

APPENDIX I. GRAIN-SIZE ANALYSES, LEG 23

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Sand-silt-clay distribution was determined on 10-cc sediment samples collected at the time the cores were split and described. Results are listed in the table below.

The sediment classification used here is that of Shepard (1954) with the sand, silt, and clay boundaries based on the Wentworth (1922) scale (Figure 1). Thus the sand, silt, and clay fractions are composed of particles whose diameters range from 2000 to 62.5 microns, 62.5 to 3.91 microns, and less than 3.91 microns, respectively. This classification is applied regardless of sediment type and origin; therefore, the sediment names used in this table may differ from those used elsewhere in this volume, e.g., a silt composed of nannofossils in this table may be called a nanno ooze in a site chapter.

Standard sieve and pipette methods were used to determine the grain-size distribution. The sediment sample was dried and dispersed in a Calgon solution. If a sediment sample failed to disaggregate, it was treated with a sonic probe and, if necessary, hydrogen peroxide. Sediment samples which resisted the above treatment were not analyzed.

The sand fraction was removed by wet sieving using a 63-micron sieve, and the silt and clay fractions were analyzed by standard pipette analysis. Sampling depths and times were calculated using equations derived from Stokes settling velocity equation (Krumbein and Pettijohn, 1938, p. 95-96):

$$\frac{D}{t} = V = \frac{2(d_1 - d_2)gr^2}{9\eta}$$

$$t = \frac{9D\eta}{2gr^2(d_1 - d_2)}$$

where

V = velocity in cm/s

t = time in seconds*

D = depth pipette is inserted, in cm

g = gravity in cm/sec²*

r = radius of individual particles in cm*

d_1 = density of solid particles arbitrarily set at 2.675 gm/cc

d_2 = absolute density of distilled water at different temperatures (Hodsman et al., 1960, p. 2129)

η = viscosity of distilled water in poises at different temperatures (Hodsman et al., 1960, p. 2181).*

The reproducibility of the grain-size analysis has been previously tested (Boyce, 1972), and it was found that over a period of time with several operators the reproducibility for the sand-silt-clay fractions is $\pm 2.5\%$ (absolute). For detailed step-by-step procedures see Volume IV of the Initial Reports of the Deep Sea Drilling Project.

*Five figures were used in calculations to avoid rounding off variations.

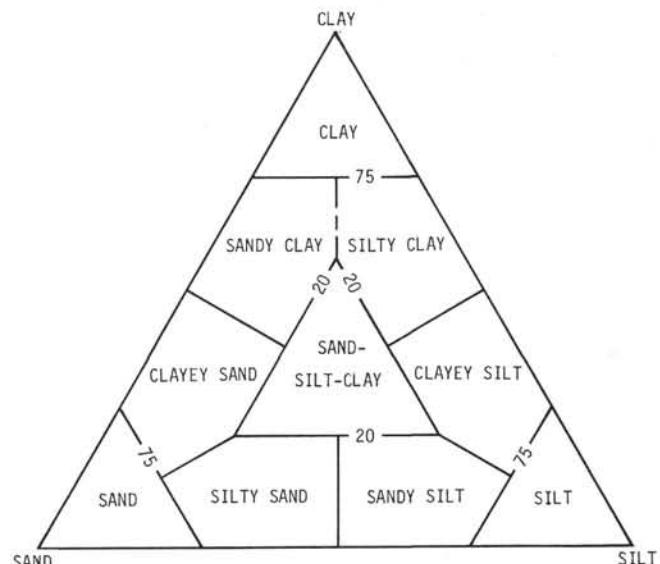


Figure 1. Sediment classification after Shepard (1954) with the sand, silt, and clay-size fractions based on the Wentworth (1932) Grade Scale: Sand, silt, and clay-size particles having respective diameters of 2,000 to 62.5 microns, 62.5 to 3.91 microns, and less than 3.91 microns. Shepard's (1954) sediment classification is a function of sand, silt, and clay-size percentages and not composition.

Grain-size data presented in the following table is in two parts. Part 1 contains data from the DSDP Shore-Based Laboratory and Part 2 shows the results of an analysis by D. C. Jipa.

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Part 1 – DSDP Shore-Based Laboratory Grain-Size Data

Core, Section, Top of Interval (cm)	Subbottom Depth (m)	Sand (%)	Silt (%)	Clay (%)	Classific Classification	Core, Section, Top of Interval (cm)	Subbottom Depth (m)	Sand (%)	Silt (%)	Clay (%)	Classification						
Hole 219																	
1-1, 53	0.5	11.6	34.8	53.6	Silty clay	10-5, 120	107.2	0.0	36.7	63.3	Silty clay						
1-1, 133	1.3	8.1	41.8	50.1	Silty clay	10-6, 1	107.5	0.0	65.6	34.4	Clayey silt						
1-2, 140	2.9	8.7	33.5	57.8	Silty clay	10-6, 6	107.6	0.0	66.5	33.5	Clayey silt						
1-3, 41	3.4	9.7	39.7	50.6	Silty clay	12-2, 19	119.7	0.0	19.2	80.8	Clay						
1-4, 31	4.8	2.6	34.7	62.6	Silty clay	12-2, 44	119.9	0.1	54.3	45.6	Clayey silt						
2-1, 66	6.7	5.3	44.8	49.9	Silty clay	12-2, 60	120.1	19.1	68.8	12.1	Sandy silt						
2-1, 90	6.9	6.4	35.1	58.5	Silty clay	16-1, 135	168.4	0.8	5.0	94.1	Clay						
2-2, 22	7.7	14.2	65.1	20.7	Clayey silt	17-2, 52	217.0	0.2	32.8	67.0	Silty clay						
2-3, 41	9.4	3.7	31.6	64.7	Silty clay	18-1, 12	252.1	0.2	60.7	39.2	Clayey silt						
2-4, 91	11.4	8.5	33.4	58.1	Silty clay	Site 221 – Continued											
2-5, 41	12.4	13.2	31.8	55.0	Silty clay	1-1, 43	0.4	2.0	36.9	61.1	Silty clay						
3-1, 41	15.4	4.3	30.3	65.4	Silty clay	2-1, 51	53.5	0.9	39.6	59.6	Silty clay						
3-2, 41	16.9	1.0	21.6	77.4	Clay	3-2, 41	102.9	0.8	36.3	62.9	Silty clay						
3-3, 41	18.4	22.7	25.9	51.3	Sand-silt-clay	4-1, 71	119.7	0.0	31.5	68.4	Silty clay						
3-4, 41	19.9	20.2	34.5	45.2	Sand-silt-clay	5-2, 41	129.9	0.0	36.3	63.7	Silty clay						
4-2, 41	25.9	9.2	38.1	52.8	Silty clay	6-3, 41	140.4	0.1	38.6	61.3	Silty clay						
4-3, 41	27.4	0.0	33.4	66.6	Silty clay	6-4, 116	142.7	0.0	45.6	54.4	Silty clay						
4-4, 41	28.9	8.8	37.6	53.6	Silty clay	6-4, 120	142.7	0.0	59.6	40.4	Clayey silt						
5-1, 41	33.4	9.3	32.9	57.8	Silty clay	6-4, 127	142.8	0.3	90.7	9.1	Silt						
6-1, 41	42.4	3.2	34.5	62.3	Silty clay	6-4, 136	142.9	2.1	95.4	2.5	Silt						
7-2, 41	52.9	3.1	27.1	69.7	Silty clay	Site 222											
8-2, 41	61.9	4.1	26.8	69.1	Silty clay	7-2, 41	147.9	0.1	47.3	52.6	Silty clay						
9-1, 41	69.4	2.3	26.9	70.8	Silty clay	8-2, 41	185.9	0.3	32.7	67.1	Silty clay						
10-1, 41	78.4	1.9	28.6	69.5	Silty clay	8-4, 67	189.2	0.0	78.0	22.0	Silt						
11-1, 41	82.4	3.9	31.9	64.3	Silty clay	8-4, 75	189.3	0.1	91.1	8.8	Silt						
12-2, 41	92.9	2.1	22.9	75.0	Clay	8-4, 82	189.3	0.1	89.8	10.1	Silt						
13-1, 41	119.4	23.5	43.0	33.5	Sand-silt-clay	Hole 219A											
14-1, 118	129.2	31.5	49.2	19.3	Sandy silt	15-1, 40	156.4	17.1	53.6	29.3	Clayey silt						
15-1, 40	156.4	17.1	53.6	29.3	Clayey silt	16-1, 60	165.6	6.9	57.9	35.3	Clayey silt						
16-1, 60	165.6	6.9	57.9	35.3	Clayey silt	17-2, 70	176.2	0.9	54.4	44.7	Clayey silt						
17-2, 70	176.2	0.9	54.4	44.7	Clayey silt	18-1, 20	183.2	5.7	53.6	40.7	Clayey silt						
18-1, 20	183.2	11.5	49.4	39.1	Clayey silt	19-1, 30	192.3	6.5	45.3	48.2	Silty clay						
20-2, 41	202.9	8.7	48.8	42.4	Clayey silt	21-2, 41	211.9	0.4	19.6	80.0	Clay						
21-2, 41	211.9	0.4	19.6	80.0	Clay	Site 220											
14-3, 63	405.6	22.3	32.7	44.9	Sand-silt-clay	1-1, 74	0.7	3.3	27.3	69.4	Silty clay						
Site 220																	
1-2, 41	1.9	5.3	38.6	56.1	Silty clay	1-3, 41	3.4	2.6	24.6	72.7	Silty clay						
2-1, 41	9.4	1.9	18.1	80.0	Clay	2-1, 41	27.8	0.4	19.6	80.0	Clay						
4-1, 83	27.8	0.4	19.6	80.0	Clay	5-2, 41	37.9	0.2	17.9	81.9	Clay						
5-2, 41	93.4	2.4	36.0	61.6	Silty clay	6-1, 41	102.4	0.6	45.3	54.2	Silty clay						
6-1, 41	102.4	14.4	40.8	43.6	Silty clay	7-1, 41	114.4	0.3	30.0	69.7	Silty clay						
8-3, 41	151.9	0.3	30.0	69.7	Silty clay	9-2, 41	160.9	0.3	47.7	51.9	Silty clay						
10-2, 41	198.4	3.8	47.5	48.7	Silty clay	11-1, 42	233.9	10.5	45.4	44.1	Clayey silt						
11-1, 42	241.9	14.7	43.7	41.6	Clayey silt	12-2, 41	250.8	6.1	47.9	46.0	Clayey silt						
12-2, 41	261.8	10.8	44.5	44.7	Silty clay	13-1, 85	297.7	7.9	46.4	45.7	Clayey silt						
14-1, 80	84.0	0.3	61.9	37.8	Clayey silt	15-2, 42	84.2	1.6	66.9	31.5	Clayey silt						
15-2, 131	84.3	9.3	70.1	20.6	Clayey silt	16-1, 41	84.3	9.3	70.1	20.6	Clayey silt						
17-1, 71	84.3	9.3	70.1	20.6	Clayey silt	18-2, 41	84.3	9.3	70.1	20.6	Clayey silt						
Site 221																	
8-2, 51	1126.4	0.0	37.7	62.3	Silty clay	19-2, 41	1161.9	0.2	37.9	61.9	Silty clay						
8-2, 66	1165.8	0.0	37.5	62.5	Silty clay	20-2, 130	1165.8	0.0	37.5	62.5	Silty clay						
8-2, 82	1165.8	0.0	37.5	62.5	Silty clay	21-2, 50	1165.8	0.0	37.5	62.5	Silty clay						

Core, Section, Top of Interval (cm)	Subbottom Depth (m)	Sand (%)	Silt (%)	Clay (%)	Classification
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Site 222 – Continued

33-2, 31	1212.8	0.0	31.3	68.7	Silty clay
35-1, 85	1286.8	0.1	48.7	51.2	Silty clay
36-2, 55	1297.1	0.0	41.8	58.2	Silty clay

Site 223

1-2, 41	1.9	4.1	47.8	48.1	Silty clay
2-2, 41	29.9	1.9	45.1	53.0	Silty clay
2-2, 91	30.4	18.7	73.1	8.2	Sandy silt
2-2, 128	30.8	51.9	40.0	8.1	Silty sand
2-3, 6	31.1	53.6	37.8	8.6	Silty sand
2-3, 34	31.3	54.0	33.9	12.1	Silty sand
2-3, 45	31.5	1.3	50.6	48.2	Clayey silt
4-2, 41	142.9	1.0	63.1	36.0	Clayey silt
5-2, 41	151.9	1.0	55.1	44.0	Clayey silt
6-2, 41	169.9	1.1	59.8	39.1	Clayey silt
7-2, 41	225.9	1.0	25.6	73.4	Silty clay
9-2, 73	273.2	1.0	47.8	51.3	Silty clay
10-2, 100	292.5	1.4	47.5	51.1	Silty clay
11-1, 41	309.4	0.8	51.3	47.9	Clayey silt
12-2, 41	329.9	1.0	41.4	57.6	Silty clay
13-2, 40	348.9	0.7	53.9	45.3	Clayey silt
14-2, 41	367.9	0.8	43.7	55.5	Silty clay
15-2, 41	376.9	0.9	52.2	46.9	Clayey silt
16-2, 42	385.9	0.9	32.1	67.0	Silty clay
17-2, 43	394.9	0.2	52.0	47.8	Clayey silt
18-2, 41	403.9	0.3	29.7	70.0	Silty clay
19-2, 23	412.7	0.8	46.6	52.6	Silty clay
19-2, 41	412.9	0.2	47.0	52.8	Silty clay
19-2, 58	413.1	0.6	53.1	46.4	Clayey silt
19-2, 98	413.5	1.7	84.7	13.6	Silt
19-2, 145	414.0	27.2	55.9	16.8	Sandy silt
20-2, 41	421.9	0.4	50.5	49.1	Clayey silt
21-1, 62	429.6	0.1	30.2	69.7	Silty clay
22-2, 41	439.9	0.1	26.9	73.0	Silty clay
23-2, 41	452.9	0.4	35.2	64.5	Silty clay
24-1, 41	460.4	0.3	26.7	73.0	Silty clay
25-2, 41	470.9	0.9	34.9	64.2	Silty clay
26-2, 41	479.9	0.3	48.1	51.6	Silty clay
27-2, 41	488.9	0.8	22.9	76.3	Clay
28-1, 70	496.7	7.1	48.2	44.8	Clayey silt
29-1, 79	515.8	6.9	49.9	43.2	Clayey silt
30-1, 61	524.6	0.2	41.9	58.0	Silty clay
31-1, 20	544.2	13.6	34.3	52.1	Silty clay
32-2, 41	564.9	7.8	30.2	62.0	Silty clay
33-2, 41	582.9	7.2	16.1	81.7	Clay
34-2, 96	592.5	0.7	12.0	87.3	Clay
35-2, 40	610.9	1.8	33.3	64.9	Silty clay

Site 224

2-2, 37	95.9	0.3	35.1	64.6	Silty clay
4-1, 64	259.6	0.4	17.4	82.2	Clay
5-2, 75	352.3	0.0	72.1	27.9	Clayey silt
6-1, 9	453.1	0.0	25.3	74.7	Silty clay
6-4, 42	457.9	0.1	18.1	81.8	Clay
7-1, 48	571.5	0.0	37.1	62.9	Silty clay
8-1, 70	632.7	0.0	76.5	23.4	Silt
8-5, 13	638.1	0.0	58.6	41.4	Clayey silt
8-5, 18	638.2	6.1	67.8	26.0	Clayey silt
8-5, 26	638.3	9.3	68.8	21.8	Clayey silt
8-5, 32	638.3	0.1	50.4	49.5	Clayey silt
8-5, 41	638.4	3.1	72.1	24.8	Clayey silt
8-5, 45	638.5	4.3	70.0	25.7	Clayey silt
8-5, 52	638.5	8.4	71.6	20.1	Clayey silt

Core, Section, Top of Interval (cm)	Subbottom Depth (m)	Sand (%)	Silt (%)	Clay (%)	Classification
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Site 224 – Continued

10-2, 71	756.2	0.2	5.6	94.2	Clay
11-1, 30	783.3	11.2	39.6	49.2	Silty clay
11-1, 80	783.8	0.6	30.6	68.8	Silty clay

Site 225

1-2, 41	1.9	0.9	58.4	40.7	Clayey silt
3-2, 115	20.6	4.8	45.0	50.3	Silty clay
4-1, 120	25.7	4.9	45.1	50.1	Silty clay
5-2, 50	29.0	3.2	36.7	60.1	Silty clay
12-1, 110	78.1	30.3	35.2	34.5	Sand-silt-clay
13-5, 25	83.3	10.7	42.9	46.3	Silty clay
13-6, 28	84.8	13.5	47.7	38.8	Clayey silt
14-2, 45	88.0	2.0	48.7	49.3	Silty clay
15-2, 122	97.7	0.3	58.1	41.6	Clayey silt
17-2, 56	115.1	0.3	52.6	47.1	Clayey silt
18-1, 78	122.8	0.4	41.1	58.5	Silty clay

Site 227

13-1, 25	90.3	1.9	34.5	63.6	Silty clay
16-1, 105	114.1	2.7	59.9	37.5	Clayey silt
16-2, 22	114.7	2.9	34.5	62.6	Silty clay
18-2, 120	133.7	0.4	42.8	56.9	Silty clay
19-2, 14	141.6	1.1	48.3	50.6	Silty clay
20-2, 78	151.3	0.8	33.0	66.2	Silty clay
20-3, 140	153.4	1.8	47.7	50.5	Silty clay
20-5, 35	155.4	0.0	37.4	62.6	Silty clay
22-4, 68	163.2	1.4	54.9	43.8	Clayey silt
24-6, 49	184.0	0.1	40.6	59.2	Silty clay
25-2, 39	186.9	6.6	42.9	50.6	Silty clay
28-2, 47	214.0	0.0	95.7	4.2	Silt

Site 228

4-5, 21	30.2	9.1	50.3	40.6	Clayey silt
4-5, 39	30.4	16.2	58.0	25.8	Clayey silt
4-5, 49	30.5	13.6	62.4	24.0	Clayey silt
6-5, 83	48.8	4.5	73.2	22.2	Clayey silt
6-5, 115	49.2	3.2	71.2	25.6	Clayey silt
6-5, 125	49.3	3.3	71.7	25.0	Clayey silt
7-6, 64	59.1	6.3	58.6	35.1	Clayey silt
7-6, 78	59.3	10.2	67.4	22.4	Clayey silt

Hole 229A

6-5, 85	80.9	27.8	42.4	29.9	Sand-silt-clay
6-5, 114	81.1	38.9	41.4	19.7	Sandy silt
6-5, 120	81.2	27.8	44.2	28.0	Sand-silt-clay

Part 2 – Grain-Size Analysis by D. C. Jipa^a

Core, Section, Interval (cm)	Grain-Size Fractions (%)						Md_{ϕ}^b	Mz_{ϕ}^b	$\sigma_{i\phi}^b$	Sk_i^b	K_G^b	C(1%) ^c ϕ
	Sand	Silt	Clay									
Site 221												
5-3, 128-129	4.7	24.9	70.4	9.5	9.5	2.6	0.0	0.9	1.7			
5-3, 133-134	0.1	35.4	64.5	8.3	8.4	1.4	0.0	1.1	5.2			
5-3, 137-138	0.2	30.2	69.6	8.8	8.6	1.6	0.1	1.0	4.9			
5-3, 147-148	0.4	49.7	49.9	8.0	7.9	1.6	0.0	1.0	4.4			
5-4, 18-20	0.2	55.8	44.9	7.4	8.0	1.6	0.6	0.3	4.5			
5-4, 35-37	0.0	56.9	43.1	7.6	7.3	1.6	0.1	0.8	4.4			
5-4, 42-44	0.5	91.1	8.3	5.7	6.0	1.4	0.4	0.7	4.1			
8-2, 32-33	0.0	21.3	78.7	9.6	9.7	1.7	0.1	0.8	5.2			
8-2, 47-48	0.1	34.6	65.3	8.8	9.4	2.3	0.5	0.9	5.7			
8-2, 56-57	1.0	66.5	32.6	7.3	7.9	2.0	0.4	1.7	4.0			
8-2, 61-62	0.2	56.4	43.4	7.9	8.6	1.9	0.6	1.2	5.0			
8-2, 64-65	1.5	70.1	28.4	7.0	7.6	2.4	0.4	1.3	3.4			
8-2, 73-74	3.7	69.7	26.6	6.7	7.2	2.3	0.4	1.4	3.2			
8-2, 84-85	9.1	72.0	18.9	5.8	6.2	2.5	0.4	1.2	2.6			
10-5, 90-91	0.2	44.8	55.1	8.2	8.1	1.5	-0.5	0.9	5.7			
10-5, 102-103	0.0	54.2	45.8	7.2	7.6	1.7	0.3	0.8	4.8			
10-5, 139-140	0.1	82.3	17.6	7.1	7.1	1.6	0.2	2.2	4.7			
10-5, 149-150	0.0	70.1	29.9	6.4	7.4	2.5	0.6	1.1	4.5			
12-2, 3-4	0.2	39.8	60.0	8.6	8.9	2.1	0.2	0.9	4.9			
12-2, 17-18	0.0	30.5	69.5	9.0	9.0	1.6	0.0	0.9	5.2			
12-2, 32.5-33.5	0.2	17.2	82.6	9.4	9.5	1.6	0.1	0.9	5.2			
12-2, 43-43	0.3	48.8	50.9	8.1	8.2	1.4	0.1	0.7	4.4			
12-2, 51-52	0.2	69.4	30.4	7.0	7.7	2.0	0.6	1.2	4.7			
12-2, 58-59	23.4	65.4	11.2	4.4	5.0	1.8	0.6	1.9	2.3			
Site 222												
Coarser Grained Intercalations												
9-3, 81-83	0.0	43.3	56.7	8.3	8.6	2.1	0.1	0.9	5.2			
9-3, 94-96	0.5	68.0	31.5	6.9	7.6	2.1	0.5	1.1	4.3			
9-3, 113-115	0.3	77.6	22.4	6.4	7.0	1.9	0.6	1.4	4.4			
9-3, 135-137	0.1	88.3	11.6	5.8	6.1	1.4	0.7	1.9	4.4			
9-4, 5-7	0.6	86.5	12.9	5.6	6.1	1.4	0.6	0.9	4.2			
9-4, 32.5-34.5	0.9	91.5	7.6	5.2	5.4	1.2	0.5	1.7	4.0			
28-5, 74-75.5	22.9	63.8	13.3	5.3	5.5	2.0	0.2	1.2	2.2			
28-5, 84-86	26.6	63.2	10.2	5.0	5.1	1.9	0.1	1.2	2.0			
28-5, 93-94.5	26.6	63.2	10.2	5.1	5.2	2.0	0.2	1.2	2.0			
Fine-grained Sediments												
1-4, 85-87	3.3	48.2	48.5	7.9	8.0	2.6	0.1	0.9	3.1			
2-4, 143-145	2.3	56.9	40.8	7.1	7.7	2.9	0.3	0.9	3.5			
3-2, 54-56	1.4	33.3	59.3	8.6	8.1	2.3	-0.1	1.2	3.8			
4-1, 90-92	0.1	40.0	59.9	8.7	8.9	2.3	0.2	0.9	4.5			
5-3, 60-62	0.1	41.9	57.9	8.5	8.9	2.5	0.3	0.9	5.4			
5-5, 60-62	0.3	40.7	59.0	8.8	8.5	1.6	-0.2	0.8	5.2			
6-2, 50-52	0.0	42.1	57.9	8.6	9.1	2.6	0.3	0.9	5.0			
12-2, 33-35	0.0	41.4	58.6	8.5	8.9	2.3	0.1	0.9	4.6			
13-3, 44-46	0.0	45.4	54.6	8.3	8.8	2.6	0.3	0.9	4.9			
22-2, 22-24	0.2	46.8	53.0	8.7	8.9	2.2	0.1	0.9	4.8			

^aGeological Institute, Bucharest, Romania^bMd, Mz, σ_i , SK_i, K_G according to Folk and Ward (1957) formulas.^cC(1%) according to Passegia (1964).