by gently heating on the hot plate until about 10 ml of the solution has evaporated.
5. Allow the solution to cool. Start step D1 now and continue with step D2 simultaneously with the following steps of C (C5 - C7) so

that once you have completed step C7 you can immediately proceed with step D3. Bring the pH up to 7 with the addition of concentrated  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$  from the reagent bottle. This is strongly exothermic and the solution should be gently swirled or stirred with a glass stirring rod during the addition of the base. If a glass rod is used, after stirring, rinse the rod into the beaker with ultrapure water and set the rod aside

6. The solution can then be centrifuged (labeled 50 ml centrifuge tubes) and the supernate is discarded.
7. The  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$  precipitates are washed with ultrapure water and agitated using the hand homogenizer, centrifuged and washings discarded. This step is repeated once. This is necessary to get rid of the excess  $\text{NH}_4$ .

### D. Uranium-thorium separation

1. Prepare a labeled (Sample ID) anion ion exchange column (8 -10 cm high, 1 cm diameter) by placing a glass wool plug in the bottom of the column and adding a slurry (in ultrapure water) of Dowex 1 x 8 100-200 mesh chloride form ion exchange resin. Use the teflon column holders and collect the waste liquid in a plastic beaker ( 100 ml of greater).
2. Add 30-40 mL of 8N Ammonium Nitrate - 0.1 N Nitric acid into anion exchange column and elute into plastic waste beaker.
3. The samples will be lowered to pH =1 using 250 ml of 1.0 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  and diluting to 5.0 ml with 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  using squirt bottle (for each 2.5 ml of ppt). Make sure  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$  is entirely dissolved (agitate) prior to adding the ammonium nitrate. Next, saturate the solution with 5.9 g of ammonium nitrate (for each 2.5 ml of ppt) and shake until all is dissolved. This reaction is highly endothermic.
4. Add the sample into the column and elute Fe into a plastic beaker ( 250 ml) using 80 ml, added in 20 ml increments using squirt bottle, of 8 N  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$  - 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$ . Rinse the centrifuge tube with the 20 ml aliquot and pour onto column and mark the level of the fluid. Test for the presence of Fe after 70 and 80 ml have eluted by placing a drop of  $\text{NH}_4\text{CSN}$  on the convex side of watch glass and allowing a drop of the eluate to come in contact with ammonium cyanide. If Fe is present then the solution will turn red. Continue to eluate the Fe until there is no red upon testing for Fe. Empty the contents of the 100 ml plastic beaker into a waste beaker.



5. Next add 100 ml, in 20 ml aliquots, of 8 N HCL acid and elute the thorium into a labeled and acid washed cleaned 100 mL glass beakers. Put solution on hot plate to reach near dryness.
6. Add no more than 5 mL of 0.1 N Nitric acid and drain into waste beaker. Next, add 50 mL of 0.1 N Nitric acid in 25 mL increments and drain the Uranium into a labeled and acid washed cleaned 100 mL glass beaker. The solution is then placed on a hot plate to reach near dryness.

### E. Solvent extraction and plating

1. A total of 4 pasteur pipets are used in the following steps and it is imperative to keep them separate by labeling the rubber bulbs used with them. The dried U eluate is taken up with two ml of 0.001 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  (pH 3) issued from a squirt bottle. Using a new pasteur pipet (W on bulb) carefully and completely wash the beaker with the acid. Transfer the acid solution to a labeled glass 12 ml centrifuge tube. Repeat this step twice more with 0.5 - 1 ml of the acid.
2. Add two drops of Methyl Orange indicator solution using a pasteur pipet (MO on bulb) to solution in centrifuge tube. Bring pH up to 3.0 with dilute 0.1 N NaOH solution using a pasteur pipet (NaO on bulb) by adding a few drops at a time and homogenizing the contents of the tube with pasteur pipet used to transfer the U eluate (W on bulb). The color should change from pink to slightly orange. The colors can be seen in test tube set which covers the pH range. If steps in D were done properly the total volume should be 5-6 ml.
3. Add 1-2 ml of the 0.4 M TTA in benzene solution to the centrifuge tube.
4. Homogenize and extract the U using the same pasteur pipet used in step E1 (W on bulb). The TTA solution should be red or orange (depending on U concentration) and this should be quickly evident (within 30 seconds to 1 minute).
5. Solution is centrifuged for 1-2 minutes, making sure that the tube is covered with Parafilm.
6. Carefully clean 2 stainless steel planchets and label them with a sharp pointed object. The label should have sample ID, date, initials of the person plating and U or Th. Label a glassine stamp envelope with the same information. The mounting ring should be on the hot plate and the hot plate should be set to red mark (~3). Place the plate, labeled side down, on the mounting ring just prior to next step.

7. The TTA solution is carefully separated using a clean pasteur pipet (P on bulb), taking care not to include any of the  $\text{HNO}_3$  solution. This is most easily accomplished by slightly tilting the tube so that the TTA bulges on top of the acid. A total of two aliquots using the pasteur pipet (P on bulb) are used to retrieve all the TTA.
8. The TTA is evaporated drop-wise on heated steel plates that have been placed on mounting ring, making sure that spattering is avoided.
9. Remove the plate from the mounting ring and repeat the TTA extraction (Steps 3 - 8).
10. Pass the plate through the flame of a propane flame inside the fume hood to burn off the organic deposit. Allow the plate to cool on the edge of the hot plate.
11. Place plate in labeled glassine stamp envelopes and count samples ASAP after plating, recording the channel in which the sample is counted on the envelope.
12. The dried Th eluate is taken up with three mls of 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  (pH1) issued from a squirt bottle. Using a new pasteur pipet carefully and completely wash the beaker with the acid. Transfer the acid solution to a glass centrifuge tube (7 or 12 mls). Repeat this step twice more with 1 ml of the acid.
11. Repeat steps 3-9 twice, making sure that pH1 nitric is used during the extraction.
12. Pass the plate through the flame of a propane flame inside the fume hood to burn off the organic deposit. Allow the plate to cool on the edge of the hot plate.
13. Place plate in labeled glassine stamp envelopes and count samples ASAP after plating, recording the channel in which the sample is counted on the envelope.

### F. Cleaning up

1. The solution remaining in the centrifuge tube should be placed into a glass waste beaker. The centrifuge tube should be rinsed with 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  and the rinse should also be placed into the waste beaker.

This beaker should remain inside the fumehood. The volume of the solution should be reduced by gentle heating until dry.

2. The used anion exchange resin should be rinsed with water from a squirt bottle into the used resin bottle (see instructions above).
3. All glassware should then be washed usingalconox. The glassware should be rinsed with the single pass water. The glassware is then ready for the fuming nitric acid bath.

OCL

MINERAL SEPARATES NOPI-PI-OB14 AND  
NOPI-PI-C23 (URANOPHANE) AND AN OPAL  
SEPARATE WILL BE THE SAMPLES I WILL MEASURE  
ON ALPHA SPECTROMETRY. SAMPLES ARE FIRST DRIED  
AND PLACED IN A DESSICATOR

OCL  
8/26  
SAMPLE GROUP A (p. 40) HAVE BEEN ASHED IN THE FURNACE FOR OVER 12 HOURS AND NOW ARE ALLOWED TO COOL. FOLLOWING DATA SHOWS THE MASS OF THE CRUCIBLE + SAMPLE BEFORE AND AFTER ASHING AND THE CHANGE IN MASS OF EACH SAMPLE:

	MASS CRUC. + SAMPLE AFTER DRYING (g)	MASS CRUC. + SAMPLE BEFORE DRYING (g)	CHANGE MASS
FR-A-1	31.993	38.015	
FR-A-2	34.501	45.330	
FR-A-3	30.668	35.23g	
FR-A-4	33.950	37.500g	

MINERAL SEPARATES OF OPAL AND URANOPHANE (NOPI-PI-OB14, NOPI-PI-C23) ARE WEIGHED:

	MASS SAMPLE <del>OPAL</del> OCL 8/26	MASS DISH	MASS SAMPLE + DISH
OPAL	.02067 g	16.85165g	16.872 <sup>32</sup> g
NOPI-PI-OB14	.00032 g	18.65 <sup>218</sup> g	18.05250g
NOPI-PI-C23	.00660 g	18.84 <sup>191</sup> g	18.84851g

8/26/93  
18  
XRD Analysis was performed on the following samples. The New Sample No. is given and all XRD Analysis reflects the new No.

NOPI-137 \* XRD1  
NOPI-140 \* XRD1  
NOPI-143 \* XRD1  
NOPI-145 \* XRD1  
NOPI-204 \* XRD1  
NOPI-207 \* XRD1  
NOPI-211 \* XRD1

8/26/93  
Gamma vials were prepared for the following samples:

Sample No	VIAL	VIAL + Sample	Sample Wt.
NOPI-229 * GAM1	2.049	5.772	3.723g
NOPI-230 * GAM1	2.085	5.581	3.496 g
NOPI-259 * GAM1	2.063	2.760	0.643 g
NOPI-296 * GAM1	2.068	7.577	5.509g
NOPI-295 * GAM1	2.077	5.807	3.730g
NOPI-303 * GAM1	2.051	6.478	4.427g
NOPI-301 * GAM1	2.074	6.071	3.997g
NOPI-302 * GAM1	2.064	6.512	4.448g
NOPI-300 * GAM1	2.069	6.492	4.423g

OCL  
8/27  
MINERAL SEPARATE SUBSAMPLES OPAL, NOPI-PI-OB14, AND NOPI-PI-C23 WERE DRIED IN THE FURNACE AT 850°C FOR 4 HOURS. THEY WERE COOLED AND WEIGHED. FOLLOWING DATA SHOWS THE NEW WEIGHT AND CHANGE IN MASS:

	BEFORE OVEN (i)	AFTER (f)	sample mass
OPAL	16.87232g	16.87117g	.00115g
NOPI-PI-OB14	18.05250g	18.05242g	.00008g
NOPI-PI-C23	18.84851g	18.84837g	.00014g



OCL SUBSAMPLE GROUP A (p48) HAVE BEEN CRUSHED AND POWDERED, PLACED INTO LABELED PREWEIGHED GAMMA VIALS, AND WEIGHED.

done on 8/26 by OCL		SAMPLE + VIAL (g)	VIAL (g)	SAMPLE (g)
	A1	3.815	2.110	1.705
	A2	3.9.29	2.116	1.813
	A3	4.024	2.129	1.895
	A4	3.356	2.134	1.222

8/27/93  
pgh  
Gamma vials were prepared for the following samples:

sample No.	Vial	Vial + Sample	w + g sample
NOPI-294 * GAM1	2.068	5.484	3.416g
NOPI-298 * GAM1	2.071	6.613	4.542g
NOPI-297 * GAM1	2.075	6.209	4.134g

8/27/93 The following samples were powdered then sieved to < 45 $\mu$ . The powdered was then placed in a vial & labeled as follows.

NOPI-262 * XRD1	XRD Analysis has not been run on these samples.
NOPI-261 * XRD1	
NOPI-255 * XRD1	

There was an excess of NOPI-255 powder. It was placed in a vial & labeled  
NOPI-255 \* WR1

XRD Analysis was done on  
NOPI-261 \* XRD1

4/2/93  
OCL SAMPLE SEPARATES HAVE CONTINUED SAMPLE PREPARATION FOR ALPHA SPECTROMETRY. OPAL MINERAL SEPARATE HAS CEASED IN SAMPLE PREPARATION BECAUSE THERE IS NOT ENOUGH SAMPLE TO HAVE AT LEAST 8 dpm.

mass opal : .001159 g  
activity : 4150 dpm/g  
activity : 4.81 dpm

URANOPHANE SAMPLE SEPARATES WERE SPIKED WITH A U-232/Th-228 SPIKE (25 C) ON MONDAY AUGUST 30 AND NOW ARE DRYING READY FOR U AND Th PLATING.

9/7/93 JP 1000hrs

Continuation of autoradiographic experiments.

This section NOPI-ECP-33-T53 which was placed on CR39 on 6/24/93 (p21) was removed from the plastic.

This sample was processed following the procedure on 0247277.

OCL  
9-7-93 SAMPLE SEPARATES NOPI-PI-0B14 AND NOPI-PI-C23 HAVE COMPLETED BEING PLATED AND ARE COUNTING IN THE ALPHA SPECTROMETER.

9-10-93 Peggy Hunka (pgh) weighed the wet plant samples before they were dried and ashed (080/36). THE FOLLOWING DATA SHOWS THE MASS OF THE SAMPLE + BAG, MASS OF BAG, & MASS OF ALL WET(MOIST) PLANT MATTER.

MASS SAMPLE + BAGS	1495.2 g
MASS BAGS	(12.6)8 = 100.8g

OCL  
MASS FR-A-2 : 1.7749g

9-10-93

OCL

SAMPLE FR-A-2 (080/48) will be measured on the  $\alpha$  spectrometer. The following procedure will be followed for sample preparation.

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### Plant Sample Procedure

1. Transfer sample into a 250 mL Teflon beaker and wet the sample with a few mL of Nanopure water. Add 50 mL of concentrated nitric acid and heat solution to 10 mL.
2. Centrifuge and transfer supernate into a clean Teflon beaker. Wash the residue into the original Teflon beaker.
3. Dissolve the residue in 50 mL of aqua regia solution and heat to a volume of 25 mL.
4. Centrifuge solution checking for any residue and separate supernate into clean Teflon beaker. Weigh Teflon beaker first.
5. Add 50 mL of concentrated HF to the remaining residue and 3 mL of perchloric acid. Evaporate to dryness.
6. If residue still remains, begin at step 3.
7. If this doesn't work, place residue into a steel encased Teflon bomb adding 9.5 mL of HF and placing in 110 ° C oven. Cool to room temperature before opening Teflon bomb.
8. Combine all dissolved solutions, heating solution slowly to reach equilibrium.
9. Make three sub solution samples:
  - spiked which will be measured
  - unspiked which will be measured
  - unspiked left for further chemistry

\* for all three sub samples, weigh beaker before and after adding aliquot.

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10. Add known aliquots of  $^{208}\text{Po}$  and  $^{232}\text{U}$ - $^{228}\text{Th}$  spike. Add 20 mg of Fe carrier and heat to equilibrate.

11. Add ammonium hydroxide to form precipitates. Centrifuge precipitates separating supernate. Wash precipitate twice with nanopure water.

12. Dissolve precipitate with equal volume of 2N HCl, then increase volume to 30 mL by adding 1N HCl.

13. Dump solution into clean Teflon beaker. Using a small stirring bar, heat to 80° C slowly mixing solution.

14. Add ascorbic acid until the solution turns a cloudy whitish-blue color.

15. Label a silver planchette and clean it withalconox solution.

16. Drop plate into solution with label side down. Maintain temp. at 80 degrees C covering sample with teflon watch glass.

17. Remove plate after two-three hours and count sample.

18. Prepare sample for U/Th separation by following usual procedure done on impure carbonates.



FR-A-2

OPAC CLEAN  
 OCL 9/14 SOLN' BK. WT. : 105.66g

SAMPLE FR-A-2 HAS CONTINUED FOR  
 ALPHA SPEC. PREPARATION.

9-14 PLANT SAMPLE GROUPS A (WASHED) AND B (UNWASHED)  
 OCL WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN PREPARED FOR  $\gamma$  OR  
 $\alpha$  SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS WILL BE STORED  
 IN LABELED ZIPLOC BAGS.

"A" LABELED BAGS - WERE WASHED (080/36)g  
 (3) DRIED IN THE OVEN.

"B" LABELED BAGS - WERE DRIED IN OVEN. (080/35)  
 (2)

THE FIVE ZIPLOC BAGS ARE STORED IN  
 THE GLASSWARE CABINET ACROSS FROM THE  
 PERCHLORIC FUME HOOD.

OCL FR-A-2 SOLN + BK. WT. : 201.62  
 BEAKER WT. 105.66  
 95.97

↓  
 split into 3 subsamples

FR-A-2 : SUBSAMPLE 3  
 (for chem.) SOLN + BK WT. 73.62g  
 BK WT. 25.68g  
 47.94g

SUBSAMPLE 2  
 (unspiked) SOLN + BK WT. 133.91  
 BK WT. 107.90  
 26.11g

SUBSAMPLE 3  
(spiked)

soln + bk. wt. 129.52  
bk. wt. 105.66g  
23.86 g

9/24/93 JP

The Th and U opal samples  
left by Omar Lugenus were  
plated and placed in the  
alpha-spectrometer for counting.

9/27/93 JP

The plant samples FR-A-2 (spiked)  
and FR-A-2 (unspiked) left by  
Omar Lugenus were separated for  
U and Th following procedure on  
p 43.

9/29/93 JP

Plated FR-A-2 (spiked) and FR-A-2  
(unspiked). U + Th. and  
placed on alpha-spectrometer  
for counting.

10/5/93

## Prepare Whole Rock Powders

These samples were taken from a vertical fracture at the +10 level.

NOPI-173\*WRI (NOPI-ECP-10-25/2A) is a subsample of NOPI-173. Dark red clay like material, plastic, iron-rich. Thin <sup>white</sup> red material throughout.

NOPI-174\*WRI (NOPI-ECP-10-25/2B) is a subsample of NOPI-174. Black to dark red clay like material.

NOPI-175\*WRI (NOPI-ECP-10-25/2C) is a subsample of NOPI-175. Altered Nopal tuff directly adjacent to fracture containing clay like gouge material.

The above samples were powdered in a tungsten carbide vial using a SPEX 8000 Mixer Mill.

After powdering the samples were weighed and placed in labeled plastic sample containers.

Weight of powder are listed below:

NOPI-173\*WRI 10.5 g

NOPI-174\*WRI 10.17 g

NOPI-175\*WRI 14.1 g

10/6/93

Samples for gamma counts were prepared as follows:

Sample	WE vial	WE vial + sample	WE sample
NOPI-173*GAMI	2.076 g	6.160 g	4.084 g
NOPI-174*GAMI	2.058 g	6.914 g	4.856 g
NOPI-175*GAMI	2.068 g	5.592 g	3.524 g

10/8/93 JF Prepared samples for thin sections  
Santorini samples.

Portions of the following bulk rock  
samples from Santorini Greece  
were selected and placed in labeled  
plastic bags, labeled as follows:

SAN-022-TS1

SAN-026-TS1

SAN-030-TS1

SAN-038-TS1

SAN-041-TS1

SAN-046-TS1

SAN-050-TS1

SAN-053-TS1

SAN-020-TS1

These rocks samples will be sent  
to Mineral Optics Lab for  
impregnation and thin section  
production.

10/8/93 JF The following samples from Santorini  
Greece were prepared for  
qualitative XRD analysis. Bulk XRD

SAN-053-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-050-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-022-XRD1 - fine unconsolidated material

SAN-022-XRD2 - consolidated chunks of tuff

10/11/93 JF

SAN-026-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-030-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-038-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-020-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-041-XRD1 - bulk

SAN-046-XRD1 - bulk



10/11/93 pp Received thin sections from Mineral Optics Lab. Most of these sections are from the +0 level at Peca Nopal I. The order form is shown below

**Mineral Optics Laboratory**  
P.O. Box 828 Wilder, Vermont 05088 29 "A" Street (802) 295-9373

**PETROGRAPHY  
ORDER CHECKLIST**

<b>Bill To:</b> James D. Prikey		<b>Ship To:</b> Same	
Address: SWRI/Div 20/Bldg 57		Address:	
6220 Culebra Rd			
City, State, ZIP San Antonio TX 78228		City, State, ZIP	
Date: 11/17/93	Order No.	Received	Phone 210-522-5667
Customer P.O.		Shipped	Shipped via

Sample No.	Size	Finish	Impreg.	Stain	Cut	Other
	Quantity 27 x 46 mm 1.5 x 3 in. 2 x 3 in. 1" or 1.25 dia. Other Thick mm Thin mm Standard 03 mm Std Lapped 1 Side Polish 2 Side Polish		Clear Resin Color Resin	Grains, Cutting Carbonate Feldspar	Bulk Sample Oriented Other Cement Water Soluble	W/Cover Glass No Cover Glass Discard Mail
* NOTE - All samples contain uranium minerals and are radioactive. Take precautions when handling and during preparation.						
LOTS-1	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-2	3	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-3	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-4	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-5	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-6	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-7	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-8	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-9	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-10	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-11	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-12	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-13	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-14	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-15	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-16	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-17	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-18	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-19	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-20	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-21	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-22	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-23	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-24	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
* Please return remainder of all samples after cutting.						

Polished thin sections.  
These samples consist of bulk pieces that need to be cut. Please cut out thin section blocks along the black lines that are drawn on the samples.



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Sample No.	Size	Finish	Impreg.	Stain	Cut	Other
	Quantity 27 x 46 mm 1.5 x 3 in. 2 x 3 in. 1" or 1.25 dia. Other Thick mm Thin mm Standard 03 mm Std Lapped 1 Side Polish 2 Side Polish		Clear Resin Color Resin	Grains, Cutting Carbonate Feldspar	Bulk Sample Oriented Other Cement Water Soluble	W/Cover Glass No Cover Glass Discard Mail
* NOTE - Please vacuum impregnate the 7 samples below with five eyed epoxy						
LOTS-37	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-50	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
22.5/10.4-TS4	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
22.35/15.3-TS3	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10-PI-EC233-TS4	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-51	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOTS-52	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
* Return remainder of all samples.						

Polished thin sections  
This group of samples have already been cut - use faces without "X" marks.  
These two samples need to be cut after impregnation. Please cut along the black line indicated on the sample.

Thin sections were relabeled to reflect new numbering system. See following page.

New thin section numbers. Numbers were placed on thin section with diamond tipped pen.

OLD	NEW
LOTS-1	NOPI-271-TS1
LOTS-2	NOPI-271-TS2
LOTS-3	NOPI-271-TS3
LOTS-4	NOPI-271-TS4
LOTS-5	NOPI-271-TS5
LOTS-6	NOPI-271-TS6
LOTS-7	NOPI-271-TS7
LOTS-8	NOPI-293-TS1
LOTS-9	NOPI-286-TS1
LOTS-10	NOPI-283-TS1
LOTS-11	NOPI-282-TS1
LOTS-12	NOPI-280-TS1
LOTS-13	NOPI-256-TS1
LOTS-14	NOPI-269-TS1
LOTS-15	NOPI-285-TS1
LOTS-16	NOPI-285-TS2
LOTS-17	NOPI-291-TS1
LOTS-18	NOPI-292-TS1
LOTS-19	NOPI-254-TS1
LOTS-20	NOPI-287-TS1
LOTS-21	NOPI-273-TS1
LOTS-22	NOPI-272-TS1
LOTS-23	NOPI-270-TS1
LOTS-24	NOPI-260-TS1
LOTS-37	NOPI-268-TS1
LOTS-50	NOPI-268-TS2
LOTS-51	NOPI-294-TS1
LOTS-52	NOPI-301-TS1

10/14/43 JP

Following are the weights of spike #25C (U-232/Th-228) added to monophane samples NOPI-PI-0B14 and NOPI-PI-C23 and the opal sample that were previously prepared for  $\alpha$ -spectrometry analysis (p 47).

NOPI-PI-0B14 - .2470g  
 NOPI-PI-C23 - ~~24~~ .2295g  
 OPAL - .1137g

These weights are recorded in the "Radioisotope Inventory and Daily Inventory Usage Log".

10/18/43 ECP

These are samples sent to Div. 01 + Mike Dammann for trial analysis of Cu-alloys. If their analyses are found to be adequate, we will use them for the bronze samples from Akrotiri collected during the summer 1983 trip. THESE SAMPLES ARE NBS STANDARD ALLOYS AND A series of oxygen cut from available copper sheet. Sizes (weights) will approximate those available from the actual bronzes from Akrotiri.

MO1 -  $9 \times 10^{-4}$  g sheet Cu  
 MO2 -  $1.85 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 396  
 MO3 - No. not used  
 MO4 -  $1.6 \times 10^{-3}$  g sheet Cu

MD5  $6.9 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 871 (COA 521)

MD6 No. Not used

MD7  $5.0 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 396

MD8  $8.9 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 871 (COA 521)

MD9 No. Not used

MD10 ~~1.7~~ <sup>ECP 10/18/93</sup> Sheet Cu  
 $1.7 \times 10^{-3}$  g

MD11  $9.7 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 396

MD12 ECP 10/18/93

~~MD13  $6.8 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 871 (COA 521)~~

MD14 No. Not used.

MD15  $3.17 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 396

MD16  $5.1 \times 10^{-3}$  g NBS 871 (COA 521)

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10/18/93

Prepared corrosion fragments collected from Santorini, Greece for SEM/EDS analysis.

A small subsample of copper corrosion products from the following samples were placed on aluminum stubs and coated with carbon.

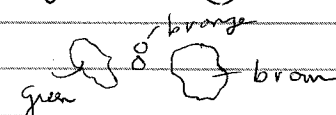
Stub No

SAN-010-SEPI	1.
SAN-018-SEPI	2
SAN-055-SEPI	3
SAN-056-SEPI	4

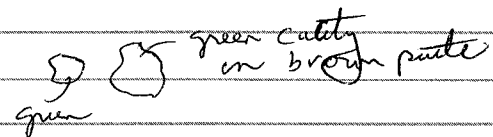
Photographed samples (slides) after mount on alumin stubs but before coating. Used Nikon binocular microscope in photography lab. Slides are kept in a three ring binder entitled "Santorini, Greece Sample Photographs".

Descriptions from microscopic observations

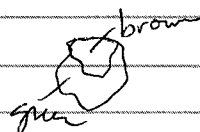
SAN-056 - Green Cu particle adjacent to brown particle with some green lining. In between have small bronze looking particles.



SAN-055 Green particle adjacent to larger particle consists of green coating on brown-red core



SAN-018 Brown red particle surrounded by green corrosion products



SAN-010 Green particle with small brown particles nearby



8 brown.

11/4/93 JP

Sample SAN-056 consisting of corrosion material from an artifact from Santorini, Greece was analyzed by XRD.

SAN-056\*XRDI is a subsample of SAN-056 and consists of fine powder (dark green in color) and a small piece of dark green corrosion particle.

SAN-056\*XRDI is a subsample of SAN-056 and consists of a light green material chipped off a large light green particle.



12/2/93 JP

Received thin sections from Mineral Optics Laboratory. Samples from to level at Nopal I and Santorini Greece. Order form with sample numbers are shown below.

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<b>Shipped via:</b>	

Sample No.	Size	Finish	Impreg.	Stain	Cut	Other
	Quantity 27 x 46 mm 1.5 x 3 in. 2 x 3 in. 1" or 1.25 dia Other	Thick mm Thin mm Standard 03 mm Std Lapped 1 Side Polish 2 Side Polish	Clear Resin Color Resin	Grains, Cutting Carbonate Feldspar	Bulk Sample Oriented Other Cement Water Soluble	W/Cover Glass No Cover Glass Discard Mat
NOP1-273-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-277-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-279-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-280-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-284-TS2	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-289-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-264-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-289-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-267-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-279-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-263-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-266-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-276-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-253-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-265-TS2	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-282-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-275-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-285-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-288-TS2	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-274-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-274-TS2	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-261-TS1	✓	✓	✓			

Polished thin sections. These samples have been cut - use faces without "X" marks.

\* Return remainder of all samples

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Sample No.	Size	Finish	Impreg.	Stain	Cut	Other
	Quantity 27 x 46 mm 1.5 x 3 in. 2 x 3 in. 1" or 1.25 dia Other	Thick mm Thin mm Standard 03 mm Std Lapped 1 Side Polish 2 Side Polish	Clear Resin Color Resin	Grains, Cutting Carbonate Feldspar	Bulk Sample Oriented Other Cement Water Soluble	W/Cover Glass No Cover Glass Discard Mat
SAN-020-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-022-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-026-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-030-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-033-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-041-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-046-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-050-TS1	✓	✓	✓			
SAN-053-TS1	✓	✓	✓			

\* Please vacuum impregnate the 9 samples below with blue-dyed epoxy before cutting.

Polished thin sections. Cut out thin section blocks after impregnation.

\* Return remainder of all samples.

\* Note: The following 3 samples are radioactive - take precautions when preparing.

NOP1-271-TS2	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-271-TS4	✓	✓	✓			
NOP1-271-TS10	✓	✓	✓			

Polished thin sections - cut along black line as shown. Is necessary to prepare file.

\* For the above 3 samples we are most interested in black part of rock.

1/5/94 JP

## Preparation of Whole Rock Powders (0 level samples - Nopal I).

The following samples are from an east-west traverse on the cleared 0 level surface between 2 and 3 m east. Powders will be used for gamma spectrometry, XRD, and major & trace element analysis.

NOPI-254\*WRI is a subsample of NOPI-254. Very <sup>broken</sup> altered, hematitic, limonitic, kaolinitized. Contains unaltered silicates along fracture surfaces.

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NOPI-255\*WRI is a subsample of NOPI-255. Reddish-brown (slightly hematitic) tuff. Kaolinitized - in fractures & replacing feldspar phenocrysts. Some fractures contain an ore line with unaltered silicates and iron oxides.

NOPI-256-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-256. Reddish-brown (hematitic) altered tuff with unaltered silicates in fractures. Kaolinitized - in fractures and replacing feldspar phenocrysts & feldspar in matrix.

NOPI-257-WRI is a subsample (powdered) of NOPI-257. Altered tuff, very kaolinitized, strongly limonitic, slightly hematitic. Unaltered silicates and kaolinite in fractures and coating surfaces of fractures. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. Some iron oxides on fracture surfaces.

NOPI-258-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-258. Altered tuff, strongly kaolinitized, very limonitic, slightly hematitic. Some iron oxides coating fractures. Unaltered silicates & kaolinite in fractures. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite.

NOPI-259-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-259. Kaolinitized / limonitic tuff. Fractures contain kaolinite, some iron oxides, & minor unaltered silicates. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. This sample does not seem as altered as previous samples & appears to contain less unaltered silicates in fractures.

NOPI-260-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-260. Very broken, altered tuff, very kaolinitized, limonitic, with dark red iron oxides coating some fractures. Unaltered silicates and kaolinite in fractures.

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NOPI-261-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-261. Altered tuff, tuff matrix appears hematitic (red in color). Kaolinitized with kaolinite replacing feldspar and in fractures. Some fractures coated with dark red iron oxides (hematite). No visible unaltered silicates. Some limonite. Upon breaking matrix does not appear highly hematitic (brownish in color).

NOPI-262-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-262. Limonite/hematitic tuff. Kaolinitized with kaolinite replacing feldspar & in fractures. Fracture surfaces are often coated by dark red iron oxides (hematite) and lesser goethite (yellow limonite). No visible unaltered silicates.

NOPI-263-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-263. Very kaolinitized/alt. tuff. Kaolinite replaced feldspar, limonite (yellow orange color). Red colored material (hematite) coats some fracture surfaces. No visible unaltered silicates.

NOPI-264-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-264. Hematitic altered tuff. Red-colored matrix indicates rock has been strongly hematized. Black & dark red material (hematite, Fe oxide) coats fractures. Kaolinite - phenocrysts of feldspar in matrix have been replaced by kaolinite. Kaolinite also occurs in fractures. No visible unaltered silicates.

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NOPI-265-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-265. Hematized, broken tuff. Dark red matrix indicates strong hematization. Kaolinite replaced feldspar & in fractures. Fractures filled by iron oxides - black, red. A yellow-green mineral occurs in fractures & as a coating - this mineral may be jarosite.

NOPI-266-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-266. Hematitic, fractured tuff. Dark red matrix suggests strong hematization. Kaolinite replaces feldspar & occurs in fractures. Fractures filled or coated by iron oxides - black, dark red. A yellow-green mineral occurs in fractures and may be jarosite.

NOP1-267-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOP1-267. Very hematitic, fractured tuff. Matrix of tuff very hematitic. Kaolinite replaces feldspar & occurs in fractures. Fractures are filled or coated by iron oxides.

NOP1-268-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOP1-268. Very hematitic, broken tuff. Matrix hematitic as evidenced by red color. Kaolinite replaces feldspar & occurs in fractures. Fractures coated and filled by iron oxides. Variscite may also occur in fractures as a yellow green material.

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Analysis of Fe-oxide bearing fractures from the Nopal I deposit were initiated. The purpose of these analyses are to determine how transported material is sited: within or on what minerals; precipitation vs. sorption; which minerals are most important.

Analyses will consist of petrographic descriptions; x-ray diffraction; SEM/EDS and whatever other techniques are required.

Descriptions, photos, and data will be kept in a 3 ring binder entitled "Analyses of Fe-oxide bearing fractures at Nopal I, Chihuahua, Mexico".

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NOP1-268

Altered tuff with abundant iron oxides that fill fractures. Fe-oxides in fractures (black to dark red metallic material) was separated by picking for x-ray diffraction analysis.

The material was powdered; <sup>FM1</sup> JP 1/6/94 powder was added as an internal reference, and powdered was placed in a plastic vial labeled NOP1-268-XR02 <sup>JP 1/6/94</sup> taken to Div of Geology for analysis. Al powder was added to an aliquot as an internal reference. JP 1/6/94

NOP1-268-FM1 is a subsample of NOP1-268. Fe-oxide fracture fill material. Black to dark red in color.



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NOPI-268-FM2 is a subsample of NOPI-268  
Fracture fill material (Fe-oxide). Red,  
black, + yellow in color. Yellow material  
may be jarosite or piece to altered  
tuff contained within fracture (breccia  
material).

Portions of whole rock and fracture  
material powders were taken and  
prepared for XRD analysis in  
Div 06. Samples were labeled  
as follows.

NOPI-254-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-254-WR1

NOPI-268-XRD2 - portion of NOPI-268-FM1  
(Al powder added as  
internal reference).

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NOPI-268-XRD3 - portion of NOPI-268-FM2  
(Al powder added as  
internal reference).

NOPI-255-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-255-WR1

NOPI-256-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-256-WR1

NOPI-257-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-257-WR1

NOPI-258-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-258-WR1

NOPI-259-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-259-WR1

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NOPI-260-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-260-WR1

NOPI-261-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-261-WR1 <sup>WPI JF</sup> 1/19/94

NOPI-262-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-262-WR1 <sup>WPI JF</sup> 1/19/94

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NOPI-263-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-263-WR1

NOPI-264-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-264-WR1

NOPI-265-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-265-WR1

NOPI-266-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-266-WR1

NOPI-267-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-267-WR1

NOPI-268-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-268-XRD1

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Preparation of whole rock powder  
(O level, Nopal I)

The following samples are from  
a NW-SE traverse on O level  
across an area of slickened  
sides which may be a bounding  
fault for the deposit.

NOPI-269-WR1 is a powdered  
subsample of NOPI-269. Broken  
altered tuff. Red-brown matrix  
suggest moderate hematization.  
Kaolinite replaced feldspar & occurs  
in fractures. Fractures also contain  
ironstone-hematite and small  
silicates. Oxidized pyrites can be  
observed in fractures.

NOPI-270-WR1 is a powdered  
subsample of NOPI-270. Brown-red  
hematite matrix. Kaolinite replaces  
feldspar and occurs in fractures.  
Fractures contain dark red hematite  
either filling or coating fractures.  
Small silicates are visible in  
fractures with oxidized pyrites.

NOPI-271-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-271. Silicified broken altered  
tuff. Contains black pods of primary  
minerals in a fracture fill. Matrix  
is red-brown indicating moderate  
hematization. Kaolinite replaced feldspar  
& occurs in fractures. Minerals in  
fractures have been replaced to small  
minerals. Oxidized pyrites are visible  
in fractures.

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NOPI-272-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-272. Hematized/kaolinitized  
tuff that is very broken up. Kaolinite  
replaces feldspar & occurs in fractures.  
Brownish matrix indicates hematization.  
Fractures contain Fe-oxides & small  
silicate minerals.

NOPI-273-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-273. Hematized, broken, altered  
tuff. Brown-red color indicates hematization.  
Kaolinite replaces feldspar & occurs in  
fractures. Fractures contain Fe-oxides of  
varying color and small silicates.

NOPI-274-WR1 is a subsample (powdered) of NOPI-274. Limonite/hematite altered tuff. Matrix is limonite and is hematite near fracture which contains hematite. Kaolinite replaces feldspar & occurs in fractures. Fractures contain Fe oxides - black and red, hematite and more yellow limonite. No visible main minerals.

NOPI-275-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-275. Altered tuff. Red-brown matrix indicates hematization. Kaolinite replaces feldspar and occurs in fractures. Fractures are coated or filled by Fe-oxides. No visible main minerals.

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Samples for gamma counting: all are subsamples of whole rock (WR1) powder.

Sample	Wt. equal	Wt. val + sample	Wt. sample
<u>NOPI-254-GAM1</u>	2.064 g	5.976 g	3.912 g
<u>NOPI-255-GAM1</u>	2.070 g	5.894 g	3.824 g
<u>NOPI-256-GAM1</u>	2.058 g	5.848 g	3.790 g
<u>NOPI-257-GAM1</u>	2.056 g	5.628 g	3.572 g
<u>NOPI-258-GAM1</u>	2.079 g	5.615 g	3.536 g
<u>NOPI-259-GAM1</u>	2.054 g	5.598 g	3.544 g
<u>NOPI-260-GAM1</u>	2.069 g	5.676 g	3.607 g
<u>NOPI-261-GAM1</u>	2.076 g	5.837 g	3.761 g
<u>NOPI-262-GAM1</u>	2.053 g	5.487 g	3.434 g
<u>NOPI-263-GAM1</u>	2.062 g	5.493 g	3.431 g
<u>NOPI-264-GAM1</u>	2.071 g	5.769 g	3.698 g
<u>NOPI-265-GAM1</u>	2.074 g	5.581 g	3.507 g
<u>NOPI-266-GAM1</u>	2.064 g	5.683 g	3.619 g
<u>NOPI-267-GAM1</u>	2.072 g	6.396 g	4.324 g
<u>NOPI-268-GAM1</u>	2.058 g	6.460 g	4.402 g

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NOPI-294-XRDZ - Fracture filling iron oxides separated from bulk rock by hand picking. NOPI-294 sample was powdered, Al powder added as internal ref. for XRD analysis.

NOPI-301-XRDZ - Fracture filling iron oxide separated from bulk rock sample NOPI-301. Sample was powdered; Al powder was added as internal ref. for XRD analysis.

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NOPI-301-XRD1

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- Portion of NOPI-301-WR1. Red fracture fill, Fe-oxide material.

NOPI-298-XRD1

- Portion of NOPI-298-WR1 Fe-oxide fracture fill.

NOPI-299-XRD1

- Portion of NOPI-299-GAM1 Fe-oxide fracture fill.

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Autoradiography of iron oxide bearing fractures.

Autoradiographic analysis performed to determine sites of uranium concentration in iron oxide bearing fractures.

The following thin sections were placed face down on CR-35 plastic and allowed to sit.

label on plastic

NOPI-294-TS1	294
NOPI-301-TS1	301
NOPI-268-TS1	268

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Auger study -

Mineral separates of Fe-oxides and jarosite were prepared for auger analysis. The following minerals were separated from the bulk sample and labeled as follows:

NOPI-294-SEPI - Black Fe-oxide growing in a fracture from hematite tuff substrate. Botryoidal texture. Some jarosite grows <sup>onto</sup> from the black Fe-oxide.



NOPI-294-SEP2 - Black Fe-oxide lines  
open space from  
hematite substrate.  
Botryoidal texture. Euhedral  
jarosite grows from the  
black Fe-oxide mineral.

NOPI-294-SEP3 - Black Fe-oxide growing  
from hematite tuffaceous  
substrate. Fe-oxide often  
covered by euhedral  
jarosite.

NOPI-301-SEP1 - Fe-oxide growing into open  
space from tuffaceous  
substrate. Fe-oxide has  
somewhat botryoidal texture  
and is very porous.

NOPI-301-SEP2 - Orange colored mineral (jarosite  
or goethite) growing into  
an open space from a  
tuffaceous substrate. Intergrown  
with Fe-oxide (black mineral)  
in some areas.

NOPI-301-SEP3 - Black to dark red Fe-oxide  
growing into open space.  
Flaky texture but surface  
somewhat botryoidal. Orange  
material on surface in some  
areas.

NOPI-301-SEP4 - black Fe-oxide material  
growing into open void.  
Flaky, porous texture.

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The following mineral separates  
were mounted on a Auger sample  
holder with carbon paint.

NOPI-294-SEP2  
NOPI-301-SEP1  
NOPI-301-SEP2  
NOPI-301-SEP3

The samples were taken to Jim  
Spencer in Div 06 for Auger  
analysis.

2/18/94 JP  
Results of Auger analysis are kept  
in the 3 ring binder entitled  
"Analyses of Fe-oxide bearing fractions  
at Napal I, Chihuahua, Mexico."

2CP 1/25/91

Results of final analyses of Cu  
in preparation for bronze corrosion  
product analyses. Analytical work  
by Mike Danneman, Suck Division 01  
by FCP.

SAMPLE ID	MD1	MD2	MD4	MD5	MD7	MD8	MD10	MD11	MD16	MD16
Initial Wt(g)	0.00097	0.00172	0.00196	0.00589	0.00497	0.0074	0.00179	0.00971	0.00317	0.00432
MDL(ug/ml)										
Ag	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Al	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	175	<201	<135	<559	<103	<315	<231
As	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	<167	<201	<135	<112	<21	<83	<48
Ba	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Be	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Bi	0.05 1047	1349	1185	901	1258	970	1393	1223	1235	950
Br	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Cd	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Co	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Cr	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Cu	0.01 1020419	1047784	995045	658138	978548	*****	1004637	*****	975137	753680
Fe	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	<167	<201	<135	<112	<21	<83	<48
Li	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Mn	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Mo	0.01 <208	<118	<102	181	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Ni	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<167	<201	<135	<559	<103	<315	<231
Pb	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	<167	<201	<135	<559	<103	<315	<231
Sb	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	<167	<201	<135	<559	<103	<315	<231
Se	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	60078	<201	75279	<559	<103	<315	70131
Sn	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	<167	<201	<135	<559	<103	<315	<231
Tl	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Ti	0.05 <1031	<581	<510	<167	<201	<135	<559	<103	<315	<231
V	0.01 <208	<118	<102	<33	<40	<27	<112	<21	<83	<48
Zn	0.01 3082	2873	3003	2386	2723	2404	3108	2730	2738	2287
SUM	1024548	1052006	999232.7	721858.4	980528.6	78816.49	1010753	4142.739	979108.8	827028.9
%	102.45%	105.20%	99.92%	72.19%	98.05%	7.88%	101.08%	0.41%	97.91%	82.70%

Final volume was 20ml.  
Sample concentrations are in ug/g.

\*\*\*\*\* Cu was over-range. Due to limited sample volume, a dilution was not possible.

These analyses are determined to  
be unacceptable. High precision  
(for such small samples) v.v. low  
accuracy. It appears that  
there is some systematic error  
rendering the analyses un-usable.  
We will not be able to use  
this technique for analysis of the  
bronze corrosion products.  
For such small samples, microbeam  
analysis may be the best  
answer.

1/26/94

Continued preparation of whole rock powder (level 0, Nopal I)

NOPI-276-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-276. Altered hematite/limonite tuff. Kaolinite visible replacing feldspar in matrix + occurs in fractures. Fractures coated by red to red-orange Fe-oxide. No visible U minerals. Black material (Mn-oxide?) occurs on surfaces.

NOPI-277-WR1 is a powdered portion of NOPI-277. Altered, fractured hematite/limonite tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar + occurs in fractures. Red to red-orange Fe-oxide coat fractures. No visible U minerals.

NOPI-278-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-278. Altered limonite tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar. Red Fe oxide coats some fractures along with patchy black material (Mn-oxide?).

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NOPI-279-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-279. Altered, limonite tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar in matrix. No visible U. minerals. Black material (Fe, Mn oxides) coats some surfaces.

Random 0 ~~10~~ level samples:

NOPI-280-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-280. Very hematized tuff (red). Fractures are coated by black Fe-oxide which is in turn covered by yellow micropore and possibly opal.

NOPI-281-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-281. Very hematized tuff. Fracture surfaces coated with black Fe-oxide covered by yellow micropore and possibly opal.

NOPI-282-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-282. Very hematized tuff. Fracture surfaces filled + coated with black Fe-oxide. Fe-oxide is in turn covered by yellow micropore + possibly opal.

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Portions of whole rock powders were prepared for XRD analysis in Div 06. Samples labelled as follows:

NOPI-269-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-269-WR1

NOPI-270-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-270-WR1

NOPI-271-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-271-WR1

NOPI-272-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-272-WR1

NOPI-273-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-273-WR1

NOPI-274-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-274-WR1

NOPI-275-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-275-WR1

NOPI-276-XRD1 - portion of NOPI-276-WR1



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JP

Preparation of whole rock powders (cont'd)

NOPI-283-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-283. Strongly hematized tuff. Black Fe-oxides coat surfaces and fractures. Yellow unaltered and opal overgrow the Fe oxide coating.

NOPI-284-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-284. Strongly hematized tuff. Black Fe-oxide coat surfaces & fractures. Yellow unaltered and opal overgrow black Fe-oxide coatings.

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JP

NOPI-285-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-285. Altered, broken hematitic tuff. Kaolinite replaced feldspar & occurs in fractures. Hematite also coats some fractures. Many silicates (yellow minerals) occur in fractures. Rock is also silicified.

NOPI-286-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-286. Altered, broken, hematized tuff. Kaolinite replaced feldspar & fill fractures. Fe oxides coat fractures & replaced pyrites are visible. Many silicates occur in fractures also.

NOPI-287-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-287. Hematized, Fe-oxide rich altered tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar & occurs in fractures. Fe-oxides coat surfaces & occur in fractures. No visible unaltered minerals.

1/31/94  
JP

NOPI-288-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-288. Very hematized broken tuff. Kaolinite replaced feldspar & occurs in fractures. Fractures contain Fe oxide as coatings and fill (hematite and goethite). No visible unaltered minerals. Fractures contain black lustrous mineral (possibly Mn-oxide).

NOPI-289-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-289. Kaolitized, iron-rich tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar. Fractures open contain a dark red hematitic coating on surfaces. No visible unaltered minerals.

NOPI-290-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-290. Kaolitized, iron-rich tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar. Some dark red material (hematite) coats fractures. No visible unaltered minerals.

NOPI-291-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-291. Altered, broken mineralogy. Yellow main mineral visible in fractures + intergrow with kaolinite in fractures. Kaolinite replaces feldspar in matrix. Dark (black-red) Fe oxides are present as coatings in fractures.

NOPI-292-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-292. Altered kaolinitized Fe-oxide rich tuff. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. Matrix appears hematite/limonite. Fracture surfaces coated by kaolinite and yellow ill minerals.

2/1/94 JP

NOPI-293-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-293. Mineralogy broken tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar + occurs in fractures. Fractures also contain hematite (Fe-oxide). Main mineral occurs in fractures + possibly in matrix of tuff. Oxidized pyrites are visible. Matrix is also hematite (dark red).

2/1/94 JP

Samples for gamma spectrometry: all samples are portions of whole rock (WRI) powders.

Sample	Wt of vial	Wt of vial + sample	Wt sample
NOPI-269-WRI <sup>GAMI</sup> JP	2.058 g	6.323 g	<del>4.265</del> 4.266 g
NOPI-270-GAMI	2.071 g	6.033 g	3.962 g
NOPI-271-GAMI	2.071 g	6.379 g	4.308 g
NOPI-272-GAMI	2.068 g	5.406 g	3.338 g
NOPI-273-GAMI	2.059 g	6.385 g	4.326 g
NOPI-274-GAMI	2.064 g	6.318 g	4.254 g
NOPI-275-GAMI	2.069 g	6.124 g	4.055 g
NOPI-276-GAMI	2.060 g	6.123 g	4.063 g
NOPI-277-GAMI	2.068 g	5.987 g	3.919 g
NOPI-278-GAMI	2.070 g	5.970 g	3.900 g
NOPI-279-GAMI	2.067 g	6.357 g	4.290 g
NOPI-280-GAMI	2.076 g	6.232 g	4.156 g
NOPI-281-GAMI	2.054 g	6.540 g	4.486 g
NOPI-282-GAMI	2.066 g	6.526 g	4.460 g
NOPI-283-GAMI	2.062 g	6.604 g	4.542 g

<u>Sample</u>	<u>Wt of vial</u>	<u>Wt of vial + sample</u>	<u>Wt of sample</u>
<u>NOPI-284-GAM1</u>	2.072g	6.282g	4.210g
<u>NOPI-285-GAM1</u>	2.070g	6.269g	4.199g
<u>NOPI-286-GAM1</u>	2.065g	6.237g	4.172g
<u>NOPI-287-GAM1</u>	2.073g	6.184g	4.111g
<u>NOPI-288-GAM1</u>	2.073g	6.406g	4.333g
<u>NOPI-289-GAM1</u>	2.071g	5.576g	3.505g
<u>NOPI-290-GAM1</u>	2.070g	5.672g	3.602g
<u>NOPI-291-GAM1</u>	2.074g	7.013g	4.939g
<u>NOPI-292-GAM1</u>	2.070g	6.371g	4.301g
<u>NOPI-293-GAM1</u>	2.069g	6.580g	4.511g

2/9/94 GP

Auto radiography of iron oxide bearing  
fractures (cont. from p. 87)

0800hrs About 200ml of 6N NaOH was  
placed in 3 500 ml plastic beakers.  
Beakers were placed in oven at 80°C  
and liquid was allowed 80°C

1400hrs Samples - thin sections:

NOPI-294-TS1

NOPI-301-TS1

NOPI-268-TS1

were removed from CR-39 plastic and each  
plate was placed in beaker containing  
6N NaOH and placed in oven at 80°C  
for etching of alpha tracks.

3100hrs Samples were removed from oven.

CR-39 plastic were removed from  
6N NaOH and rinsed with Nanopure  
H<sub>2</sub>O. Samples were allowed to  
air dry.

2/9/94 JF Portions of whole rock powders were prepared for XRD analysis

NOPI-277-XRD1      portion of NOPI-277-WR1

NOPI-278-XRD1      portion of NOPI-278-WR1

NOPI-279-XRD1      portion of NOPI-279-WR1

NOPI-280-XRD1      portion of NOPI-280-WR1

NOPI-281-XRD1      portion of NOPI-281-WR1

NOPI-282-XRD1      portion of NOPI-282-WR1

NOPI-283-XRD1      portion of NOPI-283-WR1

NOPI-284-XRD1      portion of NOPI-284-WR1

NOPI-285-XRD1      portion of NOPI-285-WR1

2/15/94 JF Fe-rich material (oxides + sulfates) from a sample NOPI-298 along the prominent E-W fracture on +10 were hand picked to separate from rock matrix. This material was powdered for XRD analysis and the sample labelled

NOPI-298-XRDZ

2/15/94 JF Portions of whole rock powders were prepared for XRD analysis

NOPI-286-XRD1      portion of NOPI-286-WR1

NOPI-287-XRD1      portion of NOPI-287-WR1

NOPI-288-XRD1      portion of NOPI-288-WR1

NOPI-289-XRD1      portion of NOPI-289-WR1

NOPI-290-XRD1      portion of NOPI-290-WR1

NOPI-291-XRD1      portion of NOPI-291-WR1

NOPI-292-XRD1      portion of NOPI-292-WR1

NOPI-293-XRD1      portion of NOPI-293-WR1



2/11/94 JP

Santorini Metal Analyses

Objective: determine metal content  
of Santorini rock samples  
by selective leaching  
experiments.

Method: selective leaching as outlined  
by Tessier et al 1979  
(Anal. Chem. Vol 51 No 7 p844)

## Preparation of powders:

Portions of the following rock  
samples were powdered in a  
SPEX mixer mill using a  
tungsten carbide vial.

SAN-023

SAN-030

SAN-038

SAN-046

Powders were placed in plastic  
vials & labeled as follows:

SAN-023-WR1

SAN-030-WR1

SAN-038-WR1

SAN-046-WR1

2/14/94 16:10 hrs  
 JJ About 10g of each of the Santorini whole rock powder samples were placed in labeled petri dishes and placed in the Thermolyne oven at 110°C.

2/15/94 16:20 hrs  
 JJ Santorini powders were removed from oven and placed in a desiccator.

2/16/94 JJ

### Preparation of metal standards

Using Cu, Ag, Sn, Zn, Pb, Co, Fe, and Mn atomic absorption reference standards (1000 ppm), 100 ppm standard solutions were made for the determination of metals in soils and tuffs from Santorini Greece.

### Materials:

1000 ppm Cu	(lot NO 291648-24)
1000 ppm Ag	(lot NO 932877-9)
1000 ppm Sn	(lot NO 925284-24)
1000 ppm Zn	(lot NO 932351-24)
1000 ppm Pb	(lot NO 925795-24)
1000 ppm Co	(lot NO 940162-24)
1000 ppm Fe	(lot NO 922056-24)
1000 ppm Mn	(lot NO 921488-24)

100 ml volumetric flasks  
 10 ml volumetric pipette  
 125 ml PP bottles

### Procedure:

- 1) Rinse 10 ml pipet, then transfer 10 ml of AA solution standard into a 100 ml volumetric flask, dilute to mark with a solution of 1.5 ml  $\text{HNO}_3$  / 1000 ml Nanopure water as the diluent to maintain standard matrix.
- 2) Transfer solution of a 125 ml PP bottle and label appropriately.
- 3) If necessary, serial dilutions or more dilutions can be made by following previous procedure.

\* Note Zn standard was prepared in a 5%  $\text{HNO}_3$  matrix and the Sn standard was prepared in a 10% HCl matrix to maintain original matrix.

2/17/94 *JP* Solution preparation for selective  
leach of Greece sample

1M  $MgCl_2$  - added approximately  
50.83 g of  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$   
(lot 880152) to 200 ml  
 $H_2O$  in a volumetric  
flask. Dissolved solid  
by stirring then transferred  
solution to a 250 ml  
volumetric flask and  
added  $H_2O$  to mark.  
Sample transferred to  
500 ml PP bottle and  
labeled "1M  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$ ".

1M NaOAc (pH=5.0) - dissolved 68.04 g  
 $NaOAc \cdot 3H_2O$  (lot 937077)  
in 500 ml  $H_2O$  in a  
1L beaker. Add dropwise  
glacial HOAc (lot 933852)  
while monitoring pH until  
pH=5.0 is reached.  
Transfer solution to a  
500 ml PP bottle labeled  
"1M NaOAc".

0.04M  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$  in 25% (v/v) HOAc -

- pipetted 125 ml glacial acetic  
acid (lot 933852) into a 500  
ml volumetric flask. Added ~  
250  $H_2O$  and mixed.  
Added 1.3858 g  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$   
(lot 912653A) to the solution  
and made up to mark with  
 $H_2O$ . Transferred solution to  
a PP bottle labeled 0.04M  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$   
in 25% (v/v) HOAc.

2/21/94 JP

Triplicate ~1g samples of the  
Santauri rock powder were placed  
in plastic 50ml centrifuge tubes  
and labeled as below

	wt tube + powder	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-023-A	13.763 <del>13.762</del>	14.764g	1.001g
SAN-023-B	13.697 <del>13.697</del>	14.738g	1.041g
SAN-023-C	13.696 <del>13.696</del>	14.712g	1.016g
SAN-030-A	13.671 <del>13.673</del>	14.694g	1.023g
SAN-030-B	13.912 <del>13.914</del>	14.923g	1.011g
SAN-030-C	13.610 <del>13.613</del>	14.644g	1.034g
SAN-038-A	13.737g	14.755g	1.018g
SAN-038-B	13.745g	14.786g	1.041g
SAN-038-C	13.924g	14.954g	1.030g
SAN-046-A	13.628g	14.654g	1.026g
SAN-046-B	13.890g	14.912g	1.022g
SAN-046-C	13.667g	14.693g	1.026g

-Blank JP 2/24/94

2/21/94 JP

## Leaching Procedure

1405hr ① 8 ml of 1M  $\text{MgCl}_2$  was added  
to each centrifuge tube using  
an Oxford pipet. Samples were  
placed in a wrist shaker for  
~1 hour.

1505hr ② Samples centrifuged at 10,000 rpm  
for ~30 min

1600hr ③ ~7 ml of the supernatant was  
removed from tube by pipetting  
and placed in labeled 15 ml PP  
bottle for later analysis.

2/22/94 0800hr ④ Samples were washed with deionized  
water by adding 8 ml of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to  
each tube. Samples were then agitated  
on the homogenizer and centrifuged  
for 30 min at 10,000 rpm. The  
supernatant was then decanted.

0850hr ⑤ 8 ml of 1M  $\text{NaOAc}$  was added to  
each tube using an Oxford pipet.  
Samples were agitated on wrist shaker  
for 5 hours.

1355hr ⑥ Tubes were centrifuged for 30 min.  
at 10000 rpm

1440 ⑦ ~7 ml of the supernatant was removed  
from tube by pipette & placed in  
labeled 15 ml PP bottle for later  
analysis.

1450hrs JP ⑧ Samples were washed with DI  $H_2O$  by adding 8 ml of  $H_2O$  to each tube. Samples were then homogenized & centrifuged for 30 min at 10000 rpm. The supernatant was decanted.

2/23/94 JP

0800 hrs ⑨ 8 ml of 0.04 M  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$  in 25% (v/v) HOAc reagent was added to each sample tube with an Oxford pipet. The tubes were then agitated in a wrist shaker for 5 hours.

1300hrs JP ⑩ ~~27ml~~ Tubes were centrifuged for 30 min at 10,000 rpm.

1330hrs ⑪ 27 ml of the supernatant was removed from each sample tube & transferred to labeled 15 ml PP bottles for later analysis.



2/22/94 JP

XRD preparation of Nopal samples.

NOPI-302-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture filling material; hand-picked and powdered for XRD analysis.

NOPI-303-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture filling material; hand-picked and powdered for XRD analysis.

NOPI-300-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture fill material; hand-picked + powdered for XRD analysis.

NOPI-299-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture fill material; hand-picked + powdered for XRD analysis.

NOPI-296-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture fill material; hand-picked + powdered for XRD analysis.

NOPI-295-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture fill material; hand-picked + powdered for XRD analysis.

2/23/94 JP

NOPI-203-XRDZ - Portion of NOPI-203-GAM1 (Fe-rich fracture fill material) taken for XRD analysis.

NOPI-211-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture fill material; hand-picked + powdered + portion of NOPI-211-GAM1 taken for XRD analysis. About 50/50.

NOPI-210-XRDZ - Fe-rich fracture fill material; hand-picked + powdered for XRD analysis.

NOPI-146-XRDZ - Portion of NOPI-146-GAM1 (Fe-rich fracture fill material) taken for XRD analysis.

2/24/94 JF

Preparation of powders for gamma  
counting in Div 01.

	Vial wt	Vial+powder	Wt powder
<u>NOPI-123-GAMZ</u>	3.794g	4.802g	1.008g
<u>NOPI-121-GAMZ</u>	3.814g	4.818g	1.004g
<u>NOPI-119-GAMZ</u>	3.814g	4.823g	1.008g
<u>NOPI-117-GAMZ</u>	3.775g	4.779g	1.004g
<u>NOPI-115-GAMZ</u>	3.813g	4.833g	1.020g

The above powder are portions of  
previous gamma samples contained in  
7ml PP vials counted on gamma  
spec in F. Iddings office.

3/7/94

JF Preparation of whole rock powder  
for gamma analysis.

The following 4 samples are additional  
samples from a traverse perpendicular  
to the principal fracture on +10  
between 13+14 m E.

NOPI-392-WRI is a subsample of  
NOPI-392. Limonite to hematite  
tuff. Kaolinite replace feldspar in  
matrix & lines some fractures.  
Dark red iron-oxides also fill  
on line some fractures.  
9.95/13.15/10 Wt = 25.43g

3/8/94 JF

NOPI-393-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-393. Kaolinitic / hematite  
tuff. Fe-oxides occur in both  
matrix and fractures.  
9.95/13.0/10 Wt = 23.18g

NOPI-394-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-394. Kaolinitic / hematite /  
limonite altered tuff. Matrix appears  
variably hematitic. Fractures contain  
red to orange yellow Fe-oxides.  
9.95/13.80/10 Wt = 14.73g

NOPI-395-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-395. Hematite/limonite  
Koolitzel tuff. Matrix appears  
hematite (red colored). Limonite and  
hematite coat of fill grains.  
9.55/14.0/10 wt = 26.09 g

Preparation of powder for gamma  
counting. Samples are portions of  
whole rock powders prepared  
previously

	Vial wt	Vial + sample	Sample wt.
<u>NOPI-392-GAM1</u>	2.068 g	6.150 g	4.082 g
<u>NOPI-393-GAM1</u>	2.061 g	6.228 g	4.167 g
<u>NOPI-394-GAM1</u>	2.068 g	5.969 g	3.901 g
<u>NOPI-395-GAM1</u>	2.066 g	6.384 g	4.318 g

3/8/94  
JP

Preparation of whole rock powders

Samples from 10 level taken within  
the vitrophyes adjacent to Nopal I  
orebody.

NOPI-371-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-371. Gray green silicate  
rock. May be clay intergrown with  
zeolite. Abundant Fe-oxide staining.  
Wt = 18.82 g

3/9/94  
JP

NOPI-370-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-370. Black, yellow, orange Fe-  
rich vein filling material. Yellow  
U? minerals are common as a  
coat on other Fe-oxides.  
Wt = 8.98 g

NOPI-369-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-369. White <sup>gray-green</sup> clay altered  
vitrophyes. Some iron (orange yellow)  
staining.  
Wt = 18.11 g

NOPI-368-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-368. White green clay altered  
vitrophyes  
Wt = 23.57 g

3/8/94 JP

## Santorini leaching experiment -

Results of AA analyses of samples leached previously (P111-113) indicate that additional solution will be required to analyze for all the metals of interest.

Therefore, the leaching procedures will be revised. However, for each rock powder, 6 lg samples will be leached instead of 3 lg samples.

6 lg samples of Santorini rock powders SAN-023 and SAN-046 were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes and labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-023-A	13.711 g	14.727 g	1.016 g
SAN-023-B	13.778 g	14.797 g	1.019 g
SAN-023-C	13.655 g	14.682 g	1.027 g
SAN-023-D	13.708 g	14.730 g	1.022 g
SAN-023-E	13.669 g	14.700 g	1.031 g
SAN-023-F	13.830 g	14.847 g	1.017 g
SAN-046-A	13.777 g	14.790 g	1.013 g
SAN-046-B	13.714 g	14.737 g	1.023 g
SAN-046-C	13.674 g	14.704 g	1.030 g
SAN-046-D	13.980 g	15.004 g	1.024 g
SAN-046-E	13.803 g	14.826 g	1.023 g
SAN-046-F	13.715 g	14.736 g	1.021 g

3/9/94 JP Leaching Procedure

0845hr ① Added 8 ml of 1M  $MgCl_2$  to each centrifuge tube and placed in wrist shaker for 1 hr.

1000hr ② Centrifuged tubes at 10,000 rpm for 30 min

1040hr ③ ~7 ml of the supernatant was removed by pipette and placed in a labeled 60 ml PP bottle for later analysis.

Bottle labels =

SAN-023  $MgCl_2$

SAN-046  $MgCl_2$

1045hr ④ Samples were washed with DI water by adding 8 ml  $H_2O$  to each tube, agitating on homogenizer and centrifuging at 10,000 rpm for 30 min. Supernatant was then decanted.

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0815hr ⑤ Added 8 ml of 1M NaOAc to each centrifuge tube & placed on wrist shaker for 5 hrs.

1325hr ⑥ Tubes centrifuged at 10,000 rpm for 30 min

1400hr ⑦ ~7 ml of supernatant removed by pipette & placed in labeled 60 ml PP bottles

Bottle labels =

SAN-023 NaOAc

SAN-046 NaOAc

1420hr ⑧ Samples washed with DI water by adding 8 ml  $H_2O$  to each tube, agitating, & centrifuging at 10,000 rpm for 30 min. Supernatant was then decanted. (cont on page 125)

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NOPI-371-XRDI - parts of NOPI-371-WR1  
for XRD analysis

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Prepared addition 1M  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$   
for leaching experiment.

Added ~101.66g of  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$   
(lot 936845) to 400 ml  $H_2O$  in  
a volumetric flask. Dissolved solid  
and transferred solute to a 500 ml  
volumetric flask. Added  $H_2O$  to  
mark & transferred soln to a 500  
ml PP bottle labeled "1M  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$ "

3/9/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powders

Addition sample from +0 level  
taken with the vitrophye adjacent  
to Nopid outcrop.

NOPI-331-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-331. Red/purple clay  
altered vitrophye. Minor white clay  
Some orange Fe-oxide staining.  
Wt = 20.05g

NOPI-367-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-367. Black + orange Fe-oxide  
rich material. Trace yellow  
unknown mineral present.  
Wt = 12.75g

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NOPI-366-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-366. Tan-yellow mineralized  
clay altered vitrophye. Some minor  
dark Fe-oxide.  
Wt = 14.1g

NOPI-365-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-365. White-green-gray clay  
altered vitrophye. Some minor Fe-oxide  
and unknown yellow mineral present.  
Compitent - may contain zeolite.  
Wt = 14.3g



NOPI-364-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-364. Orange gray limonite  
strater fill material.  
Wt = 17.6g

NOPI-363-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-363. Dark Fe-rich  
material from strater. Also contains  
orange Fe-oxide (limonite coating).  
Yellow inhorn mineral also  
present.  
Wt = 15.1g

NOPI-330-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-330. Clay altered vitrophyte  
white-gray-green material.  
Wt = 20.6g

NOPI-332-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-332. White-yellow-tan clay  
altered vitrophyte. Unconsolidated.  
Wt = 18.0g

### Leaching Procedure Cont.

3/11/94 0803hr (9) Added 8 ml of 0.04M  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH}\cdot\text{HCl}$  in 25% (v/v)  
HOAc to each centrifuge tube and placed  
on wrist shaker for 5 hrs.

1310hrs (10) Tubes centrifuged at 10000 rpm for 30 min

(11) ~7 ml of supernatant removed by pipette  
+ placed in labeled 60 ml centrif bottles

Bottle labels

SAN-023	$\text{NH}_2\text{OH}$
SAN-046	$\text{NH}_2\text{OH}$

3/11/94 JP Preparation of whole rock powder

Additonal samples from +0 level  
with vitrophyte

NOPI-333-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-333. White-tan-gray Sinter  
filly clay-zeolite. Contain whorl  
yellow mineral on surface.  
Fairly competent.  
Wt = 16.8 g

NOPI-334-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-334. Orange-black iron  
rich material from fracture.  
Wt = 17.0 g

NOPI-335-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-335. Red/purple unconsolidated  
clay altered vitrophyte  
Wt = 18.1 g

NOPI-336-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-336. White-tan-gray  
clay altered vitrophyte. Unconsolidated  
Wt = 17.7 g

NOPI-337-WRI is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-337. Red/purple clay  
altered vitrophyte. Fairly consolidated  
Wt = 19.0 g

3/11/94 JP

The following procedure will be used  
to prepare clay mounts of samples  
from Wapal I for XRD analysis.  
These analyses will be used to  
determine the mineralogy of clay  
minerals.

#### Procedure for preparing clay mounts for XRD analysis:

1. Take 3 to 5 g of <sup>crushed bulk rock JP 3/15/94</sup> milled whole rock powder and place in a 500 ml volumetric beaker.
2. Add about 200 ml of sodium hexametaphosphate solution <sup>33g Sodium Metaphosphate + 70g Sodium carbonate in 100 ml H<sub>2</sub>O; 50 ml of this soln to 1000 ml H<sub>2</sub>O.</sup> (5g/L) to the beaker and ultrasonically clean for about 10 min to disperse sample.
3. Pour about 45 ml of the solution into 4 centrifuge tubes (50 ml) and centrifuge at 1300 rpm for 2 minutes.
4. Decant supernatant (<2µm).
5. Sieve supernatant through a 0.45 membrane filter and transfer to a glass slide. Make 4 separate samples (air dry, glycolate at 60°C for 1 hour, heat at 400°C for 30 minutes, and heat at 550°C for 30 minutes). <sup>375°C JP</sup>

Sample glass slides will be labeled  
as follows:

Sample # - AD (ie. NOPI-339-AD)  
" - 400°C  
" - 550°C  
" - GLY

3/11/94

Preparation of whole rock powder for  
gamma analysis.  
Samples consist of portions of whole  
rock (WRI) powder prepared previously

	Vial wt	Vial + Sample	Sample wt
<u>NOPI-330-GAM1</u>	2.087g	6.355g	4.268g
<u>NOPI-331-GAM1</u>	2.076g	6.318g	4.242g
<u>NOPI-332-GAM1</u>	2.077g	6.186g	4.109g
<u>NOPI-333-GAM1</u>	2.073g	5.681g	3.608g
<u>NOPI-334-GAM1</u>	2.076g	6.364g	4.288g
<u>NOPI-335-GAM1</u>	2.068g	6.121g	4.053g
<u>NOPI-336-GAM1</u>	2.055g	6.063g	4.008g
<u>NOPI-337-GAM1</u>	2.073g	6.132g	4.059g
<u>NOPI-363-GAM1</u>	2.076g	6.052g	3.976g
<u>NOPI-364-GAM1</u>	2.058g	6.186g	4.128g
<u>NOPI-365-GAM1</u>	2.074g	6.193g	4.119g
<u>NOPI-366-GAM1</u>	2.059g	6.952g	4.893g
<u>NOPI-367-GAM1</u>	2.069g	6.720g	4.651g
<u>NOPI-368-GAM1</u>	2.066g	6.481g	4.415g
<u>NOPI-369-GAM1</u>	2.063g	6.311g	4.248g

<u>NOPI-370-GAM1</u>	2.068g	6.721g	4.653g
<u>NOPI-371-GAM1</u>	2.068g	5.952g	3.884g

All samples were dried in an oven  
at 100°C for at least 24 hours  
before placing into vials.

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NOPI-333-XPD2 - yellow unknown mineral  
handpicked + powdered  
for XPD analysis.  
Probably opalescent.

3/14/94 gp Thin section blocks for samples  
NOPI-414 and NOPI-416 were  
cut and sent to Mineral Optics  
for preparation of polished thin  
sections

The order form is shown  
below.

Sample No.		Size	Finish	Impreg.	Stain	Cut	Other
NOPI-416		1	STANDARD	POLISHED	THIN SECTION	FROM	
NOPI-414		1	SAME AS	ABOVE			

P.C.S.H.

The thin sections were received and  
labeled as follows:

NOPI-414-TS1

NOPI-416-TS1

3/14/94 JP

Thin sections, a  $\text{UO}_2$  standard, and photos of thin sections were sent to Ray Guillemette at Texas A&M for microprobe analyses of uranium matrix diffusion from Fe-oxide filled fractures and uranium content of phases and materials in Fe-rich fractures.

3 thin sections were sent:

NOPI-414-TS1 (matrix diffusion analyses)

NOPI-294-TS1 (U content of mineral phases + material in fractures)

NOPI-301-TS1

Opposite is letter sent to A&M explaining analyses to be done.

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March 14, 1994

Dr. Ray Guillemette  
Department of Geology  
Texas A&M University  
Halbouty Bldg.  
College Station, Texas 77843

Dear Ray,

Enclosed are thin sections, the  $\text{UO}_2$  standard, and photos for analyses of samples from the Nopal I uranium deposit in Chihuahua, Mexico. The thin sections consist of fractures which contain crystalline and amorphous Fe-oxides, jarosite (an Fe, K sulfate), kaolinite, and fragments of the host rock. Gamma spectrometry indicates that the fracture-filling materials contain uranium (bulk analyses range from 200-2000 ppm U) and suggests that the fracture is a major pathway for transport of uranium away from the uranium orebody. Autoradiographic analyses of thin sections shows that uranium also moves from the fracture into the matrix of the tuff.

As we discussed on the phone last week, English Percy and I would like to determine within or on what mineral(s) or material(s) uranium is sited and how far and how much uranium diffuses into the matrix of the host tuff.

Initially, we would like you to test whether the sensitivity of the microprobe is able to detect uranium. If so, three types of analyses can be attempted:

- 1). Matrix diffusion (thin section NOPI-414-TS1). Traverses starting with fracture filling Fe-oxide material and moving into the host tuff. Density of analyses should be greatest at contact between Fe-oxide and host tuff. We expect uranium content to drop rapidly as it diffuses into the matrix (micron scale). Size of beam as small as possible (1  $\mu\text{m}$ ).
- 2). Siting of uranium within fractures (thin sections NOPI-294-TS1 and NOPI-301-TS1). Analyses of phases within fracture to determine if U is associated with a particular mineral or material.
- 3). Uranium mapping (same areas on thin sections as in 1 and 2). Show relative abundance of U away from fractures into matrix and location and relative abundance of U with respect to different phases within a fracture.



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Thin sections are accompanied by photos that define sites that are good candidates for analysis:

NOPI-414-TS1 (not carbon coated) - includes composite (10X) photo of the side of the thin section with the fracture filling Fe-oxide and a composite (50X) photo showing approximate traverse paths. Try to avoid any obvious microfractures and Fe-oxides in the host tuff.

NOPI-294-TS1 (already carbon coated) - includes composite photo (10X) of thin section and 4X5 photos showing sites 1 and 3 on the composite.

NOPI-301-TS1 (already carbon coated) - includes composite photo (10X) of thin section and 4X5 photos showing sites 2 and 5 on the composite.

Please spend about 16 to 20 hours doing the analyses. Of course, this may not allow you the time needed to complete all the analyses defined above, however we would like to review the results before committing to additional work.

My I.P. address for transferring files is 129.162.209.103. I will give you a call later this week to see if you have any questions. Good luck!

Sincerely,

James D. Prikryl  
210-522-5667

3/15/94 JP

Sentaini leaching:

Additional samples prepared for trace element analysis by leaching

6 lg samples of rock powder  
SAN-030-WPI and SAN-038-WPI were placed  
in 50 ml centrifuge tubes +  
labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-030-A	13.787g	14.810g	1.023g
SAN-030-B	13.775g	14.797g	1.022g
SAN-030-C	13.763g	14.785g	1.022g
SAN-030-D	13.726g	14.745g	1.019g
SAN-030-E	13.813g	14.838g	1.025g
SAN-030-F	13.753g	14.776g	1.023g
SAN-038-A	13.670g	14.692g	1.022g
SAN-038-B	13.723g	14.744g	1.021g
SAN-038-C	13.383g	14.397g	1.014g
SAN-038-D	13.548g	14.581g	1.033g
SAN-038-E	14.119g	15.137g	1.018g
SAN-038-F	13.435g	14.469g	1.034g

3/15/94 JP  
0855 hrs

Leaching procedure on p 121 and 125 was  
followed

Sample labels:

SAN-030-  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-038  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-030  $NaOAc$   
SAN-038  $NaOAc$   
SAN-030  $NH_2OH$   
SAN-038  $NH_2OH$

3/15/94 gp

Preparation of Santorini whole rock powders.

SAN-053-WR1 is a powdered subsample of SAN-053. Cape Riva tuff, purple tuff with lithic fragments. Will provide baseline mineralogy & chemistry.  
Wt = 15.0 g

SAN-034-WR1 is a powdered subsample of SAN-034. Bedrock fragments with surface with white coatings.  
Wt = 13.1 g

3/16/94 gp

Prepared clay mounts following procedure on p 127 for the following samples:

NOPI-369-CM1

NOPI-371-CM1

Clay mount labels -

NOPI-369-AD, NOPI-369-GLY,  
NOPI-369-<sup>375</sup>~~400~~°C, NOPI-369-550°CNOPI-371-AD, NOPI-371-GLY,  
NOPI-371-<sup>375</sup>~~400~~°C, NOPI-371-550°C

Labels reflect clay material that was hand-crushed to prepare the clay mounts. This material will be dried and placed in plastic vials. (Note, these glass slides were not saved, i.e. clay material was removed & not saved).

3/17/94 gp

About 10g of Santorini whole rock powder SAN-034-WR1 and SAN-053-WR1 were placed in glass dishes & placed in the Thermolyne oven at 110°C for drying.

3/17/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powder  
These samples are from level 0  
of Nopal I and are from an  
approximate N-S traverse from the  
ore body into very weathered,  
clay altered tuff.

NOPI-308-WR1 is a powdered  
subsample of NOPI-308. Hematite  
somewhat silicified tuff. Dark (red to  
black) Fe-oxide cont + fill  
fractures. ~~Fe-oxide~~ <sup>Fe-oxide</sup> in matrix are  
altered to kaolinite. Some minor  
yellow iron mineral epita in  
fractures. Wt = 14.1g

NOPI-309-WR1 is a powdered subsample  
of NOPI-309. Hematite/limonite tuff.  
Hematite replaced by kaolinite. Dark  
(red + black) Fe oxide cont +  
fill fractures. May contain some  
amorph silicates in fractures.  
Wt = 18.5g

3/18/94 JP Santorini leaching:

6 lg sample of rock powder SAN-034  
and SAN-053 were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes for leaching of trace  
metals. Tubes were labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-034-A	13.956 g	14.977 g	1.021 g
SAN-034-B	13.743 g	14.763 g	1.020 g
SAN-034-C	13.670 g	14.682 g	1.012 g
SAN-034-D	13.632 g	14.641 g	1.011 g
SAN-034-E	13.786 g	14.776 g	0.990 g
SAN-034-F	13.893 g	14.894 g	1.001 g
SAN-053-A	13.798 g	14.802 g	1.004 g
SAN-053-B	13.719 g	14.727 g	1.008 g
SAN-053-C	13.777 g	14.776 g	0.999 g
SAN-053-D	13.824 g	14.834 g	1.010 g
SAN-053-E	13.757 g	14.763 g	1.006 g
SAN-053-F	13.829 g	14.852 g	1.023 g

leaching procedure on p121 and p125 was  
followed.

Samples labeled as follows:

SAN-034  $\text{MgCl}_2$   
 SAN-053  $\text{MgCl}_2$   
 SAN-034  $\text{NaOAc}$   
 SAN-053  $\text{NaOAc}$   
 SAN-034  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$   
 SAN-053  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$

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## Preparation of whole rock powder (cont)

NOPI-310-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-310. Hematite altered tuff. Dark Fe-oxides fill + coat fractures. Matrix of tuff appears hematized. No visible U minerals.  
Wt = 13.5 g

NOPI-311-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-311. Broken Fe rich tuff. Hematized tuff matrix. Fe-oxides line + fill fractures. No visible U minerals. Clay replaces feldspar.  
Wt = 18.1 g

3/21/94 JP

NOPI-312-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-312. Hematite/kaolinite tuff. Black Fe-oxides coat and fill fractures. Matrix does not appear very hematite (tan color).  
Wt = 21.9 g

NOPI-313-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-313. Hematite/kaolinite altered tuff. Black + red Fe-oxides coat + fill fractures. Kaolinite. No visible U minerals.  
Wt = 23.1 g

3/21/94 JP

## XRD sample preparation

NOPI-333-XRD1 - portion of whole rock powder.

NOPI-371-XRD2 - transparent mineral handpicked from fracture surfaces of bulk rock. Often intergrown with white fine material which may be kaolinite. White material may also be weathering product of the transparent mineral. All powder added as internal reference.

NOPI-144-XRD2 - portion of NOPI-144-GAM1. Fe-oxide rich material.

NOPI-142-XRD2 - portion of NOPI-142-GAM1. Fe-oxide rich material.

NOPI-138-XRD2 - portion of NOPI-138-GAM1. Fe-oxide rich material.

NOPI-140-XRD2 - Handpicked Fe-oxides from bulk sample + portion of NOPI-140-GAM1.

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Prep. of whole rock powders (cont)

NOPI-314-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-314. Hematite/limonite tuff. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. No visible U minerals. Dark red & black Fe-oxides coat and fill fractures.  
Wt = 19.5 g

NOPI-315-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-315. Hematite/limonite altered tuff. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. Black + red Fe-oxides coat + fill fractures. No visible U minerals.  
Wt = 19.9 g

NOPI-316-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-316. Hematite/limonite altered tuff. Appears clay rich - may have some weathering. Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. Dark Fe-oxides occur in fractures.  
Wt = 25.9 g

NOPI-317-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-317. Hematite/limonite altered tuff. Dark (red + black) Fe-oxides coat and fill fractures. No visible U minerals.  
Wt = 22.1 g

NOPI-318-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-318. Hematite/limonite altered tuff. Black + red Fe-oxides coat surfaces of broken tuff. Kaolinite replaces feldspar. No visible U minerals.  
Wt = 19.5 g

3/22/44 JP NOPI-319-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-319. Clay altered tuff (weathering) Fe-oxides common - coat surfaces of tuff fragments.  
Wt = 27.8 g

NOPI-320-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-320. Appears to be weathered clay-altered tuff (maybe vitrophyre). Fe-oxide rich - coat surfaces of altered tuff.  
Wt = 25.9 g

NOPI-321-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-321. Clay altered material. Tan colored. Less Fe-oxide than previous sample. Friable - unconsolidated.  
Wt = 16.3 g

NOPI-322-WRI is a powdered subsample of NOPI-322. Clay altered material (weathering vitrophyre). Fairly consolidated. Fe-oxides coat fracture surfaces.  
Wt = 16.2 g



NOPI-323-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-323. Clay altered material. White gray in color. Contains some Fe-oxide as coatings. Unconsolidated + friable.  
Wt = 19.2 g

NOPI-324-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-324. Fairly unconsolidated clay altered material. Fe-oxide oxides as coating + some nodules.  
Wt = 24.5 g

NOPI-325-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-325. Unconsolidated, friable clay altered material. Black Fe/Mn oxide throughout sample. Some hard consolidated fragments.  
Wt = 25.1 g

NOPI-326-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-326. Clay altered material. Fe/Mn oxides (black) occur throughout sample. Some unconsolidated material along with consolidated chunks. Yellow Fe-oxide common on surfaces of chunks.  
Wt = 27.8 g

3/23/94 g  
NOPI-327-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-327. Clay altered material. White in color with abundant black Fe/Mn oxide throughout. Some yellow limonite staining.  
Wt = 25.4 g

NOPI-328-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-328. Mostly unconsolidated clay altered material. Gray-tan color with black Fe/Mn oxide throughout. Some yellow limonite staining.  
Wt = 27.8 g

NOPI-329-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-329. Mostly unconsolidated clay altered material. Tan colored. Black Fe/Mn oxide throughout. Some yellow limonite staining.  
Wt = 28.9 g

3/23/94 AA analysis of Surtani leachate:  
JF

- ① Cu, Ag, Co, Pb, and Zn are analyzed by standard addition method to avoid matrix interference.

For each sample leachate, 5 ml of sample were placed in 3 10ml Volumetric Flasks using an Oxford pipet.

Additions of the 100 ppm element standards were then made according to the table below: ml added/ppm

Element	Volumetric Flask		
	A	B	C
Cu	0/0	.1/1	.2/2
Ag	0/0	.1/1	.2/2
Co	0/0	.1/1	.2/2
Pb	0/0	.1/1	.2/2
Zn	0/0	.05/.5	.1/1

Solution samples were then made up to mark in flask with the 1.5M HNO<sub>3</sub>/1L H<sub>2</sub>O. Final ppm values are shown in above table.

Samples were then analyzed by AA using the 3100 Perkin Elmer.

- ② Fe and Mn are analyzed using standard calibration curve procedure.

Sample leachates were diluted as shown below.

	ml added/ppm	sample ml added/final vol
MgCl <sub>2</sub> leachate	1/10	
NaOAc leachate	1/10	
NH <sub>2</sub> OH leachate	1/25	

Samples were then analyzed by AA using the 3100 Perkin Elmer.

Calculations, raw data, graphs are kept in 3 ring binder entitled "Trace Metal Leaching Data, Surtani Green."

3/28/94 JF \*Note

Due to matrix interferences in the Fe + Mn analyses which resulted in questionable results, Fe + Mn were analyzed by standard addition method.

Sample leachates were again diluted by the Surtani Lab as above: MgCl<sub>2</sub> 1/10; NaOAc 1/10; and NH<sub>2</sub>OH 1/25.

of 100 ppm standards  
Additions were made according to below  
table. ml added / ppm

	Flash (10 ml)			(25 ml)	
	A	B	C	B	C
Fe	0/0	.1/1	.2/2	.25/1	.5/2
Mn	0/0	.05/.5	.1/1	.125/.5	.25/1

Samples were analyzed by AA on  
3100 Perkin Elmer.

Santorini Leaching Results

SAMPLE NO.	MgCl2 exchangeable						Carbonate fraction						Fe-Mn oxides					
	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag
Profile																		
SAN-023	1.16	1.01	2.75	3.91	0.71		0.84	9.64	1.88	0.85	3.22	5.05	0.79		4.80	20.16	2.47	0.51
SAN-030	0.84	0.85	4.13	2.11	0.58		1.96	2.48	1.87	0.82	4.04	6.14	1.28		0.90	10.43	1.11	0.04
SAN-038	1.01	0.73	5.12	4.01	0.32		1.15	2.34	1.67	0.54	3.82	4.15	1.94		0.00	10.98	0.88	0.13
SAN-040	0.73	0.56	5.55	3.47	0.26		1.13	3.55	1.50	0.35	3.27	3.55	2.15		2.87	9.08	0.57	0.65
Base Chemistry																		
SAN-053	0.86	0.67	8.62	2.00	0.76		5.17	5.04	1.13	0.65	6.26	1.87	2.64		14.52	9.42	0.84	0.55
White coating in fractures																		
SAN-034	0.95	0.73	5.59	2.52	0.16		1.32	3.61	2.37	0.60	8.45	7.53	1.65		25.44	13.96	2.36	0.25

3/30/94

Above are results of leaching exp.  
Tin (Sn) will be analyzed when  
AA imp arrives (Sn imp ordered 3/24/94)

3/28/94

Preparation of whole rock powders - Santorini.

Portions of the following bulk rock  
samples were powdered in a SPEX  
mixer mill with a tungsten carbide  
vial and labeled as follows

wt.

SAN-027-WR1	55.2g
SAN-033-WR1	48.1g
SAN-041-WR1	45.8g
SAN-049-WR1	47.1g

(10g)  
Samples were placed petri dishes  
and placed in oven at 100°C  
for drying overnight.

3/8/94 <sup>JP</sup> Prepared powder for gamma analysis  
 Samples consist of portions of whole  
 rock powder (weil) prepared previously

	Wt vial	Wt vial + sample	Wt sample
<u>NOPI-308-GAM1</u>	2.060g	6.413g	4.340g
<u>NOPI-309-GAM1</u>	2.073g	6.275g	4.202g
<u>NOPI-310-GAM1</u>	2.063g	6.149g	4.086g
<u>NOPI-311-GAM1</u>	2.056g	6.324g	4.268g
<u>NOPI-312-GAM1</u>	2.075g	6.040g	3.965g
<u>NOPI-313-GAM1</u>	2.075g	6.256g	4.181g
<u>NOPI-314-GAM1</u>	2.064g	6.388g	4.324g
<u>NOPI-315-GAM1</u>	2.072g	6.330g	4.258g
<u>NOPI-316-GAM1</u>	2.056g	6.295g	4.239g
<u>NOPI-317-GAM1</u>	2.069g	6.283g	4.214g
<u>NOPI-318-GAM1</u>	2.083g	6.346g	4.263g
<u>NOPI-319-GAM1</u>	2.074g	5.941g	3.867g
<u>NOPI-320-GAM1</u>	2.056g	5.839g	3.783g
<u>NOPI-321-GAM1</u>	2.056g	5.872g	3.816g
<u>NOPI-322-GAM1</u>	2.073g	5.673g	3.600g

<u>NOPI-323-GAM1</u>	2.072g	5.848g	3.776g
<u>NOPI-324-GAM1</u>	2.078g	6.028g	3.950g
<u>NOPI-325-GAM1</u>	2.068g	6.206g	4.138g
<u>NOPI-326-GAM1</u>	2.059g	6.313g	4.254g
<u>NOPI-327-GAM1</u>	2.074g	6.040g	3.966g
<u>NOPI-328-GAM1</u>	2.055g	5.949g	3.894g
<u>NOPI-329-GAM1</u>	2.071g	6.180g	4.109g

3/29/94 JP

Saturated leaching:

Additional samples prepared for trace element analysis by selective leaching:

6 1g samples of rock powders SAN-027-WR1 and SAN-041-WR1 were placed in labeled 50 ml centrifuge tubes & labeled as below

	wt tube	wt tube + sample	wt sample
SAN-027-A	13.818g	14.826g	1.008g
SAN-027-B	13.759g	14.773g	1.014g
SAN-027-C	13.791g	14.808g	1.017g
SAN-027-D	13.777g	14.785g	1.008g
SAN-027-E	13.980g	14.996g	1.016g
SAN-027-F	13.916g	14.933g	1.017g
SAN-041-A	13.802g	14.820g	1.018g
SAN-041-B	13.767g	14.786g	1.019g
SAN-041-C	13.726g	14.732g	1.006g
SAN-041-D	13.695g	14.717g	1.022g
SAN-041-E	13.843g	14.852g	1.009g
SAN-041-F	13.711g	14.729g	1.018g

Leaching procedure on pps. 121 & 125 was followed.

Sample labels:

SAN-027  $MgCl_2$   
 SAN-041  $MgCl_2$   
 SAN-027  $NaOAc$   
 SAN-041  $NaOAc$   
 SAN-027  $NH_4OH$   
 SAN-041  $NH_4OH$

4/1/94 JP

Prepared clay mounts following procedure on p127 for the following samples:

NOPI-322-CM1 - hand-crushed material (bulk rock) used to prepare clay mounts.

Clay mounts: NOPI-322-AD  
NOPI-322-GLY  
NOPI-322-375C  
NOPI-322-550C

NOPI-331-CM1 - hand-crushed bulk rock used to prepare clay mounts.

Clay mounts: NOPI-331-AD  
NOPI-331-GLY  
NOPI-331-375C  
NOPI-331-550C

NOPI-328-CM1 - hand crushed clay material used to prepare clay mounts.

Clay mounts: NOPI-328-AD  
NOPI-328-GLY  
NOPI-328-375C  
NOPI-328-550C



4/4/94 JP

## Sintered Leaching

Additional samples prepared for trace element analysis by sintered leaching:

6 lg samples of rock powders SAN-033-WR1 and SAN-049-WR1 were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes + labelled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + sample	wt sample
SAN-033-A	13.680g	14.706g	1.026
SAN-033-B	13.605g	14.628g	1.023
SAN-033-C	13.744g	14.757g	1.013
SAN-033-D	13.865g	14.848g	0.983
SAN-033-E	14.005g	15.014g	1.008
SAN-033-F	13.785g	14.805g	1.020
SAN-049-A	13.766g	14.776g	1.010
SAN-049-B	13.845g	14.856g	1.011
SAN-049-C	13.984g	14.15.009g	1.025
SAN-049-D	13.736g	14.756g	1.020
SAN-049-E	13.752g	14.772g	1.020
SAN-049-F	13.762g	14.778g	1.016

Leaching procedure on pp 124 + 125 was followed.  
Sample labels:

SAN-033	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-049	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-033	NaOH
SAN-049	NaOH
SAN-033	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-049	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

4/4/94 JP

## Preparation of whole rock powders - Sintered

Portions of the following bulk rock samples were powdered (and labelled as below).

	wt.
SAN-022-WR1	59.1g
SAN-029-WR1	44.9g
SAN-037-WR1	50.1g
SAN-045-WR1	41.2g

~10g of each powder were placed in petri dishes and placed in an oven at 100°C for drying.

4/4/94 JP

XRD preparation - portions of the following whole rock powders were prepared for XRD analysis

NOPI-369-XRD1 - parts of NOPI-369-WR1

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~~NOPI-371-XRD1~~ - ~~parts of NOPI-371-WR1~~

NOPI-322-XRD1 - parts of NOPI-322-WR1

NOPI-328-XRD1 - parts of NOPI-328-WR1

NOPI-331-XRD1 - parts of NOPI-331-WR1

XRD preparation

NOPI-134-XRD2 - all of NOPI-134-GAM1

NOPI-136-XRD2 - all of NOPI-136-GAM1

4/6/94 JP

AA analysis of Santorini leucites

Procedure and dilution factors are same as on pp 146-148.

Data + graphs are kept in 3-ring binder entitled "True Metal Leach Data, Santorini Greece".

Results of leaching thus far are shown below.

Santorini Leaching Results

SAMPLE NO.	MgCl2 exchangeable						Carbonate fraction										Fe-Mn oxides							
	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn
Profiles																								
(Hole III)																								
SAN-023	1.16	1.01	2.75	3.91	0.71		0.84	9.64	1.88	0.85	3.22	5.05	0.79		4.80	20.16	2.47	0.51	5.22	4.12	5.30		39.06	117.94
SAN-030	0.84	0.85	4.13	2.11	0.58		1.96	2.48	1.87	0.82	4.04	6.14	1.28		0.90	10.43	1.11	0.04	1.85	7.53	2.20		101.68	24.50
SAN-038	1.01	0.73	5.12	4.01	0.32		1.15	2.34	1.67	0.54	3.82	4.15	1.94		0.00	10.98	0.88	0.13	1.32	7.52	1.73		99.14	16.17
SAN-046	0.73	0.58	5.55	3.47	0.28		1.13	3.55	1.50	0.35	3.27	3.55	2.15		2.97	9.08	0.57	0.65	1.19	5.88	1.54		105.60	17.74
(Hole VI)																								
SAN-027	0.79	0.70	2.91	3.35	0.32		3.75	3.71	1.45	1.24	2.84	2.33	0.88		2.31	15.13	3.12	0.36	6.27	2.46	5.02		39.09	101.79
SAN-033	0.62	0.50	3.80	3.57	0.52		5.88	1.26	1.83	0.57	2.68	3.10	2.31		0.18	10.79	1.39	0.00	1.08	2.04	3.04		120.36	24.31
SAN-041	0.44	0.41	3.25	3.04	0.39		5.09	2.19	1.45	0.21	2.22	3.21	1.71		0.00	8.54	0.63	0.00	0.95	2.65	1.35		100.87	10.52
SAN-049	0.44	0.20	2.88	2.88	0.67		4.29	1.23	1.95	0.66	2.70	3.13	1.74		0.53	8.49	0.58	0.00	0.95	1.69	1.46		99.15	11.64
Base Chemistry																								
SAN-053	0.86	0.67	8.62	2.00	0.76		5.17	5.04	1.13	0.65	6.26	1.87	2.64		14.52	9.42	0.84	0.55	2.49	2.29	2.69		174.29	11.59
White coating in fractures																								
SAN-034	0.95	0.73	5.59	2.52	0.16		1.32	3.61	2.37	0.60	8.45	7.53	1.65		25.44	13.96	2.36	0.25	2.20	7.00	4.20		211.89	17.03

4/11/94 Sintering Leach

Additional samples prepared for trace element analysis by selective leaching.

6 1g samples of rock powder SAN-022-WR1 and SAN-037-WR1 were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes + labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-022-A	13.753g	14.774g	1.021g
SAN-022-B	13.708g	14.729g	1.021g
SAN-022-C	13.747g	14.773g	1.026g
SAN-022-D	13.945g	14.963g	1.018g
SAN-022-E	13.913g	14.939g	1.026g
SAN-022-F	13.779g	14.798g	1.019g
SAN-037-A	13.727g	14.751g	1.024g
SAN-037-B	13.773g	14.788g	1.015g
SAN-037-C	13.747g	14.766g	1.019g
SAN-037-D	13.643g	14.660g	1.017g
SAN-037-E	13.734g	14.761g	1.027g
SAN-037-F	13.843g	14.868g	1.025g

Leaching procedures on pp 121 + 125 were followed.

Sample labels

SAN-022	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-037	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-022	NaOAc
SAN-037	NaOAc
SAN-022	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-037	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

4/12/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powders:

Following samples are from the +10 level of Nopal and were taken across orebody boundary in a N/S traverse.

NOPI-372-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-372. Broken altered tuff. Fe-oxide rich. Red to orange to yellow Fe-oxide throughout - coats fractures as well as in matrix. Kaolinitic. Wt = 29.0g

NOPI-373-WR1 is a powdered subsample of NOPI-373. Broken altered tuff. Fe-oxide rich - most Fe-oxide occurs as fracture coatings. Kaolinitic. Wt = 32.8g

NOPI-374-WR1 - Very altered tuff - very kaolinitic. Rich in Fe-oxides - red + yellow material coats surfaces of fractures. No visible minerals. Wt = 34.0g

NOPI-375-WR1 - Altered, broken, limonitic tuff. Kaolinitic. Fe-oxides most common in fractures. Wt = 30.5g

NOPI-376-WRI - Altered, hematite, kaolinite  
tuff. Fe-oxides coat & fill  
fractures (orange-yellow in color).  
No visible U minerals.  
Wt = 28.7g

NOPI-379-WRI - Altered, kaolinite, hematite  
tuff. Yellow-orange Fe-oxides. No  
visible U minerals. Vaguely altered.  
Wt = 32.8g

NOPI-382-WRI - Hematite, kaolinite, tuff.  
Dark red Fe-oxides coat some  
fractures. Matrix is Fe-oxide replaced.  
Wt = 33.3g

NOPI-385-WRI - Fe-oxide rich altered  
tuff, kaolinite. Fe-oxides replaces  
some of matrix and fills fractures.  
Wt = 27.8g

NOPI-387-WRI - Altered kaolinite tuff  
with Fe-oxides in fractures &  
coarse granular surfaces.  
Wt = 29.7g

NOPI-390-WRI - Altered, kaolinite tuff  
with Fe-oxides (hematite & goethite) in  
fractures & coarse granular surfaces.  
Wt = 32.2g

4/13/94 JF Sutton/Leahy.

6 lg sample of rock powder SAN- -WRI  
and SAN- -WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes & labelled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-029A	13.766g	14.781g	1.015g
SAN-029B	13.700g	14.722g	1.022g
SAN-029C	13.664g	14.684g	1.020g
SAN-029D	13.690g	14.709g	1.019g
SAN-029E	13.811g	14.832g	1.021g
SAN-029F	13.812g	14.838g	1.026g
SAN-045A	13.969g	14.979g	1.010g
SAN-045B	13.607g	14.631g	1.024g
SAN-045C	13.678g	14.696g	1.018g
SAN-045D	13.744g	14.758g	1.014g
SAN-045E	13.717g	14.728g	1.011g
SAN-045F	13.588g	14.612g	1.024g

heavily processed on pp 121 + 125 were  
Salted:

Sample labels:

SAN-029	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-045	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-029	NaOAc
SAN-045	NaOAc
SAN-029	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-045	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

2/14/94

Preparation of whole rock powder - Santoni

Portions of the following bulk rock samples were powdered and labeled as below.

	wt
SAN-024-WR1	105.3 g
SAN-031-WR1	49.0 g
SAN-039-WR1	52.5 g
SAN-047-WR1	54.4 g

~10g of each powder was placed in a petri dish and dried in an oven at 100°C overnight

2/15/94

Preparation of whole rock powder -

Samples from continuation of E/W traverse on level 0.

NOPI-338-WR1 - Altered kaolitized tuff, hematite in matrix Fe-oxides coat surfaces of fragments.  
Wt = 27.6 g

NOPI-339-WR1 - Altered limonite tuff, kaolitized, yellow orange Fe-oxides coat fractured surfaces.  
Wt = 27.4 g

NOPI-340-WR1 - Broken, Fe-oxide rich tuff, Matrix appears Fe-oxide rich, Fe-oxide coat + fill fractures.  
Wt = 37.0 g

NOPI-341-WR1 - Broken Tuff very compacted. Not altered as previous samples. Some Fe oxide line fractures. Wt = 30.0 g. Matrix variably hematized.

NOPI-342-WR1 - Mixture of tuff fragments in white & red vitrophane. Right at contact, Fragments consist of altered kaolitized tuff with Fe-oxides.  
Wt = 27.6 g



NOPI-343-WR1 - Hematite + limonite  
altered tuff fragments in mostly  
red purple vitrophyre.  
Wt = 32.0 g

NOPI-344-WR1 - Clay altered vitrophyre. Mostly  
red purple with minor white  
material.  
Wt = 29.1 g

4/18/94 JP NOPI-345-WR1 - Clay altered vitrophyre  
Both white + red purple material.  
Wt = 33.7 g

NOPI-346-WR1 - clay altered vitrophyre  
Both white + red purple clay  
altered material.  
Wt = 24.0 g

NOPI-347-WR1 - Clay altered vitrophyre  
Mostly white clay altered  
material with only minor  
red purple material.  
Wt = 20.9 g

NOPI-348-WR1 - Clay altered vitrophyre  
Equal amounts of white +  
red purple clay altered material.  
Wt = 25.9 g

NOPI-349-WR1 - Clay altered vitrophyre.  
Red purple + white clay altered  
material.  
Wt = 25.9 g 27.2 g

NOPI-350-WR1 - Clay altered vitrophyre  
Red purple clay altered material  
Minor white clay altered material.  
Wt = 32.0 g

NOPI-351-WR1 - clay altered vitrophyre  
Both white + red purple clay  
altered material present. Some  
Fe-oxide staining on surfaces.  
Wt = 28.6 g

NOPI-352-WR1 - clay altered vitrophyre  
Red purple clay altered material.  
Wt = 31.8 g

4/18/94 JP Sentaimi leachy

6 1g samples of SAN-024-WRI and  
SAN-039-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes & labeled as below:

	Wt tube	Wt tube + powder	Wt powder
SAN-024-A	13.946g	14.967g	1.021g
SAN-024-B	13.695g	14.712g	1.017g
SAN-024-C	13.722g	14.750g	1.028g
SAN-024-D	13.804g	14.813g	1.009g
SAN-024-E	13.928g	14.953g	1.025g
SAN-024-F	13.724g	14.734g	1.010g
SAN-039-A	13.584g	14.606g	1.022g
SAN-039-B	13.834g	14.851g	1.017g
SAN-039-C	13.749g	14.761g	1.012g
SAN-039-D	13.740g	14.752g	1.012g
SAN-039-E	13.805g	14.822g	1.017g
SAN-039-F	14.033g	15.061g	1.028g

Leachy procedure on page 121 & 125  
was followed:

Sample labels:

SAN-024	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-039	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-024	NaOAc
SAN-039	NaOAc
SAN-024	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-039	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

4/18/94 JP

Prepared powders for gamma analysis  
Samples consist of portions of whole  
rock powders (WRI) prepared previously

	Wt vial	Wt vial + powder	Wt sample
<u>NOPI-338-GAM1</u>	2.077g	5.842g	3.765g
<u>NOPI-339-GAM1</u>	2.067g	5.675g	3.608g
<u>NOPI-340-GAM1</u>	2.072g	6.038g	3.966g
<u>NOPI-341-GAM1</u>	2.063g	5.877g	3.814g
<u>NOPI-342-GAM1</u>	2.071g	5.954g	3.883g
<u>NOPI-343-GAM1</u>	2.067g	6.103g	4.036g
<u>NOPI-344-GAM1</u>	2.068g	6.136g	4.068g
<u>NOPI-345-GAM1</u>	2.072g	6.162g	4.090g
<u>NOPI-346-GAM1</u>	2.052g	5.808g	3.756g
<u>NOPI-347-GAM1</u>	2.058g	5.867g	3.809g
<u>NOPI-348-GAM1</u>	2.059g	5.851g	3.792g
<u>NOPI-349-GAM1</u>	2.060g	5.895g	3.835g
<u>NOPI-350-GAM1</u>	2.073g	5.936g	3.863g
<u>NOPI-351-GAM1</u>	2.072g	5.931g	3.859g
<u>NOPI-352-GAM1</u>	2.077g	5.774g	3.697g

4/19/94 JP Preparation of whole rock powder - Sentani

Portion of the following bulk rock samples were powdered and labeled as below:

	WT
SAN-021-WRI	65.9g
SAN-028-WRI	55.2g
SAN-036-WRI	53.8g
SAN-044-WRI	59.8g

~10 g of each powder was placed in a petri dish + dried at 100°C in an oven overnight

4/20/94 JP Sentani leaching

6 lg samples of SAN-031-WRI and SAN-047-WRI were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes + labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-031-A	13.749g	14.782g	1.033g
SAN-031-B	13.739g	14.751g	1.012g
SAN-031-C	13.764g	14.793g	1.029g
SAN-031-D	13.702g	14.722g	1.020g
SAN-031-E	13.733g	14.761g	1.028g
SAN-031-F	13.705g	14.739g	1.033g
SAN-047-A	13.716g	14.748g	1.032g
SAN-047-B	13.739g	14.764g	1.025g
SAN-047-C	13.722g	14.739g	1.017g
SAN-047-D	13.779g	14.792g	1.013g
SAN-047-E	13.734g	14.765g	1.031g
SAN-047-F	13.742g	14.760g	1.018g

leaching procedure on p121 + 125 was followed:

Sample labels:

SAN-031	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-047	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-031	NaOAc
SAN-047	NaOAc
SAN-031	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-047	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

Santorini leachy:

4/25/94 JP

6 lg samples of SAN-021-WRI and  
SAN-036-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
PP centrifuge tubes and labeled as  
follows:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-021-A	13.855 g	14.865 g	1.010 g
SAN-021-B	13.730 g	14.740 g	1.010 g
SAN-021-C	13.726 g	14.745 g	1.019 g
SAN-021-D	13.718 g	14.739 g	1.018 g
SAN-021-E	13.780 g	14.799 g	1.019 g
SAN-021-F	13.666 g	14.692 g	1.026 g
SAN-036-A	13.905 g	14.929 g	1.024 g
SAN-036-B	13.908 g	14.923 g	1.015 g
SAN-036-C	13.621 g	14.643 g	1.022 g
SAN-036-D	13.919 g	14.927 g	1.008 g
SAN-036-E	13.877 g	14.878 g	1.001 g
SAN-036-F	13.882 g	14.899 g	1.017 g

Leach procedure on p121 and p125  
was followed:

Sample labels:

SAN-021  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-036  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-021  $NaOAc$   
SAN-036  $NaOAc$   
SAN-021  $NH_2OH$   
SAN-036  $NH_2OH$

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Preparation of whole rock powder - Santorini

Portions of the following bulk rock  
samples were powdered and labeled as  
below

	wt.
SAN-025-WRI	76.47 g
SAN-032-WRI	53.50 g
SAN-040-WRI	58.22 g
SAN-048-WRI	54.68 g

~10 g of each powder was placed in a  
petri dish + dried at 100°C.

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AA analysis of Santorini leachates  
Samples

SAN-022	SAN024
SAN-029	SAN031
SAN-037	SAN-039
SAN-045	SAN-047

Procedures & dilution factors are same  
as on p146-148.

Data & calculations kept in 3 ring  
binder "Trace Metal Leach Data,  
Santorini Green".

Santorini Leaching Results

SAMPLE NO.	MgCl2 exchangeable						Carbonate fraction										Fe-Mn oxides							
	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn
Profiles (Hole II)																								
SAN-022	0.68	0.47	4.48	1.06	0.37		2.68	11.67	1.27	0.65	5.86	1.94	1.38		0.00	18.48	1.43	0.19	8.91	0.63	5.92		61.80	125.71
SAN-029	1.02	0.66	4.19	2.88	0.27		2.99	5.62	1.60	0.26	2.89	1.76	1.55		0.00	9.84	1.07	0.13	1.79	0.41	2.70		106.10	25.04
SAN-037	0.72	0.18	3.22	1.98	0.34		7.14	4.19	1.73	0.00	2.52	1.74	1.83		6.34	5.81	0.65	0.00	1.17	0.45	1.28		59.59	24.31
SAN-045	0.66	0.20	2.58	0.83	0.05		5.15	2.63	1.73	0.00	2.98	1.98	2.60		15.55	7.68	0.63	0.02	1.28	0.40	2.12		67.04	22.83
(Hole III)																								
SAN-023	1.16	1.01	2.75	3.91	0.71		0.84	9.64	1.88	0.85	3.22	5.05	0.79		4.80	20.16	2.47	0.51	5.22	4.12	5.30		39.08	117.94
SAN-030	0.84	0.85	4.13	2.11	0.58		1.96	2.48	1.87	0.82	4.04	6.14	1.28		0.90	10.43	1.11	0.04	1.85	7.53	2.20		101.68	24.50
SAN-038	1.01	0.73	5.12	4.01	0.32		1.15	2.34	1.67	0.54	3.82	4.15	1.94		0.00	10.98	0.88	0.13	1.32	7.52	1.73		99.14	16.17
SAN-046	0.73	0.58	5.55	3.47	0.28		1.13	3.55	1.50	0.35	3.27	3.55	2.15		2.97	9.08	0.57	0.65	1.19	5.88	1.54		105.60	17.74
(Hole IV)																								
SAN-024	0.70	0.27	3.63	4.36	0.09		2.95	20.49	1.76	0.39	6.55	2.38	1.07		2.03	23.67	1.77	0.31	9.79	2.22	6.41		46.50	83.42
SAN-031	0.54	0.26	2.52	1.38	0.16		0.70	2.88	2.52	0.21	6.67	1.86	0.77		4.90	11.44	1.89	0.43	3.22	1.54	4.03		55.38	36.80
SAN-039	0.17	0.20	2.92	2.77	0.15		1.78	1.59	2.14	0.12	2.46	2.33	1.66		11.30	8.81	0.42	0.69	0.53	0.93	1.67		98.92	12.83
SAN-047	0.51	0.20	3.00	2.38	0.05		2.12	2.96	1.83	0.24	0.81	0.92	1.75		6.25	6.25	0.25	0.70	0.53	1.44	1.56		82.03	6.80
(Hole VI)																								
SAN-027	0.79	0.70	2.91	3.35	0.32		3.75	3.71	1.45	1.24	2.84	2.33	0.88		2.31	15.13	3.12	0.36	6.27	2.46	5.02		39.09	101.79
SAN-033	0.62	0.50	3.80	3.57	0.52		5.88	1.26	1.83	0.57	2.68	3.10	2.31		0.18	10.79	1.39	0.00	1.08	2.04	3.04		120.36	24.31
SAN-041	0.44	0.41	3.25	3.04	0.39		5.09	2.19	1.45	0.21	2.22	3.21	1.71		0.00	8.54	0.63	0.00	0.95	2.65	1.35		100.87	10.52
SAN-049	0.44	0.20	2.88	2.88	0.67		4.29	1.23	1.95	0.66	2.70	3.13	1.74		0.53	8.49	0.58	0.00	0.95	1.69	1.46		99.15	11.64
Base Chemistry SAN-053	0.86	0.67	8.62	2.00	0.76		5.17	5.04	1.13	0.65	6.26	1.87	2.64		14.52	9.42	0.84	0.55	2.49	2.29	2.69		174.29	11.59
White coating in fractures SAN-034	0.95	0.73	5.59	2.52	0.16		1.32	3.61	2.37	0.60	8.45	7.53	1.65		25.44	13.96	2.36	0.25	2.20	7.00	4.20		211.89	17.03

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Santorini Leachates

6 lg samples of NOPI-028-WRI and  
NOPI-044-WRI were placed in 50 ml PI  
centrifuge tubes & labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-028-A	13.611g	14.641g	1.030g
SAN-028-B	13.806g	14.816g	1.010g
SAN-028-C	13.575g	14.601g	1.026g
SAN-028-D	13.792g	14.817g	1.025g
SAN-028-E	13.698g	14.718g	1.020g
SAN-028-F	13.929g	14.958g	1.029g
SAN-044-A	14.132g	15.142g	1.010g
SAN-044-B	13.723g	14.741g	1.018g
SAN-044-C	13.821g	14.824g	1.003g
SAN-044-D	13.725g	14.744g	1.019g
SAN-044-E	13.726g	14.748g	1.022g
SAN-044-F	13.876g	14.888g	1.012g

Leach procedure on p121 of 125 was  
conducted.

Sample labels:

SAN-028	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-044	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-028	NuDAC
SAN-044	NuDAC
SAN-028	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-044	NH <sub>2</sub> OH



4/28/94 JP Alpha spectrometry measurements on powdered whole rock samples collected from Nopal I will be measured using method of Gascoyne and harogues.

"A Rapid Method of Extraction of U and Th from granite for Alpha Spectrometry" (see p 23)

Analytical data will be recorded on the data sheet shown in the opposite page.

Results and data reduction calculations will be kept in a 3-ring binder entitled "Alpha Spectrometry Analyses, Nopal I, Level +10"

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Samples

NOPI-376-WR1

NOPI-379-WR1

NOPI-382-WR1

NOPI-385-WR1

were processed and measured by alpha spectrometry.

# U/Th Fusion (Nopal whole rock samples)

Sample I. D. # \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Fusion:** Mix about 1 g of sample powder with about 3 g of "SPEX"  $\text{LiBO}_2$  and add a measured aliquot (0.1 to 1.0 ml) of  $^{232}\text{U}$ - $^{228}\text{Th}$  spike solution in dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$ .

Weights: SPEX  $\text{LiBO}_2$  (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ g

Sample powder \_\_\_\_\_ g

$^{232}\text{U}$ - $^{228}\text{Th}$  spike # \_\_\_\_\_ Reference Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Activity \_\_\_\_\_ pCi/g Spike Weight \_\_\_\_\_ g

Dry mixture under heat lamp for about 30 min, remix, and pack in graphite crucible. Place crucible in muffle furnace at  $950^\circ\text{C}$  for 30 mins, then pour contents immediately into 200 ml of 1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$  with rapid stirring. The  $\text{LiBO}_2$ -silicate glass formed on cooling should dissolve in about 20 mins. Filter solution to remove graphite particles and split sample into two parts (100 ml is saved in a PP bottle and the other 100 ml is analyzed for U and Th isotopes).

**Extraction:** To the aqueous solution, 37.5 g of  $\text{Al}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is added as a salting agent, and U and Th are extracted using 25 ml of 10% tributylphosphate (TBP) solution in amyl acetate. The mixture is shaken for 30 min. to extract both U and Th into the organic phase (pour into separatory funnel, drain inorganic to waste, and save organic).

Weight:  $\text{Al}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ g

10% TBP/amyl acetate (Lot #s \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ ml

U and Th are then back extracted using 4 X 25 ml of 1 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  (extract, pour into separatory funnel, and save  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ).

The sulphuric acid solution is gently boiled to dryness and then heated more strongly to drive off  $\text{SO}_3$ . The dried residue is dissolved immediately in about 20-30 ml of 9 N HCl.

## Column Separation:

Preparation: BIO-RAD Anion Exchange Resin AG 1-X8 100-200 mesh chloride form.  
(Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

Prewash 4 cm X 1 cm column of resin with 45 ml 0.1 N HCl, then condition with 60 ml 9 N HCl.

## Elution:

Load aqueous sample on column and allow to drain.

Elute Th fraction with 45-60 ml of 9 N HCl.

Elute U fraction with 45-60 ml of 0.1 N HCl

Evaporate both eluates to dryness.

Separation Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Plating:

Dry residues are each dissolved in < 5 ml 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  and separated from daughter nuclides and trace elements carried over in TBP, by extraction into 0.4 M TTA in benzene, at pH 1 for Th and pH 3.5 for U.

~~Benzene is removed by gently boiling,~~ and the remaining solution volume is transferred to a heated stainless steel disc for evaporation to dryness. Discs are briefly flamed to red heat to remove any remaining organic and then counted.

Counting Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## TAMU microprobe results:

Thin sections of Fe-oxide containing Fracture from Nopal I (see p 132-134) were analyzed by Ray Guillemette at Texas A+M Univ. and results were transferred over computer network.

Results consisted of microprobe spot analyses showing elemental composition of phases (minerals) and images (backscattered electron images).

All data is kept in a 3 ring binder entitled "TAMU Microprobe Data, Fe-oxide Fracture, Nopal I, level +10, 13.5 M North".

5/2/94 gp

## Santami Leandry

6 lg samples of SAN-025-WRI and SAN-040-WRI were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes + labeled as below:

	wt. tube	wt. tube + powder	wt. powder
SAN-025-A	13.980 g	15.003 g	1.023 g
SAN-025-B	13.724 g	14.751 g	1.027 g
SAN-025-C	13.725 g	14.742 g	1.017 g
SAN-025-D	13.707 g	14.742 g	1.035 g
SAN-025-E	13.783 g	14.812 g	1.029 g
SAN-025-F	13.732 g	14.752 g	1.020 g
SAN-040-A	13.721 g	14.739 g	1.018 g
SAN-040-B	13.650 g	14.665 g	1.015 g
SAN-040-C	13.722 g	14.731 g	1.009 g
SAN-040-D	13.911 g	14.926 g	1.015 g
SAN-040-E	13.832 g	14.866 g	1.034 g
SAN-040-F	13.707 g	14.717 g	1.010 g

heating procedure on p 121 of 125 was followed.

Sample labels:

SAN-025	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-040	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-025	NaOAc
SAN-040	NaOAc
SAN-025	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-040	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

5/3/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powder  
Santani

Portions of the following bulk rock samples were powdered and placed in labeled plastic vials.

	wt
<u>SAN-026-WR1</u>	35.26 g
<u>SAN-035-WR1</u>	34.9 g
<u>SAN-042-WR1</u>	37.2 g
<u>SAN-043-WR1</u>	31.4 g
<u>SAN-050-WR1</u>	30.0 g
<u>SAN-051-WR1</u>	28.9 g
<u>SAN-052-WR1</u>	32.7 g

~10g of each sample was placed in a petri dish and put dried overnight at 100°C.

5/4/94 JP

Santani heavily

6 1g samples of SAN-032-WR1 and SAN-048-WR1 were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes and labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-032-A	13.743g	14.757g	1.014g
SAN-032-B	13.720g	14.732g	1.012g
SAN-032-C	13.701g	14.710g	1.019g
SAN-032-D	13.734g	14.756g	1.022g
SAN-032-E	13.682g	14.709g	1.025g
SAN-032-F	13.810g	14.825g	1.013g
SAN-048-A	13.734g	14.765g	1.031g
SAN-048-B	13.701g	14.715g	1.014g
SAN-048-C	13.810g	14.838g	1.028g
SAN-048-D	13.812g	14.831g	1.019g
SAN-048-E	13.740g	14.766g	1.026g
SAN-048-F	13.808g	14.824g	1.016g

heavily procedure on p 121 and 125 was continued?

Sample labels:

SAN-032	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-048	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-032	NaOAc
SAN-048	NaOAc
SAN-032	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-048	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

5/4/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powders -  
 Samples from continuous of NW/SE  
 transect on level 0. of Nopal I

NOPI-354-WRI - broken, altered, Fe-oxide  
 rich tuff. Kaulinites. Fe-oxides  
 coat fracture surfaces. No visible  
 U minerals, hematite.  
 Wt = 50.3 g

NOPI-355-WRI - Fragments of broken  
 altered tuff in clay altered tuff.  
 Fe-oxides coat fracture surfaces  
 of tuff fragments.  
 Wt = 39.7 g

NOPI-356-WRI - Clay altered tuff.  
 Fe-oxides common. Moderately  
 consolidated.  
 Wt = 57.7 g

NOPI-357-WRI - Clay altered tuff or  
 clay altered vitrophyre. Mostly  
 tan brown in color. Some  
 Fe-oxides present.  
 Wt = 35.5 g

NOPI-358-WRI - Clay altered vitrophyre  
 with material from fracture that  
 appear to be caliche (white very  
 competent rock). Altered vitrophyre  
 is mostly red purple in color.  
 Wt = 34.3 g

NOPI-359-WRI - Clay altered vitrophyre.  
 Red/purple in color.  
 Wt = 32.7 g

NOPI-360-WRI - Clay altered vitrophyre  
 Red purple in color.  
 Wt = 32.8 g

NOPI-361-WRI - Clay altered vitrophyre  
 Red purple in color.  
 Wt = 30.3 g

5/6/94 JP

Preparation of powder for gamma analysis. Samples consist of portions of whole rock powder prepared previously.

	wt vial	wt vial + powder	wt powder
<u>NOPI-354-GAM</u>	2.086g	6.269g	4.183g
<u>NOPI-355-GAM</u>	2.086g	6.146g	4.060g
<u>NOPI-356-GAM</u>	2.108g	6.042g	3.934g
<u>NOPI-357-GAM</u>	2.087g	5.978g	3.891g
<u>NOPI-358-GAM</u>	2.092g	6.318g	4.226g
<u>NOPI-359-GAM</u>	2.107g	6.062g	3.955g
<u>NOPI-360-GAM</u>	2.098g	6.006g	3.908g
<u>NOPI-361-GAM</u>	2.106g	5.997g	3.891g

5/6/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powder - sample for +10 level Nopal I. Traverse across outcrop boundary to N.

NOPI-377-WRI - Fe-oxide bearing altered tuff. Kaolitized Fe-oxide coat + fill fractures. Variably altered.  
Wt = 35.6g

NOPI-378-WRI - Fe-oxide bearing altered Kaolitized tuff. Fe-oxide coat + fill fractures. Variably altered.  
Wt = 38.7g

NOPI-380-WRI - Altered tuff. Kaolitized contain Fe-oxide in coatings + fracture fill.  
Wt = 32.2g

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NOPI-381-WRI - Altered Fe-oxide bearing tuff. Kaolitized Fe-oxide fill and coat fractures.  
Wt = 41.3g

NOPI-383-WRI - Altered Fe-oxide bearing tuff. Fe-oxide coat and fill fractures. Kaolitized.  
Wt = 32.7g



NOPI-384-WRI - Altered, kaolitized, Fe-oxide  
being tuff. Fe-oxides fill + coat  
fractures.  
Wt = 33.5 g

NOPI-386-WRI - Altered, kaolitized Fe-oxide  
being tuff. Fe-oxide fill + coat  
fractures.  
Wt = 35.3 g

NOPI-388-WRI - Altered, kaolitized tuff.  
Fe-oxide coat + fill fractures.  
Fe-oxides not abundant.  
Wt = 35.1 g

NOPI-389-WRI - Altered, kaolitized, very  
Fe-oxide rich tuff. Fe-oxides  
occur as fracture filling + coatings.  
Wt = 33.7 g

NOPI-391-WRI Altered, kaolitized, Fe-oxide  
being tuff. Fe-oxides occur as  
fracture coatings.  
Wt = 34.2 g

5/9/94 JJ

Santuri leaching

6 lg samples of SAN-035-WRI and  
SAN-051-WRI were placed in 50  
ml centrifuge tubes.

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-035-A	13.689g	14.720g	1.031
SAN-035-B	13.705g	14.721g	1.016
SAN-035-C	13.722g	14.745g	1.023
SAN-035-D	13.635g	14.656g	1.020
SAN-035-E	13.702g	14.716g	1.014
SAN-035-F	13.728g	14.744g	1.016
SAN-051-A	13.753g	14.771g	1.018
SAN-051-B	13.748g	14.772g	1.024
SAN-051-C	13.773g	14.793g	1.020
SAN-051-D	13.901g	14.910g	1.009
SAN-051-E	13.730g	14.739g	1.009
SAN-051-F	13.684g	14.706g	1.022

leaching procedures on p 121 and 125 were  
conducted.

Sample labels:

SAN-035  $MgCl_2$   
 SAN-051  $MgCl_2$   
 SAN-035  $NaOAc$   
 SAN-051  $NaOAc$   
 SAN-035  $NH_4OH$   
 SAN-051  $NH_4OH$

5/11/94

Santorini leachings

6 1g samples of SAN-026-WR1 and SAN-043-WR1 were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes.

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-026-A	13.685g	14.699g	1.014
SAN-026-B	13.901g	14.925g	1.024
SAN-026-C	13.651g	14.669g	1.018
SAN-026-D	14.059g	15.078g	1.019
SAN-026-E	13.706g	14.732g	1.026
SAN-026-F	13.742g	14.770g	1.028
SAN-043-A	13.794g	14.809g	1.015
SAN-043-B	13.780g	14.800g	1.020
SAN-043-C	13.610g	14.624g	1.014
SAN-043-D	13.891g	14.912g	1.021
SAN-043-E	13.933g	14.963g	1.030
SAN-043-F	13.719g	14.750g	1.031

Leaching procedure on p121 + 125 were calculated.

Sample labels

SAN-026	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-043	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-026	NaOAc
SAN-043	NaOAc
SAN-026	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-043	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

5/11/94

AA analysis of Santorini leachates.

Samples

SAN-025

SAN-032

SAN-040

SAN-048

SAN-021

SAN-028

SAN-036

SAN-044

Procedure + dilution factor are same as in p146-148

Data + calculations kept in 3 ring binder "Metal Leaching Data, Santorini, Greece".

7/16/94 JP

Santurini Leachy

6 lg samples of SAN-042-WRI and  
SAN-050-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-042-A	13.784g	14.796g	1.012g
SAN-042-B	13.810g	14.824g	1.014g
SAN-042-C	13.704g	14.710g	1.006g
SAN-042-D	13.495g	15.012g	1.017g
SAN-042-E	13.824g	14.839g	1.015g
SAN-042-F	13.963g	14.970g	1.007g
SAN-050-A	13.616g	14.630g	1.014g
SAN-050-B	13.706g	14.732g	1.026g
SAN-050-C	14.098g	15.093g	0.995g
SAN-050-D	13.828g	14.853g	1.027g
SAN-050-E	13.792g	14.818g	1.026g
SAN-050-F	13.717g	14.728g	1.011g

leachy procedure on p 121 + 125 were  
rechecked

Sample labels:

SAN-042	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-050	MgCl <sub>2</sub>
SAN-042	NaOAc
SAN-050	NaOAc
SAN-042	NH <sub>2</sub> OH
SAN-050	NH <sub>2</sub> OH

5/17/94 JP

AA analysis of Santurini leachates

Samples

SAN-028

SAN-035

SAN-043

SAN-051

Procedure + dilution factors are same  
as on p 146-148

Data + calculations kept in 3 ring binder  
"Metal Leachy Data, Santurini, Greece".

5/23/94

Santorini leach

6 lg samples of SAN-052-WR1 were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-052-A	13.760g	14.790g	1.030g
SAN-052-B	13.782g	14.808g	1.026g
SAN-052-C	13.711g	14.727g	1.016g
SAN-052-D	13.648g	14.668g	1.020g
SAN-052-E	13.671g	14.687g	1.016g
SAN-052-F	13.923g	14.933g	1.010g

Leach procedure on p 121 & 125 were conducted.

Sample labels

SAN-052  $MgCl_2$   
 SAN-052  $NaOAc$   
 SAN-052  $NH_4OH$

5/23/94

Alpha County of Nopal blk rock samples. (p 174)

Samples

NOPI-372-WR1

NOPI-375-WR1

NOPI-387-WR1

NOPI-390-WR1

were processed & measured by alpha spectrometry.

5/24/94 JP

XRD analysis of Santorini rock samples. Three analyses were performed to determine the mineralogy of white-colored fracture fill material in hole 7 in Room Delta 3 at the Santorini analog.

White material was handpicked from samples, powdered, and analyzed by XRD in Div 06.

Samples

SAW-051

SAW-042

SAW-034

were picked for analysis.

Sample XRD powders were labeled as follows.

SAW-051-XRDZ

SAW-042-XRDZ

SAW-034-XRDZ

Results were placed in 3 ring binder entitled "XRD Analyses, Santorini Green".

5/26/94 JP

Preparation of samples for gamma analysis. Samples consist of portions of whole rock powders prepared previously.

	wt vial	wt vial + powder	wt powder
<u>NOPI-372-GAM1</u>	2.069g	5.792g	3.723g
<u>NOPI-373-GAM1</u>	2.067g	4.022g	3.955g
<u>NOPI-374-GAM1</u>	2.069g	5.493g	3.424g
<u>NOPI-375-GAM1</u>	2.057g	5.858g	3.801g
<u>NOPI-376-GAM1</u>	2.070g	5.777g	3.707g
<u>NOPI-377-GAM1</u>	2.078g	5.828g	3.750g
<u>NOPI-378-GAM1</u>	2.061g	5.811g	3.750g
<u>NOPI-379-GAM1</u>	2.081g	5.905g	3.824g
<u>NOPI-380-GAM1</u>	2.067g	5.618g	3.551g
<u>NOPI-381-GAM1</u>	2.085g	6.122g	4.037g
<u>NOPI-382-GAM1</u>	2.074g	6.081g	4.007g
<u>NOPI-383-GAM1</u>	2.070g	5.957g	3.887g
<u>NOPI-384-GAM1</u>	2.078g	5.807g	3.729g
<u>NOPI-385-GAM1</u>	2.056g	5.808g	3.752g
<u>NOPI-386-GAM1</u>	2.081g	5.657g	3.576g
<u>NOPI-387-GAM1</u>	2.059g	5.866g	3.807g



<u>NOPI-388-GAM1</u>	2.059g	5.710g	3.651g
<u>NOPI-389-GAM1</u>	2.066g	5.930g	3.864g
<u>NOPI-390-GAM1</u>	2.082g	5.935g	3.853g
<u>NOPI-391-GAM1</u>	2.069g	5.791g	3.722g

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AA analysis of Santarni leadates:

Samples:

SAN-042

SAN-050

SAN-052

Procedure of dilution factors are same  
as in p146-148

Data & calculation kept in 3 ring  
binder "Metal Leach Data, Santarni,  
Green".

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## Santorini Leaching Results

Santorini Leaching Results

SAMPLE NO.	MgCl2 exchangeable						Carbonate fraction						Fe-Mn oxides					
	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn
Profiles																		
(Hole I)																		
SAN-021	1.05	0.94	4.87	5.91	0.57		5.50	5.67	1.49	1.50	5.30	4.71	1.36	0.00	13.55	2.12	0.00	7.15
SAN-028	1.24	0.83	4.25	5.41	0.55		1.13	4.25	2.99	0.70	4.84	4.75	1.17	0.00	15.82	1.86	0.00	2.45
SAN-036	1.11	0.83	6.19	6.47	0.59		1.52	3.75	1.83	0.84	4.79	3.88	1.76	8.43	8.32	0.70	0.00	1.91
SAN-044	0.74	0.97	4.76	4.94	0.52		3.83	4.53	1.53	0.82	5.03	4.89	1.76	9.86	7.28	0.65	0.15	1.67
(Hole II)																		
SAN-022	0.68	0.47	4.48	1.06	0.37		2.68	11.67	1.27	0.65	5.86	1.94	1.38	0.00	18.48	1.43	0.19	8.91
SAN-029	1.02	0.66	4.19	2.88	0.27		2.99	5.62	1.60	0.26	2.89	1.76	1.55	0.00	9.84	1.07	0.13	1.79
SAN-037	0.72	0.16	3.22	1.98	0.34		7.14	4.19	1.73	0.00	2.52	1.74	1.83	6.34	5.81	0.65	0.00	1.17
SAN-045	0.66	0.20	2.58	0.83	0.05		5.15	2.63	1.73	0.00	2.98	1.98	2.60	15.55	7.68	0.63	0.02	1.28
(Hole III)																		
SAN-023	1.16	1.01	2.75	3.91	0.71		0.84	9.64	1.88	0.85	3.22	5.05	0.79	4.80	20.16	2.47	0.51	5.22
SAN-030	0.84	0.85	4.13	2.11	0.58		1.96	2.48	1.87	0.82	4.04	6.14	1.28	0.90	10.43	1.11	0.04	1.85
SAN-038	1.01	0.73	5.12	4.01	0.32		1.15	2.34	1.67	0.54	3.82	4.15	1.94	0.00	10.98	0.88	0.13	1.32
SAN-046	0.73	0.58	5.55	3.47	0.28		1.13	3.55	1.50	0.35	3.27	3.55	2.15	2.97	9.08	0.57	0.65	1.19
(Hole IV)																		
SAN-024	0.70	0.27	3.63	4.36	0.09		2.95	20.49	1.76	0.39	6.55	2.38	1.07	2.03	23.67	1.77	0.31	9.79
SAN-031	0.54	0.26	2.52	1.38	0.16		0.70	2.88	2.52	0.21	6.67	1.86	0.77	4.90	11.44	1.89	0.43	3.22
SAN-039	0.17	0.20	2.92	2.77	0.15		1.78	1.59	2.14	0.12	2.46	2.33	1.66	11.30	8.81	0.42	0.69	0.53
SAN-047	0.51	0.20	3.00	2.38	0.05		2.12	2.96	1.83	0.24	0.81	0.92	1.75	6.25	6.25	0.25	0.70	0.53
(Hole V)																		
SAN-025	1.06	0.66	6.11	4.74	0.55		1.51	17.69	1.26	0.82	8.91	3.56	1.43	5.11	19.05	1.52	0.06	10.13
SAN-032	0.92	0.68	4.75	3.86	0.43		2.02	3.90	1.24	0.24	5.11	3.56	1.72	7.24	8.68	0.71	0.00	0.85
SAN-040	0.39	0.57	4.96	5.06	0.41		2.68	2.29	1.24	0.82	3.29	2.35	1.84	12.45	5.66	0.59	0.13	0.55
SAN-048	0.79	1.02	5.31	3.57	0.43		1.01	4.00	0.69	0.72	3.26	4.12	1.73	23.58	6.70	0.41	0.02	0.63
(Hole VI)																		
SAN-027	0.79	0.70	2.91	3.35	0.32		3.75	3.71	1.45	1.24	2.84	2.33	0.88	2.31	15.13	3.12	0.36	6.27
SAN-033	0.62	0.50	3.80	3.57	0.52		5.88	1.26	1.83	0.57	2.68	3.10	2.31	0.18	10.79	1.39	0.00	1.08
SAN-041	0.44	0.41	3.25	3.04	0.39		5.09	2.19	1.45	0.21	2.22	3.21	1.71	0.00	8.54	0.63	0.00	0.95
SAN-049	0.44	0.20	2.88	2.88	0.67		4.29	1.23	1.95	0.66	2.70	3.13	1.74	0.53	8.49	0.58	0.00	0.95

(Hole VII)																		
Bedrock																		
SAN-035	1.51	1.18	7.54	7.88	1.22		4.58	3.11	1.86	1.49	8.86	7.30	6.44	39.22	9.87	0.92	0.36	3.39
SAN-043	1.51	0.91	8.04	6.71	1.00		4.28	4.20	1.40	1.19	7.72	7.40	2.62	33.32	6.07	0.57	0.25	2.72
SAN-052	1.35	0.84	6.76	4.47	0.82		1.32	2.50	2.06	1.02	6.50	5.13	1.95	21.90	7.29	1.57	0.04	2.12
Bedrock with fractures																		
SAN-026	1.73	1.12	6.85	5.59	0.96		0.34	1.11	2.04	1.25	7.52	7.55	3.55	7.24	11.82	1.17	0.53	2.80
SAN-034	0.95	0.73	5.59	2.52	0.16		1.32	3.61	2.37	0.60	8.45	7.53	1.65	25.44	13.96	2.36	0.25	2.20
SAN-042	1.39	0.84	6.23	4.72	0.79		3.51	4.01	2.47	1.10	8.41	5.76	1.91	12.13	8.69	1.82	0.08	4.87
SAN-050	1.27	0.81	8.50	5.25	0.78		2.48	4.63	2.36	1.17	4.89	5.23	1.98	24.62	5.96	0.94	0.04	1.31
SAN-051	1.43	1.14	5.33	7.38	1.35		1.74	4.67	2.66	1.62	5.20	6.80	2.12	6.62	8.24	2.90	0.40	3.23
Base Chemistry																		
SAN-053	0.86	0.67	8.62	2.00	0.76		5.17	5.04	1.13	0.65	6.26	1.87	2.64	14.52	9.42	0.84	0.55	2.49

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Alpha county of Nopal bull's rock  
samples (p174)

Samples

NOPI-376-WRI

NOPI-379-WRI

NOPI-382-WRI

NOPI-385-WRI

were processed & measured by alpha  
spectrometry. This is a review  
of samples prepared on 4/28/94 (p174).

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Preparation of powders from a fracture  
on Fault on Nopal +10 level  
that trends to North across  
a body boundary. Fracture material  
collected was handpicked &  
powdered for analysis. Samples  
were placed in plastic vials &  
labeled as below:

NOPI-399-WR1 - Goethite (orange) and  
hematite; minor jarosite. No U  
minerals. Numerous <sup>altered</sup> tuff fragments.  
Wt = 2.9 g

NOPI-400-WR1 - Jarosite, goethite, and  
black colored Fe-oxide (hematite).  
in kaolinitic tuff. Wt = 1.1 g

NOPI-401-WR1 - Mostly orange colored goethite,  
minor hematite (red-black metallic).  
Altered tuff with hematite.  
Wt = 10.6 g

NOPI-405-WR1 - Mostly orange goethite, some  
black Fe-oxide. Minor microphase  
crystals in small vugs. Tuff  
fragments in fracture.  
Wt = 14.1 g

NOPI-402-WR1 - Goethite - orange colored  
material. Some black Fe-oxide. Vainly  
altered tuff fragments.  
Wt = 24.1 g

NOPI-403-WR1 - Orange colored goethite. Jarosite  
lines open fracture. Vainly altered  
tuff fragments. 3 sided sides.  
Wt = 8.8 g

NOPI-404-WR1 - Hematite/goethite - orange red and  
black material. Black hematite covers  
fragments. Altered tuff fragments.  
Wt = 16.2 g

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NOPI-398-WR1 - Goethite/hematite; mostly  
orange material. Crystalline hematite  
lines fracture. Jarosite also  
present.  
Wt = 12.0 g

NOPI-406-WR1 - Goethite - orange-yellow material  
replaces tuff. Hematite coats in  
fractures. No visible jarosite.  
Altered tuff fragments.  
Wt = 9.8 g

NOPI-407-WR1 - Fault gouge material Fe-oxide  
cemented tuff fragments. Appears mostly  
to be goethite - orange-yellow color.  
Wt = 28.8 g

NOPI-408-WR1 - Fault gouge material.  
Goethite - yellow material cements tuff  
fragments.  
Wt = 14.7 g

NOPI-409-WRI - Goethite/ferrihydrite. Tuff  
fragments altered to Fe-oxide.  
keratite coats fractures.  
Wt = 10.3 g

NOPI-410-WRI - hematite tuff. Tuff fragments  
altered to Fe-oxide.  
Wt = 11.4 g

NOPI-411-WRI - Fault gorge material  
Fe-oxide (goethite) cement  
tuff fragments.  
Wt = 15.0 g

NOPI-397-WRI - Goethite + keratite in  
fractures. Some gorge material.  
Wt = 3.8 g

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NOPI-307-WRI - Gorge fault mostly goethite,  
tuff fragments cemented by Fe-oxide/  
clay material.  
Wt = 3.5 g

NOPI-413-WRI - Fresh Nopal tuff.  
Wt = 18.3 g

NOPI-412-WRI - Fresh Nopal tuff  
Wt = 13.9 g

6/10/94

Preparation of sample powder for gamma count.  
Samples consist of portion of whole rock powder  
prepared previously that are placed in PP vials.

	wt vial	wt vial + powder	wt powder
<u>NOPI-307-GAM1</u>	2.074g	5.918 g	3.844g
<u>NOPI-397-GAM1</u>	2.062g	5.567g	3.505 g
<u>NOPI-398-GAM1</u>	2.055g	6.007g	3.952g
<u>NOPI-399-GAM1</u>	2.065g	4.957g	2.892g
<u>NOPI-400-GAM1</u>	2.070g	3.193g	1.123g
<u>NOPI-401-GAM1</u>	2.061g	5.627g	3.566 g
<u>NOPI-402-GAM1</u>	2.075g	5.901g	3.826g
<u>NOPI-403-GAM1</u>	2.078g	5.754g	3.676g
<u>NOPI-404-GAM1</u>	2.056g	5.655g	3.599 g
<u>NOPI-405-GAM1</u>	2.056g	5.882g	3.826g
<u>NOPI-406-GAM1</u>	2.066g	5.738g	3.672g
<u>NOPI-407-GAM1</u>	2.079g	5.830g	3.751g
<u>NOPI-408-GAM1</u>	2.060g	5.682g	3.622g
<u>NOPI-409-GAM1</u>	2.074g	5.708g	3.634g
<u>NOPI-410-GAM1</u>	2.067g	5.636g	3.569g

<u>NOPI-411-GAM1</u>	2.075g	5.869g	3.794g
<u>NOPI-412-GAM1</u>	2.675g	5.736g	3.661g
<u>NOPI-413-GAM1</u>	2.069g	5.761g	3.692g

6/13/94 JJP XRD analysis of Nopal rock powder

Portions of the following whole rock powder were prepared & analyzed by XRD.

NOPI-307-WR1

NOPI-398-WR1

NOPI-401-WR1

NOPI-403-WR1

Sample powders were loaded into front loading low background glass slides and taken to Div 86 for analysis on the Siemens D500 diffractometer.

After analysis powders will be placed in plastic vials and labeled as follows.

NOPI-307-XRD1

NOPI-398-XRD1

NOPI-401-XRD1

NOPI-403-XRD1

Results will be placed in a 3 ring binder entitled "Analysis of Fe-oxide bearing fragments at Nopal I, Chichuahua, Mexico."



6/20/94 gp XRD analysis - Nopal I

Portions of the following whole rock powders were prepared and analyzed by XRD

NOPI-404-WR1

NOPI-406-WR1

NOPI-408-WR1

NOPI-410-WR1

See previous page (p. 203) for procedure

Sample labels:

NOPI-404-XRD1

NOPI-406-XRD1

NOPI-408-XRD1

NOPI-410-XRD1

6/20/94 XRD Analysis - Nopal I

Portions of the following <sup>samples were</sup> ~~whole rock~~ <sup>gp 6/20/94</sup> powders, ~~which~~ <sup>gp 6/20/94</sup>, prepared, and analyzed by XRD

NOPI-205 ~~XRDZ~~ <sup>gp</sup>

NOPI-207 6/20/94

NOPI-209

NOPI-298

See page 203 for procedure.

Sample labels:

NOPI-205-XRDZ

NOPI-207-XRDZ

NOPI-209-XRDZ

NOPI-298-XRDZ

OCL

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THE FOLLOWING REAGENTS WILL BE ADDED/PREPARED FOR ISOCHRON DATING TECHNIQUE (GASCOYNE AND LAROQUE) <sup>ADT</sup> AND PROPERLY STORED.

OCL  
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· Approximately 126.6 mL of 15.8N  $\text{HNO}_3$  WILL BE ADDED TO 2L GLASS BOTTLE/JUG FOLLOWED BY 1873.4 mL OF NANOPURE  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . THE REAGENT WILL BE LABELED AS 1M  $\text{HNO}_3$ .

· 12.6 mL of 15.8N  $\text{HNO}_3$  WILL BE ADDED TO A 2L GLASS JUG FOLLOWED BY 1987.4 mL OF NANOPURE  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . REAGENT WILL BE LABELED AS 0.1M  $\text{HNO}_3$ .

· 1487.6 mL of 12.1 N  $\text{HCl}$  WILL BE ADDED TO A 2L GLASS JUG FOLLOWED BY 512.4 mL OF NANOPURE  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . REAGENT WILL BE LABELED AS 9N  $\text{HCl}$ .

· Approximately 16.5 mL of 12.1 N  $\text{HCl}$  WILL BE ADDED TO A 2L GLASS JUG FOLLOWED BY 1983.5 mL OF NANOPURE  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . REAGENT WILL BE LABELED AS .1N  $\text{HCl}$ .

· 55.6 mL of 36N  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  WILL BE ADDED TO A 2L GLASS JUG FOLLOWED BY 1944.4 mL OF NANOPURE  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . REAGENT WILL BE LABELED AS 1M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

TO AN AMBER JUG, 50 mL OF TRI-BUTYLPHOSPHATE (TBP) WILL BE ADDED WITH 450 OF amyl acetate. SOLUTION WILL BE LABELED AS .1 TBP/ amyl acetate

OCL

6/23/94

THE FOLLOWING SAMPLES WILL BE PREPARED FOR  $\alpha$  SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS. THE METHOD FOLLOWED BY GASCOYNE AND LAROQUE (p23) IS OUTLINED, AND DATA SHEETS ALREADY PREPARED:

- NOPI-373-WR1
- NOPI-374-WR1
- NOPI-377-WR1

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XRD Analysis - Nopal

The following samples were <sup>pounded,</sup> prepared and analysed by XRD.

NOPI-334 - three separate materials from this sample were prepared by hand picking under a binocular microscope.

① Black siliceous/metallic material

Sample label NOPI-334-XRD1

② Orange clay (Fe-rich)

Sample label NOPI-334-XRD2

③ White clay/caliche material

Sample label NOPI-334-XRD3

NOPI-363 - Black clay like material.

Sample label NOPI-363-XRD1

See p203 for procedure.

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OCL

SUBSAMPLES NOPI-373, 374, AND 377  
ARE READY FOR COLUMN SEPARATION. SAMPLES  
FULLY DISSOLVED IN SOLUTION AND  
UNDERWENT SOLVENT EXTRACTION...

TIME FOR  
THORIUM : 3:00 PM, 6/27/94  
SEPARATION

TIME FOR  
URANIUM : 4:15 6/27/94  
ELUTION

7/8/94

## Santorini leachate Analysis at Div 01

Selected Santorini leachate solutions  
produced previously were taken to Div 01  
for ICP analysis to compare results  
collected by AA in Div 20 and to  
analyze for Sn which could not be  
measured by standard AA technique  
due to its very low concentration.

About 10 ml of the following leachate  
were analyzed:

SAN-027  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-033  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-034  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-041  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-049  $MgCl_2$   
SAN-053  $MgCl_2$

Mike Dammann (Div 01) reported that  
Sn + Pb could not be done by  
ICP because of low concentration +  
interference from the matrix.  
He attempted to analyze for Pb +  
Sn by graphite furnace AA (HGAA)  
but was still unable to collect  
adequate information, again due to  
matrix interference.

Results of KP values on the other elements of interest are shown below.

DIV 20  
WO#5289  
20-5704-063  
UNITS = ug/L

SAMPLE ID	Ag	Co	Cu	Fe	Mn	Zn
DL	15	75	10	100	10	75
- SAN-027	40.6	<75	71.7	417	237	<75
- SAN-033	19.7	198	23.5	355	238	<75
SAN-034	<15	398	29.0	<100	254	<75
- SAN-041	15.3	266	15.2	543	192	<75
- SAN-049	<15	225	19.1	1180	347	<75
SAN-053	<15	843	30.0	<100	577	<75

Correcting these values for the volume of leadate used and the weight of the sample the following results are obtained.

(ppm)

Sample ID	Ag	Co	Cu	Fe	Mn	Zn
SAN-027	.32	<.59	.566	3.29	1.87	<.6
SAN-033	.156	1.565	.186	2.81	1.88	<.6
SAN-034	<.12	3.15	.230	<.8	2.01	<.6
SAN-041	.121	2.10	.120	4.28	1.51	<.6
SAN-049	<.12	1.77	.150	9.28	2.73	<.6
SAN-053	<.12	6.69	.238	<.8	4.58	<.6

7/13/94

Gamma counting at El Paso.

Approximately 12g of the following whole rock powders were sent to Virginia Wang at UTEP for low background gamma analysis.

NOPI-372-WR1

NOPI-379-WR1

NOPI-387-WR1

NOPI-390-WR1

In addition to these powders, EPA pitchblende + monazite standards were sent for calibration purposes. (see 031/226).



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SAMPLES NOPI-373 AND NOPI-378 WILL  
BE REMEASURED ON  $\alpha$ -SPECTROMETER. FOLLOWING  
FUSION METHOD TECHNIQUE (p.23), SAMPLE SEPARATES  
WILL UNDERGO UNDERGO A 3 STEP U/Th COLUMN  
SEPARATION. THE PROCEDURE IS OUTLINED BELOW:

**Main Column** (prewash with about 45 ml of 9M HCl)

1. Load sample onto column and wash through with about 45 ml of 9M HCl. Save this fraction for Th.
2. Elute U and Fe with 45-60 ml of 0.1M HCl.

**Thorium Column** (prewash with about 30 ml 8M HNO<sub>3</sub>)

1. Heat to evaporate HCl.
2. Add about 5 ml concentrated HNO<sub>3</sub> to dissolve residue
3. Add equal volume (about 5 ml) of DI water to produce 8M HNO<sub>3</sub> solution
4. Load Th onto column and wash with about 30 ml 8 M HNO<sub>3</sub>
5. Elute Th with about 40 ml 9M HCl
6. If visible residue remains repeat, otherwise ready for source preparation.

**Uranium Column** (prewash with 30 ml 8M HNO<sub>3</sub>)

1. Evaporate U fraction from main column to near dryness, pick up in about 2 ml concentrated HNO<sub>3</sub> and dilute with about 2 ml of DI water to produce 8M HNO<sub>3</sub> solution
2. Load onto column
3. Elute Fe and other contaminants with about 20 ml of 8M HNO<sub>3</sub>
4. Elute U with about 45 ml 0.1M HCl

THIS PROCEDURE WILL FOLLOW EXTRACTION AND  
DRYING OF H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.

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## Density separation of jarosite

Obj: prepare mineral separate of jarosite for age dating.

- ① Jarosite along with Fe-oxides and silicates were scraped from fracture surfaces of sample NOPI-425 collected at Nopal I.
- ② The material was ultrasonically cleaned after light crushing in a agate mortar + pestle. Supernatant was decanted to remove clay minerals in suspension. Cleaning was repeated twice.
- ③ The material was filtered and dried in an oven at 50°C.
- ④ Density separation using methylene iodide was performed to remove minerals with specific gravity greater than about 3.4 (e.g. hematite, goethite). Jarosite has a density of about 3.2.
- ⑤ To remove lighter specific gravity minerals such as quartz + feldspar a density separate was then prepared using tetrabromethane at a density of about 2.9.
- ⑥ Remaining material containing mostly jarosite was filtered & placed in a plastic bottle labeled "NOPI-425-Jarosite" JP 7/20/94

OCL  
7/28/94

CONTINUING WITH  $\alpha$ -SPEC. SAMPLE PREPARATION,  
SPLIT SUBSAMPLES OF SAMPLES;


- NOPI-374
- NOPI-377
- NOPI-382
- NOPI-390

WILL BE PREPARED FOR  $\alpha$ -COUNTING. THE  
NEW U & Th METHOD OF COLUMN  
SEPARATION WILL BE IMPLEMENTED; HOWEVER  
NEW COLUMNS WILL BE USED. FOR THE  
INITIAL COLUMN SEPARATION, A 13mm DIAMETER  
BIORAD COLUMN WITH 10cm OF ANION  
EXCHANGE RESIN WILL BE USED. FOR  
THE Th AND U FRACTION COLUMNS, A  
7mm DIAMETER BIORAD COLUMN FILLED WITH  
10cm OF ANION EXCHANGE RESIN IS REQUIRED.

\* IN SOLVENT EXTRACTION - STEP <sup>ONE</sup> TWO, <sup>OCL</sup> <sup>7/27</sup> ONCE  
ORGANIC & INORGANIC  
PHASES ARE MIXED WELL, (~30min) THE  
ORGANIC BECOMES FROTHY. TO ENSURE CLEAN  
SEPARATION, SOLUTIONS ARE ALLOWED TO  
SETTLE FOR 1-2 HOURS. THIS STEP PROLONGS  
SAMPLE PREPARATION AND MUST ALSO BE DONE  
THROUGHOUT BACK EXTRACTION

8/4/94 JP

SEM/EDS analyses of TS NOPI-1-TS3

Energy dispersive microanalyses were  
performed to determine chemistry  
changes at oxidation boundary (contact  
of black + yellow material).   
Area analyses along transects from  
black material into yellow material  
were conducted to determine changes  
in the amount of U, Al, + Si.

Photos showing the locations analysed  
and raw data (i.e. eds graphs)  
are kept in a 3 ring binder  
entitled "SEM + EDS Analyses of  
Mercury Ore Samples, Pena, Btana,  
Chihuahua, Mexico".

Work done in Div 6 using AMRAC SEM  
with Tracor Northern EDS.

8/1/94 JP

Preparation of whole rock powders. Samples from  
+10 level of Nopal I; perpendicular to northern  
extension of high gamma values.

Obj: powder bulk rock for gamma, alpha,  
+ XRD analysis.

Method: powder in mixer/mill

Equipment: SPEX mixer mill  
Turpentine carbide vial

Procedure:

- ① Place portion of bulk rock sample  
in vial, place in mixer mill for  
about 15 min.
- ② Remove powder from vial + place  
in labeled plastic container + weigh
- ③ Place granite chunks in vial, place in  
mixer mill for about 10 min to  
clean vial.
- ④ Repeat 1-3 for each sample

Samples were labeled as below:

NOPI-212-WPI - subsample of NOPI-212.

Relatively fresh greenish-red Nopal tuff.  
Feldspar replaced by kaolinite. Minor  
Fe-oxides on fracture surfaces.  
Wt = 30.8 g

NOPI-213-WPI - subsample of NOPI-213.

Altered hematite tuff. Fe-oxides coat  
fracture surfaces (goethite). Kaolinite  
replaces feldspar + occurs in fractures.  
Wt = 33.15 g

NOPI-214-WPI - subsample of NOPI-214.

Altered limonite tuff. Fe-oxide coat  
fracture surfaces (goethite). Kaolinite  
replaces feldspar + occurs in fractures.  
Wt = 41.33 g

NOPI-215-WPI - subsample of NOPI-215.

Altered limonite Nopal tuff. Fe-oxide  
(goethite) coats fracture surfaces.  
Kaolinite replaces feldspar + occurs  
in fractures.  
Wt = 37.86 g

NOPI-216-WPI - subsample of NOPI-216.

Altered hematite/limonite tuff.  
Fe-oxide fill + coat fracture  
surfaces. Kaolinite replaces feldspar.  
Wt = 39.45 g

NOPI-217-WPI - subsample of NOPI-217.

Altered limonite Nopal tuff. Fe-oxides  
coat fracture surfaces. Kaolinite replaces  
feldspar + occurs in fractures.  
Wt = 40.30 g

NOPI-218-WPI - subsample of NOPI-218.

Altered hematite tuff. Matrix red  
indicating hematization. Kaolinite replaces  
feldspar.  
Wt = 29.25 g

NOPI-219-WPI - Subsample of NOPI-219:  
 Cream-colored Nopal tuff. Minor  
 Fe-oxide (goethite) coat fractures  
 surfaces. Kaolinite replaces feldspar  
 in matrix.  
 Wt = 32.91 g

NOPI-220-WPI - Subsample of NOPI-220.  
 Relatively fresh Nopal tuff. Minor  
 goethite coats fracture surfaces.  
 Kaolinite replaces feldspar.  
 Wt = 27.2 g

NOPI-221-WPI - Subsample of NOPI-221.  
 Relatively fresh Nopal tuff. Minor  
 Fe-oxide coat fracture surfaces.  
 Kaolinite replaces feldspar.  
 Wt = 35.3 g

8/9/94 JP

Separate of jarosite from sample NOPI-418  
 was conducted following the procedure below.

#### DENSITY SEPARATION OF JAROSITE

Objective: prepare mineral separate of jarosite from rock samples collected at Nopal I

Method: density separation using heavy liquids

Materials: Nikon binocular microscope  
 Steel pick or exacto-knife  
 Agate mortar and pestle  
 Beakers, erlenmeyer flasks, petri dish  
 Millipore filter apparatus  
 Membrane (nylon) and paper filters  
 Drying oven  
 Methylene iodide (lot # 911145)  
 Tetrabromoethane (lot # 0250201274)  
 Separatory funnel

#### Procedure:

1. Handpick jarosite and accessory Fe-oxides and silicates from fractures and surfaces of the sample using a pick or exacto-knife. Save material in a petri dish or other container.
2. Transfer material to a mortar and crush lightly to disaggregate crystals and grains that are intergrown.
3. Transfer material to a 400 or 500 ml beaker, add about 200 ml of DI water, and ultrasonically clean for about 1 minute. Let stand for about 20-30 seconds and decant supernatant. This will remove clay minerals in suspension. Repeat the cleaning twice.
4. Dry in oven at about 50C.
5.
  - a. Pour about 70 ml of methylene iodide (s.p. 3.4) into a 150 ml separatory funnel and add dried material.
  - b. Shake solution and allow minerals with s.p. > 3.4 (e.g., hematite and goethite) to settle. Jarosite will float at or near the top of the solution.
  - c. Place a flask under the separatory funnel along with a paper filter.

- d. Open the separatory funnel and allow most of the liquid to drain into the flask and catch the heavy minerals on the filter paper. The remaining liquid should contain jarosite and lighter s.p. minerals. Save the methylene iodide.
  - e. Place the millipore filter apparatus under the separatory funnel with a membrane filter; open the separatory funnel and catch the remaining solids while vacuum filtering.
  - f. Wash separatory funnel while vacuum filtering. After filtering place the filter and material in a petri dish and dry in oven.
  - g. Repeat until all heavy minerals removed.
6.
    - a. Pour about 70 ml of tetrabromoethane (s.p. 2.9) into a 150 ml separatory funnel and add dried material.
    - b. Shake solution and allow jarosite to settle. Lighter minerals will float at or near top of solution.
    - c. Place the millipore filter apparatus under the funnel with a membrane filter.
    - d. Open funnel and allow most of the tetrabromoethane to drain and catch jarosite while vacuum filtering. Save tetrabromoethane.
    - e. Transfer millipore apparatus to another erlenmeyer flask and wash then place filter and material in a petri dish and dry in oven.
    - f. Transfer tetrabromoethane to the separatory funnel and repeat until all jarosite is removed.
  7. Place jarosite recovered from the above process in a plastic vial labeled "NOPI-XXX-Jar" where XXX is the number of the sample.

Jarosite separate from NOPI-418 placed in plastic vial + labeled NOPI-418-Jar.

8/10/94 JP Preparation of Thin Sections

Obj: prepare samples for thin sections  
from the major E-W fracture  
on +10 level of Wopul I at 13m N.

Equipment: Hillquist trim saw

Procedure:

- ① Bulk rock samples collected from the 13m N fracture were cut into thin section size blocks using the trim saw.
- ② These samples were placed in labeled plastic bags & sent to Mineral Optics Lab for thin section preparation.

The Mineral Optics order form is shown on the following page.





# Mineral Optics Laboratory

P.O. Box 828  
Wilder, Vermont 05088  
29 "A" Street  
(802) 295-9373

## PETROGRAPHY ORDER CHECKLIST

Bill To: <u>James D. Pribyl</u>		Ship To: <u>Same</u>	
Address: <u>SWRI/Div 20/Bldg 57</u>		Address: _____	
<u>6220 Culebra Rd.</u>		_____	
City, State, ZIP <u>San Antonio, TX 78228</u>		City, State, ZIP _____	
Date <u>8/10/94</u>	Order No. _____	Received _____	Phone <u>210-522-5667</u>
Customer P.O. _____	Shipped _____	Shipped via _____	

Sample No.	Quantity	Size	Finish	Impreg.	Stain	Cut	Other
		27 x 46 mm 1.5 x 3 in. 2 x 3 in. 1" or 1.25 dia Other	Thick mm Thin mm Standard 03 mm Std. Lapped 1 Side Polish 2 Side Polish	Clear Resin Color Resin	Grains, Cutting Carbonate Feldspar	Bulk Sample Oriented Other Cement Water Soluble	W/Cover Glass No Cover Glass Discard Mat'l
NOPI-417-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-418-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-418-T32	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-419-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-420-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-421-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-422-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-423-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-424-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			
NOPI-425-T31	1	✓	✓	✓			

Polished thin sections.  
Impregnate with blue  
dyed epoxy. Use  
faces without "X"  
marks.

Thanks.

\* Return remainder of all samples.

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8/11/94 JP

Preparation of powder for gamma count

Obj: prepare samples for gamma count

Method - pack whole rock powder in  
PP vials.

Equipment: PP vials (7cm)

Procedure:

① Pack whole rock powder in 7cm  
PP vials that were previously  
labeled.

② Transfer to Div 03 (F. Iddings)  
county lab for analysis.

③ Wt powder determined by first  
weighing empty vial and then weighing  
vial + packed powder.

Sample labels & weights are shown below

	wt vial	wt vial + powder	wt sample
NOPI-212-GAM1	2.073g	5.827g	3.754g
NOPI-213-GAM1	2.055g	5.760g	3.705g
NOPI-214-GAM1	2.059g	5.944g	3.885g
NOPI-215-GAM1	2.062g	6.060g	3.998g
NOPI-216-GAM1	2.079g	5.677g	3.598g

	wt vial	wt vial + powder	wt sample
NOPI-217-GAM1	2.065g	5.932g	3.867g
NOPI-218-GAM1	2.063g	5.783g	3.720g
NOPI-219-GAM1	2.073g	5.641g	3.568g
NOPI-220-GAM1	2.081g	5.844g	3.763g
NOPI-221-GAM1	2.071g	5.656g	3.585g

8/12/44 gp

Alpha spectrometry of Nopal I samples  
(see p 174 for procedure)

Samples

NOPI-302-WR1

NOPI-205-WR1

NOPI-142-WR1

NOPI-139-WR1

were processed + measured by alpha  
spectrometry.

8/15/44 gp

Additional 10% TBP/amyl acetate for  
alpha spectrometry analysis.Transferred 100 ml of TBP (lot # 1940-61)  
to a 4L colored bottle. Added 900 ml  
of amyl acetate to bottle + mixed (lot # 902158).  
Bottle labeled "10% TBP in amyl acetate".

8/16/94  
OCL

THE FOLLOWING SAMPLES HAVE BEEN OR ARE BEING PREPARED FOR  $\alpha$ -SPECTROMETRY MEASUREMENTS. THE PROCEDURE WHICH WILL BE FOLLOWING WILL INVOLVE AN ADDED COLUMN SEPARATION STEP (p 214).

- NOPI-137
- NOPI-144
- NOPI-209
- NOPI-298

DATE OF SEPARATION: 8/15/94

9/9/94

Preparation of reagents for  $\alpha$ -spectrometry analysis.

1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$  - added 63 ml of conc  $\text{HNO}_3$  (lot 943990) to 500 ml of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in a 1L volumetric flask. Made up to mark with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Transferred solution to glass bottle (2L) and labeled "1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$ ".

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1 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  - added 56 ml conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  (lot 915740) to 500 ml of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in a 1L vol. flask. Made up to mark with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Transferred to glass bottle (2L) and labeled "1 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ".

9 M  $\text{HCl}$  - added 738 ml conc  $\text{HCl}$  (lot 930085) to 200 ml  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in 1L vol flask. Made up to mark with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Transferred to glass bottle (2L) and labeled "9 M  $\text{HCl}$ ".

0.1 M  $\text{HCl}$  - added 8.2 ml conc  $\text{HCl}$  (lot 930085) to 500 ml  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in a 1L vol. flask. Made up to mark with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Transferred to glass bottle (2L) and labeled "0.1 M  $\text{HCl}$ ".

3.0 M  $\text{HNO}_3$  - added 504 ml conc  $\text{HNO}_3$  (lot 943990)  
to 400 ml of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in 1 L vol  
flask. Made up to mark  
with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Transferred to 2 L  
glass bottle labeled "3.0 M  $\text{HNO}_3$ "

0.1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$  - added 6.3 ml conc  $\text{HNO}_3$  (lot 943990)  
to 500 ml  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in 1 L vol.  
flask. Made up to mark with  
 $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Transferred to 2 L glass  
bottle labeled "0.1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$ "

# ALPHA SPECTROMETRY ANALYSIS OF NOPAL I WHOLE ROCK SAMPLES

Written by: J. D. Prikryl

Date written: 09/20/94

Objective: Determine the distribution and concentration of U and Th series isotopes in powdered whole rock specimens from Nopal I

Equipment: EG&G Alpha Spectrometry System  
-576A dual spectrometers or 676A single spectrometers with ion-implanted-silicon particle detectors  
-Model 920-16 multichannel buffer  
-ALPHAMAT analysis software for acquisition control  
-MAESTRO II multichannel analyz emulation software for analysis of spectral data

Analytical balance  
Heat lamp  
Muffle furnace  
Hot plate  
Propane burner

Supplies: Powdered whole rock samples from Nopal I  
Glassware as needed (beakers, volumetric flasks, funnels, etc)  
"SPEX" Lithium metaborate ( $\text{LiBO}_2$ )  
Aluminum nitrate ( $\text{Al}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$ )  
Tributylphosphate (TBP)  
Amyl acetate  
BIO-RAD anion exchange resin AG 1-X8 100-200 mesh chloride form  
BIO-RAD glass columns 1.5 cm diameter  
BIO-RAD glass columns 0.7 cm diameter  
 $^{232}\text{U}/^{228}\text{Th}$  spike solution prepared previously  
Weighing paper  
Graphite crucibles  
Filter paper  
125 ml PP bottles  
250 ml separatory funnels  
Stainless steel planchets

Solutions: 1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$   
1 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
9 N  $\text{HCl}$   
0.1 M  $\text{HCl}$   
Conc  $\text{HNO}_3$   
Conc  $\text{HF}$   
8 M  $\text{HNO}_3$   
0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$   
0.4 M TTA in benzene

Procedure: The U/Th Fusion procedure shown below is used to process samples.

## U/Th Fusion (Nopal whole rock samples)

Sample I. D. # \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Fusion:** Mix about 1 g of sample powder with about 3 g of "SPEX"  $\text{LiBO}_2$  and add a measured aliquot (0.1 to 1.0 ml) of  $^{232}\text{U}$ - $^{228}\text{Th}$  spike solution in dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$ .

Weights: SPEX  $\text{LiBO}_2$  (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ g

Sample powder \_\_\_\_\_ g

 $^{232}\text{U}$ - $^{228}\text{Th}$  spike # \_\_\_\_\_ Reference Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Activity \_\_\_\_\_ pCi/g Spike Weight \_\_\_\_\_ g

Dry mixture under heat lamp for about 30 min, remix, and pack in graphite crucible.

Place crucible in muffle furnace at  $950^\circ\text{C}$  for 30 mins, then pour contents immediately into 200 ml of 1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$  with rapid stirring. The  $\text{LiBO}_2$ -silicate glass formed on cooling should dissolve in about 20 mins. Filter solution to remove graphite particles and split sample into two parts (100 ml is saved in a PP bottle and the other 100 ml is analyzed for U and Th isotopes).

**Extraction:** To the aqueous solution, 37.5 g of  $\text{Al}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is added as a salting agent, and U and Th are extracted using 25 ml of 10% tributylphosphate (TBP) solution in amyl acetate. The mixture is shaken for 30 min. to extract both U and Th into the organic phase (pour into separatory funnel, drain inorganic to waste, and save organic).

Weight:  $\text{Al}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (Lot # \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ g

10% TBP/amyl acetate (Lot #s \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ ml

U and Th are then back extracted using 4 X 25 ml of 1 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  (extract, pour into separatory funnel, and save  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ).

The sulphuric acid solution is gently boiled to dryness and then heated more strongly to drive off  $\text{SO}_3$ . The dried residue is dissolved immediately in about 2 ml conc HF and diluted to 20-30 ml with 9 N HCl.

## Column Separation:

Resin: BIO-RAD Anion Exchange Resin AG 1-X8 100-200 mesh chloride form.  
(Lot # \_\_\_\_\_)

**Main Column** (Biorad 1.5 cm diameter column with 10 cm resin; prewash with 4-5 column vols 9M HCl)

Load sample in 9M HCl and allow to drain \_\_\_\_\_

Wash 3 volumes (~35 ml) 9M HCl --> Th \_\_\_\_\_Elute 4 volumes (~50 ml) 0.1M HCl --> U and Fe \_\_\_\_\_

Separation Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Note: May work on U and Th fractions simultaneously from this point on.

**Thorium Column** (Biorad 0.7 cm diameter column with 10 cm resin; prewash with 4-5 column vols 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$ )

Heat Th fraction to evaporate HCl \_\_\_\_\_

Add ~5 ml conc  $\text{HNO}_3$  to dissolve residue \_\_\_\_\_Add equal vol (~5 ml) DI water so soln 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$  \_\_\_\_\_Load onto column in 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$  \_\_\_\_\_Wash 3-4 column vols 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$  \_\_\_\_\_Elute 4-5 column vols 9M HCl --> Th \_\_\_\_\_

**Uranium Column** (Biorad 0.7 cm diameter column with 10 cm resin; prewash with 4-5 column vols 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$ )

Evaporate U fraction to near dryness \_\_\_\_\_

Pick up in about 2 ml conc  $\text{HNO}_3$  \_\_\_\_\_Dilute with about 2 ml DI water to approx 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$  \_\_\_\_\_Load onto column in 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$  \_\_\_\_\_Wash 2 vols (8-10 ml) 8M  $\text{HNO}_3$  --> Fe \_\_\_\_\_Elute 4-5 vols 0.1M HCl --> U \_\_\_\_\_

## Plating:

U and Th fractions are evaporated to near dryness; residues are each dissolved in < 5 ml 0.1 N  $\text{HNO}_3$  and separated from daughter nuclides and trace elements carried over in TBP, by extraction into 0.4 M TTA in benzene, at pH 1 for Th and pH 3.5 for U. The remaining solution volume is transferred to a heated stainless steel disc for evaporation to dryness. Discs are briefly flamed to red heat to remove any remaining organic and then counted.

stainless steel disc is labeled  
on reverse side with Sample ID,  
date prepared, + initials of analyst.

U Counting Date \_\_\_\_\_

Th Counting Date \_\_\_\_\_

Results & data calculations will be kept  
in a 3-ring binder entitled "Alpha Spectrometry  
Analyses, Nopal I, level +10".



9/19/94 JP The following samples from Nopal 1 were counted by alpha spectrometry using procedure on p. 231-233.

NOPI-137 - powder from NOPI-137-GAM1  
 NOPI-144 - powder from NOPI-144-GAM1  
 NOPI-209 - powder from NOPI-209-GAM1  
 NOPI-298 - powder from NOPI-298-GAM1.

10/7/94 JP Preparation of whole rock powders - Santorini samples.

Portions of Santorini bulk rock samples were powdered using a SPEX Mixer/Mill and Tungsten carbide vial. Samples were placed in glass or plastic containers and labeled as follows.

	wt
SAN94-039-WR1-A	93.49g
SAN94-039-WR1-B	95.80g
SAN94-038-WR1	51.40g
SAN94-051-WR1	23.00g
SAN94-024-WR1	36.59g
SAN94-037-WR1	40.61g
SAN94-032-WR1	44.82g
SAN94-023-WR1	42.01g
SAN94-017-WR1	42.25g
SAN94-028-WR1	45.94g
SAN94-016-WR1	45.72g
SAN94-008-WR1	47.33g
SAN94-012-WR1	42.51g
SAN94-020-WR1	40.22g
SAN94-026-WR1	42.63g
SAN94-034-WR1	44.61g
SAN94-046-WR1	38.57g
SAN94-049-WR1	43.27g
SAN94-044-WR1	39.79g

10/11/94 JP Akrotiri air sample analyses:

Air samples collected by B. Murphy in Aug 1994 at the Santorini analog site were taken to T.K. Tan in Div 01 for analysis of  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{CH}_4$  content.

The samples were labeled SAN94GAS-001 thru SAN94GAS-012 and were collected in  $\sim 20 \text{ cm}^3$  glass vials (see scientific notebook 117 pgs 16-19 for sampling procedure).

Samples SAN94GAS-001 thru SAN94GAS-010 were delivered on 10/11/94 to Dr. Tan. The procedure he used to measure the gases will be reported when results are returned.

Samples SAN94GAS-011 and -012 will be delivered later with quality control samples that are being prepared.

10/11/94 JP Preparation of air samples for quality control.

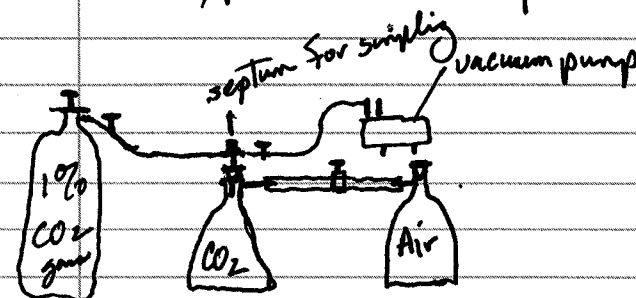
Obj - prepare series of air samples with varying amounts of  $\text{CO}_2$  for quality control of Santorini air sample analyses in Div 01.

Equipment - Welch vacuum pump.

Material + supplies -  $\sim 20 \text{ cm}^3$  glass vials

- Erlenmeyer Flasks
- tygon tubing
- Swagelok Fitting
- septum Fitting
- 1%  $\text{CO}_2$  gas (certified)
- rubber stoppers
- syringe + needle - 20 cc

Experimental Setup.



## Procedure A

- 1) An erlenmeyer flask with side arm is evacuated with a vacuum pump and then filled with 10%  $\text{CO}_2$ .
- 2) Step 1 is repeated 5 times.
- 3) The erlenmeyer flask with 10%  $\text{CO}_2$  is then connected to another erlenmeyer flask containing air to produce a known mixture of  $\text{CO}_2$  + air.
- 4) The mixture is allowed to equilibrate for two days.
- 5) Glass vial ( $20\text{cm}^3$ ) with rubber septum is evacuated using a  $20\text{cm}^3$  syringe + needle.
- 6) Step 5 is repeated 5 times.
- 7) The air mixture in the erlenmeyer flask is drawn into a syringe ( $20\text{cc}$ ) through a rubber septum attached to the sampling apparatus.
- 8) The air mixture <sup>in the syringe</sup> is placed in the glass vial through the rubber septum.

- 9) Steps 7+8 are repeated 5 times.  
Vial is sealed with silicone + labeled.

A series of varying  $\text{CO}_2$  to air mixtures are prepared by using different sized erlenmeyer flasks. Sizes of flasks + mixtures are shown below along with sample label.

<u>Sample label</u>	<u>%<math>\text{CO}_2</math></u>	<u>Air</u>
SAN 94 GAS-013	1000ml	1000 ml
SAN 94 GAS-014	1000ml	0 ml
SAN 94 GAS-015	1000ml	250 ml
SAN 94 GAS-016	250ml	1000 ml
SAN 94 GAS-017	0 ml	0 ml air only

## Procedure B

- 1) Fixture with septum was attached directly to 10%  $\text{CO}_2$  gas tank.
- 2) Glass vial ( $20\text{cm}^3$ ) with septum is evacuated using a  $20\text{cm}^3$  syringe + needle.
- 3) Step 2 repeated 5 times.
- 4) Varying vol of 10%  $\text{CO}_2$  are drawn into a  $20\text{cm}^3$  syringe directly from the gas tank. The remaining vol in the syringe is filled with air to produce a  $\text{CO}_2$ /air mixture.

5) The mixture in the syringe is placed in the evacuated glass vial.

6) Steps 4+5 are repeated 5 times. The glass vial is sealed with silicone + labeled.

A series of  $\text{CO}_2$ /air mixtures are prepared in this way. Mixture labels + contents are defined below.

Sample label	% $\text{CO}_2$	Air
SAN 94 GAS-018	100%	
SAN 94 GAS-019	50%	50%
SAN 94 GAS-020	70%	30%
SAN 94 GAS-021	40%	60%

10/13/94 JP

Thin sections of samples from EW fracture on level +10 were received from Mineral Optics.

See pp. 223 + 224 for preparative procedure + order form. + sample IDs.

10/13/94 JP

Jarosite separated from sample NOPI-423. Procedure on p221 used to separate the jarosite.

Sample placed in plastic vial + labeled NOPI-423-Jar.

10/17/94 JP

Jarosite separated from sample NOPI-417. Procedure on p221 used to separate the jarosite.

Sample placed in plastic vial + labeled NOPI-417-Jar.

10/18/94 gp

Samples SAN94GAS-011 and -012 plus  
quality control samples SAN94GAS-013  
through 021 were delivered to Dr. Tom  
in Div 01 for  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{CH}_4$   
analysis.

10/18/94 gp

Powders of bulk fracture material  
from samples along major EW  
fracture at 13m N were separated  
by scraping with a steel knife.  
Fracture material was placed in  
agate & mortar & ground to a  
powder. Powders were placed  
in plastic vials & labeled as  
NOPI-XXX-WR1.

Sample labels are as follows.

NOPI-417-WR1  
NOPI-418-WR1  
NOPI-419-WR1  
NOPI-420-WR1  
NOPI-421-WR1  
NOPI-422-WR1  
NOPI-423-WR1  
NOPI-424-WR1  
NOPI-425-WR1.

Powders will be used for XRD, alpha,  
and gamma analysis.

10/19/94 gp

XRD of bulk fracture powders

Powders of bulk fracture material from  
the EW fracture at 13m N prepared  
on previous page were prepared  
and analyzed by XRD.

Powders were packed in front mount  
glass XRD holders. XRD analysis  
was done in Div 01 using the  
Siemens D5000 X-ray diffractometer  
and Jade software.

Results are kept in 3 ring binder  
entitled "Analysis of Fe-Oxide Bearing  
Fracture at Nopal I, Chihuahua, Mexico"

XRD samples were labeled as follows:

NOPI-417-XRD2  
NOPI-418-XRD2  
NOPI-419-XRD2  
NOPI-420-XRD2  
NOPI-421-XRD2  
NOPI-422-XRD2  
NOPI-423-XRD2  
NOPI-424-XRD2  
NOPI-425-XRD2

After analysis powders used were returned  
to the whole rock powder sample  
container.



10/19/94 JP

Reagent preparation for selective leaching experiments:

1M  $MgCl_2$  - add 203.31g of  $MgCl_2$  (lot 936845) to 500 ml  $H_2O$  in volumetric beaker. Dissolve, make up to 1000 ml mark with  $H_2O$ . Transfer soln to a 1L bottle labeled "1M  $MgCl_2$ ".

1M  $NaOAc$  (pH=5) = Dissolve 136.08g of  $NaOAc$  (lot 973077) in 500ml  $H_2O$  in 1L beaker. Make up to 1000 ml with  $H_2O$ . Add dropwise acetic acid ( $HAc$ ) (lot 943002) until pH=5 is reached. Transfer solution to 1L PP bottle labeled "1M  $NaOAc$ ; pH=5".

0.04M  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$  in 25% (v/v)  $HOAc$ .

- transferred 250 ml  $HOAc$  (lot 943002) to a 1L volumetric flask containing about 600 ml  $H_2O$  & mixed. Added 2.7796g  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$  (lot 912653A) & dissolved. Made soln up to mark with  $H_2O$ . Transferred soln to a 1L PP bottle labeled "0.04M  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$ ".

10/19/94 JP

# SELECTIVE LEACHING OF SANTORINI SAMPLES

Objective: determine partitioning of particulate trace metals in rock samples collected at the Santorini analog site

Method: sequential leaching (see Tessier et al., 1979)

Equipment:

- Perkin-Elmer Model 3100 Atomic Absorption Spectrometer
- Fisher Marathon 21K centrifuge
- Burrell wrist shaker
- Thermolyne drying oven
- Ohaus analytical balance
- Hand homogenizer (SI Vortex Genie-2)
- Fisher Model 236 waterbath

Materials and Supplies:

- 50 ml polypropylene (PP) centrifuge tubes
- glassware as needed (e.g., petri dishes, beakers, flasks, etc...)
- Oxford adjustable pipeters and 10 and 5 ml PP tips
- plasticware as needed (e.g., beakers, PP bottles)
- Dynagrad syringe filters and syringes
- Eppendorf pipets and tips

Reagents:

- 1 M  $MgCl_2$
- 1 M  $NaOAc$  adjusted to pH = 5 with acetic acid ( $HOAc$ )
- 0.04 M  $NH_2OH \cdot HCl$  in 25% (v/v)  $HOAc$
- 100 ppm Cu standard solution
- 100 ppm Ag standard solution
- 100 ppm Co standard solution
- 100 ppm Zn standard solution
- 100 ppm Pb standard solution
- 100 ppm Fe standard solution
- 100 ppm Mn standard solution
- 1.5 ml  $HNO_2$ /1 L  $H_2O$

## Leaching Procedure:

1. Place about 10 g of powdered whole rock sample (e.g. SAN94-038-WR1) into petri dish and place in drying oven at 100°C for about 24 hrs.
2. Label (e.g., SAN94-038-WR1A or B or C etc...) and weight 4 50 ml PP centrifuge tubes. Record weights.
3. Place about 1 g of sample powder into each of the 50 ml centrifuge tubes and weight. Record weights. Difference between weight of empty tube and weight of tube + powder is weight of powder.

4. Add 8 ml of 1 M MgCl<sub>2</sub> (pH = 7) to each centrifuge tube using an Oxford pipeter and 10 ml PP tip. Place tubes on wrist shaker and continuously agitate for 1 hour.
5. Centrifuge tubes at 10,000 rpm for 30 minutes.
6. Remove supernatant from each tube by pipeting (Oxford pipeter and 5 ml PP tips) and place in PP beaker. Filter combined supernatant (Dynagrad syringe filters) to remove any suspended material. Place filtered supernatant in 60 ml PP bottle and label (e.g., SAN94-038 MgCl<sub>2</sub>).
7. Wash residue in centrifuge tubes with DI water by adding 8 ml of DI water to each tube, agitate on homogenizer, and centrifuge at 10,000 rpm for 30 minutes. Decant supernatant.
8. Add 8 ml of 1 M NaOAc adjusted to a pH of 5 with acetic acid (HOAc) to each centrifuge tube using an Oxford pipeter and 10 ml PP tip. Place tubes on wrist shaker and continuously agitate for 5 hours.
9. Repeat steps 5 thru 7. (Label bottles e.g., SAN94-038 NaOAc).
10. Add 10 ml of 0.04 M NH<sub>2</sub>OH-HCl in 25% (v/v) HOAc to each centrifuge tube using an Oxford pipeter and 10 ml PP tip. Weigh and record weight of each tube. Place tubes in water bath at 96°C for 5 hrs. Samples should be agitated occasionally (once per hour). Remove tubes, allow to cool, and then reweigh. Difference in weights of tube before and after heating is amount of solution lost during heating.
11. Repeat steps 5 thru 7. (Label bottles e.g., SAN94-038 NH<sub>2</sub>OH).
12. Remaining residue in tubes are saved.

Analysis Procedure:

1. Cu, Ag, Co, Pb, Zn, Fe, and Mn in the leachates are analyzed by AA using standard additions method to avoid matrix interferences. All samples for AA analysis were made up in volumetric flasks. Unless otherwise specified in the scientific notebook the table below shows for each element the volume leachate taken for analysis and the volume additions of 100 ppm standards made to each leachate. Dilution factors for Cu, Co, Ag, Zn, and Pb were 1/2 for all reagents. Dilution factors for Fe and Mn were 1/10 for 1M MgCl<sub>2</sub> and 1M NaOAc and 1/25 for 0.04 M NH<sub>2</sub>OH-HCl. All leachates were diluted using a 1.5 ml HNO<sub>3</sub>/1 L H<sub>2</sub>O solution.

Element	Samp. vol.	Additions (ml added/ppm)			Total vol
		A	B	C	
Cu	5 ml	0/0	.1/1	.2/2	10 ml
Co	5 ml	0/0	.1/1	.2/2	10 ml
Ag	5 ml	0/0	.1/1	.2/2	10 ml
Pb	5 ml	0/0	.1/1	.2/2	10 ml
Zn	5 ml	0/0	.05/.5	.1/1	10 ml
		10 ml (MgCl <sub>2</sub> and NaOAc)		25ml (NH <sub>2</sub> OH-HCl)	
		A	B	C	
Fe	1 ml	0/0	.1/1	.2/2	10 or 25 ml
Mn	1 ml	0/0	.05/5	.1/1	10 or 25 ml

2. Conditions for AA analysis are shown below. All samples were run in flame mode.

Element	nm (λ)	nm slit	Lamp
Cu	324.8	0.7	Multi Cu, Zn, Mn, Fe
Co	240.7	0.2	Single Co
Ag	328.1	0.7	Single Ag
Pb	283.3	0.7	Single Pb
Zn	213.9	0.7	Multi Cu, Zn, Mn, Fe
Fe	248.3	0.2	Multi Cu, Zn, Mn, Fe
Mn	279.5	0.2	Multi Cu, Zn, Mn, Fe

3. Raw data, calculations, and results of the analyses are kept in 3 ring binders entitled "Metals Leaching Data, Santorini, Greece".

10/19/94 gp

Santorini leaching -

6 lg samples of SAN94-039-WRI-A  
and SAN94-038-WRI were placed in preweighed  
50 ml PP centrifuge tubes + labeled  
as below.

		wt tube (g)	wt tube + powder (g)	wt powder (g)
SAN94-039-WRI-A-A		13.710	14.725	1.015
"	-B	13.664	14.678	1.014
"	-C	13.683	14.695	1.012
"	-D	13.745	14.761	1.016
"	-E	13.592	14.605	1.013
"	-F	13.581	14.602	1.021
SAN94-038-WRI-A		13.788	14.806	1.018
"	-B	13.665	14.677	1.012
"	-C	13.742	14.763	1.021
"	-D	13.653	14.666	1.013
"	-E	13.852	14.862	1.010
"	-F	13.693	14.702	1.009

Samples were leached <sup>and analyzed</sup> for trace metals  
using procedure on p 245 + 247.

10/24/94

Santorini leaching

Samples of SAN94-039-WRI-B, SAN94-032-WRI,  
and SAN94-051-WRI were placed in  
preweighed 50 ml PP centrifuge tubes +  
labeled as below

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-039-WRI-B-A		13.839	14.856	1.017
"	-B	13.691	14.703	1.012
"	-C	13.592	14.610	1.018
"	-D	13.707	14.747	1.040
SAN94-051-WRI-A		13.906	14.419	0.513
"	-B	13.733	14.246	0.513
"	-C	13.744	14.246	0.502
"	-D	13.713	14.237	0.524
SAN94-032-WRI-A		13.744	14.760	1.016
"	-B	13.657	14.698	1.041
"	-C	13.692	14.723	1.031
"	-D	13.724	14.759	1.035

Samples were leached <sup>and analyzed</sup> using procedure on  
p 245 + 247.

10/24/94 JP Senterini leaching

Samples of SAN94-037-WR1, SAN94-024-WR1, and SAN94-023-WR1 were placed in 50 ml PP centrifuge tubes + labeled as below:

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-037-WR1-A		13.693	14.727	1.034
"	B	13.754	14.782	1.028
"	C	13.794	14.839	1.045
"	D	13.737	14.764	1.027
SAN94-024-WR1-A		13.754	14.773	1.019
"	B	13.673	14.710	1.037
"	C	13.658	14.708	1.050
"	D	13.685	14.709	1.024
SAN94-023-WR1-A		13.653	14.675	1.022
"	B	13.787	14.821	1.034
"	C	13.745	14.784	1.039
"	D	13.655	14.689	1.034

Samples were processed using procedure on p246-247.

10/24/94 JP NH<sub>2</sub>OH-HCl leach step weights

Sample	wt after 20ml reagent added	wt after leaching	wt reagent lost
SAN94-037-WR1-A	35.41	33.78	1.63
" B	35.73	33.56	2.17
" C	35.48	33.84	1.64
" D	35.63	33.65	1.98
" E	35.23	35.74	-1.51
" F	35.42	34.51	0.91
SAN94-024-WR1-A	35.71	33.48	2.23
" B	35.53	32.38	3.15
" C	35.90	33.53	2.37
" D	35.56	33.12	2.44
" E	35.63	33.07	2.56
" F	35.60	33.12	2.48

10/25/94 JP

## Preparation of whole rock powders - Santorini

Portions of Santorini bulk rock samples were powdered using a SPEX mixer/mill + tungsten carbide vial. Samples were placed in plastic containers & labelled as follows:

	wt.
SAN94-045-WR1	44.63g
SAN94-047-WR1	42.88g
SAN94-036-WR1	41.56g
SAN94-033-WR1	42.19g
SAN94-025-WR1	15.05g
SAN94-021-WR1	43.64g
SAN94-018-WR1	41.48g
SAN94-010-WR1	44.53g
SAN94-014-WR1	32.42g
SAN94-031-WR1	41.62g
SAN94-029-WR1	87.25g
SAN94-050-WR1	3.10g

10/25/94 JP

## Santorini leaching

Samples of SAN94-012-WR1, SAN94-020-WR1, & SAN94-028-WR1 were placed in 50 ml PP centrifuge tubes & labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-012-WR1-A	13.751	14.767	1.016
" B	13.717	14.747	1.030
" C	13.663	14.700	1.037
" D	13.602	14.646	1.044
SAN94-020-WR1-A	13.662	14.703	1.041
" B	13.774	14.805	1.031
" C	13.751	14.774	1.023
" D	13.726	14.752	1.026
SAN94-028-WR1-A	13.699	14.734	1.035
" B	13.867	14.907	1.040
" C	13.750	14.770	1.020
" D	13.782	14.810	1.028

Samples were leached and analyzed using procedures on p 245-247.



10/25/94 JP Sinterini leach

Sample of SAN94-008-WRI, SAN94-016-WRI and  
SAN94-017-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
PP centrifuge tubes + labeled as below:

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-008-WRI-A		13.781	14.812	1.031
"	B	13.791	14.816	1.025
"	C	13.671	14.694	1.023
"	D	13.775	14.816	1.041
SAN94-016-WRI-A		13.737	14.771	1.034
"	B	13.659	14.681	1.022
"	C	13.678	14.698	1.020
"	D	13.744	14.776	1.032
SAN94-017-WRI-A		13.640	14.668	1.028
"	B	13.704	14.724	1.020
"	C	13.809	14.840	1.031
"	D	13.795	14.839	1.044

Samples leached <sup>and analyzed</sup> using procedure on pp 245-247

10/26/94 JP NH<sub>2</sub>OH-HCl leach step weights

Sample	wt after 10ml reagent added	wt after leach	wt reagent lost
SAN94-037-WRI-A	25.31	24.83	0.48
" B	25.56	24.70	0.86
" C	25.62	24.80	0.82
" D	<sup>10/26</sup> <del>25.74</del> 22.93	24.97	0.77
SAN94-024-WRI-A	25.50	24.78	0.72
" B	25.42	24.75	0.67
" C	25.42	24.81	0.61
" D	25.41	24.63	0.78
SAN94-023-WRI-A	25.29	24.67	0.62
" B	25.45	24.71	0.74
" C	25.42	24.66	0.76
" D	25.24	24.63	0.61
SAN94-051-WRI-A	25.11	24.39	0.72
" B	24.78	24.13	0.65
" C	24.84	24.08	0.76
" D	24.81	23.98	0.83
SAN94-039-WRI-B-A	25.53	24.78	0.75
" B	<sup>10/26</sup> <del>25.35</del> 25.22	24.52	0.83
" C	25.24	24.58	0.66
" D	25.22	24.31	0.91
SAN94-032-WRI-A	25.47	24.69	0.78
" B	25.47	24.82	0.65
" C	25.38	24.75	0.63
" D	25.34	24.75	0.59

10/26/94 JP Sinterini leach

Samples of SAN94-034-WRI, SAN94-039-WRI-A, and SAN94-038-WRI were placed in 50 ml PP centrifuge tubes + labeled as follows:

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-034-WRI-A		13.684	14.720	1.036
"	B	13.692	14.732	1.040
"	C	13.690	14.711	1.021
"	D	13.700	14.730	1.030
SAN94-039-WRI-A-A		13.744	14.773	1.029
"	B	13.939	14.958	1.019
"	C	13.721	14.740	1.019
"	D	13.694	14.734	1.040
SAN94-038-WRI-A		13.643	14.672	1.029
"	B	13.665	14.689	1.024
"	C	13.821	14.850	1.029
"	D	13.942	14.976	1.034

Samples were leached and analyzed using procedure on pp 245-247.

10/26/94 JP Sinterini leach

Samples of SAN-033-WRI, SAN-030-WRI, and SAN-031-WRI were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes + labeled as follows:

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-033-WRI-A		13.693	14.729	1.036
"	B	13.764	14.805	1.041
"	C	13.760	14.782	1.022
"	D	13.712	14.730	1.018
SAN-031-WRI-A		13.736	14.771	1.035
"	B	13.705	14.734	1.029
"	C	13.714	14.740	1.026
"	D	13.856	14.886	1.030
SAN-030-WRI-A		13.842	14.856	1.014
"	B	13.629	14.652	1.023
"	C	13.802	14.814	1.012
"	D	13.700	14.736	1.036

Samples were leached + analyzed using procedure on pp 245-247.

10/27/94 JP  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH} \cdot \text{HCl}$  leach step weights

Sample	wt after 10 ml reagent added	wt after leach	wt reagent lost
SAN94-012-WRI-A	25.51	25.27	0.24
" B	25.39	25.18	0.18
" C	25.26	25.01	0.25
" D	25.19	24.95	0.20
SAN94-028-WRI-A	25.43	25.27	0.16
" B	25.37	25.19	0.18
" C	25.44	25.20	0.22
" D	25.43	25.13	0.30
SAN94-020-WRI-A	25.38	25.18	0.20
" B	25.58	25.29	0.29
" C	25.50	24.90	0.60
" D	25.43	24.70	0.73
SAN94-016-WRI-A	25.41	24.89	0.52
" B	25.38	25.18	0.20
" C	25.28	25.02	0.26
" D	25.43	25.33	0.10
SAN94-017-WRI-A	25.38	25.12	0.26
" B	25.45	24.79	0.66
" C	25.58	25.25	0.33
" D	25.60	25.47	0.13
SAN94-008-WRI-A	25.52	24.93	0.59
" B	25.54	24.88	0.66
" C	25.38	25.20	0.18
" D	25.43	25.10	0.33

10/27/94 JP Santamine leach

Samples of SAN94-044-WRI, SAN94-047-WRI, and  
SAN94-043-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
PP centrifuge tubes + labeled as follows:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-047-WRI-A	13.806	14.852	1.046
" B	13.677	14.720	1.043
" C	13.775	14.796	1.021
" D	13.734	14.759	1.025
SAN94-044-WRI-A	13.597	14.617	1.020
" B	13.754	14.780	1.026
" C	13.657	14.687	1.030
" D	13.446	14.988	1.042
SAN94-043-WRI-A	13.737	14.754	1.017
" B	13.607	14.626	1.019
" C	13.758	14.801	1.043
" D	13.776	14.825	1.049

Samples were leached and analyzed using procedure  
on p 245-247.

10/27/94 pp Santam early

Samples of SAN94-036-WRI, SAN94-045-WRI, and  
SAN94-049-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes + labeled as below.

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-036-WRI-A		13.682	14.703	1.021
"	B	13.853	14.872	1.019
"	C	13.683	14.703	1.020
"	D	13.863	14.889	1.026
SAN94-045-WRI-A		13.775	14.801	1.025
"	B	13.670	14.693	1.023
"	C	13.866	14.914	1.048
"	D	13.672	14.691	1.019
SAN94-049-WRI-A		13.719	14.764	1.045
"	B	13.696	14.727	1.031
"	C	13.761	14.790	1.029
"	D	13.688	14.718	1.030

Samples were leached + analyzed using procedure  
on p 245-247.

10/27/94 pp Santam early

Samples of SAN94-033-WRI, SAN94-018-WRI, and  
SAN94-010-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes + labeled as below.

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-033-WRI-A		13.724	14.759	1.035
"	B	13.862	14.889	1.027
"	C	13.972	15.001	1.029
"	D	13.731	14.758	1.027
SAN94-018-WRI-A		13.669	14.688	1.019
"	B	13.861	14.901	1.040
"	C	13.691	14.716	1.025
"	D	13.703	14.738	1.035
SAN94-010-WRI-A		13.647	14.675	1.028
"	B	13.763	14.801	1.038
"	C	13.699	14.734	1.035
"	D	13.815	14.851	1.036

Samples were leached and analyzed using  
procedure on pp 245-247

10/27/94 JJ Sontain leach

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Samples of SAN-027-WRI, SAN-022-WRI, and  
SAN94-025-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes + labeled as below.

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-022-WRI-A	13.737	14.773	1.036
" B	13.666	14.694	1.028
" C	13.651	14.683	1.032
" D	13.824	14.858	1.034

SAN-027-WRI-A	13.781	14.814	1.033
" B	13.689	14.710	1.021
" C	13.999	15.033	1.034
" D	13.811	14.834	1.023

SAN94-025-WRI-A	13.717	14.729	1.012
" B	13.693	14.717	1.024
" C	13.719	14.755	1.036
" D	13.874	14.904	1.030

Samples were leached + analyzed using  
procedures on pp 245-247.

10/28/94 JJ Sontain leach

Samples of SAN94-031-WRI, SAN94-029-WRI, and  
SAN94-014-WRI were placed in 50 ml  
centrifuge tubes + labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-031-WRI-A	13.762 JP 13.951 10/28	14.799	1.037
" B	13.914	14.930	1.016
" C	13.943	14.972	1.029
" D	13.951	14.990	1.039

SAN94-029-WRI-A	13.777	14.819	1.042
" B	13.811	14.836	1.025
" C	13.722	14.756	1.034
" D	13.734	14.765	1.031

SAN94-014-WRI-A	13.762	14.792	1.030
" B	13.741	14.787	1.046
" C	13.697	14.735	1.038
" D	13.805	14.824	1.019

Samples were leached and analyzed using  
procedures on pp 245-247.



10/28/94 JF Sinterin leaching

Samples of SAN94-021-WRI, SAN94-026-WRI, and SAN94-046-WRI were placed in 50 ml PP centrifuge tubes & labeled as below.

		wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN94-021-WRI-A		13.709	14.749	1.040
"	B	13.711	14.753	1.042
"	C	13.694	14.712	1.018
"	D	13.692	14.723	1.031
SAN94-026-WRI-A		13.791	14.815	1.024
"	B	13.666	14.692	1.026
"	C	13.779	14.804	1.025
"	D	13.691	14.719	1.028
SAN94-046-WRI-A		13.752	14.791	1.039
"	B	13.777	14.817	1.040
"	C	13.865	14.892	1.027
"	D	13.687	14.726	1.039

Samples were leached and analyzed using procedures on pp 245-247.

2/2/94 JF Preparation of metal standards

Obj: prepare <sup>100 ppm</sup> ~~1000~~ ppm metal standards to be used in analyzing Sinterin leachates.

Method: dilute 1000 ppm AA reference standards

Materials:

1000 ppm Cu ref. std. (lot no 935150-24)  
 1000 ppm Ag ref. std. (lot no 932877-9)  
 1000 ppm Zn ref. std. (lot no 932351-24)  
 1000 ppm Co ref. std. (lot no 940162-24)  
 1000 ppm Pb ref. std. (lot no 925795-24)  
 1000 ppm Mn ref. std. (lot no 936061-24)  
 1000 ppm Fe ref. std. (lot no 932993-24)

concentrated  $H_2O_2$

100 ml Volumetric Flasks

10 ml Volumetric Pipets

125 <sup>250</sup> ~~125~~ ml PP bottles

1L vol Flask

Procedure. <sup>10 ppm</sup> ~~100~~ 10/28/94

1) Rinse 10 ml pipet with ref std., then transfer 10 ml of std. into a 100 ml volumetric flask, dilute to mark with a solution of 1.5 ml  $H_2O_2$  / 1L  $H_2O$  to maintain standard matrix

2) Transfer solution to a <sup>125 ppm</sup> ~~250~~ 125 ml PP bottle & label appropriately. Repeat to make 200 ml.

3) IF necessary, serial dilution or more dilutions can be made by following previous procedure

10/31/14 pp  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH} \cdot \text{HCl}$  (each step wts.)

Sample	wt after 10ml reagent added	wt after leach	wt reagent lost
SAN94-045-WR1-A	25.52	25.22	0.30
" B	25.23	25.26 <sup>25.02</sup> pp 10/31	0.21
" C	25.58	25.35 <sup>25.19</sup> pp 10/31	0.23
" D	25.23	25.10 <sup>25.32</sup> pp 10/31	0.13
SAN94-049-WR1-A	25.34	25.03	0.31
" B	25.30	25.26	0.04
" C	25.44	25.31	0.13
" D	25.29	25.18	0.11
SAN94-036-WR1-A	25.36	25.16	0.20
" B	25.53	25.26	0.27
" C	25.35	25.19	0.16
" D	25.59	25.32	0.27
SAN94-047-WR1-A	25.42	25.02	0.40
" B	25.35	25.09	0.26
" C	25.42	25.29	0.13
" D	25.44 <sup>25.59</sup> pp 10/31	25.14	0.30
SAN94-043-WR1-A	25.43	25.27	0.17
" B	25.36	25.25	0.11
" C	25.62	25.32	0.30
" D	25.75	25.49	0.26
SAN94-044-WR1-A	25.28	25.12	0.16
" B	25.38	25.13	0.25
" C	25.32	25.13	0.19
" D	25.57	25.32	0.25

10/31/94

Results of CO<sub>2</sub> + CH<sub>4</sub> analysis of  
Interior air samples (p 236-240)

Analysis method  
CO<sub>2</sub> + CH<sub>4</sub> by TCD (chromatography)

Southwest Research Institute  
Project No.: 20-5704-083  
Work Order No. 6041

Client: Division 20      SDG: 001

Carbon Dioxide & Methane Analysis

Date Received: 10/11/94      Date Analyzed: 10/18/94

Matrix: Air  
Concentration Units: ppm

Client Sample ID	Lab Sample ID	CO2	METHANE
001	46660	377	ND
002	46661	264	ND
003	46662	633	ND
004	46663	511	ND
005	46664	526	ND
006	46665	681	ND
007	46666	478	ND
008	46667	391	ND
009	46668	472	ND
010	46669	428	ND

All values were based on the following standards

Standard	PPM	Balance	Accuracy	Notes
Carbon Dioxide	1000	Nitrogen	± 2%	----
Methane	95	Helium	± 2%	Mix 213

Southwest Research Institute  
Project No.: 20-5704-083  
Work Order No. 6065

Client: Division 20      SDG: 011

Carbon Dioxide & Methane Analysis

Date Received: 10/18/94      Date Analyzed: 10/24/94

Matrix: Air  
Concentration Units: ppm

Client Sample ID	Lab Sample ID	CO2	METHANE
011	46793	674	ND
012	46794	202	ND
013	46795	6873	ND
014	46796	8582	ND
015	46797	8034	ND
016	46798	1866	ND
017	46799	477	ND
018	46800	10866	ND
019	46801	5721	ND
020	46802	7252	nd
021	46803	3702	ND

All values were based on the following standards

Standard	PPM	Balance	Accuracy	Notes
Carbon Dioxide	1000	Nitrogen	± 2%	----
Methane	95	Helium	± 2%	Mix 213

Client sample ID 001 = SAN94 GAS-001  
                                 thru  
                                 021 = SAN94 GAS-021

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NH<sub>2</sub>OH·HCl leach step wts

Sample	wt after 10ml reagent added	wt after leach	reagent lost
SAN94-034-WRI-A	25.10	25.04	0.06
" B	25.44	25.16	0.24
" C	25.37	25.30	0.07
" D	24.82	24.74	0.08
SAN94-038-WRI-A	25.17 <del>25.29</del> JP 11/1	25.04	0.13
" B	25.29	25.11	0.18
" C	25.36	25.16	0.20
" D	25.48	25.39	0.09
SAN94-039-WRI-A	25.14	25.02	0.12
" B	25.32	25.06	0.26
" C	25.05	24.81	0.24
" D	25.07	24.97	0.10
SAN-033-WRI-A	25.53 <del>25.39</del> JP 11/1	25.32 <del>24.94</del> JP 11/1	0.21
" B	25.39	25.30	0.09
" C	25.36	25.20	0.16
" D	25.41	25.39	0.02
SAN-030-WRI-A	25.34	25.41	-0.07
" B	25.38	25.32	0.06
" C	25.41	25.37	0.04
" D	25.27	25.32	-0.05
SAN-031-WRI-A	25.53	25.69	-0.16
" B	25.39	25.14	0.25
" C	25.62	25.54	0.08
" D	25.66	25.53	0.13

11/1/94 JP

NH<sub>2</sub>OH·HCl leach step wts

Sample	wt after 10ml reagent added	wt after leach	reagent lost
SAN94-043-WRI-A	25.41	25.26	0.15
" B	25.52	25.43	0.11
" C	25.43	25.24	0.19
" D	25.74	25.63	0.11
SAN94-047-WRI-A	25.09	24.91	0.18
" B	25.43	25.25	0.18
" C	25.64	25.48	0.16
" D	25.33	25.17	0.16
SAN94-048-WRI-A	25.45	25.52	-0.07
" B	25.53	25.39	0.14
" C	25.46	25.24	0.22
" D	25.55	25.35	0.20
SAN94-045-WRI-A	25.38	24.58	0.80
" B	25.30	25.18 <del>24.99</del> JP 11/2	0.12
" C	25.47	25.27	0.20
" D	25.68	25.44 <del>25.36</del> JP 11/2	0.24
SAN-022-WRI-A	26.30	26.06	0.24
" B	25.97	25.56	0.41
" C	26.14	25.70	0.44
" D	26.25	25.85	0.40
SAN-027-WRI-A	25.74	25.49	0.25
" B	25.73	25.46	0.27
" C	25.97	25.76	0.21
" D	25.59	25.44	0.15

11/2/94  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH} \cdot \text{HCl}$  leach step wts

Sample	wt after 10ml reagent added	wt after leach	wt reagent lost
SAN94-029-WRI-A	25.81	25.56	0.25
" B	25.70	25.25	0.45
" C	25.72	25.52	0.20
" D	25.64	25.46	0.18
SAN94-031-WRI-A	25.43	25.30	0.13
" B	25.40	25.05	0.35
" C	25.52	25.22	0.30
" D	25.65	25.44	0.21
SAN94-014-WRI-A	25.49	25.17	0.31
" B	25.50	25.33	0.17
" C	25.54	25.33	0.21
" D	25.59	25.33	0.26
SAN94-026-WRI-A	25.44	25.18	0.26
" B	25.15	24.90	0.25
" C	25.41	25.11	0.30
" D	25.27	25.12	0.15
SAN94-021-WRI-A	<del>25.53</del> 25.49 <sup>90% 11/2</sup>	25.26	0.27
" B	25.47	25.11	0.36
" C	25.58	25.20	0.38
" D	25.50	25.29	0.21
SAN94-046-WRI-A	25.53	25.22	0.31
" B	25.63	25.55	0.08
" C	25.61	25.28	0.32
" D	25.49	25.41	0.08

11/10/94

AA analysis of  $\text{NaOAc}$  &  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH} \cdot \text{HCl}$  leachates for sample SAN94-051 for Cu

High Cu contents of these leachates precluded measurement by standard addition method (p245) therefore a linear calibration was prepared by AA to measure these leachates.

Obj - measure Cu content of sample SAN94-051.

Method - AA analysis - linear fit

Materials -

- Volumetric flasks
- eppendorf pipets + tips
- glassware + plasticware as needed
- 1.5 ml  $\text{HNO}_3$  / 12  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  - 100 ppm Cu standard

Equipment - PE Model 3100 AA

Procedure -

- ① 1, 2, and 5 ppm Cu standards were prepared by diluting the 100 ppm Cu standard (p245) in 100 ml volumetric flasks.

- ② 1 ml of  $\text{NaOAc}$  and  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH} \cdot \text{HCl}$  leachates for samples SAN94-051 were placed in 12 volumetric flasks and flasks were made up to mark with 1.5 ml  $\text{HNO}_3$  / 12  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . This gives a dilution factor of 1000.



③ A linear calibration was prepared on the AA using standards prepared in step 1.

④ Sample leucobates were measured and their concentrations are shown below.

Sample SAN94-051	ppm
NaOAc leucobate	.210
NH <sub>2</sub> OH·HCl leucobate	.331

Calculation of concentration

$$.210 \times 1000 \times 2 / .513 = 3274.85 \text{ ppm}$$

$$.331 \times 1000 \times 2 / .513 = 5974.78 \text{ ppm}$$

## Santorini Leaching Results

SAMPLE NO.	MgCl2 exchangeable					Carbonate fraction										Fe-Mn oxides								
	Qu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Qu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Qu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn
Profiles																								
(Hole I)																								
SAN-021	1.05	0.94	4.87	5.91	0.57		5.50	5.67	1.49	1.50	5.30	4.71	1.36		0.00	13.55	2.12	0.00	7.15	5.52	4.13		62.09	83.32
SAN-028	1.24	0.83	4.25	5.41	0.55		1.13	4.25	2.99	0.70	4.84	4.75	1.17		0.00	15.82	1.86	0.00	2.45	4.52	3.27		127.45	34.45
SAN-036	1.11	0.83	6.19	6.47	0.59		1.52	3.75	1.83	0.84	4.79	3.88	1.76		8.43	8.32	0.70	0.00	1.91	4.49	1.62		121.81	13.43
SAN-044	0.74	0.97	4.76	4.94	0.52		3.63	4.53	1.53	0.82	5.03	4.69	1.76		9.86	7.28	0.65	0.15	1.67	4.67	1.51		74.87	10.55
(Hole II)																								
SAN-022	0.68	0.47	4.48	1.06	0.37		2.68	11.67	1.27	0.65	5.86	1.94	1.38		0.00	18.48	1.43	0.19	8.91	0.63	5.92		61.80	125.71
SAN-029	1.02	0.66	4.19	2.88	0.27		2.99	5.62	1.60	0.26	2.89	1.76	1.55		0.00	9.84	1.07	0.13	1.79	0.41	2.70		106.10	25.04
SAN-037	0.72	0.18	3.22	1.98	0.34		7.14	4.19	1.73	0.00	2.52	1.74	1.83		6.34	5.81	0.65	0.00	1.17	0.45	1.28		59.59	24.31
SAN-045	0.66	0.20	2.58	0.83	0.05		5.15	2.63	1.73	0.00	2.98	1.98	2.60		15.55	7.68	0.63	0.02	1.28	0.40	2.12		67.04	22.83
(Hole III)																								
SAN-023	1.16	1.01	2.75	3.91	0.71		0.84	9.64	1.88	0.85	3.22	5.05	0.79		4.80	20.16	2.47	0.51	5.22	4.12	5.30		39.06	117.94
SAN-030	0.84	0.85	4.13	2.11	0.58		1.96	2.48	1.87	0.82	4.04	6.14	1.28		0.90	10.43	1.11	0.04	1.85	7.53	2.20		101.68	24.50
SAN-038	1.01	0.73	5.12	4.01	0.32		1.15	2.34	1.67	0.54	3.82	4.15	1.94		0.00	10.98	0.88	0.13	1.32	7.52	1.73		99.14	16.17
SAN-046	0.73	0.58	5.55	3.47	0.28		1.13	3.55	1.50	0.35	3.27	3.55	2.15		2.97	9.08	0.57	0.65	1.19	5.88	1.54		105.60	17.44
SAN94-024	0.72	0.64	4.85	3.11	0.46		1.35	3.71	2.45	0.47	5.01	2.19	3.71		0.00	3.71	0.89	0.00	3.70	0.00	3.47		380.59	18.75
SAN94-028	0.84	0.00	1.95	3.19	0.58		0.32	4.41	1.88	0.54	5.83	2.19	2.11		3.57	4.41	0.92	0.00	4.76	0.00	3.34		398.46	23.05
(Hole IV)																								
SAN-024	0.70	0.27	3.63	4.36	0.09		2.95	20.49	1.76	0.39	6.55	2.38	1.07		2.03	23.67	1.77	0.31	9.79	2.22	6.41		46.50	83.42
SAN-031	0.54	0.26	2.52	1.38	0.16		0.70	2.88	2.52	0.21	6.67	1.86	0.77		4.90	11.44	1.89	0.43	3.22	1.54	4.03		55.38	36.80
SAN-039	0.17	0.20	2.92	2.77	0.15		1.78	1.59	2.14	0.12	2.46	2.33	1.66		11.30	8.81	0.42	0.69	0.53	0.93	1.67		98.92	12.83
SAN-047	0.51	0.20	3.00	2.38	0.05		2.12	2.96	1.83	0.24	0.81	0.92	1.75		6.25	6.25	0.25	0.70	0.53	1.44	1.56		82.03	6.80
SAN94-044	1.03	0.24	3.89	2.32	0.66		4.74	3.40	1.73	0.78	3.61	2.57	2.45		0.00	3.41	0.85	0.00	0.77	0.00	3.34		366.29	17.86
SAN94-049	0.40	0.00	4.54	2.93	0.55		0.47	1.48	1.47	0.96	11.21	2.06	3.19		7.39	1.49	1.82	0.00	6.29	0.00	4.24		688.36	21.60
(Hole V)																								
SAN-025	1.06	0.66	6.11	4.74	0.55		1.51	17.69	1.26	0.62	8.91	3.56	1.43		5.11	19.05	1.52	0.06	10.13	2.75	6.69		54.38	75.16
SAN-032	0.92	0.68	4.75	3.86	0.43		2.02	3.90	1.24	0.24	5.11	3.56	1.72		7.24	8.68	0.71	0.00	0.85	2.70	1.69		88.63	7.10
SAN-040	0.39	0.57	4.96	5.06	0.41		2.68	2.29	1.24	0.82	3.29	2.35	1.84		12.45	5.66	0.59	0.13	0.55	2.80	1.22		92.84	5.35
SAN-048	0.79	1.02	5.31	3.57	0.43		1.01	4.00	0.69	0.72	3.26	4.12	1.73		23.58	6.70	0.41	0.02	0.63	2.36	1.07		87.89	6.20
(Hole VI)																								
SAN-027	0.79	0.70	2.91	3.35	0.32		3.75	3.71	1.45	1.24	2.84	2.33	0.88		2.31	15.13	3.12	0.36	6.27	2.46	5.02		39.09	101.79
SAN-033	0.62	0.50	3.80	3.57	0.52		5.88	1.26	1.83	0.57	2.68	3.10	2.31		0.18	10.79	1.39	0.00	1.08	2.04	3.04		120.36	24.31
SAN-041	0.44	0.41	3.25	3.04	0.39		5.09	2.19	1.45	0.21	2.22	3.21	1.71		0.00	8.54	0.63	0.00	0.95	2.65	1.35		100.87	10.52
SAN-049	0.44	0.20	2.88	2.88	0.67		4.29	1.23	1.95	0.66	2.70	3.13	1.74		0.53	8.49	0.58	0.00	0.95	1.69	1.46		99.15	11.64
SAN94-017	0.34	0.12	4.27	3.32	0.39		4.09	3.64	1.52	0.53	4.20	3.61	2.93		13.95	3.65	0.81	0.00	1.22	0.00	2.49		370.91	14.90
SAN94-023	0.81	0.27	4.26	3.28	0.44		2.93	3.57	1.47	0.00	5.04	2.09	3.36		5.61	3.57	0.67	0.00	2.06	0.00	3.18		389.62	19.28

11/10/94 gp Results of leaching experiments conducted up to the date.

Santorini Leaching Results

<b>(Hole VII)</b>																									
<b>Bedrock</b>																									
SAN-035	1.51	1.18	7.54	7.88	1.22		4.58	3.11	1.86	1.49	8.86	7.30	6.44		39.22	9.87	0.92	0.36	3.39	5.97	5.73		169.16	11.27	
SAN-043	1.51	0.91	8.04	6.71	1.00		4.28	4.20	1.40	1.19	7.72	7.40	2.62		33.32	6.07	0.57	0.25	2.72	7.53	1.95		88.79	8.88	
SAN-052	1.35	0.84	6.76	4.47	0.82		1.32	2.50	2.06	1.02	6.50	5.13	1.95		21.90	7.29	1.57	0.04	2.12	4.05	1.97		158.25	5.76	
<b>Bedrock with fractures</b>																									
SAN-026	1.73	1.12	6.85	5.59	0.96		0.34	1.11	2.04	1.25	7.52	7.55	3.55		7.24	11.82	1.17	0.53	2.80	7.13	5.31		127.50	16.36	
SAN-034	0.95	0.73	5.59	2.52	0.16		1.32	3.61	2.37	0.60	8.45	7.53	1.65		25.44	13.96	2.36	0.25	2.20	7.00	4.20		211.89	17.03	
SAN-042	1.39	0.84	6.23	4.72	0.79		3.51	4.01	2.47	1.10	6.41	5.76	1.91		12.13	8.69	1.82	0.08	4.87	4.03	3.78		179.35	13.00	
SAN-050	1.27	0.81	6.50	5.25	0.78		2.48	4.63	2.36	1.17	4.89	5.23	1.98		24.62	5.96	0.94	0.04	1.31	4.47	1.55		95.53	6.81	
SAN-051	1.43	1.14	5.33	7.38	1.35		1.74	4.67	2.66	1.62	5.20	6.80	2.12		6.62	8.24	2.90	0.40	3.23	6.97	4.99		106.90	25.15	
<b>Outside delta 3 near SE corner</b>																									
SAN94-008	0.73	0.15	3.39	3.59	0.52		4.67	2.45	1.47	0.67	3.81	2.19	2.14		2.62	2.45	0.90	0.00	1.53	0.00	2.97		289.33	21.79	
SAN94-010	0.65	0.14	3.77	3.73	0.50		0.00	3.82	1.11	0.76	3.30	2.91	2.14		11.20	3.82	0.50	0.00	1.35	0.00	2.31		489.47	15.92	
SAN94-016	0.91	0.00	4.24	2.57	0.42		6.13	2.13	1.20	0.53	12.99	2.43	2.10		43.56	2.13	0.72	0.00	5.86	0.00	2.91		441.25	13.92	
<b>South of hole III</b>																									
SAN94-029	0.20	0.09	4.39	3.20	0.70		4.74	19.74	1.16	0.51	6.95	3.00	1.55		0.00	19.74	3.42	0.00	14.13	0.84	10.36		661.91	143.57	
SAN94-031	0.51	0.00	4.67	2.30	0.58		4.78	2.84	1.82	0.37	8.88	3.12	1.72		0.00	2.84	1.26	0.00	4.85	0.00	4.73		391.44	30.13	
SAN94-032	1.18	0.00	3.90	2.93	0.49		6.35	5.20	0.98	0.71	4.40	2.18	1.95		15.18	5.21	0.85	0.00	1.70	0.00	3.37		384.95	14.90	
SAN94-037	0.37	0.00	4.88	3.52	0.42		4.18	1.95	1.92	0.48	11.62	2.83	2.59		9.81	1.95	0.83	0.00	5.74	0.00	2.59		373.72	18.22	
<b>Packed earth between holes IV and V</b>																									
SAN94-043	1.27	0.22	2.46	3.18	0.61		5.12	6.41	2.28	0.43	4.45	0.70	0.56		1.33	6.41	5.46	0.00	10.63	0.86	6.05		200.25	158.37	
<b>Base Chemistry</b>																									
SAN-053	0.86	0.67	8.62	2.00	0.76		5.17	5.04	1.13	0.65	6.26	1.87	2.64		14.52	9.42	0.84	0.55	2.49	2.29	2.69		174.29	11.59	
<b>Lithic rich tuff</b>																									
SAN94-039A	0.57	0.55	5.26	2.23	0.68		0.52	5.13	1.22	0.51	37.63	2.68	1.77		63.53	5.13	0.00	0.00	6.37	0.00	2.42		510.55	13.39	
SAN94-039B	0.30	0.13	3.47	3.66	0.40		0.86	6.04	1.18	0.44	35.12	2.35	3.44		77.39	6.04	0.00	0.00	4.14	0.00	4.46		547.98	11.24	
<b>Weathered lithic tuff</b>																									
SAN94-038	0.13	0.00	4.31	2.17	0.81		0.86	5.12	0.88	0.54	6.52	1.90	2.51		97.02	5.12	0.78	0.00	3.21	0.00	4.62		896.93	31.95	
<b>Ash grains and corrosion products from artifact (tong) in delta 18a</b>																									
SAN94-051	20.40	0.82	19.68	6.51	1.89		4.27	18.64	3274.85	1.82	75.73	5.82	13.41		521.17	18.64	5874.77	0.00	42.92	0.00	12.05		6016.74	74.37	

11/23/94 gp Transferred sample powders of plants  
from 7cm PP vials to 1.5 inch  
diameter PP containers. Weight transferred  
is recorded below:

	wt. container	wt container + plant	wt plant
FR-A-1-G	4.3798 4.420 gp 11/23	6.0940	1.7142
FR-A-3-G	4.4219	6.3160	1.8941
FR-A-4-G	4.3903	5.6230	1.2327
FR-B-1-G	4.4204	5.0741	.6537
FR-B-2-G	4.3532	5.6587	1.3055
FR-B-3-G	4.3748	5.1792	.8044
FR-B-4-G	4.4202	5.5263	1.1061

Containers were sealed with silicone  
rubber to allow equilibration with  
Rv. (3 weeks).

12/12/94 gp Sinterimi leaching

Samples of SAN-023, SAN-038, and SAN-046  
were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes &  
labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-023-A	13.754	14.779	1.025
" B	13.672	14.685	1.014
" C	13.671	14.706	1.035
" D	13.644	14.667	1.023

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-038-A	13.797	14.838	1.041
" B	13.742	14.766	1.024
" C	13.830	14.852	1.022
" D	13.741	14.776	1.035

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-046-A	13.671	14.686	1.015
" B	13.668	14.689	1.021
" C	13.709	14.723	1.014
" D	13.763	14.779	1.016

Samples were leached & analyzed using  
procedure on pp 245-247.

12/12/94 JP Santani leach

Samples of SAN-024, SAN-039, & SAN-047  
were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes  
& labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-024 <sup>WPI</sup> -A	13.686	14.716	1.030
" B	13.662	14.698	1.036
" C	13.701	14.725	1.024
" D	13.837	14.868	1.031

SAN-039 <sup>WPI</sup> -A	13.772	14.803	1.031
" B	13.809	14.833	1.024
" C	13.772	14.805	1.033
" D	13.946	14.973	1.027

SAN-047 <sup>WPI</sup> -A	13.777	14.818	1.041
" B	13.730	14.760	1.030
" C	13.690	14.711	1.021
" D	13.743	14.765	1.022

Samples were leached & analyzed using  
procedure on p 245-247.

12/12/94 JP Santani leach

Samples SAN-041, SAN-049, & SAN-050  
were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes  
& labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-041 <sup>WPI</sup> -A	13.747	14.771	1.024
" B	13.713	14.730	1.017
" C	13.646	14.669	1.023
" D	13.850	14.878	1.028

SAN-049 <sup>WPI</sup> -A	13.739	14.774	1.035
" B	13.794	14.815	1.021
" C	13.653	14.666	1.013
" D	13.780	14.797	1.017

SAN-050 <sup>WPI</sup> -A	13.718	14.225	12/12/94 JP 1.507
" B	13.812	14.314	.502
" C	13.725	14.243	.518
" D	13.783	14.286	.503

Samples were leached & analyzed using  
procedure on p 245-247.



12/13/94 JP XRD of Santorini powders

Powders of SAN94-050-WR1 and SAN94-051-WR1 were prepared and analyzed by XRD.

Powders were placed in front mount glass holders. XRD analysis was prepared in Div of min. Siemens D5000 X-ray diffractometer + JADE software for data analysis.

Results are kept in 3 ring binder entitled "XRD Analyses, Santorini, Greece".

Sample labels were  
SAN94-050-XRD1  
SAN94-051-XRD1

After analysis powders were returned to whole rock sample containers.

12/15/94 JP  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH} \cdot \text{HCl}$  / perh step wts.

Sample	wt after 10m <sup>1</sup> reagent added	wt after 1 week	wt reagent lost
SAN-023-WR1-A	25.62	25.56	0.06
" B	25.56	25.46	0.10
" C	25.61	25.53	0.08
" D	25.51	25.41	0.10
SAN-038-WR1-A	25.45	25.16	0.29
" B	25.41	<del>24.44</del> 25.16 JP 12/15/94	0.27
" C	25.55	24.53	1.02
" D	25.49	24.90	0.59
SAN-046-WR1-A	25.45	24.52	0.93
" B	25.42	24.76	0.66
" C	25.45	24.80	0.65
" D	25.40	25.30	0.10
SAN-024-WR1-A	25.29	24.90	0.39
" B	25.33	24.77	0.56
" C	25.28	25.21	0.07
" D	25.40	25.31	0.09
SAN-039-WR1-A	25.33	25.19	0.14
" B	25.37	25.10	0.27
" C	24.93	24.81	0.12
" D	25.39	25.27	0.12
SAN-047-WR1-A	25.41	25.15	0.26
" B	25.39	24.87	0.52
" C	25.23	24.89	0.34
" D	25.33	24.86	0.47

12/16/94 gp NH<sub>2</sub>OH·HCl leach step wts.

Sample	wt after 10ml reagent added	wt after leach	wt reagent lost
SAN-041-WRI-A	25.27	25.16	0.11
" B	25.33	25.20	0.13
" C	24.87	24.79	0.08
" D	25.35	25.22	0.13
SAN-044-WRI-A	25.36	25.22	0.14
" B	25.47	25.37	0.10
" C	25.23	25.17	0.06
" D	25.41	25.33	0.08
SAN-050-WRI-A	24.76	24.42	0.34
" B	24.91	24.17	0.74
" C	24.70	24.02	0.68
" D	24.87	24.68	0.19
SAN-044-WRI-A1	25.54	25.48	0.06
" B1	25.34	24.80	0.54
" C1	25.37	25.26	0.11
" D1	25.21	25.09	0.12
SAN-044-WRI-A2	25.45	25.37	0.08
" B2	25.16	24.81	0.35
" C2	25.35	25.29	0.06
" D2	25.30	25.20	0.10
SAN-017-WRI-A1	25.32	25.24	0.08
" B1	25.07	24.97	0.10
" C1	25.43	25.43	0.00
" D1	24.91	24.81	0.10

12/14/94 gp Santovini leaching

Samples of SAN-044-WRI and SAN-017-WRI  
were placed in 50 ml centrifuge tubes  
+ labeled as below:

	wt tube	wt tube + powder	wt powder
SAN-044-WRI-A1	13.921	14.961	1.040
" B1	13.792	14.813	1.021
" C1	13.659	14.697	1.038
" D1	13.604	14.621	1.017
SAN-044-WRI-A2	13.704	14.737	1.033
" B2	13.630	14.662	1.032
" C2	13.674	14.699	1.025
" D2	13.781	14.790	1.009
SAN-017-WRI-A1	13.776	14.817	1.041
" B1	13.671	14.703	1.032
" C1	13.861	14.869	1.008
" D1	13.607	14.626	1.019

Samples were leached + analyzed using  
procedure on pp 245-247.

## Santorini Leaching Results

SAMPLE NO.	MgCl2 exchangeable						Carbonate fraction						Fe-Mn oxides											
	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn	Cu	Ag	Co	Pb	Zn	Sn	Fe	Mn
Profiles																								
(Hole I)																								
SAN-021	1.05	0.94	4.87	5.91	0.57		5.50	5.67	1.49	1.50	5.30	4.71	1.36		0.00	13.55	2.12	0.00	7.15	5.52	4.13		62.09	83.32
SAN-028	1.24	0.83	4.25	5.41	0.55		1.13	4.25	2.99	0.70	4.84	4.75	1.17		0.00	15.82	1.86	0.00	2.45	4.52	3.27		127.45	34.45
SAN-036	1.11	0.83	6.19	6.47	0.59		1.52	3.75	1.83	0.84	4.79	3.88	1.76		8.43	8.32	0.70	0.00	1.91	4.49	1.62		121.81	13.43
SAN-044	0.74	0.97	4.76	4.94	0.52		3.63	4.53	1.53	0.82	5.03	4.69	1.76		9.86	7.28	0.65	0.15	1.67	4.67	1.51		74.87	10.55
(Hole II)																								
SAN-022	0.68	0.47	4.48	1.06	0.37		2.68	11.67	1.27	0.65	5.86	1.94	1.38		0.00	18.48	1.43	0.19	8.91	0.63	5.92		61.80	125.71
SAN-022*	1.06	1.48	3.90	3.89	0.86		0.00	11.74	1.01	0.15	2.61	0.15	1.67		0.00	17.91	3.53	0.00	11.40	0.44	9.58		654.60	154.60
SAN-029	1.02	0.66	4.19	2.88	0.27		2.99	5.62	1.60	0.26	2.89	1.76	1.55		0.00	9.84	1.07	0.13	1.79	0.41	2.70		106.10	25.04
SAN-037	0.72	0.18	3.22	1.98	0.34		7.14	4.19	1.73	0.00	2.52	1.74	1.83		6.34	5.81	0.65	0.00	1.17	0.45	1.28		59.59	24.31
SAN-045	0.66	0.20	2.58	0.83	0.05		5.15	2.63	1.73	0.00	2.98	1.98	2.60		15.55	7.68	0.63	0.02	1.28	0.40	2.12		67.04	22.83
(Hole III)																								
SAN-023	1.16	1.01	2.75	3.91	0.71		0.84	9.64	1.88	0.85	3.22	5.05	0.79		4.80	20.16	2.47	0.51	5.22	4.12	5.30		39.06	117.94
SAN-023*	1.12				0.90		1.62	4.88	2.13				1.13		0.00	19.86	6.45				11.16		642.50	136.35
SAN-030	0.84	0.85	4.13	2.11	0.58		1.96	2.48	1.87	0.82	4.04	6.14	1.28		0.90	10.43	1.11	0.04	1.85	7.53	2.20		101.68	24.50
SAN-030*	0.99	0.00	4.10	4.61	0.95		3.70	1.28	1.83	0.36	2.03	1.30	1.49		0.00	8.56	0.93	0.00	1.10	2.65	2.92		386.81	34.34
SAN-038	1.01	0.73	5.12	4.01	0.32		1.15	2.34	1.67	0.54	3.82	4.15	1.94		0.00	10.98	0.88	0.13	1.32	7.52	1.73		99.14	16.17
SAN-038*	1.23				0.93		1.12	2.38	1.83				2.09		2.35	10.56	0.51				2.84		337.07	25.27
SAN-046	0.73	0.58	5.55	3.47	0.28		1.13	3.55	1.50	0.35	3.27	3.55	2.15		2.97	9.08	0.57	0.65	1.19	5.88	1.54		105.60	17.74
SAN-046*	0.91				1.14		0.00	2.24	1.95				2.19		10.26	6.15	0.71				2.76		308.51	21.37
SAN94-024	0.72	0.64	4.85	3.11	0.46		1.35	3.71	2.45	0.47	5.01	2.19	3.71		0.00	9.39	0.89	0.00	3.70	0.00	3.47		380.59	18.45
SAN94-025	0.52	0.00	6.66	3.95	0.55		0.00	3.51	1.44	0.61	4.59	1.58	2.23		5.14	9.44	0.28	0.00	1.41	1.78	2.57		459.58	19.46
SAN94-026	0.42	0.83	5.63	3.33	0.67		0.00	3.55	1.79	0.00	2.67	1.85	1.67		1.58	7.80	0.68	0.00	1.91	0.00	2.70		513.37	27.92
SAN94-028	0.84	0.00	1.95	3.19	0.58		0.32	4.41	1.88	0.54	5.83	2.19	2.11		3.57	6.36	0.92	0.00	4.76	0.00	3.34		398.46	23.05
(Hole IV)																								
SAN-024	0.70	0.27	3.63	4.36	0.09		2.95	20.49	1.76	0.39	6.55	2.38	1.07		2.03	23.67	1.77	0.31	9.79	2.22	6.41		46.50	83.42
SAN-024*	1.12				1.46		2.07	9.39	1.65				1.47		0.00	21.31	3.51				9.38		561.00	110.27
SAN-031	0.54	0.26	2.52	1.38	0.16		0.70	2.88	2.52	0.21	6.67	1.86	0.77		4.90	11.44	1.89	0.43	3.22	1.54	4.03		55.38	36.80
SAN-031*	0.57	0.00	3.92	4.85	0.88		0.00	4.57	1.55	0.15	5.07	0.66	0.91		0.00	11.39	2.08	0.00	5.91	0.00	5.75		233.55	45.58
SAN-039	0.17	0.20	2.92	2.77	0.15		1.78	1.59	2.14	0.12	2.46	2.33	1.66		11.30	8.81	0.42	0.69	0.53	0.93	1.67		98.92	12.83
SAN-039*	0.73				0.86		0.00	2.95	1.46				1.97		11.22	7.92	0.46				3.07		321.81	20.70
SAN-047	0.51	0.20	3.00	2.38	0.05		2.12	2.96	1.83	0.24	0.81	0.92	1.75		6.25	6.25	0.25	0.70	0.53	1.44	1.56		82.03	6.80
SAN-047*	0.70				0.73		1.96	3.84	1.28				2.47		9.01	5.41	0.53				2.82		308.87	19.87
SAN94-044	1.03	0.24	3.89	2.32	0.66		4.74	3.40	1.73	0.78	3.61	2.57	2.45		0.00	8.62	0.85	0.00	0.77	0.00	3.34		366.29	17.86
SAN94-044-1	0.98				0.64		1.10	2.38	1.88				2.83		2.97	8.71	0.86				3.31		326.67	22.02
SAN94-044-2	1.03				1.01		1.29	2.41	1.72				2.88		3.78	8.63	0.77				3.64		299.56	24.55
SAN94-045	0.88	1.41	7.32	3.93	1.00		1.83	1.97	1.25	0.00	6.45	0.66	1.89		8.40	8.46	0.62	0.00	1.92	0.00	2.73		376.47	16.30
SAN94-046	1.06	0.00	5.61	3.80	0.76		1.43	2.69	1.27	0.00	2.12	0.86	1.74		4.15	4.44	0.51	0.00	0.99	0.00	2.37		326.44	13.74
SAN94-047	0.96	1.26	6.06	4.64	0.69		2.16	2.39	1.21	1.36	2.41	0.98	1.56		12.38	4.93	0.56	0.00	1.03	0.00	2.00		536.84	15.69
SAN94-049	0.40	0.00	4.54	2.93	0.55		0.47	1.48	1.47	0.96	11.21	2.06	3.19		7.39	7.94	1.82	0.00	6.29	0.00	4.24		688.36	21.60
(Hole V)																								
SAN-025	1.06	0.66	6.11	4.74	0.55		1.51	17.69	1.26	0.62	8.91	3.56	1.43		5.11	19.05	1.52	0.06	10.13	2.75	6.69		54.38	75.16
SAN-032	0.92	0.68	4.75	3.86	0.43		2.02	3.90	1.24	0.24	5.11	3.56	1.72		7.24	8.68	0.71	0.00	0.85	2.70	1.69		88.63	7.10
SAN-040	0.39	0.57	4.96	5.06	0.41		2.68	2.29	1.24	0.82	3.29	2.35	1.84		12.45	5.66	0.59	0.13	0.55	2.80	1.22		92.84	5.35
SAN-048	0.79	1.02	5.31	3.57	0.43		1.01	4.00	0.69	0.72	3.26	4.12	1.73		23.58	6.70	0.41	0.02	0.63	2.36	1.07		87.89	6.20

12/20/94 JP Results of leaching experiments up to this date.

## Santorini Leaching Results

<b>(Hole VI)</b>																									
SAN-027	0.79	0.70	2.91	3.35	0.32			3.75	3.71	1.45	1.24	2.84	2.33	0.88		2.31	15.13	3.12	0.36	6.27	2.46	5.02		39.09	101.79
SAN-027*	1.38	5.98	3.45	3.94	1.00			2.22	2.98	2.04	0.35	2.43	1.36	0.80		0.00	14.26	5.59	0.00	7.32	0.00	8.64		431.92	119.42
SAN-033	0.62	0.50	3.80	3.57	0.52			5.88	1.26	1.83	0.57	2.68	3.10	2.31		0.18	10.79	1.39	0.00	1.08	2.04	3.04		120.36	24.31
SAN-033*	0.57	0.79	3.73	4.69	0.85			0.36	2.00	1.52	0.00	2.62	0.00	1.65		0.00	6.89	1.08	0.00	1.87	0.31	3.47		407.90	33.99
SAN-041	0.44	0.41	3.25	3.04	0.39			5.09	2.19	1.45	0.21	2.22	3.21	1.71		0.00	8.54	0.63	0.00	0.95	2.65	1.35		100.87	10.52
SAN-041*	0.94				0.89			0.33	3.21	2.05				2.21		5.27	6.38	0.83				2.89		345.61	18.71
SAN-049	0.44	0.20	2.88	2.88	0.67			4.29	1.23	1.95	0.66	2.70	3.13	1.74		0.53	8.49	0.58	0.00	0.95	1.69	1.46		99.15	11.64
SAN-049*	0.93				0.84			0.00	3.53	2.13				2.23		9.15	6.59	0.97				3.15		294.31	21.21
SAN94-017	0.34	0.12	4.27	3.32	0.39			4.09	3.64	1.52	0.53	4.20	3.61	2.93		13.95	5.36	0.81	0.00	1.22	0.00	2.49		370.91	14.90
SAN94-017-1	0.78				0.65			0.80	2.68	1.93				2.47		12.55	6.79	0.72				3.42		391.99	21.36
SAN94-018	0.29	0.00	5.48	3.17	0.75			0.00	3.44	1.76	0.21	3.08	1.30	2.19		10.94	8.63	0.68	0.00	0.98	0.00	2.39		247.98	21.72
SAN94-020	0.67	0.00	5.25	3.73	0.55			0.00	2.94	2.18	0.67	3.10	1.81	3.26		14.52	10.23	0.38	0.00	0.92	0.00	2.46		272.54	16.32
SAN94-021	0.62	0.43	5.77	3.50	0.78			0.00	3.33	1.68	0.43	3.10	1.26	2.05		8.87	7.14	0.44	0.00	1.23	0.18	2.55		357.34	20.71
SAN94-023	0.81	0.27	4.26	3.28	0.44			2.93	3.57	1.47	0.00	5.04	2.09	3.36		5.61	8.91	0.67	0.00	2.06	0.00	3.18		389.62	19.28
<b>(Hole VII)</b>																									
<b>Bedrock</b>																									
SAN-035	1.51	1.18	7.54	7.88	1.22			4.58	3.11	1.86	1.49	8.86	7.30	6.44		39.22	9.87	0.92	0.36	3.39	5.97	5.73		169.16	11.27
SAN-043	1.51	0.91	8.04	6.71	1.00			4.28	4.20	1.40	1.19	7.72	7.40	2.62		33.32	6.07	0.57	0.25	2.72	7.53	1.95		88.79	8.88
SAN-052	1.35	0.84	6.76	4.47	0.82			1.32	2.50	2.06	1.02	6.50	5.13	1.95		21.90	7.29	1.57	0.04	2.12	4.05	1.97		158.25	5.76
<b>Bedrock with fractures</b>																									
SAN-026	1.73	1.12	6.85	5.59	0.96			0.34	1.11	2.04	1.25	7.52	7.55	3.55		7.24	11.82	1.17	0.53	2.80	7.13	5.31		127.50	16.36
SAN-034	0.95	0.73	5.59	2.52	0.16			1.32	3.61	2.37	0.60	8.45	7.53	1.65		25.44	13.96	2.36	0.25	2.20	7.00	4.20		211.89	17.03
SAN-042	1.39	0.84	6.23	4.72	0.79			3.51	4.01	2.47	1.10	6.41	5.76	1.91		12.13	8.69	1.82	0.08	4.87	4.03	3.78		179.35	13.00
SAN-050	1.27	0.81	6.50	5.25	0.78			2.48	4.63	2.36	1.17	4.89	5.23	1.98		24.62	5.96	0.94	0.04	1.31	4.47	1.55		95.53	6.81
SAN-051	1.43	1.14	5.33	7.38	1.35			1.74	4.67	2.66	1.62	5.20	6.80	2.12		6.62	8.24	2.90	0.40	3.23	6.97	4.99		106.90	25.15
<b>Outside delta 3 near SE corner</b>																									
SAN94-008	0.73	0.15	3.39	3.59	0.52			4.67	2.45	1.47	0.67	3.81	2.19	2.14		2.62	9.32	0.90	0.00	1.53	0.00	2.97		289.33	21.79
SAN94-010	0.65	0.14	3.77	3.73	0.50			0.00	3.82	1.11	0.76	3.30	2.91	2.14		11.20	9.13	0.50	0.00	1.35	0.00	2.31		489.47	15.92
SAN94-012	0.69	0.04	6.24	3.38	0.60			0.00	2.63	1.67	0.26	4.50	1.14	3.81		32.55	8.89	0.39	0.00	1.67	0.30	4.09		333.23	14.93
SAN94-014	0.67	0.00	6.84	3.72	0.76			0.56	3.46	1.18	0.71	3.90	0.53	1.85		30.93	8.48	0.33	0.00	1.96	0.00	2.53		496.95	17.77
SAN94-016	0.91	0.00	4.24	2.57	0.42			6.13	2.13	1.20	0.53	12.99	2.43	2.10		43.56	8.17	0.72	0.00	5.86	0.00	2.91		441.25	13.92
<b>South of hole III</b>																									
SAN94-029	0.20	0.09	4.39	3.20	0.70			4.74	19.74	1.16	0.51	6.95	3.00	1.55		0.00	20.68	3.42	0.00	14.13	0.84	10.36		661.91	143.57
SAN94-031	0.51	0.00	4.67	2.30	0.58			4.78	2.84	1.62	0.37	8.88	3.12	1.72		0.00	9.42	1.26	0.00	4.85	0.00	4.73		391.44	30.13
SAN94-032	1.18	0.00	3.90	2.93	0.49			6.35	5.20	0.98	0.71	4.40	2.18	1.95		15.18	6.90	0.85	0.00	1.70	0.00	3.37		384.95	14.90
SAN94-033	0.71	1.17	5.75	3.21	0.73			0.90	3.66	1.27	0.85	2.88	0.81	1.67		11.88	5.05	0.57	0.00	1.01	0.00	2.26		309.61	15.14
SAN94-034	0.69	1.74	5.82	3.61	0.84			0.00	1.67	1.20	0.51	3.18	1.76	1.42		11.67	5.08	0.65	0.00	1.76	0.39	2.34		458.71	22.18
SAN94-036	0.96	0.94	6.85	3.41	0.88			1.09	2.32	1.15	0.42	3.76	0.06	1.49		11.25	4.96	0.40	0.00	0.94	0.00	1.93		257.72	17.08
SAN94-037	0.37	0.00	4.88	3.52	0.42			4.18	1.95	1.92	0.48	11.62	2.83	2.59		9.81	6.42	0.83	0.00	5.74	0.00	2.59		373.72	18.22
<b>Packed earth between holes IV and V</b>																									
SAN94-043	1.27	0.22	2.46	3.18	0.61			5.12	6.41	2.28	0.43	4.45	0.70	0.56		1.33	13.86	5.46	0.00	10.63	0.86	6.05		200.25	158.37

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12/20/94 JP

Petrographic analyses were conducted on thin sections of samples from the major 13m N fracture on the F10 level of Wopul I.

The Nikon Optiphot-Pol petrographic microscope and camera attachment were used to do the analyses.

Descriptions and photos are kept in a 3 ring binder entitled "Analyses of Fe-oxide bearing Fractures at Nopal I, Chihuahua, Mexico."



# New X-spec Analysis of Nopal Plants

12/21/94 DAP  
(David Pickett)

Have taken remaining portion of FR-A plant sample and placed on tray in oven at 100°C for 24 hours. (Was previously dried, so this is just to remove adsorbed water.) See 080/35, 36, 40. These are the washed plants.

Transfer portions to 50 ml porcelain crucibles.  
5+6: roughly equivalent mixtures of leaves and stems.  
An attempt at "whole plant" replicates.  
7: leaves only  
8: stems only.

FR-A-5  
31.9045 g wt. empty crucible  
44.4274 plus dried plant  
33.5166 after ashing

FR-A-6  
32.6747 g  
44.2679  
34.1662

FR-A-7  
30.2884 wt. empty crucible  
40.5970 plus dried plant  
31.6934 after ashing

FR-A-8  
32.7405  
42.5492  
33.9185

After weighing dried plant into crucibles, place crucibles in muffle furnace and set to low, 11:00 a.m.  
Front crucible = 5, rear = 8.

12:00 noon. Too much smoke. Turn off <sup>DAP 12/21</sup> even furnace.

Place furnace in hood, 12:20 pm, resume ashing.

3:00 pm: temp. has risen to 360°C with control setting still at "low." Raise to "1."

3:55 - 450°C

5:00 - 480°. Turn back to "low".

7:30 pm - 380°. Turn off.

12/22/94  
DAP

Remove plant ash samples from muffle furnace and weigh crucible + ash. Recorded on p. 290. Grind each in its crucible and transfer to 37 mm - diameter vials.

	FR-A-5	FR-A-6	FR-A-7	FR-A-8
vial + ash	5.9915	5.8672	5.8017	5.5170
empty vial	4.3838	4.3829	4.4069	4.3496
	1.6077 g	1.4843 g	1.3948 g	1.1674 g

Seal all vials with clear silicone.

Calculate correction factors to translate X data to dried plant. (Remember: wt. ash in vial is not = total. Some lost.)

$$\text{FR-A-5 } \frac{\text{dried}}{\text{ash}} = \frac{44.4274 - 31.9045}{33.5166 - 31.9045} = \frac{12.5229}{1.6121} \text{ g}$$

$$= 7.7681$$

$$\frac{\text{ash}}{\text{dried}} = 0.1287 \rightarrow \text{multiply by ash B}_2/\text{g to get dried plant B}_2/\text{g}$$

$$\text{FR-A-6 } \frac{\text{ash}}{\text{dried}} = \frac{34.1662 - 32.6747}{44.2679 - 32.6747} = \frac{1.4915}{11.5932} \text{ g}$$

$$= 0.1287$$

$$\text{FR-A-7 } \frac{\text{ash}}{\text{dried}} = \frac{31.6934 - 30.2884}{40.5970 - 30.2884} = \frac{1.4050}{10.3086} \text{ g}$$

$$= 0.1363$$

$$\text{FR-A-8 } \frac{\text{ash}}{\text{dried}} = \frac{33.9185 - 32.7405}{42.5492 - 32.7405} = \frac{1.1780}{9.8087} \text{ g}$$

$$= 0.1201$$

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Began gamma spectrometric measurements of FR-A-5 thru 8. Enough time has passed to ensure Rn daughter equilibrium.

1/18/95  
DAP

Notes on OCL calculations for ash/dried wts. on page 40 of this notebook.

① FR-B-2 calculated "mass change" is wrong. Should be 10.53 g.

② In some cases, calculated weight of ash placed in gamma spec. vials is greater than weight calculated on basis of difference between "wt. cruc. + sample after ashing" on p. 40 and "wt. crucible" on p. 36.

FR-B-1 wt. in vial = 0.731 g  
wt. by difference = 0.648 g

FR-B-3 wt. in vial = ~~0.2~~<sup>0.922</sup> 0.922 g  
wt. by difference = 0.804 g

FR-B-4 wt. in vial = 1.204 g  
wt. by difference = 1.105 g

This is not possible. Something wrong in weighings.

③ See p. 48. Note that empty crucible weights are recorded nowhere in notebook. They are on a printed worksheet in the loose-leaf notebook on *A. robusta* gamma spectrometry. Using these weights gives highly inconsistent ash/dried ratios, ranging from 0.15 <sup>DAP</sup> 0.23 to 0.34. (In contrast, see the consistency of my values on p. 291.) I suspect that the empty crucible weights are incorrect.

If assume that nearly all ash was placed in vials, can calculate ash/dried based on weights on p. 50 and p. 48, but still need empty crucible weights. No good.

If assume that suspect weights are "mass after ~~ashing~~<sup>ashing</sup> ~~cruc~~<sup>cruc</sup> + sample after drying (g)" on p. 48, can use final ash wts. in vial and "before drying (sic)" wts. minus purported empty crucible wts.

$$\text{FR-B-1 } \frac{\text{ash}}{\text{dried}} = \frac{1.705}{38.015 - 30.193} = 0.2180$$

$$\text{FR-A-2 } " = \frac{1.813}{45.330 - 32.61} = 0.1425$$

$$\text{FR-A-3 } " = \frac{1.895}{35.230 - 28.32} = 0.2742$$

$$\text{FR-A-4 } " = \frac{1.222}{37.500 - 32.651} = 0.2520$$

This is not satisfactory. The 8 data on samples FR-A-1,2,3,4 and FR-B-1,2,3,4 must all be considered suspect.

See next page for photocopy of loose page from notebook.

	mass of crucible + sample before ashing	mass after ashing	% change
FR - A - 1 : crucible weight 30.193 g	38.015 g 7.822	31.993 g 1.8	15.8411 76.99
FR - A - 2 : crucible weight 32.61 g	45.330 g 12.72	34.501 g 1.89	23.8893 85.1
FR - A - 3 : crucible weight 28.32 g	35.230 g 6.91	30.668 g 2.348 g DAP	12.9500 66.1
FR - A - 4 : crucible weight 32.651 g	37.500 g 4.85	33.950 g 1.299	9.4667 73.1

See previous page. DAP 1/18/95

2/15/95 JF

XRD analysis - Nopal I samples

Portions of the following samples  
powders were prepared & analyzed  
by XRD.

- NOPI-397-WR1
- NOPI-399-WR1
- NOPI-400-WR1
- NOPI-402-WR1
- NOPI-405-WR1
- NOPI-407-WR1

See p 203 for procedure.

Sample labels

- NOPI-397-XRD1
- NOPI-399-XRD1
- NOPI-400-XRD1
- NOPI-402-XRD1
- NOPI-405-XRD1
- NOPI-407-XRD1

After analysis powders were returned  
to their whole rock sample  
containers.

3/14/95 JP

Microprobe analyses of samples from  
13.5 m N Fracture and unfractionated tuff

Obj: determine U and trace element  
content of mineral phases  
along 13.5 m N Fracture and  
in unfractionated tuff

Method: microprobe analysis using  
rock thin sections.

Equipment - Cameca SX-50 electron  
microprobe (Texas A+M  
Univ. - Geosciences Dept.)

#### Procedure:

- 1) Thin sections of rock specimens  
from the 13.5 m N Fracture  
and unfractionated tuff adjacent to  
U-bearing fractures were placed in  
the Cameca SX-50 microprobe
- 2) Quantitative mineral composition analyses  
were prepared at selected spots.  
The following elements were analyzed  
for U, O, Pb, Fe, As, Ca, Na, Al, Si, K,  
& S using wavelength dispersive X-ray  
microanalysis.

- 3) Analyses were conducted on the  
following thin sections from the  
13.5 m N Fracture:

NOPI-418-TS1

NOPI-419-TS1

NOPI-421-TS1

Results including analytical conditions  
& raw data are kept in a  
3 ring binder entitled  
"TAMU Microprobe Data, 13.5 m  
N Fracture"

- 4) Analyses will be conducted on  
several additional samples that were  
left at Texas A+M.

4/28/94

TAMU Microprobe data

Microprobe data for thin sections left at TAMU were received

Analyses were conducted on the following thin sections - from the 13.5 m N Fracture

NOPI-420-TS1

NOPI-422-TS1

NOPI-423-TS1

NOPI-424-TS1

NOPI-425-TS1

In addition, traverses from U-bearing fracture into unfractionated rock matrix were conducted on two thin sections:

NOPI-48-TS1

NOPI-56-TS1

Results include BSE images, analytical conditions, & raw data are kept in a 3-ring binder entitled "TAMU Microprobe Data, 13.5 m N Fracture."

8/18/95

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## Preparation for Nopal I Field Work

PP bottles. Clean by filling with 4:1  $H_2O:HNO_3$ , letting sit for 5-12 hrs. then fill with DI water, let sit for  $\geq 6$  hrs.

1 liter - 12

500 ml - 24

250 ml - 4

125 ml - 24

60 ml - 5

30 ml - 5

Probably won't take all of these.

Do same with teflon bailer.

Final swirling rinse with nanopure  $H_2O$ , three times.

Dry in oven at  $70^\circ C$ .

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## Test Accumet 1002 pH/mV meter

### ① ORP (Oxidation-Reduction Potential).

Following ASTM Method D1498-93:

a) Mix 1.1 g quinhydrone with 100 ml pH 4.00 soln.  
Plenty of excess quinhydrone in soln. Pour some into beaker.  
 $T = 22.3^\circ C$        $mV = 269 mV$  (steady for ~1 min.)  
Should be 266 mV. Good!

b) Mix 1.1 g quinhydrone with 100 ml pH 7.00 soln. Again, saturated. Note ASTM method calls for using pH 6.86 phosphate reference buffer. Pour in beaker.  
 $T = 22.3^\circ C$        $mV = 95 mV$   
Nominal value 89 mV. Good!

### ② pH. Note ATC temperature probe is integrated with electrode (combination).

Do three-point calibration per Accumet 1002 instructions at pH 4.00, 7.00, and 10.00.  $T = 22.6^\circ C$

Electrode slope is 59.18 mV. Good.

Measure pH 9.00 buffer as unknown  $\rightarrow$  pH 8.94 at  $22.9^\circ C$ .

For trip, put ~0.5 g quinhydrone in each of 4 60-ml bottles.



8/21/95

Empty weights of PP bottles for Field Work  
Weigh on open pan balance. Bottles are numbered  
simply 1 to 63.

1 = 100.34 g	34 = 100.06
2 = 99.88 g	35 = 100.25
3 = 100.05	36 = 99.73
4 = 99.90	37 = 36.32
5 = 100.04	38 = 37.81
6 = 100.41	39 = 38.72
7 = 100.33	40 = 38.54
8 = 99.86	41 = 19.26
9 = 100.31	42 = 19.27
10 = 54.38	43 = 18.98
11 = 54.19	44 = 19.23
12 = 55.28	45 = 19.26
13 = 54.47	46 = 19.22
14 = 54.72	47 = 18.98
15 = 54.96	48 = 19.12
16 = 54.76	49 = 19.20
17 = 54.88	50 = 19.17
18 = 54.76	51 = 19.21
19 = 54.49	52 = 19.29
20 = 54.96	53 = 19.19
21 = 35.25	54 = 19.16
22 = 54.34	55 = 19.24
23 = 54.52	56 = 19.26
24 = 54.86	57 = 19.16
25 = 54.77	58 = 19.01
26 = 54.81	59 = 19.21
27 = 54.85	60 = 19.25
28 = 55.04	61 = <del>19.05</del> 19.05
29 = 54.87	62 = 19.00
30 = 54.97	63 = 19.01
31 = 54.78	64
32 = 54.94	65
33 = 54.77	66

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DAP

Nopal Water Samples - for TIMS work.

(TIMS = thermal ionization mass spectrometry).

Will send one BH-12 water sample and filtration blank to Prof. Larry Edwards, Univ. of Minnesota, for TIMS U-Th analysis.

Before sending, retain  $\frac{1}{5}$  for other uses (e.g. ICP).

BH12W95-05F-2

bottle + all sample	315.51	
bottle wt. (p.300)	54.81	(bottle # 26)
wt. sample	260.70	g

wt. after removing $\frac{1}{5}$	265.18	sent to UMN.
remaining wt.	210.37	g (BH12W95-05F) ←

subsample + bottle	61.8089	
bottle	11.4488	
wt. subsample	50.3501	g (BH12W95-05F-2) <sup>DAP</sup>

W95-Blank-F-2

bottle + all sample	532.58	
bottle wt. (#18)	54.76	
wt sample	477.82	g

wt. after removing $\frac{1}{5}$	429.24	
remaining wt.	374.48	g (W95-Blank-F → UMN)

subsample + bottle	122.2034	
bottle	18.8714	
wt. subsample	103.3320	g (W95-Blank-F-2)

Outside of bottles wiped with damp Kimwipe, parafilm wrapped around cap, double bagged before mailing.

1/25/96

DAP

Starting this week, work which is a continuation of work performed under the Geochemical Natural Analog project will be conducted under the KTI - Radionuclide Transport as technical assistance.

Today begin:

### Uranophane Samples for U/Pb dating

Will scrape uranophane off of selected Nopal I ore samples for possible U/Pb age dating; U/Pb will probably be done at the University of Texas by Larry Mack.

Am attempting fairly pure hand-picked separates, but this is very difficult. Uranophane needles are very friable. When attempt to remove, it is difficult to exclude grains from the host rock. Perhaps use heavy liquids later to purify.  
Collecting in small snap-cap vials.

#### NOPI-494-UPb-1

Uranophane from a piece of NOPI-494, which is from an area of Level +10 with abundant uranophane. Scrape uranophane off surfaces and out of crevices in rock. Resulting powder looks like ~100 mg (?).

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continue...

Also keep rock from which a particular uranophane sample was scraped. Call it (sample #) - host, and keep in a ziploc bag.

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#### NOPI-494-UPb-2

NOPI-494-UPb-3 - tried particularly hard to keep pure, as "yellow" as possible. There are tiny pinkish-~~orange~~ orange grains that get mixed in. Fe coatings on uranophane?

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cont.

NOPI-102-UPb Taken from very large piece of sample, so no "host" sample taken. (Equivalent to NOPI-ECP-26.85/11.65 - this is label on sample bag.)  
Not an especially clean uranophane sample.

#### NOPI-291-UPb

Uranophane in a completely different textural setting. In bands and vugs in brown Fe oxide masses. Other samples treated here have uranophane needles growing on surfaces. This sample doesn't have visible needles. Yellow mass is formless. XRD data confirm it is  $\alpha$ -uranophane.

#### NOPI-104-UPb

This has both types of uranophane: chalky, formless as in NOPI-291, with crystalline acicular grains growing on surface. This UPb sample is an attempt to take only the drier "chalky" uranophane. Visible needles were removed from sampled powder.

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DHP

This work is continued in notebook "AN-4",  
CNWRA # 126, p. 18.  
(ie. 126/18).

DHP 1/30/96