

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS**  
**VISUAL CORE DESCRIPTIONS, SITE 1200**

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Piece Number	Graphic Representation	Orientation	Shipboard Studies	Lithologic Unit
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**195-1200A-1R-1** (Section top: 0.0 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Carbonate chimney fragment

**UNIT:** I

**Piece:** 1

**Interval:** 0-4 cm

**MINERALOGY:** % Mode Grain Size (mm): Max Min Avg. Shape/Habit

Olivine (original):

Pyroxene (original):

Serpentine:

Opaques:

Other (aragonite): 99

Brucite: tr

**COLOR:** white

**STRUCTURE:** Porous agglomerate of interlocking aragonite needles and crust.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** None.

**COMMENTS:** One piece of rock was recovered. This sample was used for microbiological investigations. The sample is similar to material collected during submersible dives at this site and represents a precipitate from interaction between high alkalinity (carbonate alkalinity), vent fluids, and seawater.

A core photo was not taken for 1200A-1R-1.

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**195-1200A-2R-1 (Section top: 9.7 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1

**Interval:** 0-8 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):	90				
Pyroxene (original):	9				
Serpentine:	99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	1				Subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

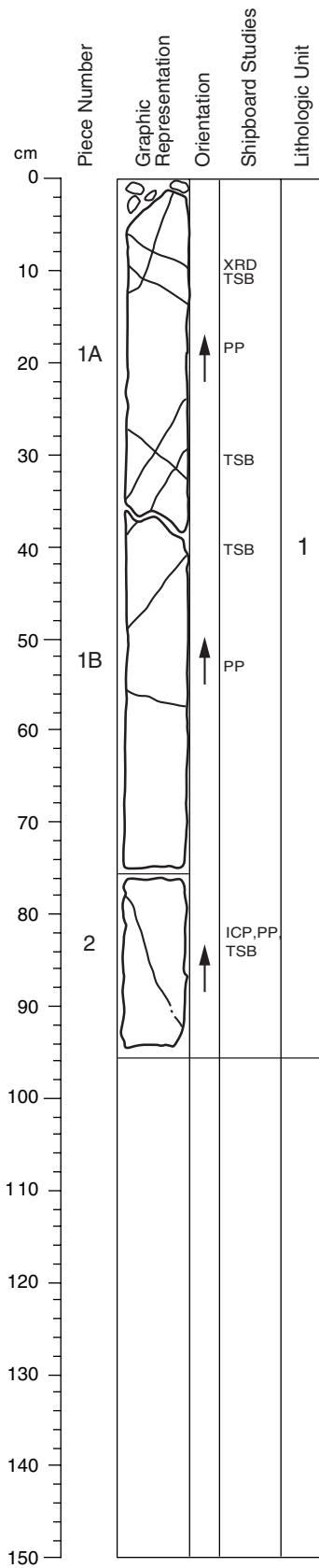
**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray (5B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** Massive, but there is a rim of lighter material and a core of dark partially unserpentinized harzburgite.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Few very small serpentine veins observed.

**COMMENTS:** The alteration aureole around the piece is, on inspection in thin section, totally serpentined although the interior of the piece has some relict olivine and pyroxene.

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**195-1200A-3R-1 (Section top: 18.2 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentized harzburgite

**UNIT: 1**

**Pieces:** 1a, 1b, and 2

**Interval:** 0-95 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			<b>Shape/Habit</b>
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):	90				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Pyroxene (original):	8				Irregular to subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite grains.
Serpentine:	90-95				
Opaque Minerals:	1				
Other:	1				

**COLOR:** Bluish-gray (5B 5/1).

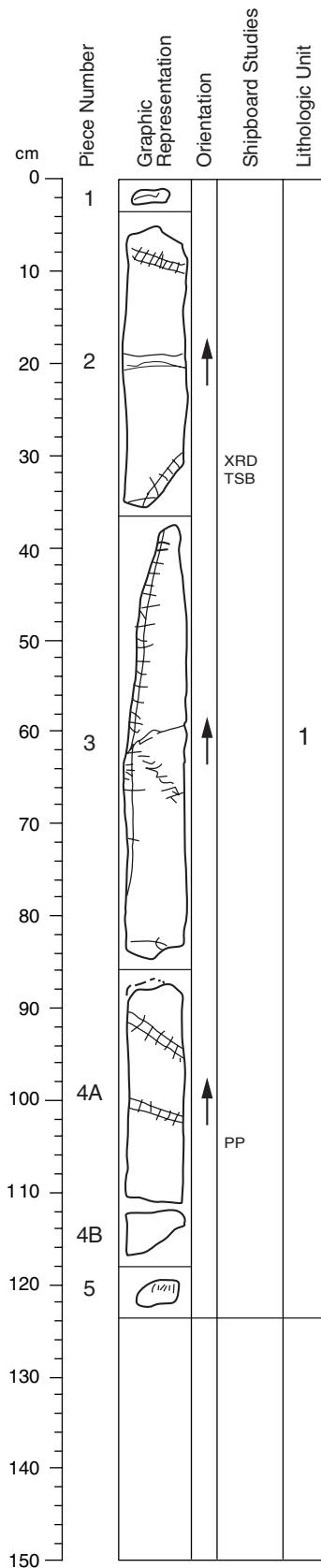
**STRUCTURE:** The section is fine-grained in the upper part and has a sharp boundary (at 38-40 cm) to coarse-grained bastite serpentinite.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** The pieces have fine to very fine serpentine veins (possibly chrysotile). There are at least three generations of veins that cross-cut each other. It seems that the chrysotile vein generation is the youngest one.

**1200A-4R-1 NO RECOVERY**

**1200A-5R-1 NO RECOVERY**

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**195-1200A-6R-1** (Section top: 41.4 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1, 2, 3, 4a, 4b, and 5

**Interval:** 0 - 124 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	Grain Size (mm):				<b>Shape/Habit</b>
	% Mode	Max	Min	Avg.	
Olivine (original):	70-80	1			Euhedral
Pyroxene (original):	10-30	5	<1	2	Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Serpentine:	75-85				
Opaque Minerals:	1	>1			Irregular to subhedral chromite or magnesiochromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark black gray (5B 4/1).

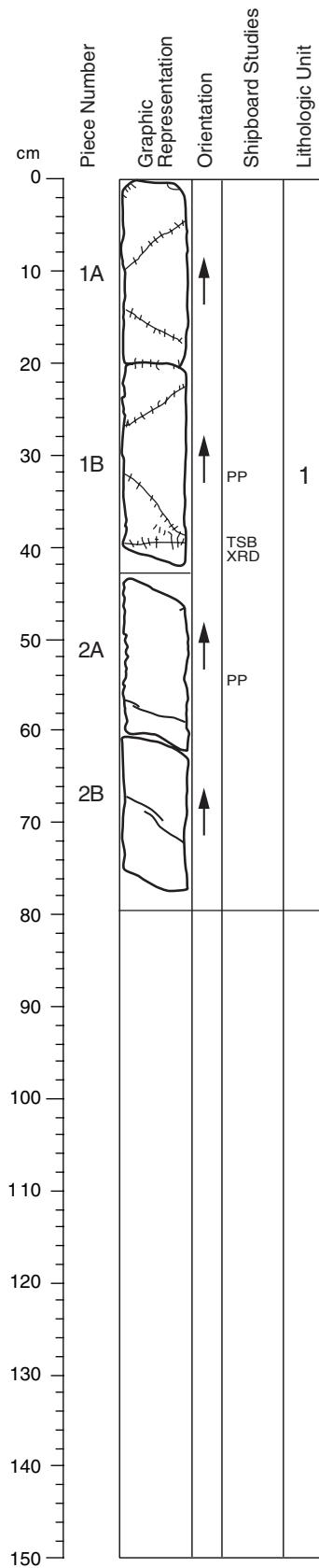
**STRUCTURE:** The rocks are serpentinized to various degrees. The serpentine replaces olivine and pyroxene. Bastitic serpentine texture indicates the replacement of pyroxene by serpentine. Some rocks from this core look fresher compared to other cores and are appropriate for chemical analysis.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Pieces are heavily veined, with veins cross-cutting each other. There are at least 3 generations of veins present, with one of them identified as chrysotile (especially Piece 3, which contains 35-cm long vein). Central veins cross-cut by subsidiary veins that pinch out at variable distances from the central vein are common.

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195-1200A-6R-2 (Section top: 42.66 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT: 1**

**Pieces:** 1a, 1b, 2a, and 2b

**Interval:** 0 - 80 cm

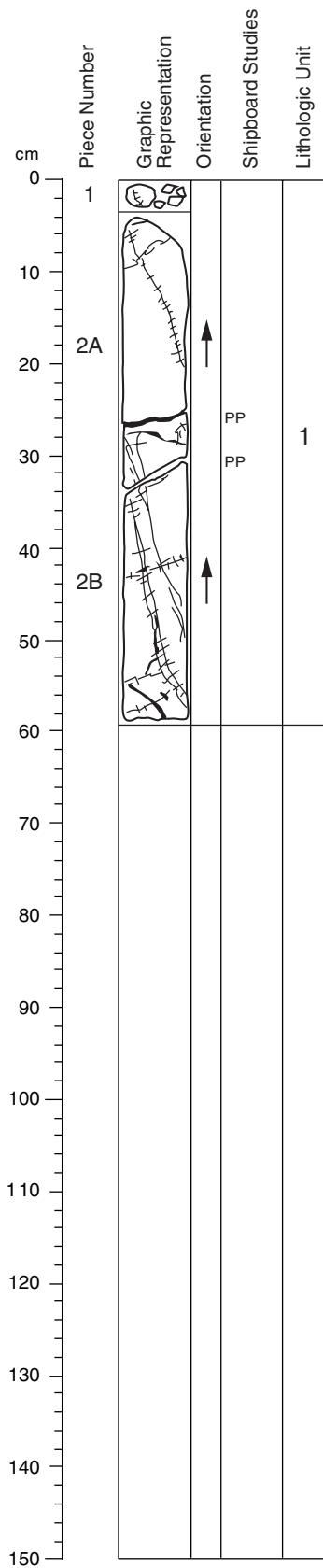
MINERALOGY:	% Mode	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Max	Min	Avg.	
Olivine (original):	80				
Pyroxene (original):	15-20				
Serpentine:	99	>1	>1	>1	Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	1	>1			Subhedral chromite or magnesiochromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray (10B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** The rock is highly serpentinized. The serpentine replaces olivine and pyroxene. Bastitic serpentine texture indicates the replacement of pyroxene by serpentine.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Multiple generations of veins of a white to greenish material are observed. Central veins cross-cut by subsidiary veins that pinch out at variable distances from the central vein are common.

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**195-1200A-7R-1 (Section top: 51.1 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1, 2a, and 2b

**Interval:** 0 - 59 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	Grain Size (mm):				<b>Shape/Habit</b>
	% Mode	Max	Min	Avg.	
Olivine (original):	59				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Pyroxene (original):	40				Irregular to subhedral chromite or magnesiochromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Serpentine:	99	>1	>1		
Opaque Minerals:	tr	>1			
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark greenish gray (10BG 4/1).

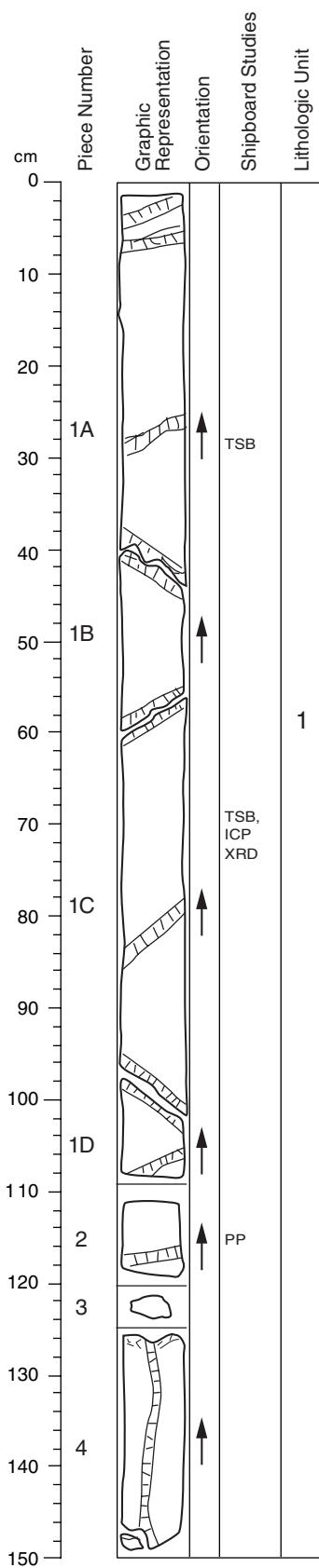
**STRUCTURE:** The rock is highly serpentinized. Serpentine replaces olivine and pyroxene. Bastitic serpentine texture indicates replacement of pyroxene by serpentine. There is a network of dark fractures that preceded the vein formation.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Multiple generations of veins with central veins cross-cut by subsidiary veins that pinch out at variable distances from the central vein. The width of the cross-veining increases with width of the central vein ("Frankenstein" veins). There are also dark veins with no cross-cutting features. Some are flanked by light veins.

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**Core Photo**



195-1200A-7R-2 (Section top: 51.69 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1a, 1b, 1c, 1d, 2, 3, and 4

**Interval:** 0-150 cm

	Mineral	% Mode	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
			Max	Min	Avg.	
Olivine (original):						
Pyroxene (original):						
Serpentine:		99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:		tr				Irregular chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:		tr				

**COLOR:** Dark greenish gray (10BG 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** Piece 4 was originally intergranular, and now consists of bastitic replacement of original pyroxene grains by serpentine.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Fine veins are seen in all pieces. Pieces 1 and 4 have multiple generations of veining. Large central veins have fine subsidiary, cross-cutting veinlets tapering into the matrix.

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**195-1200A-8R-1 (Section top: 60.7 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (mainly after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1, 2, and 3

**Interval:** 0 - 13 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):	89				
Pyroxene (original):	10				
Serpentine:	99		>1	>1	Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr	>1			Euhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray to greenish gray (10B 4/1 to 10G 6/1).

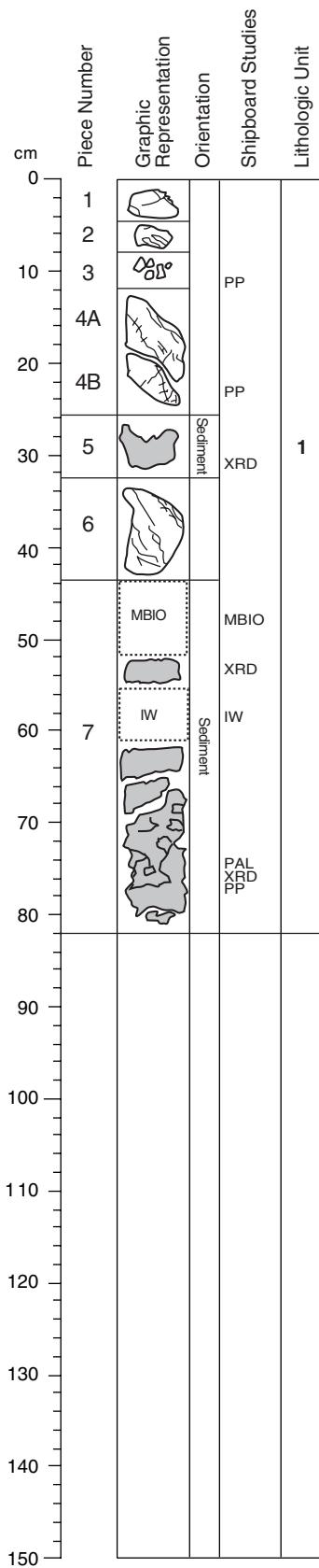
**STRUCTURE:** The rock is highly serpentinized. Serpentine replaces olivine and pyroxene. Bastitic serpentine texture indicates replacement of pyroxene by serpentine. There is a network of dark fractures that preceded the vein formation. The two pieces in the second compartment (5.5 to 8.5 cm) are lighter gray in part. There is a small amount of gray mud (silty clay-sized unconsolidated serpentine mud) with clasts of various sizes of hard rock included in the matrix.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** There are dark veins with no cross-cutting features in Piece 1.

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**195-1200A-9R-1 (Section top: 70.4 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1, 2, 3 (6 pebbles), 4a, 4b, 5, 6

**Interval:** 0-81 cm

**MINERALOGY:** % Mode Grain Size (mm):  
Max Min Avg. Shape/Habit

Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):					
Serpentine:	99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark greenish gray, greenish gray to dark bluish gray (10G 4/1, 6/5BG to 5B 4/1).

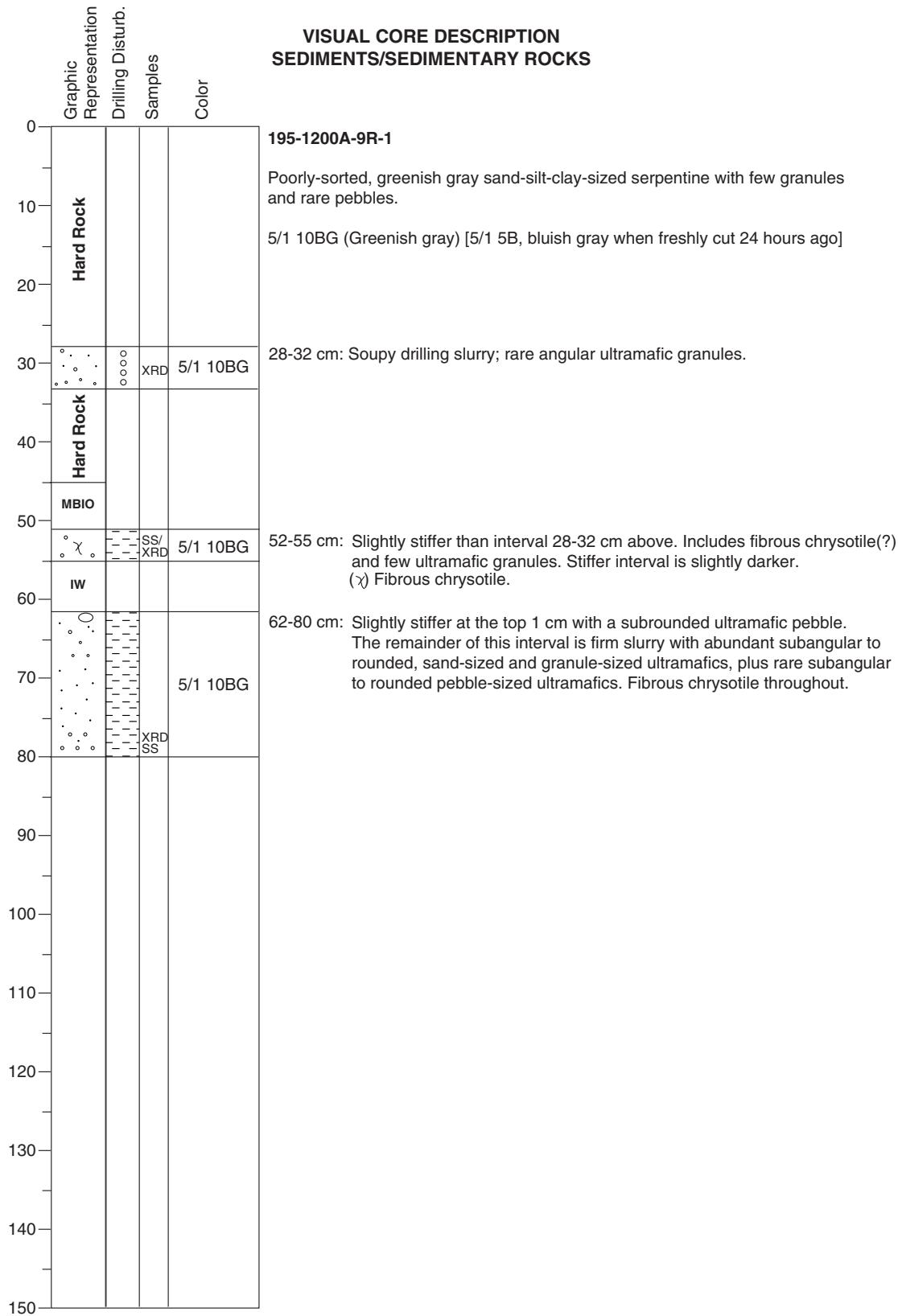
**STRUCTURE:** Piece 4 is heavily sheared.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Veins are observed in all the larger pieces. In Piece 1 are light greenish gray (5BG 8/1) veins. In Piece 2, two tapering veinlets of a blue fibrous (serpentine?) mineral are observed. In Piece 4 there is one large vein of light gray-green (10G 7/1) serpentine with cross-cutting veins of both pale gray to white material and dark gray material.

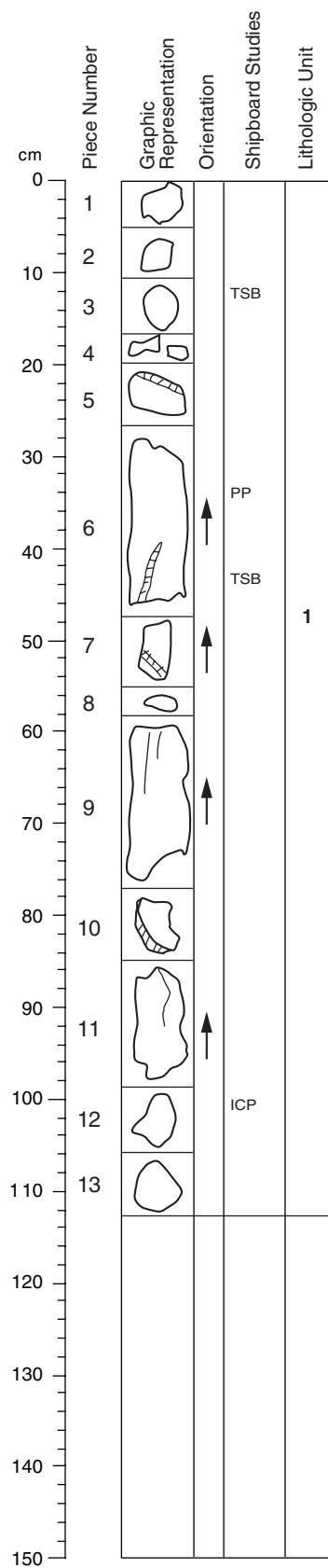
**COMMENTS:** Piece 5 is a clump of unconsolidated clay-to silt-sized, bluish gray (10BG 6/1) serpentine mud, enclosing small fragments of rock. The material below Piece 6 is finely comminuted serpentine. The material is clay-to silt-sized serpentine, unconsolidated and enclosing small (grit-sized) fragments of rocks of various lithologies.

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**195-1200A-10R-1** (Section top: 79.9 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-13

**Interval:** 0-113 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	% Mode			Grain Size (mm):			<b>Shape/Habit</b>
	Max	Min	Avg.				
Olivine (original):							
Pyroxene (original):							
Serpentine:	99						Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr						Irregular to subhedral chromite and fine, dusty, magnetite.
Other:	tr						

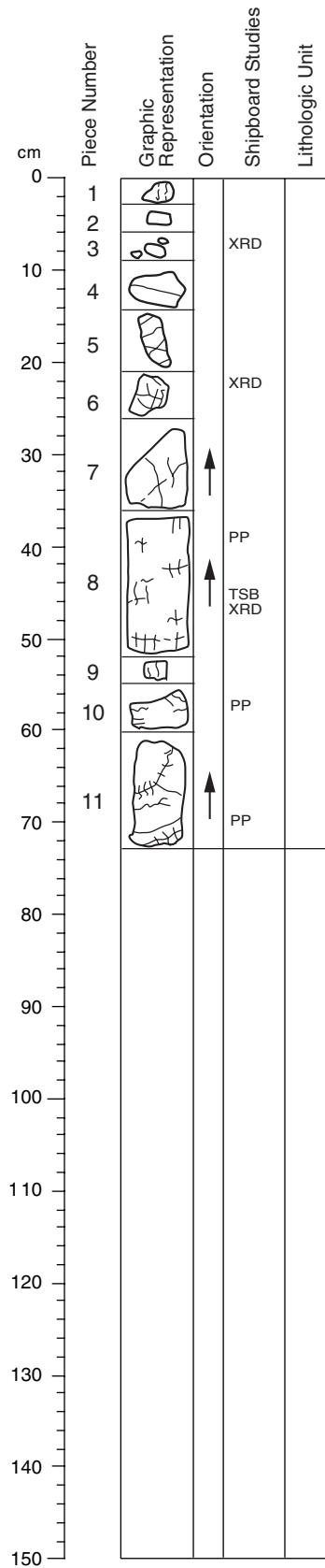
**COLOR:** The color varies from bluish gray to dark bluish gray (5B 6/1 to 5B 4/1)

**STRUCTURE:** Intensely sheared - possibly prior to serpentinization.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** There are no visible veins in most pieces. Pieces 6, 7, and 9 have narrow cross cut veinlets.

**COMMENTS:** Pieces 1 to 4 all show the original external well-rounded to sub-rounded shape. These clasts are each small enough to fit between drill bit rollers. Pieces 5 to 13 may be from different rock fragments (they do not fit together), but each has similar texture and color, with disaggregated bastite ~10% in a uniformly fine-grained, dark gray-bluish matrix. Pieces 12 and 13 (like Pieces 1 to 4) also show original well-rounded clast shape. These rocks were obviously well- to sub-rounded during transport upward to the present position.

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**195-1200A-11R-1** (Section top: 89.4 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-11

**Interval:** 0-72 cm

	Mineral	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		% Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):					
Serpentine:	99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

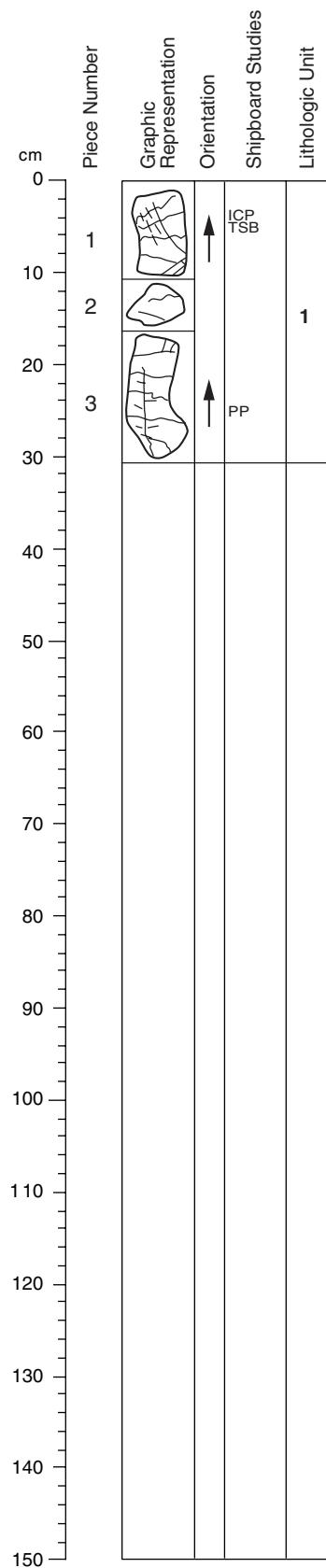
**COLOR:** Most pieces have a very dark gray to dark bluish gray (N3/ to 5B 4/1) color. Piece 1 is greenish gray (5BG 5/1) and Pieces 8 and 9 have a dark reddish brown (2.5/2) color.

**STRUCTURE:** Pieces 7, 8, and 11 have a bastitic texture where the pyroxene has been replaced by serpentine.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Most of the pieces have thin cross-cutting veins of a greenish gray material. Piece 11 has bigger (up to 2 mm wide) veins of a dark greenish material that are cross-cut by smaller thin veinlets (approximately 6 mm- 10 mm in length) of a white material.

**COMMENTS:** Piece 1 is distinct by being highly sheared and showing minerals with preferred orientation. Piece 10 has an alteration rim along the edge of the clast, where it is now a lighter yellow greenish color. Pieces 3a, 3b, and 3c have a bronze colored mineral (mica?).

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**195-1200A-12R-1 (Section top: 99.0 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-3

**Interval:** 0-30 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			<b>Shape/Habit</b>
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):					
Serpentine:	99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

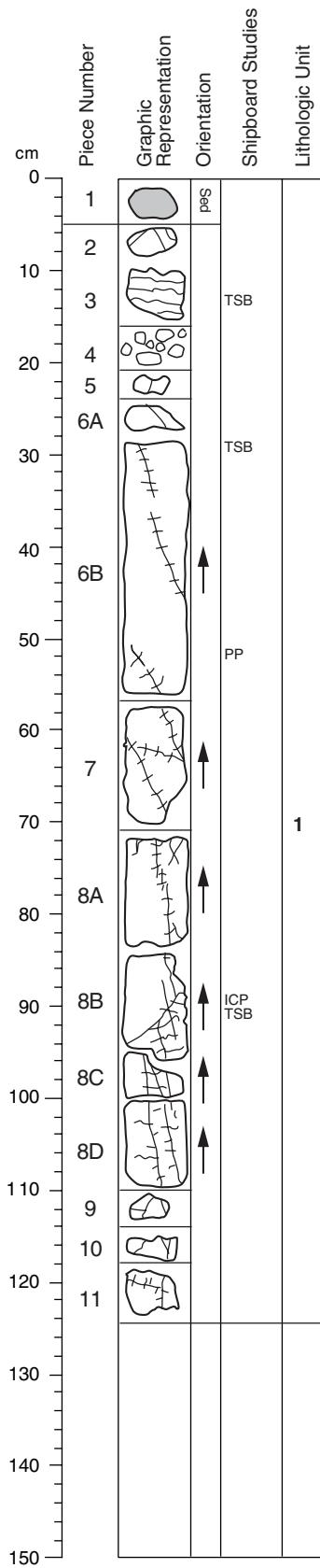
**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray (5B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** All the pieces have a bastitic texture where pyroxene has been replaced by serpentine. Piece 2 has individual patches of former pyroxene grains that are up to a centimeter or more in diameter.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Pieces 1 and 3 have veins of a greenish gray to black material (chlorite).

**COMMENTS:** Piece 1 appears to have been altered by metasomatism. There is a central (but offset) region of bastitic serpentinite that is surrounded by an aureole from 2.5 to 3.5 cm thick of alteration grading to a lighter green at the edges of the piece.

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**195-1200A-13R-1 (Section top: 108.7 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (mainly after harzburgite)

**UNIT: 1**

**Pieces:** 2-11

**Interval:** 0-125 cm

MINERALOGY:	%	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
	Mode	Max	Min	Avg.	
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):					
Serpentine:	80-99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Euhedral to subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray (5B 4/1).

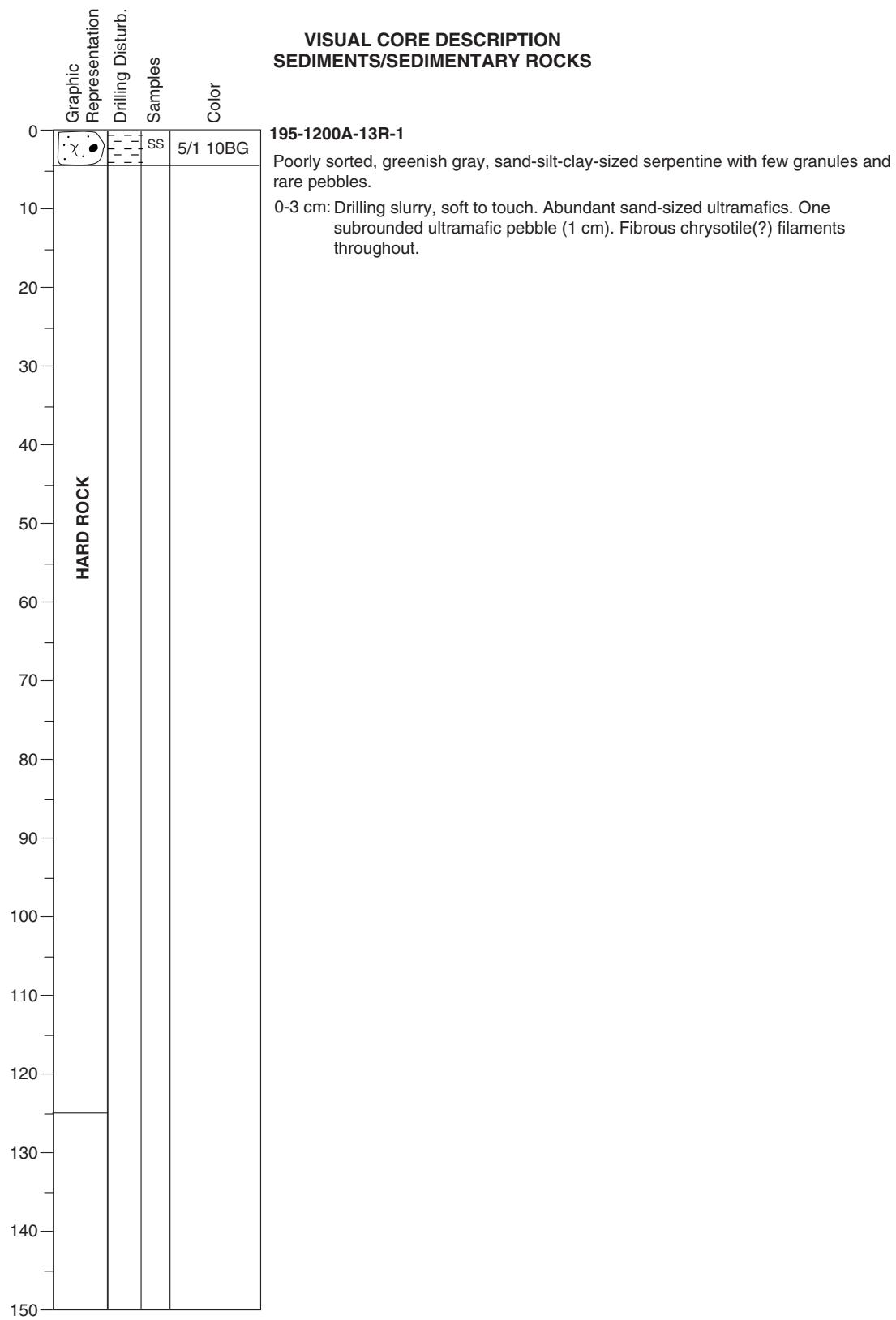
**STRUCTURE:** Pieces 2, 5, 6a, 6b, 7, 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, and 11 all have a bastitic texture where the pyroxene has been replaced by serpentine.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** All the pieces except Piece 4 (small clasts recovered in serpentinite mud) have veins of variable thickness up to 5 mm. The central veins are often cross-cut by finer subsidiary veins up to 10 mm long that pinch out at variable distances from the central vein. The veins generally vary from a darker bluish green (chlorite?) to a lighter material in the central veins, and from grayish green to white in the finer subsidiary cross-cutting veins.

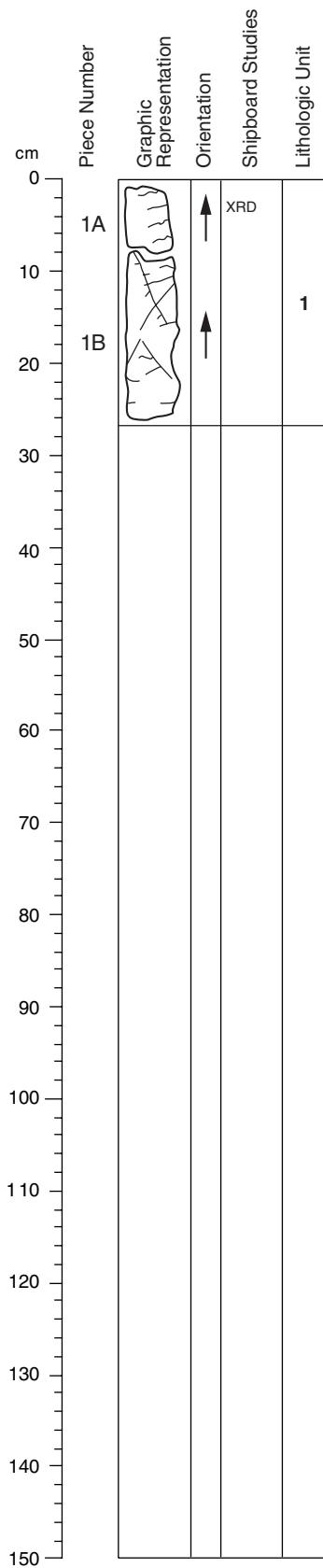
**COMMENTS:** Piece 2 has an outer aureole of alteration up to 10 mm thick.

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195-1200A-13R-2 (Section top: 109.95 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (mainly after harzburgite)

**UNIT: 1**

**Pieces:** 1a and 1b

**Interval:** 0-26 cm

**MINERALOGY:** % Mode Grain Size (mm):

	%	Mode	Max	Min	Avg.	Shape/Habit
Olivine (original):	85					
Pyroxene (original):	13					
Serpentine:	98					
Opaque Minerals:	tr					Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Other:	tr					Subhedral(?) chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.

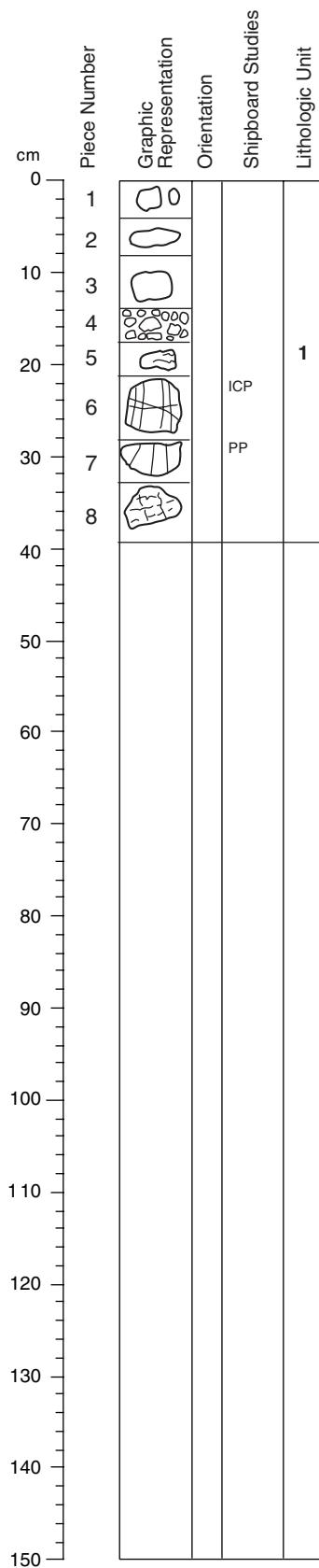
**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray (5B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** This piece was originally intergranular and has been serpentinized to a bastitic texture, where pyroxene has been replaced by serpentine.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Many small and thin veins approximately 5-10 mm long cross-cut the pieces in the bastitic portion of the cut face. Piece 1a and the upper half of Piece 1b have a ~2 cm wide vein of dark greenish black serpentine that is cross veined with white to pale whitish green material (chrysotile). White fibrous chrysotile is present in the 20 mm wide vein along with a second blue-green mineral.

**COMMENTS:** These pieces are very highly altered, with numerous veins.

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**195-1200A-14R-1 (Section top: 118.3 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (mainly after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-8

**Interval:** 1-39 cm

**MINERALOGY:** % Grain Size (mm):

Olivine (original):

Mode

Max

Min

Avg.

Shape/Habit

Pyroxene (original):

99

Serpentine:

tr

Opaque Minerals:

tr

Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.

Irregular to subhedral chromite or magnesiochromite and fine, dusty magnetite.

Other:

tr

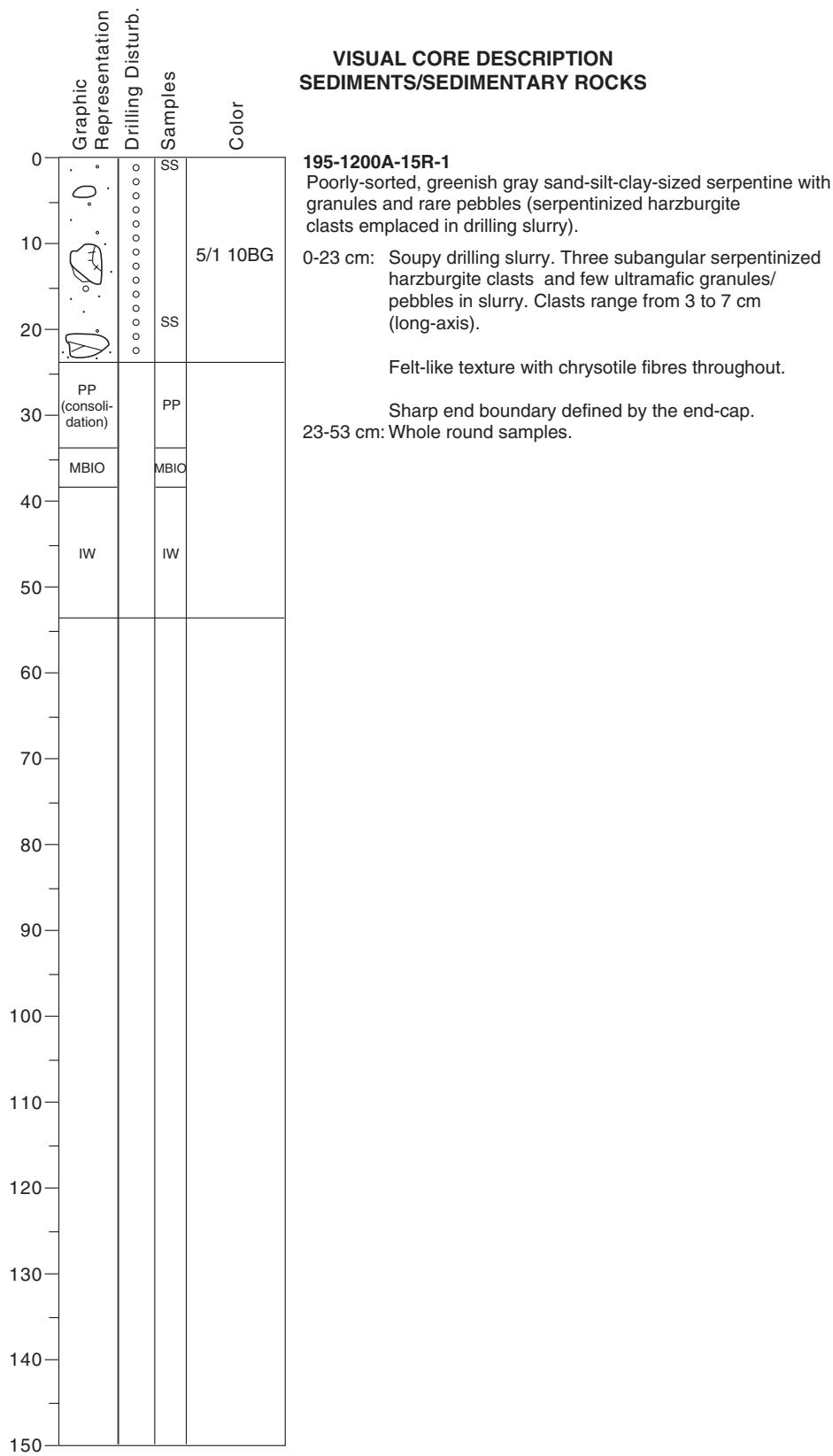
**COLOR:** Pieces 1 to 4 are greenish gray (10G 6/1) and Pieces 5 to 8 are dark bluish gray (5B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** The rocks are highly deformed and serpentinized. Serpentine replaces olivine and pyroxene. The alignment of altered olivine grains and foliated rock parts indicate mylonitization. The fine grained nature of the common minerals and the concentration of dark layers of fine-grained, opaque minerals in Pieces 5 to 8 are characteristic.

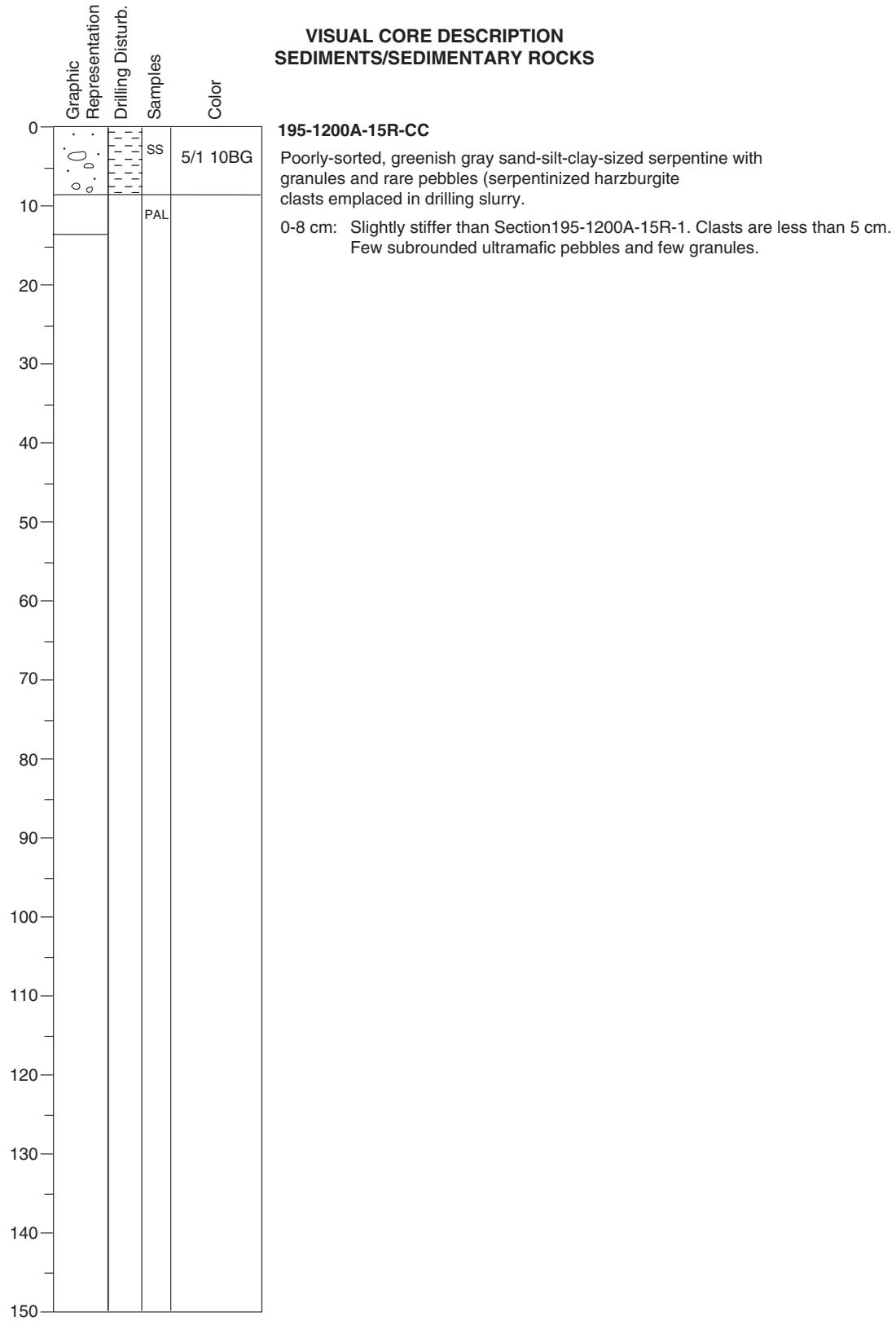
**VEINS/FRACTURES:** No veins are visible in Pieces 5 to 8.

**COMMENTS:** Pieces 5 to 8 have a network of dark fractures.

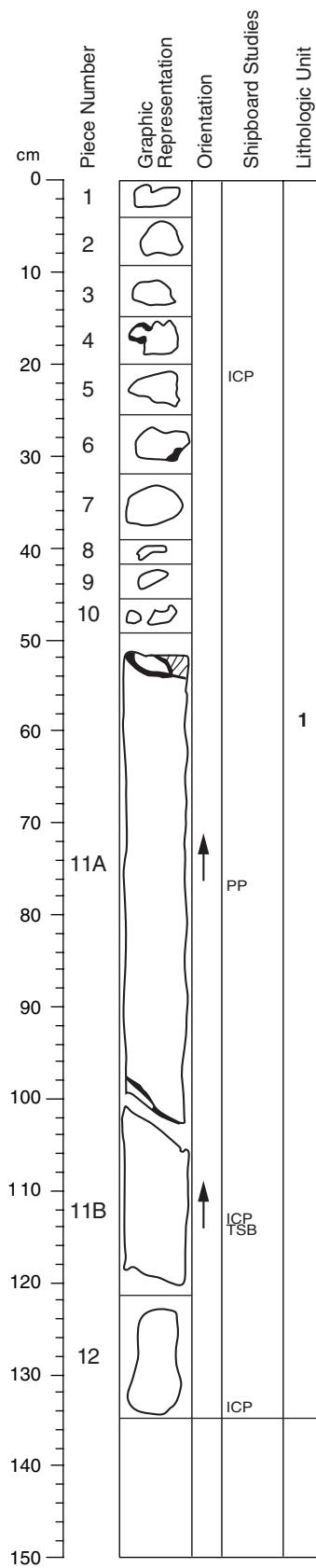
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**195-1200A-16R-1 (Section top: 137.6 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite (after harzburgite)

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-12

**Interval:** 0-135 cm

**MINERALOGY:** % Mode Grain Size (mm): Max Min Avg. Shape/Habit

Olivine (original):  
Pyroxene (original):  
Serpentine: 99

Massive to bastitic and fibrous  
in veins.

Opaque Minerals: tr  
Subhedral chromite or  
magnesiochromite and fine,  
dusty magnetite.

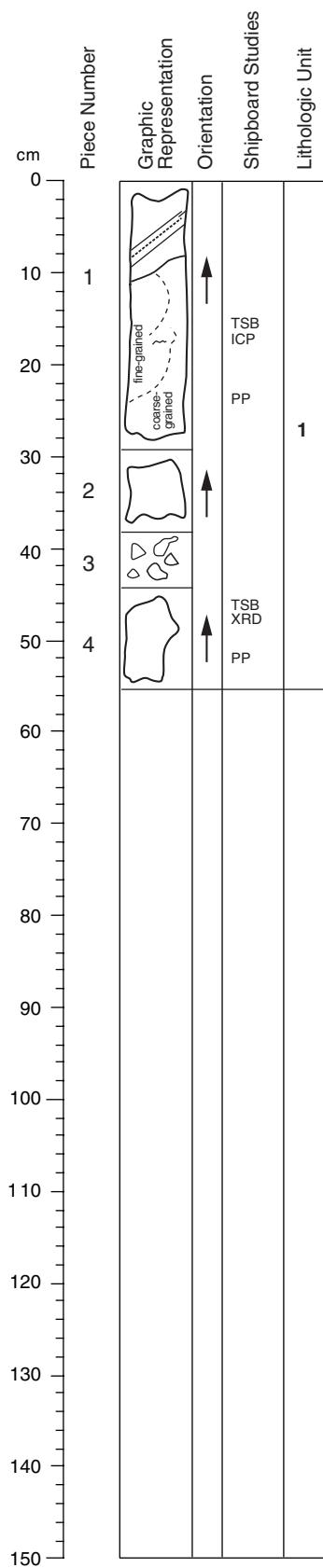
Other: tr

**COLOR:** The color varies from dark gray (N 4/1) in Pieces 5 and 7 to dark greenish gray (5BG 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** Several of the pieces are complexly sheared. Bastitic texture where pyroxene is replaced by serpentine is common.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Fine to very fine (chrysotile?) veinlets observed in all pieces.

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195-1200A-16R-2 (Section top: 138.95 mbsf)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite

**UNIT:** 1

**Piece:** 1, 2, 3 (five small clasts), and 4

**Interval:** 0- 55 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):					
Serpentine:	99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				
Others:	tr				

Olivine (original):  
Pyroxene (original):  
Serpentine: 99  
Opaque Minerals: tr  
Others: tr  
**COLOR:** Bluish gray to dark bluish gray (5B 5/1 to 5B 4/1). Piece 4 is greenish gray (5GY 5/1).

**STRUCTURE:** Bastitic texture where pyroxene is replaced by serpentine is common in places and lacking in others.

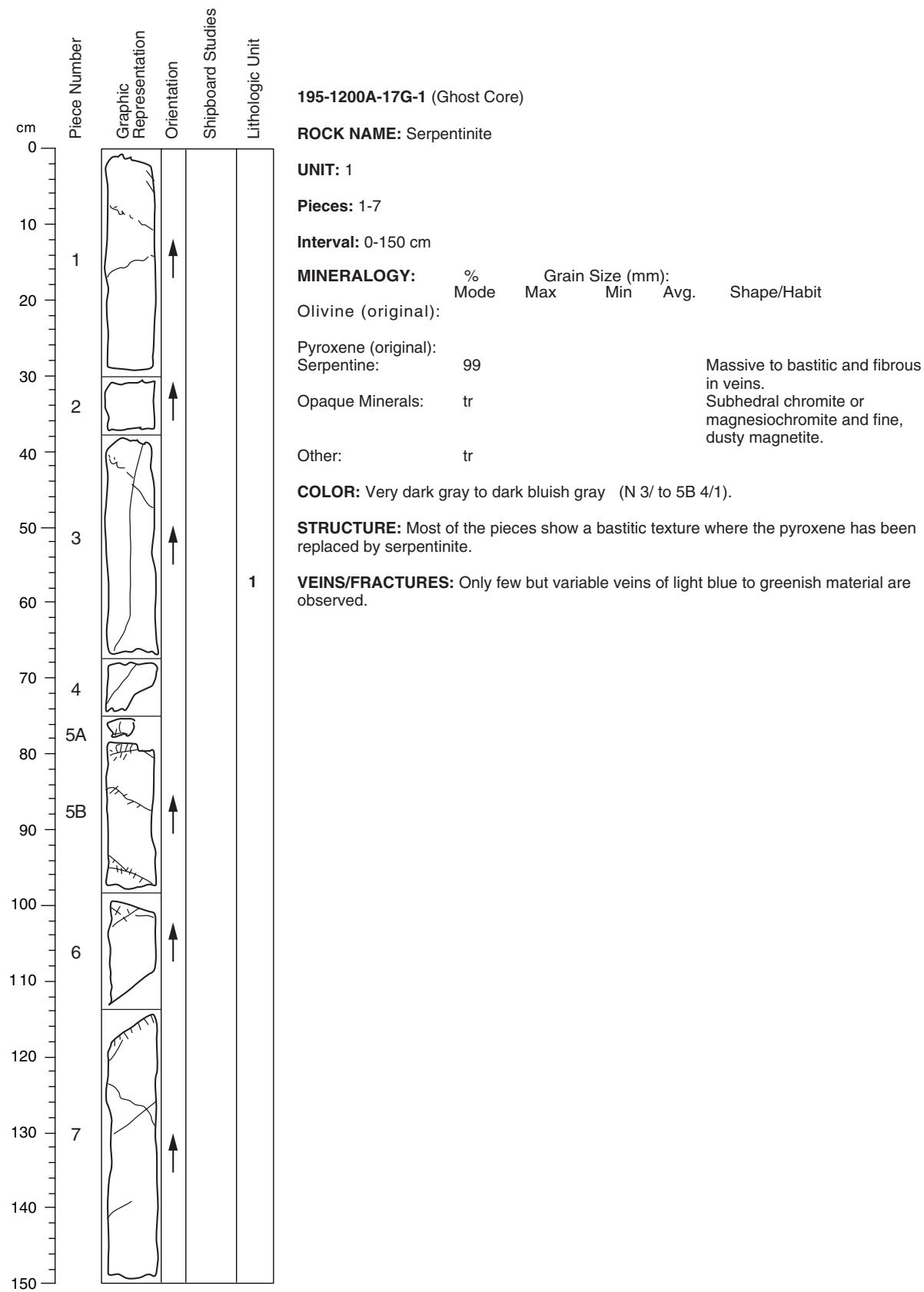
**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Fine chrysotile veinlets criss-cross rock in complex network.

**COMMENTS:** Piece 4 has the most altered, soft serpentinite recovered in Hole 1200A. It looks "soft and punky" compared to other dense rocks sampled from Hole 1200A.

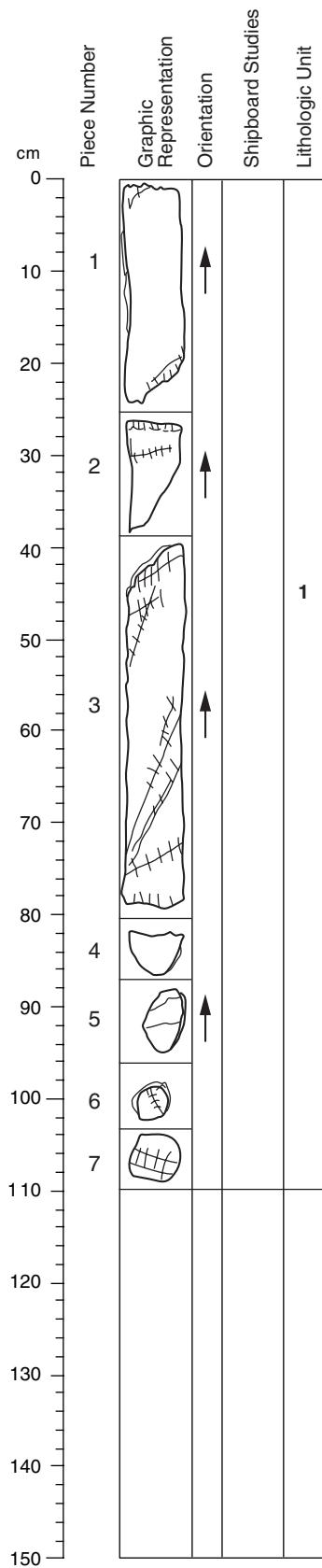


Disaggregated structure

## Core Photo



## Core Photo



195-1200A-17G-2 (Ghost Core)

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-7

**Interval:** 0-109 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):					
Serpentine:	99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Subhedral chromite or magnesiochromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

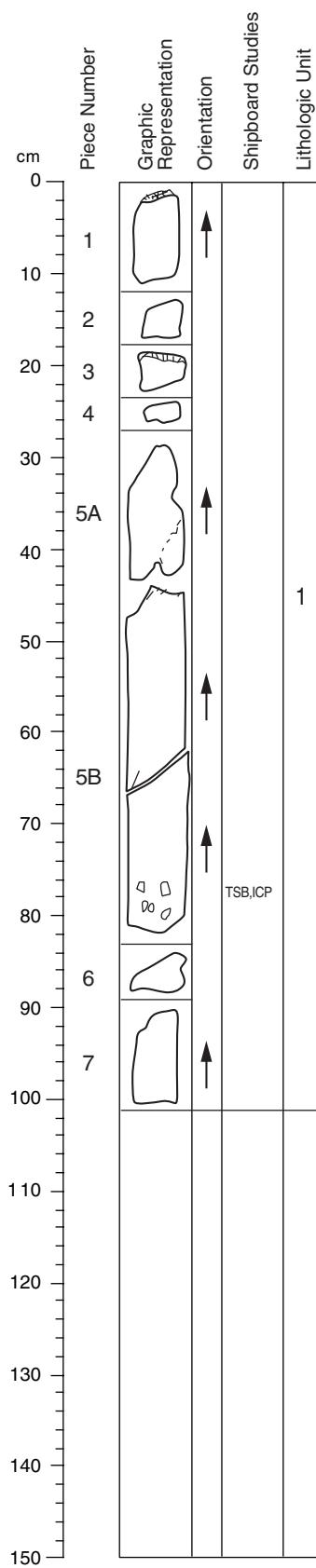
**COLOR:** Variable in color from very dark gray (N3/) to dark bluish gray (5B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** The pieces were originally intergranular, pyroxene grains have been replaced by bastitic serpentine.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Most veins are found at the end parts of the pieces. The bottom ends show an interesting cross section through the core with small fine veins cross-cutting in a network.

**COMMENTS:** Pieces 5 and 7 have an alteration aureole along the outer rim with a lighter yellowish green color.

## Core Photo



**195-1200B-1W-1 (Section top: 0.00 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-7

**Interval:** 0-100 cm

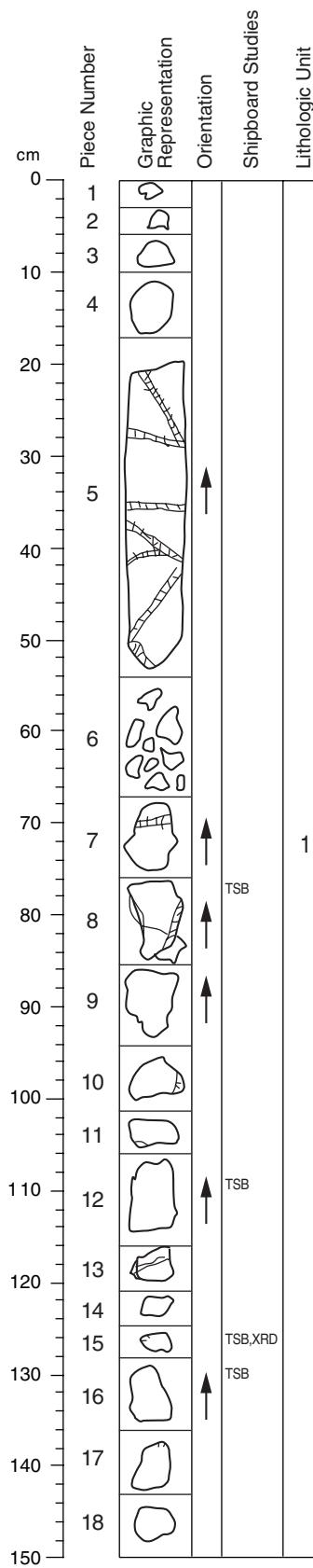
	%	Grain Size (mm):			
	Mode	Max	Min	Avg.	Shape/Habit
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):	0-30	0.9		0.3	Slightly rounded and subhedral.
Serpentine:	70-99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Euhedral to subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Dark bluish gray (5B 4/1)

**STRUCTURE:** Most pieces are fine-grained and dense. Piece 5a and b have bastitic texture where pyroxene is replaced by serpentine. Piece 5C has large (up to 10mm) light green grains (orthopyroxene?). Piece 5B contains large orthopyroxene grains ( average 0.5-0.6 mm).

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Fine white veins are seen in most pieces.

## Core Photo



**195-1200B-2W-1 (Section top: 30.70 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-18 (compartment 6 contains 9 small fragments).

**Interval:** 0-150 cm

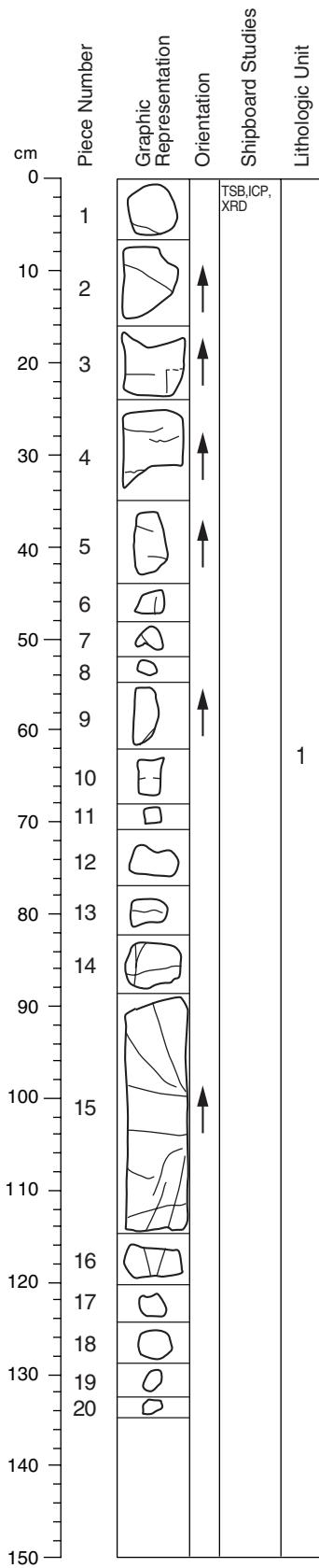
<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	%	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Mode	Max	Min	
Olivine (original):					
Pyroxene (original):	0-30	0.9		0.3	Slightly rounded and subhedral.
Serpentine:	70-99				Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Euhedral to subhedral chromite and fine, dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** Bluish gray (5B 5/1).

**STRUCTURE:** Most of the pieces have a bastitic texture where pyroxene has been replaced by serpentine. Piece 15 is highly sheared, light green serpentine schist (with chlorite and talc?). Piece 16 is highly altered greenish to tan serpentine with good foliation defined by aligned greenish gray (5GY 6/1 to 5G 6/1) bastite. Pieces 17 and 18 are both sheared.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Central veins with fine subsidiary cross-cutting veins are seen in Piece 5 and 7. Most of the pieces have fine first generation dark veins and second generation white veins.

## Core Photo



**195-1200B-2W-2 (Section top: 32.20 mbsf)**

**ROCK NAME:** Serpentinite

**UNIT:** 1

**Pieces:** 1-20

**Interval:** 0-135 cm

<b>MINERALOGY:</b>	% Mode	Grain Size (mm):			Shape/Habit
		Max	Min	Avg.	
Olivine (original):					Subhedral.
Pyroxene (original):	0-30	1.0	0.2		Massive to bastitic and fibrous in veins.
Serpentine:	70-99				
Opaque Minerals:	tr				Subhedral chromite and fine aggregates of dusty magnetite.
Other:	tr				

**COLOR:** From bluish gray to dark bluish gray (5B 5/1 to 5B 4/1).

**STRUCTURE:** Pieces 3, 12, and 15 to 18 have a bastitic texture where pyroxene has been replaced by serpentine. The remaining pieces are generally fine-grained and dense. Piece 4 and 12 contain large orthopyroxene grains.

**VEINS/FRACTURES:** Pieces 15 and 16 have a network of dark fractures. Only few fine veins are present in the remaining pieces.

**COMMENTS:** Piece 1 is lighter blue and has an alignment of minerals perpendicular to dark veinlets.

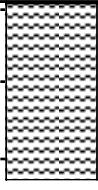
## Core Photo

METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR	DESCRIPTION	
					SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS	
2	WRB SS SS IW IW SS WRB IW SS WRP IW WRB SS WRB IW SS SS SS PAL			.. bl GY .. mdk bl GY mdk bl GY mdk bl GY mdk bl GY mdk bl GY med gn GY	The uppermost interval of Section 1 is oxidized and light greenish gray in color. Color darkens down-section to black. Core is homogeneous in texture. Section 1 reacts with 10% HCl, but the remainder of the core does not. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout.  Lower interval of Section 2 contains light bluish gray mottles. Similar mottling is observed in Section 3, and the lower interval of Section 4. Lighter bluish and greenish gray colors downcore is an artifact of oxidation.	

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole D Core 2H Cored 6.9-9.9 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
8		SS SS PAL	med bl GY	<p>SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS</p> <p>Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. Section 1 contains dark bluish gray mottling. Similar mottling is observed in the upper interval of Section 2. Highly altered (greenish brown) and fragmented clasts are abundant in Sections 2 and 3.</p>

**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole D Core 3H Cored 9.9-12.4 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-12		SS SS SS PAL	med bl GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS  Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. The lower interval of Section 1 contains dark bluish gray mottling and this continues into the upper interval of Section 2.

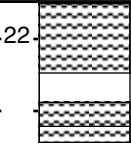
**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole D Core 4H Cored 12.4-12.7 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
		PAL	..	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS
				Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. Core material is disturbed.

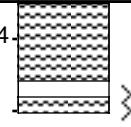
**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole D Core 5H Cored 13.7-14.3 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-14			PAL	
				SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS
				Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. Core material is disturbed.

## Core Photo

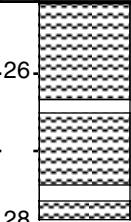
Site 1200 Hole D Core 6H Cored 21.5-23.5 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-22		SS — SS — PAL	med bl GY med gn GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS  Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. The lighter greenish gray color downcore is an artifact of oxidation.

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole D Core 7H Cored 23.5-25.0 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-24		SS SS PAL	med gn GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS

Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl with the exception of a calcareous nodule at 88 cm. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. Highly altered (greenish brown) and fragmented clasts are abundant in Section 1.

**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole D Core 8H Cored 25.0-28.0 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
26			— SS — SS — PAL	med gn GY med gn GY ..
28				SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout.

**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole D Core 9H Cored 28.0-29.5 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
	 ::	— SS — PAL	med bl GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS  Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout. The top 35 cm of core is disturbed.

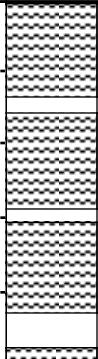
**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole D Core 10H Cored 34.8-35.4 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
				DESCRIPTION
	 SS PAL		med gn GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS  Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibres are visible throughout.

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole E Core 1H Cored 0.0-6.1 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
2	WRB SS WRB IW WRB IW SS IW WRB WRB IW IW WRB SS SS PAL	.. BK .. dk bl GY dk bl GY		
4				
6				

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole E Core 2H Cored 6.1-11.0 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
8				dk bl GY
10	 — SS — PAL		dk bl GY dk bl GY dk bl GY vdk bl GY ..	<b>SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS</b> Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. At Section 3, 70 cm, there is a gradual color change to very dark gray to black.

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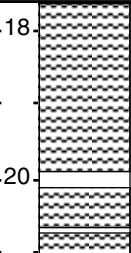
Site 1200 Hole E Core 3H Cored 11.0-12.0 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
12			med bl GY med gn GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS

Core is homogeneous in texture and reacts with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Highly calcareous intervals oxidize to light yellowish brown, resulting in a multi-colored core with bluish gray intervals punctuated with bands and mottles of light yellowish brown.

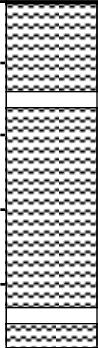
## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole E Core 4H Cored 12.0-17.6 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
14		SS	med bl GY .. lt ye BR .. med bl GY .. lt ye BR dk bl GY dk bl GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS  Core is homogeneous in texture. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. The uppermost interval of Section 1 (0-80 cm) does not react with 10% HCl, but the remainder of the core is calcareous. Yellowish brown intervals react more strongly to 10% HCl than bluish gray intervals. Highly calcareous intervals oxidize to light yellowish brown, resulting in a multi-colored core with bluish gray intervals punctuated with bands and mottles of light yellowish brown.  When the surface of the core is scraped, the underlying material is very dark gray to black.
16		SS		
		PAL		

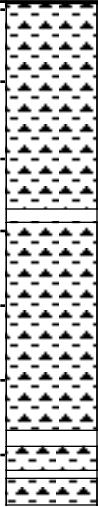
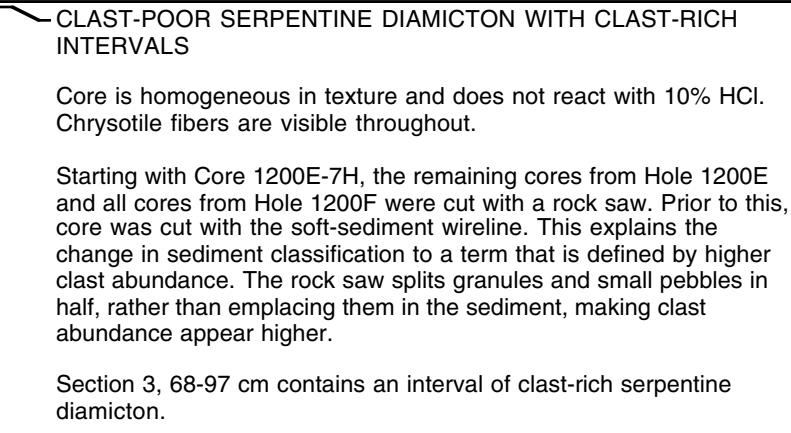
**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole E Core 5H Cored 17.6-21.2 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-18		>	— SS	dk bl GY
-20				dk bl GY
		— PAL		

**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole E Core 6H Cored 21.2-25.9 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
				DESCRIPTION
22		SS	dk bl GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout.
24			dk bl GY	
		SS	dk bl GY	
		PAL		

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole E Core 7H Cored 25.9-32.5 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
28				med bl GY
30		— SS		med bl GY
32		— SS		med gn GY med gn GY
		— PAL		
 <p>CLAST-POOR SERPENTINE DIAMICTON WITH CLAST-RICH INTERVALS</p> <p>Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout.</p> <p>Starting with Core 1200E-7H, the remaining cores from Hole 1200E and all cores from Hole 1200F were cut with a rock saw. Prior to this, core was cut with the soft-sediment wireline. This explains the change in sediment classification to a term that is defined by higher clast abundance. The rock saw splits granules and small pebbles in half, rather than emplacing them in the sediment, making clast abundance appear higher.</p> <p>Section 3, 68-97 cm contains an interval of clast-rich serpentinite diamicton.</p>				

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole E Core 8X Cored 32.5-40.9 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-			med bl GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS

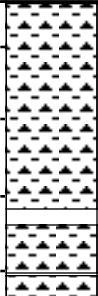
Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Core is highly disturbed, and consists of large clasts in slurry.

PAL

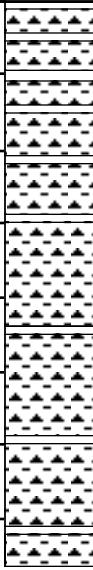
**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole E Core 9X Cored 40.9-50.4 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
				PAL ..
				SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS
				Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Core is disturbed.

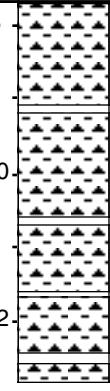
## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole E Core 10H Cored 52.4-56.4 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
54		SS SS	med bl GY	SILTY CLAY SERPENTINE WITH DISPERSED SERPENTINIZED ULTRAMAFIC CLASTS  Core is homogeneous in texture and does not react with 10% HCl. Clasts are serpentinized ultramafic varieties. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Section 1 contains greenish gray mottles through interval 58-84 cm. Section 2, 61-114 cm contains clast-rich serpentinite diamictite.
56		SS PAL	med bl GY	

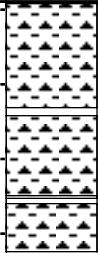
## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole F Core 1H Cored 0.0-7.7 mbsf					
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR	
DESCRIPTION					
2		> IW SS IW IW IW IW SS PAL	IW SS IW IW IW IW IW SS PAL	BK BK BK dk bl GY dk bl GY dk bl GY dk bl GY dk bl GY dk bl GY	<p>CLAST POOR SERPENTINE DIAMICTON</p> <p>The core is homogeneous in texture and clasts are serpentized ultramafic varieties. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Section 1 reacts with 10% HCl, but the remainder of the core does not.</p> <p>The uppermost interval of Section 1 contains bluish gray mottles. Sections 2-CC are dark blue gray in color, but when the surface of the core is scraped, the underlying material is very dark blue gray to black.</p> <p>Section 5 and the uppermost interval of the core catcher contain thin (&lt;2 mm) greenish gray horizons. Horizons are faint and diffuse and not associated with a lithological or textural modification of the material.</p>

**Core Photo**

Site 1200 Hole F Core 2H Cored 7.7-12.9 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
-8		○ ○ ○		dk bl GY
-10		⟩	— SS	dk bl GY
-12		⟩	— SS — PAL	dk bl GY
CLAST POOR SERPENTINE DIAMICTON The core is homogeneous in texture and clasts are serpentinized ultramafic varieties. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Core does not react with 10% HCl. Sections 1-3 contain bluish gray mottles. Section 4 contains thin (<2 mm) greenish gray horizons. Horizons are faint and diffuse and not associated with a lithological or textural modification of the material.				

## Core Photo

Site 1200 Hole F Core 3H Cored 12.9-16.3 mbsf				
METERS	GRAPHIC LITH.	DISTURB.	SAMPLE	COLOR
DESCRIPTION				
14		<-->		dk bl GY
16		— SS — PAL		dk bl GY
 The core is homogeneous in texture and clasts are serpentized ultramafic varieties. Chrysotile fibers are visible throughout. Core does not react with 10% HCl. Upper interval of Section 1 is disturbed. The lowermost interval of Section 2 and the core catcher contain thin (<2 mm) greenish gray horizons. Horizons are faint and diffuse and not associated with a lithological or textural modification of the material.				

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
SAMPLE SLIDES, SITE 1200**

Sample	Depth (mbsf)	Lithology	Texture (vol %)			Component												
			Sand	Silt	Clay	Amphibole	Aragonite, large laths	Aragonite, reworked	Aragonite, tiny needles	Calcite	Chlorite	Chrysotile	Garnet	Mica	Serpentine, altered to opaque	Serpentine, dusky	Serpentine, fresh	Serpentine, with Lamellae
<b>Hole A</b>																		
195-1200A-09-R-01, 054 cm	70.94	Mud	P	A	A										D	A	P	
195-1200A-09-R-01, 075 cm	71.15	Mud	P	A	A	R									D	A	P	
195-1200A-11-R-01, 000 cm	89.40	Rock piece 3, dark mica																
195-1200A-13-R-02, 005 cm	110.00	Sieved fine sand fraction	D															
195-1200A-15-R-01, 001 cm	127.91	Mud	P	A	A	R												
195-1200A-15-R-01, 016 cm	128.06	Mud	P	A	A	R												
195-1200A-15-R-CC, 000 cm	128.43	Fine sand fraction	D			R												
195-1200A-15-R-CC, 002 cm	128.45	Mud	P	A	A	R												

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
SAMPLE SLIDES, SITE 1200**

Sample	Depth (mbsf)	Lithology	Texture (vol %)			Component												
			Sand	Silt	Clay	Amphibole	Aragonite, large laths	Aragonite, reworked	Aragonite, tiny needles	Calcite	Chlorite	Chrysotile	Garnet	Mica	Serpentine, altered to opaque	Serpentine, dusky	Serpentine, fresh	Serpentine, with Lamellae
<b>Hole B</b> 195-1200B-01-W-01, 000 cm 195-1200B-01-W-01, 000 cm		Fine sand fraction, fluff Fine sand fraction	D D	R R						D C			P P	C D	C C	P P	R	

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS**  
**SMEAR SLIDES, SITE 1200**

Sample	Depth (mbsf)	Lithology	Texture (vol %)			Component														
			Sand	Silt	Clay	Amphibole	Aragonite, large laths	Aragonite, reworked	Aragonite, tiny needles	Calcite	Chlorite	Chrysotile	Garnet	Mica	Serpentine, altered to opaque	Serpentine, dusky	Serpentine, fresh	Serpentine, with Lamellae	Spinel	Talc
<b>Hole D</b>																				
195-1200D-01-H-01, 011 cm	0.11	Oxidized Mud	P	A	A	R									P	D	C	P	R	
195-1200D-01-H-01, 020 cm	0.20	Light bluish gray mud	P	A	A										P	P	P	R	R	
195-1200D-01-H-01, 069 cm	0.69	Chrysotile fibers from clast	D																	
195-1200D-01-H-01, 078 cm	0.78	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A		A								P	C	D	D	R	
195-1200D-01-H-01, 100 cm	1.00	Black mud	P	A	A										P	D	C	P	P	
195-1200D-01-H-02, 040 cm	1.90	Dark bluish gray mud	P	A	A										P	C	D	C	R	
195-1200D-01-H-03, 040 cm	3.40	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										P	D	P	P	P	
195-1200D-01-H-03, 087 cm	3.87	Precipitation on clast	P	D	P										P	D	C	C	R	
195-1200D-01-H-03, 099 cm	3.99	Serpentine streak	D												P	D	C	P	D	
195-1200D-01-H-04, 065 cm	5.15	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										P	P	D	C	P	
195-1200D-01-H-04, 099 cm	5.49	Altered clast	C	A	A										P	P	D	D	D	
195-1200D-01-H-CC, 030 cm	6.70	Serpentine streak	D			R									P	P	D	C	P	
195-1200D-02-H-01, 080 cm	7.70	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R									P	D	C	P	D	
195-1200D-02-H-02, 071 cm	9.11	Altered clast	C	D	A										D	C	P	P	P	
195-1200D-03-H-01, 055 cm	10.45	Altered clast, light green	C	D	A										D	D	P	P	P	
195-1200D-03-H-01, 060 cm	10.50	Altered clast, dark green	C	D	A										A	D	D	P	P	
195-1200D-03-H-01, 110 cm	11.00	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										D	D	C	P	P	
195-1200D-04-H-01, 010 cm	12.50	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R									R	D	D	C	P	
195-1200D-06-H-01, 010 cm	21.60	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										R	P	D	D	P	
195-1200D-06-H-02, 025 cm	23.12	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										R	D	D	C	P	
195-1200D-06-H-CC, 000 cm	23.19	Fine sand fraction, fluff	D												P	D	A	C	C	
195-1200D-06-H-CC, 000 cm	23.19	Fine sand fraction	D			R			R						P	D	C	P	P	
195-1200D-07-H-01, 060 cm	24.10	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R			R						P	D	C	P	P	
195-1200D-07-H-01, 088 cm	24.38	Altered clast	C	D	A										D	C	P	P	P	
195-1200D-07-H-CC, 000 cm	24.80	Fine sand fraction	D												P	A	D	C	C	
195-1200D-08-H-01, 020 cm	25.20	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R			R						P	D	C	P	P	
195-1200D-08-H-02, 050 cm	27.00	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R			R						R	P	P	D	C	
195-1200D-08-H-CC, 000 cm	27.67	Fine sand fraction	D			R			R						C	D	A	P	P	
195-1200D-09-H-01, 050 cm	28.50	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R			R						P	D	C	D	C	
195-1200D-09-H-CC, 000 cm	29.10	Fine sand fraction	D			R			R						C	D	A	P	P	
195-1200D-10-H-01, 040 cm	35.20	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										P	D	C	P	P	

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS**  
**SMEAR SLIDES, SITE 1200**

Sample	Depth (mbsf)	Lithology	Texture (vol %)			Component														
			Sand	Silt	Clay	Amphibole	Aragonite, large laths	Aragonite, reworked	Aragonite, tiny needles	Calcite	Chlorite	Chrysotile	Garnet	Mica	Serpentine, altered to opaque	Serpentine, dusky	Serpentine, fresh	Serpentine, with Lamellae	Spinel	Talc
<b>Hole E</b>																				
195-1200E-01-H-01, 015 cm	0.15	Oxidized mud	P	A	A										P	D	C	P		
195-1200E-01-H-01, 110 cm	1.10	Black mud	P	A	A	R	C	D							A	D	D	P		
195-1200E-01-H-02, 116 cm	2.66	Micro nodule													A	D	D	P		
195-1200E-01-H-03, 030 cm	3.30	Black mud	P	A	A	R									P	P	P	P		
195-1200E-01-H-04, 100 cm	5.50	Black mud	P	A	A	R									A	D	D	P		
195-1200E-02-H-02, 030 cm	7.90	Black mud	P	A	A	R									A	D	D	P		
195-1200E-02-H-03, 120 cm	10.30	White soft clast													P	P	P	P		
195-1200E-02-H-03, 110 cm	10.20	Black mud	P	A	A	R									R	P	P	P		
195-1200E-03-H-01, 075 cm	11.75	Contorted greenish mud	P	A	A	R	C								A	D	C	P	R	
195-1200E-04-H-01, 060 cm	12.60	Black mud	P	A	A	R									R	P	P	P	R	
195-1200E-04-H-03, 070 cm	15.70	Black mud	P	A	A	R									A	D	D	P	R	
195-1200E-05-H-01, 130 cm	18.90	Dark bluish mud	P	A	A	R									P	P	C	P	R	
195-1200E-05-H-CC, 000 cm	20.72	Fine sand fraction	D	A	A	R									P	P	C	P		
195-1200E-06-H-01, 100 cm	22.20	Dark bluish mud	P	A	A	R									R	P	P	P		
195-1200E-06-H-03, 115 cm	25.29	Dark bluish mud	P	A	A	R									A	D	D	P		
195-1200E-06-H-CC, 000 cm	25.53	Fine sand fraction	D			R									C	D	C	P		
195-1200E-06-H-CC, 000 cm	25.53	Fine sand fraction, fluff	D			R									C	C	A	A		
195-1200E-07-H-02, 100 cm	28.40	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										C	D	P	P		
195-1200E-07-H-05, 020 cm	32.10	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A	R									C	D	P	P		
195-1200E-07-H-CC, 000 cm	32.32	Fine sand fraction	D			R									P	C	D	P		
195-1200E-10-H-01, 020 cm	52.60	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										R	P	C	D		
195-1200E-10-H-01, 082 cm	53.22	Altered clast, reddish	P	A	A										D	C	D	P		
195-1200E-10-H-03, 040 cm	55.80	Bluish gray mud	P	A	A										C	D	P	P		

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
SAMPLE SLIDES, SITE 1200**

Sample	Depth (mbsf)	Lithology	Texture (vol %)			Component																		
			Sand	Silt	Clay	Amphibole	Aragonite, large laths			Aragonite, reworked			Aragonite, tiny needles			Calcite	Chlorite	Chrysotile	Garnet	Mica	Serpentine, altered to opaque	Serpentine, dusky	Serpentine, fresh	Serpentine, with Lamellae
<b>Hole F</b>																								
195-1200F-01-H-01, 040 cm	0.40	Black mud	P	A	A	R	D									A	C	P	P					
195-1200F-01-H-03, 040 cm	3.40	Black mud	P	A	A	R										A	A	P	P					
195-1200F-01-H-05, 060 cm	6.60	Black mud	P	A	A	P										A	A	P	P					
195-1200F-01-H-CC, 000 cm	7.20	Fine sand fraction	D													C	D	C	P					
195-1200F-02-H-02, 050 cm	9.70	Black mud	P	A	A	R										A	A	P	P	R				
195-1200F-02-H-04, 070 cm	12.40	Black mud	P	A	A											A	A	P	P					

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 1 195-1200A-2R-1, 0-3 cm (Piece 1)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: <b>Highly-altered serpentinite (after dunite)</b>						
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>						
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	40	95	<0.04    0.12    0.04	Mg-rich	Subhedral, anhedral	
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene	<1	1	0.4		Subhedral	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1		<0.04		Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	3	4	0.24    2    0.8		Euhedral	After Cr-spinel
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.			
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	45			Olivine, vein filling		
Brucite	10			Olivine		
Chlorite	<1			Vein filling		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.			
			0.08    0.8    0.4	Serpentine, chlorite		
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 2 195-1200A-3R-1, 10-12 cm (Piece 1A)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>				
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine-grained</b>				
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh</b>				
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PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP. MORPHOLOGY
Olivine	5	85	<0.04    0.2    0.1	Mg-rich Anhedral
Orthopyroxene		12		
Clinopyroxene				
Amphibole				
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OPAQUE MINERALS				
Magnetite	1		<0.04	Dust-like
Cr-spinel	3	3	0.06    2    1	Subhedral, sometimes euhedral
Sulfide				
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SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	78		0.3	Olivine, orthopyroxene
Brucite	12		0.08	Orthopyroxene/in veins
Chlorite				
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole	<1		0.01    0.4    0.05	Anthophyllite?
Clay minerals				Orthopyroxene
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VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY
			0.08    1.2    0.2	Serpentine, magnetite, brucite
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<b>COMMENTS:</b>				



**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 4 195-1200A-3R-1, 38-42 cm (Piece 1B)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	5	85	<0.04    0.3    0.12	Mg-rich	Anhedral	
Orthopyroxene	5	11	0.2    4    1	Mg-rich	Anhedral	
Clinopyroxene	2	3		0.4	Mg-rich	Anhedral
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<1			<0.04	Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	<1	1	0.08    0.8    0.4		Euhedral to anhedral	Vein-filling
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	72		0.2		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	15		0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	<1		0.05	Anthophyllite?		Scattered
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.04    0.2    0.08		Fine, filled with fibrous serpentine	

**COMMENTS:**



**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 6 195-1200A-6R-1, 31-35 cm (Piece 2)				Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, bastite</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	5	80	<0.1    0.4    0.2	Mg-rich	Anhedral, rounded	
Orthopyroxene	10	15	0.2    4    1	Mg-rich	Subhedral, prismatic	Exsolution lamellae of clinopyroxene.
Clinopyroxene	2	3		Mg-rich	Subhedral	In proximity to orthopyroxene grains.
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1		<0.1			
Cr-spinel	2	2	0.5    0.1		Euhedral	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	58			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	15			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	5			Mafic phases: in veins		Close to veins with serpentine fill.
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	2			Orthopyroxene		Strongly pleochroic from light yellow to green to pale blue.
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 7 195-1200A-6R-2, 39-41 cm (Piece 1B)				Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
ROCK NAME: <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>						
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh, hourglass, bastite</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	2	80	<0.1    0.2    0.1	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Small grains (hourglass texture) with halos of fibrous serpentine.
Orthopyroxene	15	19	0.2    3    1	Mg-rich	Prismatic, sometimes poikilitic	Tiny exsolution lamellae of clinopyroxene; encloses rounded serpentinized relicts of olivine.
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
OPAQUE MINERALS						
Magnetite	1				Dust-like aggregates; in veins	
Cr-spinel	1	1	0.04    0.8    0.2		Euhedral (small grains) to anhedral (large grains)	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.			
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	77			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	3			Orthopyroxene	Replacement sometimes incomplete. Vein filling; after orthopyroxene?	
Chlorite	1					
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.			
			0.04    0.8    0.4	Magnetite and serpentine		
COMMENTS:						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 8 195-1200A-7R-2, 27-29cm (Piece 1A)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, bastite</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	20	79	<0.1    0.2    0.1	Mg-rich	Euhedral prismatic	Sometimes kink-banded.
Orthopyroxene	15	20	0.04    2    1	Mg-rich	Subhedral to anhedral, platy, sometimes embayed	Often deformed.
Clinopyroxene	<1		<0.04    0.3    0.2			
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<<1				Dust-like	Close to, or in veins.
Cr-spinel	<1	1	0.05    0.8    0.4		Anhedral, embayed, sometimes euhedral	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	59			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	5			Orthopyroxene		
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.04    5	Serpentine and magnetite		
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Rock is crossed by a large serpentine vein. This vein is perpendicular to later veinlets of chrysotile (?). Surprisingly, areas proximal to these veins contain abundant fresh olivine and orthopyroxene.						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 9 195-1200A-7R-2, 69-71 cm (Piece 1C)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Moderately altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Medium- to coarse-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	35	85	<0.1    0.2    0.1	Mg-rich	Subhedral to anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Orthopyroxene	25	14	0.4    4    2	Mg-rich	Subhedral to anhedral	Highly strained.
Clinopyroxene	1		0.1    0.3    0.2	Mg-rich	Subhedral	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	1	1	<0.1    0.4    0.1		Euhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	30			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	7			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	<1		Anthophyllite?	In veins		
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			<0.1    2    0.4	Serpentine, amphibole		

**COMMENTS:**

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 10 195-1200A-10R-1, 12-14 cm (Piece 3)			Unit 1			OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after orthopyroxene-rich harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Coarse-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass, granoblastic</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	1	49	<0.04    0.2    0.1	Mg-rich	Anhedral	One large rounded granoblast.
Orthopyroxene	35	50	0.1    3    1.5	Mg-rich	Embayed	Very large.
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	2	1	<0.1    0.6    0.2		Subhedral	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	50		0.3		Orthopyroxene, olivine	
Brucite	10		0.1		Orthopyroxene, olivine	
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
			min.    max.    av.			
			<0.05    0.2    0.1			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

TS: 11 DOES NOT EXIST

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

<b>TS: 12 195-1200A-11R-1, 45-47 cm (Piece 8)</b>				<b>Unit 1</b>	<b>OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK</b>	
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Completely altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, bastite</b>						
<b>PRIMARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT PRESENT</b>	<b>PERCENT ORIGINAL</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>APPROX. COMP.</b>	<b>MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
Olivine		60				Some enclosed poikilitically in orthopyroxene.
Orthopyroxene	2	39	0.1    4    2		Anhedral	Pseudomorphs of amphibole and chlorite.
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1				After Cr-spinel	
Cr-spinel		1				
Sulfide						
<b>SECONDARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>REPLACING / FILLING</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	62			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Brucite	15			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	15			Orthopyroxene, vein filling		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	5			Orthopyroxene		
Clay minerals						
<b>VEINS</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>FILLING / MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	
			<b>min.    max.    av.</b>			
			<0.01    0.6    0.1			

**COMMENTS:** Estimates of original percent of olivine and orthopyroxene only tentative.

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 13 195-1200A-12R-1, 3-7 cm (Piece 1)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Moderately altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>				
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>				
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh</b>				
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PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.
Olivine	30	59	<0.01    0.2    0.05	Mg-rich
Orthopyroxene	30	39	0.1    4    2	Mg-rich
Clinopyroxene	1	1		0.2
Amphibole				Mg-rich
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<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>				
Magnetite	<1			Dust-like
Cr-spinel	1	1	<0.1    1    0.5	
Sulfide				
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SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	25		0.1	Olivine and orthopyroxene
Brucite	10		0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene
Chlorite	1			Vein filling
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole	1		Anthophyllite?	After orthopyroxene
Clay minerals				
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VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY
			<0.1    0.8    0.2	
				Comments
				Only few small veins.
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<b>COMMENTS:</b>				

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 14 195-1200A-13R-1, 28-32 cm (Piece 6B)				Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, bastite</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	20	53	<0.01 0.2 0.1		Subhedral to anhedral	
Orthopyroxene	30	42	<0.1 3 2		Subhedral to anhedral	
Clinopyroxene	1	2		0.2	Subhedral to anhedral	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<1				Dust-like, subhedral in cpx	
Cr-spinel	2	3	<0.1 1 0.4		Euhedral to anhedral	Small grains in clinopyroxene.
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
			min. max. av.			
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	30		0.2		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	16		0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			min. max. av.			
			<0.1 2 0.5		"Frankenstein"-type vein.	
<b>COMMENTS:</b>	The slide has a central vein cross-cut by finer subsidiary veins.					

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

<b>TS: 15 195-1200A-13R-1, 12-16 cm (Piece 3)</b>			<b>Unit 1</b>	<b>OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK</b>		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Completely altered serpentinite (after dunite?)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh</b>						
<b>PRIMARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT PRESENT</b>	<b>PERCENT ORIGINAL</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>APPROX. COMP.</b>	<b>MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
Olivine	3	98	<0.05    0.2    0.1		Anhedral	Strained.
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1				Dust-like, sometimes euhedral	
Cr-spinel	1	2	0.1    0.8    0.4		Euhedral to anhedral	
Sulfide						
<b>SECONDARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>REPLACING / FILLING</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	60				Olivine	
Brucite						
Chlorite	35				Vein filling	
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
<b>VEINS</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>FILLING / MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
			<b>min.    max.    av.</b>			
			<0.1    4    2			
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Banded rock.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 16 195-1200A-10R-1, 93-96 cm (Piece 11)			Unit 1			OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite or lherzolite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	10	67	0.01 0.2 0.1	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Orthopyroxene	15	25	0.2 2 1.5	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Clinopyroxene	5	7	0.1 0.5 0.2	Mg-rich	Subhedral to anhedral	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	2					After Cr-spinel and in cpx
Cr-spinel	<1	1	0.05 0.4 0.2		Embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	50			0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene
Brucite	16			0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene
Chlorite	2					Vein filling
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
			min. max. av.			
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Few small veins.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 17 195-1200A-11R-1, 13-18 cm (Piece 5)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>			<b>Completely altered serpentinite</b> <b>Fine-grained</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>				
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
Olivine							
Orthopyroxene	2		1			Subhedral to anhedral	
Clinopyroxene							
Amphibole							
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>							
Magnetite	1					Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	<1		1				
Sulfide							
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS		
Antigorite							
Lizardite							
Chrysotile							
Serpentine	68		0.1				
Brucite	25		0.1				
Chlorite	3		0.05				
Talc							
Carbonate							
Amphibole	<1		0.05	anthophyllite?			
Clay minerals							
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS		
					Veins filled with quartz, phlogopite (?), hematite (?).		

**COMMENTS:** The rock is completely serpentinized; it is impossible to estimate original percent of primary minerals and primary composition.

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 18 195-1200A-11R-1, 63-65 cm (Piece 11)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>				
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>				
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>				
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.
Olivine	5	82	0.01    0.2    0.05	Mg-rich
Orthopyroxene	10	16	0.2    2    0.8	Mg-rich
Clinopyroxene	<1	1		Mg-rich
Amphibole				Subhedral to anhedral
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>				
Magnetite	2			After Cr-spinel and in cpx
Cr-spinel	<1	1	0.05    1    0.1	Embayed
Sulfide				
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	73		0.1	Olivine and orthopyroxene
Brucite	9		0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene
Chlorite				
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole				
Clay minerals				
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY
			<0.1    4	
				Comments: One large and many tiny veins.

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 19 195-1200A-13R-1, 25-27 cm (Piece 6)			Unit 1			OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>							
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine-grained</b>							
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>							
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
Olivine	5	70	0.01	0.2	0.05	Mg-rich	Anhedral
Orthopyroxene	10	25	0.3	3	1	Mg-rich	Anhedral
Clinopyroxene	1	2			0.3	Mg-rich	Subhedral to anhedral
Amphibole							Contains magnetite.
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>							
Magnetite	1					After Cr-spinel and in cpx	
Cr-spinel	2	3	0.05	0.8	0.5	Subhedral to embayed	
Sulfide							
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite							
Lizardite							
Chrysotile							
Serpentine	65			0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	16			0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite							
Talc							
Carbonate							
Amphibole							
Clay minerals							
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			min.	max.	av.		
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Few small veins.							

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 20 195-1200A-13R-1, 64-66 cm (Piece 7)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	20	83	0.01    0.2    0.05	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Orthopyroxene	10	12	0.1    2    0.8	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Clinopyroxene	<1	2		Mg-rich	Anhedral	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	2	3	0.05    0.8    0.4		Euhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	54		0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	10		0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate	2		0.05		Scattered	
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.3			
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Few small veins.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 21 195-1200A-13R-1, 89.92 cm (Piece 8B)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	10	60	0.01    0.2    0.05	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Orthopyroxene	10	37	0.1    2    0.8	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Sometimes strained.
Clinopyroxene	<1	1		0.2	Mg-rich	Anhedral
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	3				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	1	2	0.1    0.8    0.4		Embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	65		0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	10		0.01		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			<0.01    0.8    0.2			

**COMMENTS:**

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 22 195-1200A-14R-1, 1-3 cm (Piece 1)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>			<b>Completely altered serpentinite</b> <b>Fine-grained</b> <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>				
<b>PRIMARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT PRESENT</b>	<b>PERCENT ORIGINAL</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>APPROX. COMP.</b>	<b>MORPHOLOGY</b>		
Olivine	1		0.01 0.2 0.05		Anhedral		
Orthopyroxene							
Clinopyroxene							
Amphibole							
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>							
Magnetite	2				Dust-like		
Cr-spinel	<1		0.05 0.8 0.2		Embayed		
Sulfide							
<b>SECONDARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>REPLACING / FILLING</b>		
			<b>min. max. av.</b>				
Antigorite							
Lizardite							
Chrysotile							
Serpentine	85				Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	11				Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite							
Talc							
Carbonate							
Amphibole	<1		0.1		Scattered		
Clay minerals							
<b>VEINS</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>FILLING / MORPHOLOGY</b>		
			<b>min. max. av.</b>				
			0.1				
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.							

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 23 195-1200A-14R-1, 22-25 cm (Piece 6)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
ROCK NAME: <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>				
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>				
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh, granoblastic</b>				
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PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.
Olivine	15	66	0.01    0.2    0.05	Anhedral
Orthopyroxene	20	31	0.1    2    0.4	Anhedral
Clinopyroxene	2	2	0.05    0.5    0.1	Subhedral
Amphibole				
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OPAQUE MINERALS				
Magnetite	2			Dust-like
Cr-spinel	<1	1		Anhedral to embayed
Sulfide				
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SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	42		0.2	Olivine and orthopyroxene
Brucite	15		0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene
Chlorite	3		0.1	Orthopyroxene, vein filling
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole				
Clay minerals				
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VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY
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<b>COMMENTS:</b>				

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 24 195-1200A-16R-1, 21-24 cm (Piece 5)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: <b>Completely altered serpentinite</b>						
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>						
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene	5		0.5		Anhedral	Forms granoblasts.
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	<1		0.1		Anhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	84		0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	10		0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 25 195-1200A-16R-1, 112-115 cm (Piece 11B)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, bastite, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	5	60	0.05    0.8    0.2		Anhedral	
Orthopyroxene	10	38	0.1    4    0.5		Anhedral	
Clinopyroxene	1	1		0.2	Subhedral	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	1	1		0.2	Subhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	58			0.1	Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	21			0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite	3			0.05	Orthopyroxene	
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Remnants of altered olivine are included as chadacrysts in relatively fresh orthopyroxene grains, implying cumulate texture.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 26 195-1200A-16R-2, 15-17 cm (Piece 1)			Unit 1			OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite or lherzolite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to medium-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, bastite, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	20	40	0.05 0.2 0.1		Anhedral	Strained.
Orthopyroxene	15	54	0.3 3 0.8		Anhedral	Exsolution lamellae of clinopyroxene.
Clinopyroxene	5	5	0.1 0.4 0.2		Subhedral	Inclusions of magnetite.
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	<1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	1	1			Embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	41				Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	16				Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite	1				Orthopyroxene	
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
			min. max. av.			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 27 195-1200A-16R-2, 45-48 cm (Piece 4)		Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
ROCK NAME: <b>Completely altered serpentinite</b>				
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>				
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>				
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.
Olivine				
Orthopyroxene				
Clinopyroxene				
Amphibole				
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>				
Magnetite	5			Dust-like in veins; after Cr-spinel
Cr-spinel	<1		0.04    0.8    0.4	Euhedral to embayed
Sulfide				
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	81			Olivine and orthopyroxene
Brucite	13			Olivine and orthopyroxene
Chlorite				
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole				
Clay minerals				
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.				



CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
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TS: 29 195-1200A-9R-1, 5-8 cm (Piece 2)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>			<b>Completely altered serpentinite</b> <b>Fine-grained</b> <b>Mesh, bastite</b>				
<b>PRIMARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT PRESENT</b>	<b>PERCENT ORIGINAL</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>APPROX. COMP.</b>	<b>MORPHOLOGY</b>		
Olivine							
Orthopyroxene							
Clinopyroxene							
Amphibole							
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>							
Magnetite	<1				After Cr-spinel		
Cr-spinel	<1		0.05    0.5    0.2		Embayed		
Sulfide							
<b>SECONDARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>REPLACING / FILLING</b>		
			<b>min.    max.    av.</b>				
Antigorite							
Lizardite							
Chrysotile							
Serpentine	78		0.1		Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	20		0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite							
Talc							
Carbonate							
Amphibole	1		0.05		Scattered		
Clay minerals							
<b>VEINS</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>FILLING / MORPHOLOGY</b>		
			<b>min.    max.    av.</b>				
			0.01    1.2    0.5				
<b>COMMENTS:</b>	The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 30 195-1200A-9R-1, 13-17 cm (Piece 4A)		Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
ROCK NAME: <b>Completely altered serpentinite</b>						
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>						
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.		
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	3			Dust-like in veins		
Cr-spinel	<1		0.4	Euhedral to embayed		
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING		
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	84		0.1	Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	12		0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS		
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 31 195-1200A-10R-1, 65-68 cm (Piece 9)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>			Completely altered serpentinite Fine-grained Mesh, bastite				
<b>PRIMARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT PRESENT</b>	<b>PERCENT ORIGINAL</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>APPROX. COMP.</b>	<b>MORPHOLOGY</b>		
Olivine							
Orthopyroxene							
Clinopyroxene							
Amphibole							
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>							
Magnetite	2				Dust-like in veins; after Cr-spinel		
Cr-spinel	1		0.4		Anhedral to embayed		
Sulfide							
<b>SECONDARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>REPLACING / FILLING</b>		
Antigorite							
Lizardite							
Chrysotile							
Serpentine	75		0.2		Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	16		0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite							
Talc							
Carbonate							
Amphibole	6		Tremolite/ Anthophyllite		Fibrous		
Clay minerals							
<b>VEINS</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>FILLING / MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>		
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.							

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 32 195-1200A-11R-1, 1-3 cm (Piece 1)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: <b>Completely altered serpentinite</b>						
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>						
TEXTURE: <b>Mesh, bastite</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	2				Dust-like in veins	
Cr-spinel	1		0.05    1.4    0.4		Embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	79		0.2		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	17		0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite						
Talc	1				Vein filling	
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 33 195-1200A-12R-1, 25-27 cm (Piece 3)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)						
<b>WHERE SAMPLED:</b> South Chamorro Seamount summit						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> Fine- to medium-grained						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> Mesh, bastite, hourglass						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	35	80	0.01    0.8    0.4		Anhedral	Kink banded.
Orthopyroxene	10	15	0.1    2    1		Anhedral	Exsolution lamellae of clinopyroxene.
Clinopyroxene	1	1		0.4	Subhedral	Inclusions of magnetite.
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	2				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	3	4	0.04    2    0.2		Subhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	35		0.1	Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	10		0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	4		0.1	Vein filling; after orthopyroxene		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.3			

**COMMENTS:**

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 34 195-1200A-14R-1, 29.31 cm (Piece 7)			Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	10	73	0.01    0.2    0.05		Anhedral	
Orthopyroxene	15	25	0.05    2    0.8		Anhedral	
Clinopyroxene	1	1	0.3    0.7    0.2		Subhedral to anhedral	Many scattered small grains.
<b>AMPHIBOLE</b>						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1				Dust-like	
Cr-spinel	1	1	0.01    2    0.4		Anhedral to subhedral	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	65		0.2		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Brucite	6		0.05		Olivine and orthopyroxene	
Chlorite	1					
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	1			Tremolite?		
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.05    0.5    0.2			

**COMMENTS:**

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 35 195-1200A-11R-1, 21-23 cm (Piece 6)		Unit 1	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
ROCK NAME: <b>Completely altered serpentinite</b>						
GRAIN SIZE: <b>Fine-grained</b>						
TEXTURE: <b>Felty</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.		
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite						
Cr-spinel	2		0.4	Anhedral to subhedral		
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING		
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	80		0.2	Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite	18		0.05	Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY		
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is almost completely serpentinized, and estimates of the original percent of primary minerals and composition are impossible.						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 36 195-1200B-1W-1, 76-78 cm (Piece 5B)			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Completely altered serpentinite (after harzburgite?)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Fine- to coarse-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Mesh, cumulate, hourglass</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	<1	73				
Orthopyroxene		25	0.4    7    2		Subhedral	Pseudomorphs of serpentine and chlorite.
Clinopyroxene		2				
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	5				Dust-like vein filling; euhedral	
Cr-spinel	1		0.1    1.4    0.4		Euhedral to anhedral	Euhedral when rimming altered mafic crystals.
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	75			Olivine, orthopyroxene		2 types: in veins, and after olivine-mesh texture.
Brucite	15			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	1			Vein filling		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	2			Exsolution lamellae of cpx		
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.1	Fibrous serpentine		
<b>COMMENTS:</b>	Small relict olivine crystals are poikilitically included in former orthopyroxene grains, now altered to serpentine and brucite.					

TS: 37 195-1200B-2W-1, 77-81 cm (Piece 8)			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)						
GRAIN SIZE: Fine- to coarse-grained						
TEXTURE: Mesh, bastite						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	5	72	0.1    1    0.5	Mg-rich	Anhedral	
Orthopyroxene	7	25	0.1    2    1	Mg-rich	Anhedral	
Clinopyroxene	1	1		0.2	Mg-rich	Anhedral
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	2				Dust-like vein filling; after Opx	
Cr-spinel	1	2	0.05    1    0.3		Subhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	67			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Brucite	10			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	2			Vein filling		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	5		0.1    2    0.4	Anthophyllite?	Vein filling, scattered	
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
			0.1    2    0.2			
COMMENTS:	The rock comprises two portions: one is completely serpentized, the other is only partially serpentized					

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 38 195-1200B-2W-2, 2-6 cm (Piece 1)				Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)</b>						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>Medium- to fine-grained</b>						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> <b>Felty, bastite</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	25	70	0.4    1.2    0.8	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Strongly strained.
Orthopyroxene		25				Exsolution lamellae of clinopyroxene in former orthopyroxene(?)
Clinopyroxene	2	3		0.2	Mg-rich	Anhedral
Amphibole						
OPAQUE MINERALS						
Magnetite		3			Dust-like in veins, euhedral within or after mafic phases	
Cr-spinel	1	2		0.4	Anhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	44			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Brucite	20			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	5			Orthopyroxene		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
COMMENTS:	Banded and highly tectonized rock.					



CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 40 195-1200B-2W-1, 126-128 cm (Piece 15)		Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
ROCK NAME: Schist				
GRAIN SIZE: Fine-grained				
TEXTURE: Laminated				
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.
Olivine	<1			
Orthopyroxene				
Clinopyroxene	<1			
Amphibole				
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>				
Magnetite				
Cr-spinel	<1			
Sulfide				
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	89			
Brucite	10			
Chlorite				
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole				
Clay minerals				
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				

TS: 41 195-1200B-2W-1, 129-131 cm (Piece 16)			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK			
ROCK NAME:	Very highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)						
GRAIN SIZE:	Medium- to fine-grained						
TEXTURE:	Bastite, mesh						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
Olivine	5	61	<0.1    0.8    0.3	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Strained, kink banded.	
Orthopyroxene	5	34	0.2    3    0.8	Mg-rich	Anhedral	Strained, kink banded.	
Clinopyroxene	1	1		0.2	Mg-rich	Subhedral to anhedral	
Amphibole							
OPAQUE MINERALS							
Magnetite	2				Dust-like in veins		
Cr-spinel	3	4	0.2    1.2    0.8		Euhedral to embayed		
Sulfide							
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)	REPLACING / FILLING		COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.				
Antigorite							
Lizardite							
Chrysotile							
Serpentine	76			Olivine, orthopyroxene			
Brucite	5			Mostly orthopyroxene			
Chlorite	3			Orthopyroxene			
Talc							
Carbonate							
Amphibole							
Clay minerals							
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY		COMMENTS	
			min.    max.    av.				
COMMENTS:	Central vein crosscut by subsidiary finer veins of chrysotile. The sample has been cut by several generations of veins, where relict grains of olivine and orthopyroxene are preserved in bands between veins.						

TS: 42 195-1200D-1H-3, 89-93 cm (Piece 5)		Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
ROCK NAME:	Completely altered serpentinite (after harzburgite?)			
GRAIN SIZE:	Medium- to fine-grained			
TEXTURE:	Bastite, mesh			
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min. max. av.	
Olivine		73		
Orthopyroxene		25		
Clinopyroxene				
Amphibole				
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>				
Magnetite	10		Anhedral in veins, after orthopyroxene	
Cr-spinel		2	Turned to magnetite.	
Sulfide				
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT	SIZE (mm) min. max. av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite				
Lizardite				
Chrysotile				
Serpentine	50		Olivine, orthopyroxene	
Brucite	40		Mostly orthopyroxene, vein filling	Partially turned to hydromagnesite (?).
Chlorite				
Talc				
Carbonate				
Amphibole				
Clay minerals				
VEINS	LOCATION	SIZE (mm) min. max. av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 43 195-1200D-1H-2, 96-98 cm			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: Completely altered serpentinite (after harzburgite?)						
GRAIN SIZE: Fine-grained						
TEXTURE: Mesh, hourglass						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine		78				
Orthopyroxene		20				
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	5					
Cr-spinel	1	1.5				
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	74			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Brucite	20			Mostly orthopyroxene		Partially turned to hydromagnesite (?).
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 44 195-1200D-1H-1, 66-70 cm				Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK	
ROCK NAME: Completely altered serpentinite (after harzburgite?)						
GRAIN SIZE: Medium- to fine-grained						
TEXTURE: Mesh						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm)	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	87					
Orthopyroxene	10				Subhedral	Pseudomorphs of serpentine and chlorite.
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
OPAQUE MINERALS						
Magnetite	10		0.01	0.7	0.1	Dust-like vein filling; anhedral
Cr-spinel	<1	3			Anhedral	After Cr-spinel; aligned in former crystals; vein-filling.
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm)		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	83				Olivine, orthopyroxene	
Brucite	1				Olivine, orthopyroxene	
Chlorite	5				Orthopyroxene, Cr-spinel	
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	<1				Orthopyroxene	
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm)		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
			min.    max.    av.			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 45 195-1200D-2H-1, 90-92 cm			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> Completely altered serpentinite (after dunite or harzburgite)						
<b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> Medium- to fine-grained						
<b>TEXTURE:</b> Mesh						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	1	89		0.2		
Orthopyroxene	1	10	0.1    2	1		
Clinopyroxene	<1			0.2		
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	2				Dust-like in veins	
Cr-spinel	1	1		0.4	Euhedral to anhedral	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	94			Olivine and orthopyroxene		
Brucite						
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole	<1					
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 46 195-1200D-8H-1, 115-120 cm	Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK				
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>	Schist Fine-grained Laminated					
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite						
Cr-spinel						
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	5					
Brucite						
Chlorite	95					
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
<b>COMMENTS:</b> A few small euhedral crystals of apatite(?).						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 47 195-1200D-9H-1, 16-20 cm			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)						
GRAIN SIZE: Medium- to fine-grained						
TEXTURE: Mesh, bastite, cumulus						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	13	68	0.1    0.8    0.4	Mg-rich		
Orthopyroxene	17	28	0.1    3    1	Mg-rich		Very strained.
Clinopyroxene	2	2		0.4	Mg-rich	Brown-reddish alteration.
Amphibole						
OPAQUE MINERALS						
Magnetite	1				After Cr-spinel, in clinopyroxene	
Cr-spinel	1	2	0.1    0.8    0.4		Subhedral to embayed	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	50			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Brucite	11			Olivine, orthopyroxene		
Chlorite	5			Orthopyroxene		
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS	
COMMENTS:						



**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 49 195-1200D-5H-1, 40-41 cm			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: Highly altered serpentinite (after harzburgite)						
GRAIN SIZE: Medium- to fine-grained						
TEXTURE: Mesh, hourglass, bastite						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min. max. av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	15	57	<0.1 0.8 0.4	Mg-rich		Sometimes strongly strained.
Orthopyroxene	5	40	0.1 2 0.8	Mg-rich		Strained.
Clinopyroxene	1	1		0.2	Mg-rich	
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	3				Dust-like in veins	
Cr-spinel	2	2			Euhedral to subhedral	
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min. max. av.		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	64				Olivine, orthopyroxene	
Brucite	5				Olivine, orthopyroxene	
Chlorite	5				Orthopyroxene	
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min. max. av.		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 50 195-1200D-5H-2, 80-83 cm			Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK		
ROCK NAME: Completely altered serpentinite (after dunite?)						
GRAIN SIZE: Fine-grained						
TEXTURE: Mesh, bastitic						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine	89					
Orthopyroxene	10					
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite						
Cr-spinel		<1				
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	99					
Brucite						
Chlorite	1					
Talc						
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
						Anastomosing veins.
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 51 195-1200F-1H-4, 34-36 cm	Unit	OBSERVER: IS, MD, MK				
ROCK NAME: <b>Breccia</b>						
GRAIN SIZE:						
TEXTURE: <b>Foliated</b>						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	X					
Cr-spinel						
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	X					
Brucite	X					
Chlorite	X					
Talc						
Carbonate	X					
Amphibole	X					
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
<b>COMMENTS:</b>	Since the rock is extremely heterogeneous, it is not possible to define grain-size or mineral percentage. The rock consists of matrix and three types of schist clasts. The matrix contains, in order of decreasing abundance: fibrous serpentine, chlorite, muscovite, biotite, glaucophane and magnetite. The largest clast is chlorite schist, with abundant chlorite and tremolite, and minor apatite and opaques. The second clast type is serpentinite, made up of hourglass-textured serpentine and/or magnetite. The third type of clast is entirely made up of crystals of glaucophane. "X" indicates the presence of the phases so marked.					

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 52 195-1200F-2H-4, 8-10 cm	Unit	OBSERVER:				
ROCK NAME: <b>Serpentine mud</b>						
GRAIN SIZE:						
TEXTURE:						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene	X					
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite						
Cr-spinel						
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	X					
Brucite	X					
Chlorite	X					
Talc						
Carbonate	X					
Amphibole	X					
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
<b>COMMENTS:</b> The rock is made up of matrix and one large fragment (about 70% of the thin section). The matrix is made up of serpentine with small crystals of carbonate, brucite, clinopyroxene, glaucophane and biotite. The fragment consists of mainly chlorite and carbonate, minor magnetite pseudomorph after Cr-spinel, and traces of amphibole. "X" indicates the presence of the phases so marked.						

**CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200**

TS: 59 195-1200-F-1H-4, 6-8 cm	Unit	OBSERVER:				
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>						
Schist						
Fine-grained						
<b>PRIMARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT PRESENT</b>	<b>PERCENT ORIGINAL</b>	<b>SIZE (mm)</b>	<b>APPROX. COMP.</b>	<b>MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	5					
Cr-spinel	<1					
Sulfide						
<b>SECONDARY MINERALOGY</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>REPLACING / FILLING</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
			<b>min.</b>	<b>max.</b>	<b>av.</b>	
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	47			1.2		Needles.
Brucite	7			0.05		Platy anhedral to subhedral grains associated with magnetite.
Chlorite						
Talc						
Carbonate	<1					
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
Others	40					Presumably brucite altered to a hydromagnesite aggregate.
<b>VEINS</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>		<b>SIZE (mm)</b>		<b>FILLING / MORPHOLOGY</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
			<b>min.</b>	<b>max.</b>	<b>av.</b>	
<b>COMMENTS:</b>						

CORE DESCRIPTIONS  
THIN SECTIONS, SITE 1200

TS: 60 195-1200-F-1H-5, 18-20 cm	Unit	OBSERVER: MD, MK				
<b>ROCK NAME:</b> <b>GRAIN SIZE:</b> <b>TEXTURE:</b>						
Schist						
Fine-grained						
PRIMARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT PRESENT	PERCENT ORIGINAL	SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.	APPROX. COMP.	MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
Olivine						
Orthopyroxene						
Clinopyroxene						
Amphibole						
<b>OPAQUE MINERALS</b>						
Magnetite	1					
Cr-spinel						
Sulfide						
SECONDARY MINERALOGY	PERCENT		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		REPLACING / FILLING	COMMENTS
Antigorite						
Lizardite						
Chrysotile						
Serpentine	4					
Brucite						
Chlorite	48					
Talc	47					
Carbonate						
Amphibole						
Clay minerals						
VEINS	LOCATION		SIZE (mm) min.    max.    av.		FILLING / MORPHOLOGY	COMMENTS
<b>COMMENTS:</b>	The thin section has been made on two separate, but similar pieces. Apatite is found as accessory mineral.					