

SUMMARY OF FORAMINIFERAL DATA FROM TURRUM - 2

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Side wall core depth	ZONE	Quality	Environment & Comments
2900	D-1	1	Shelf/slope break
3100	D-1	1	" " "
3300	D-1	2	Slope canyon with displaced & shape sorted faunas
3500	D-1	1	as above
3700	D-1	2	" " " " "
3900	D-1	2	Slope canyon with size & shape sorted fauna
4100	D-1	1	" " " " "
4200	D-1	1	" " " " "
4300	D-1	1	Slope or slope canyon with displaced shallow water benthonics. ? Initial canyon fill.
4400	D-1	2	" " " " "
4492	D-2	1	" " " " "
4800	D-2	1	" " " " "
UNSAMPLED INTERVAL			Interval 5030' to 4800' may be abbreviated or F and/or E missing. There is evidence of slope instability in Turrum-1. In this section there is evidence of canyon cutting or strong down slope currents at 4800' (see above).
No recovery of S.W.C's 13 & 14			
5030	G	0	Base of slope and/or inner rise
5040	H-1	0	" " " " "
5060	H-1	0	" " " " "
5073	H-1	0	" " " " "
5078	NO FAUNA FOUND		

N.B. Above listed ^{were} ~~are~~ the only samples submitted. Turrum-2 is evidently structurally higher than Turrum-1 where Zones H-2 and I-1 were recognised and where a benthonic fauna of probable late Eocene age was reported.

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Foram Zonules

	Highest Data	Quality	2 Way Time	Lowest Data	Quality	2 Way Time
MIOCENE	A _____ Alternate					
	B _____ Alternate					
	C _____ Alternate					
	D _____ 2900	1		4400	2	
	D ₁ _____ Alternate			4300	1	
	D ₂ _____ 4492	1		4800*	1	
	D ₂ _____ Alternate					
	E _____ Alternate					
	F _____ Alternate					
	G _____ 5030*	0		5030	0	
G _____ Alternate						
OLIGOCENE	H ₁ _____ 5040	0		5073	0	
	H ₁ _____ Alternate					
	H ₂ _____ Alternate					
	I ₁ _____ Alternate					
EOC.	I ₂ _____ Alternate					
	J ₁ _____ Alternate					
	J ₂ _____ Alternate					
	K _____ Alternate					
	Pre K					

No fauna was found in S.W.C9 at 5078'. From samples submitted 5073' (= H-1) is base of foraminiferal sequence which is much higher than Turrum-1 where H-2 and I were present as well as late Eocene faunas.

COMMENTS: * S.W.C's 13 & 14 were not recovered in the interval between 5030 & 4800. Over this interval the sequence could be abbreviated or F and/or E missing as slope instability is evident over the equivalent biostratigraphic interval in Turrum-1. Also down slope currents are apparent during D-2 in Turrum-2.

Note: If highest or lowest data is a 3 or 4, then an alternate 0, 1, 2 highest or lowest data will be filled in if control is available.

If a sample cannot be interpreted to be one zonule, as apart from the other, no entry should be made.

- 0 SWC or Core - Complete assemblage (very high confidence).
- 1 SWC or Core - Almost complete assemblage (high confidence).
- 2 SWC or Core - Close to zonule change but able to interpret (low confidence).
- 3 Cuttings - Complete assemblage (low confidence).
- 4 Cuttings - Incomplete assemblage, next to uninterpretable or SWC with depth suspicion (very low confidence).