





Core Plug 60 (2908.65 m)

This is a rock in which siderite shows a rather patchy development. The field of view shows, on the left-hand side, a relatively large patch of siderite (larger than adjacent quartz grains) and on the right-hand side a more siderite-poor area in which more blue porosity can be seen. It appears likely from the size and almost monomineralic nature of the siderite aggregates that these have replaced pre-existing minerals.

Figure 11	Blackback 1 (Original Hole)	
Quartz	35%	
Feldspar	2%	
Glauconite	12%	
Mica	1%	
Matrix Clay	4%	
Siderite	33%	