

ABSTRACT

Reservoir Characterization and Prediction of the Lower Cretaceous Glauconite Member
at Jenner-Suffield Field, Alberta, Canada

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Significant hydrocarbon reserves at Jenner and Suffield fields of southern Alberta, Canada, occur within the Lower Cretaceous Glauconitic Member of the Upper Mannville Formation. The Glauconitic Member accumulated within fluvial-estuarine environments during transgressive sea level rise following an episode of lowstand paleovalley incisement. Borehole data were used to identify petrofacies within the Glauconitic Member and characterize their controls on reservoir quality, production characteristics, and petrophysical attributes for facies prediction.

Analysis of facies-specific core data indicates that the greatest reservoir potential is associated with incised valley filling fluvial Fine and Coarse Channel Sand facies. Gamma ray and density porosity well logs and diagnostic well log patterns were used to generate a semi-quantitative algorithm for Glauconitic facies prediction. A blind test of the predictive algorithm produced 33.1% reproducibility to core observed facies distributions.

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CHAPTER ONE

Introduction

Prospect and Objectives

For over 70 years, incised-valley systems have been explored for their associated hydrocarbon accumulations within the Western Canadian Sedimentary Basin (Broger et. al., 1997; Brown, 1993; Dolson et. al., 1991, 1994; Van Wagoner et. al., 1990; Zaitlin et. al., 1994a, 1995; Zaitlin and Shultz, 1990). Brown (1993) estimates that 25% of the world's stratigraphically entrapped hydrocarbon accumulations occur within lowstand to early transgressive incised-valley filling siliciclastic deposits. In southern Alberta, Canada, the Lower Cretaceous Glauconitic Sandstone contains significant hydrocarbon reserves (Broger, et. al., 1997). The Alberta Energy Resource Conservation Board estimates that the upper Mannville contains $1139 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^3$ OOIP (7.165 billion bbls) and $1458.45 \times 10^9 \text{ m}^3$ OGIP (51.8 TCF) with an average primary recovery factor of 15% (ERCB 1988, 1991, 1992; Broger et. al., 1997). Due to the lack of water drive from the underlying Mississippian deposits, effective hydrocarbon recovery requires water injection to maintain reservoir pressure (Broger et. al., 1997). Effective schemes of secondary recovery provide a recovery factor of 55% (Broger et. al., 1997; ERCB, 1991).

Previous studies of the Glauconitic Sandstone include detailed rock-based description and analysis, seismic analysis, an assessment of regional paleogeography and associated channel morphology, structural geologic modification, and reservoir compartmentalization as defined sequence stratigraphically (Broger, et. al., 1997,

Cederwall, 1991; Farshori, 1983; Hopkins, et. al., 1982; Koladich, 2004; Lynch, 2003; Lynch and Hopkins, 2001; Reinson, 1989; Sherwin, 1996; Strobl, 1988; Wood, 1994; Wood and Hopkins, 1989, 1992). No study, however, has evaluated the utility of well logs in characterizing and predicting Glauconitic reservoir facies distributions in wells lacking core control. Such a predictive tool would more accurately characterize the distribution of Glauconitic facies and thereby reduce the risk (and associated cost) of development drilling and production optimization. With this in mind, the objectives of this study are to: 1) create a core-calibrated depositional facies model for the Glauconite reservoir, 2) quantify the relationship between depositional facies, reservoir quality, and well log response, and 3) determine whether petrophysical algorithms may be used to accurately predict the occurrence of depositional (reservoir) facies in wells lacking core control.

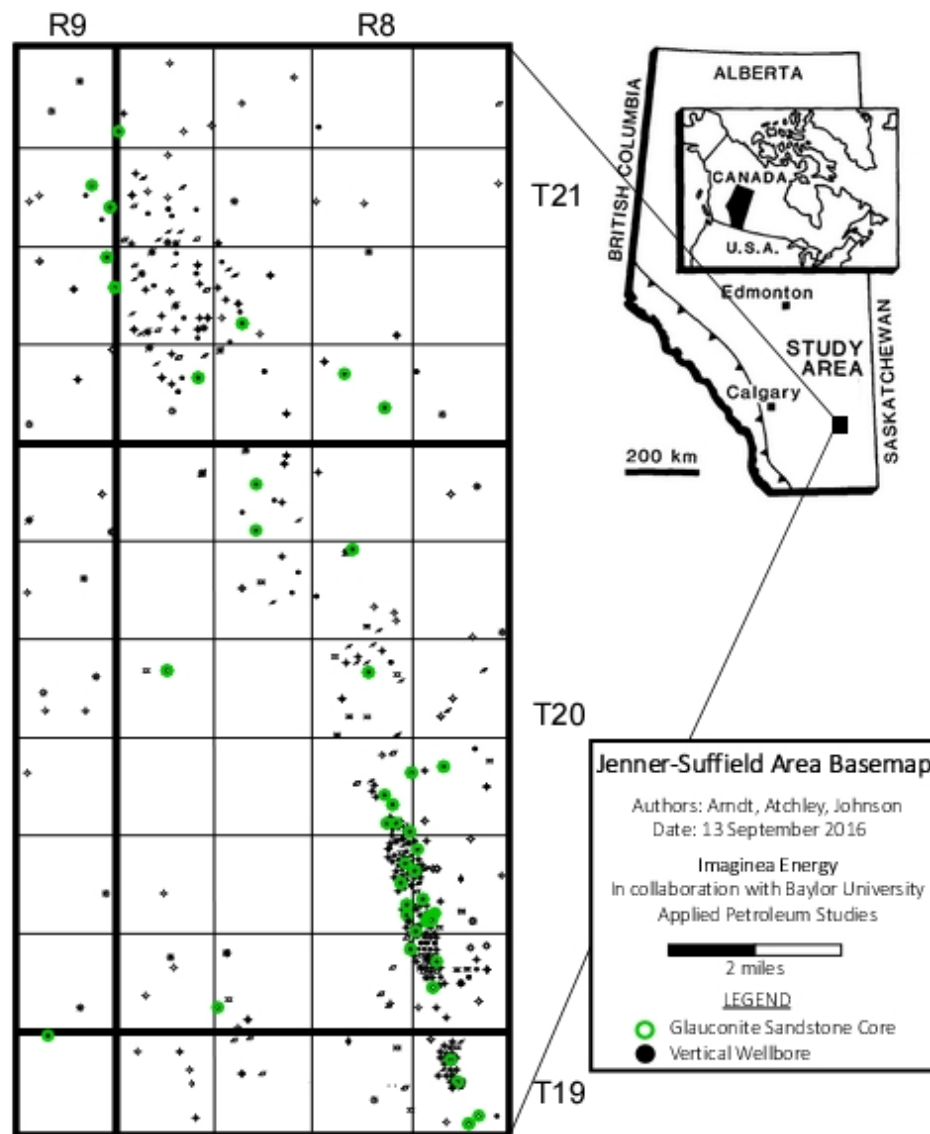


Figure 1: Basemap for the Jenner-Suffield field area. Data utilized in the study includes vertical wells with wireline logs (various black well symbols) and Glauconite core (green circles). Alberta reference map modified from Wood (1994).

Geologic Setting

The study area is located in southern Alberta, Canada within Townships 19-21N and Ranges 8-9W5 and includes the Jenner and Suffield fields (Figure 1). This portion of the Western Canada Sedimentary Basin (WCSB) experienced lithosphere loading and crustal thickening from the Late Jurassic Columbian Orogeny until the Late Cretaceous/Early Tertiary (Koladich, 2004; Smith, 1994) and caused the migration of the foreland basin depositional axis east of the present Canadian Rocky Mountains (Lynch, 2003). Tectonic uplift during this time resulted in deep erosion of the antecedent stratigraphic succession prior to Mannville Formation deposition (Jackson, 1984).

The Glauconitic Member of the Upper Mannville Formation is bounded below and above by unconformity surfaces induced by sea level fluctuations across the Lower Cretaceous (Aptian to Albian) paleo coastal plain (Figure 2) (Karvonen and Pemberton, 1997). The base of the Glauconitic Member across the study area consists of a NNW-trending incised valley complex along the western margin of the Cretaceous Western Interior Seaway that was back-filled by fluvial and estuarine deposits during an ensuing episode of sea level rise (Figure 3) (Hayes et. al., 2008; Karvonen and Pemberton, 1997; Koladich, 2004; Sherwin, 1996; Wood, 1994). During deposition, coastal plain environments occupied the southeastern portion of central Alberta, whereas wave-dominated siliclastic shorelines occupied the northwestern portion (Chiang, 1984; Jackson, 1984; Strobl, 1988). This resulted in a complex association of fluvial, deltaic, and marine environments across central and southern Alberta during the Lower

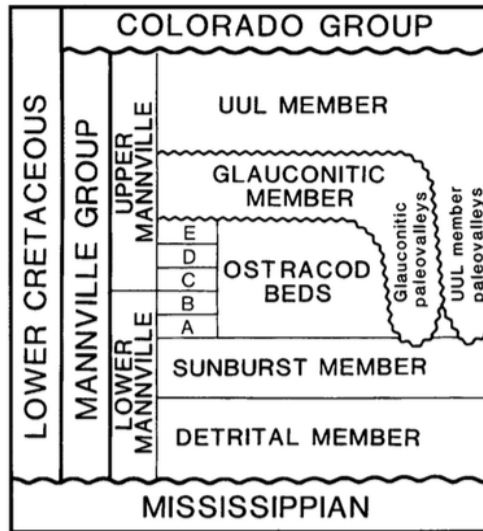


Figure 2: Stratigraphic summary chart for the Lower Cretaceous Mannville Group in southern Alberta. The Glauconitic Member occurs unconformably above the Ostracod Member and unconformably below the Upper Mannville Formation (UUL Member). Modified from Glaister (1959), Farshori (1983), and Wood and Hopkins (1989).

Cretaceous (Farshori, 1983; Hopkins et al., 1982; Hradsky and Griffin, 1984; James, 1985; Koladich, 2004). Within the study area, the Glauconite Member sandstone accumulated within fluvial channel fill environments, and across the region within a broader complex of fluvial, estuarine, deltaic, and shelfal marine environments (Farshori, 1983; Hopkins et al., 1982; James, 1985; Karnoven and Pemberton, 1994; Wood, 1994; Wood and Hopkins, 1989). Stratigraphic correlations across the study area indicate an association of stacked (multi-story) fluvial channels (Johnson, 2017). The fluvial channels are gradationally overlain by overbank mudrocks and coal deposits of the Upper Mannville. At Jenner and Suffield, most wells are hydrocarbon productive within the uppermost fluvial channel complex of the Glauconite Member.

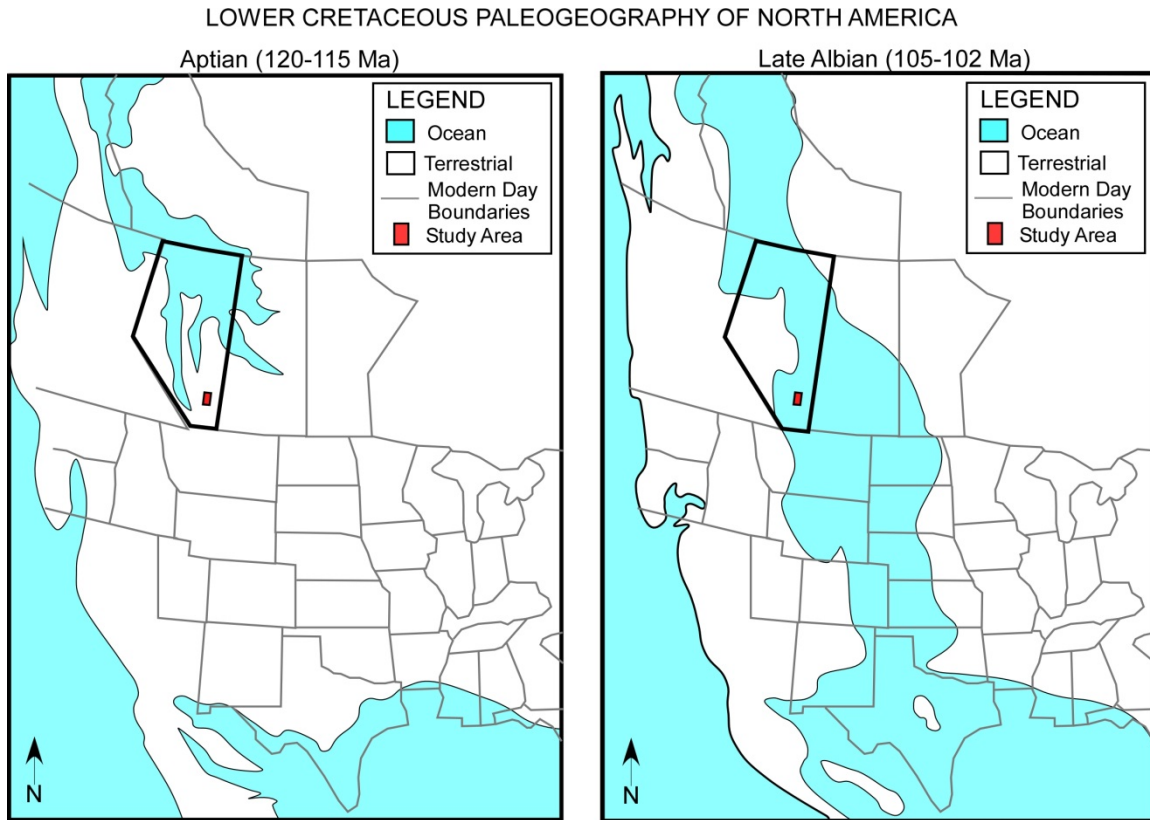


Figure 3. Relative lowstand (left) and highstand (right) paleogeographic reconstructions of North America during the Lower Cretaceous (Aptian to Albian). Alberta is outlined in black, and the study area is indicated by the small red box. Modified from Blakey (2016a and 2016b).

Data and Methodology

Digital wireline log and production history data from 333 vertical wells were retrieved through IHS AccuMap and included in the study (Figure 1). Well log data (gamma ray, neutron-density, and resistivity) and detailed core descriptions and accompanying core analysis data (porosity, permeability, fluid saturation) from 40 wells were used for reservoir characterization. Approximately 660 meters of core were described at the Energy Resources Conservation Board (ERCB) Core Research Centre in Calgary, Alberta. Core descriptions document the vertical distribution of dominant grain

size, percentage of mud, type of mechanical sedimentary structures (if present), ichnofabric index (*sensu* Drosser and Bottjer, 1986) and associated ichnofacies, presence and type of cement, fracture density, and depositional environment (Appendix A). Diagnostic features and select intervals were photographed and the photo locations are annotated on the core descriptions for each well. Core descriptions were digitized within Microsoft Excel and merged with digital core analysis and wireline log data to generate univariate and bivariate statistical plots. A type well log for the study interval is provided in Figure 4.

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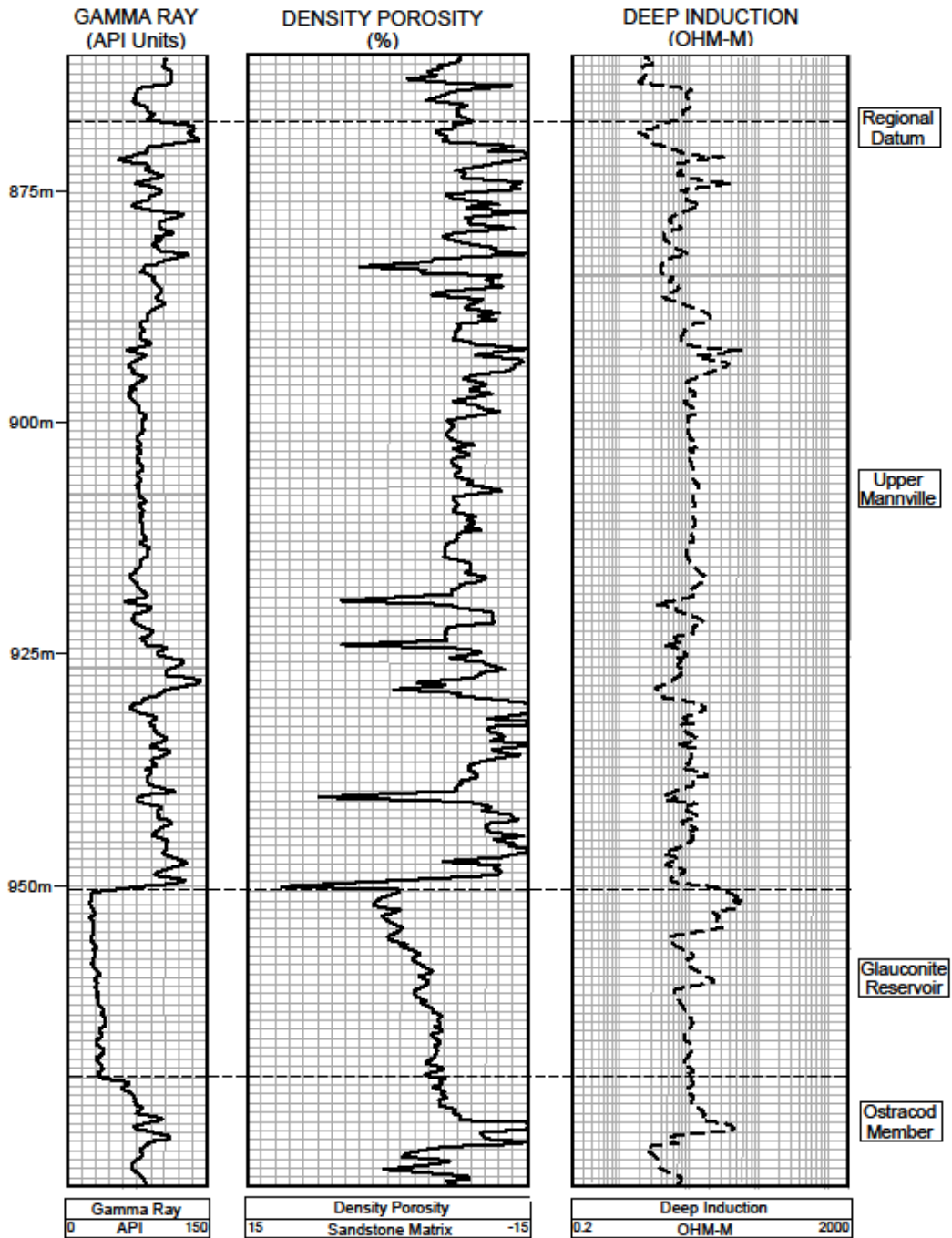


Figure 4. Type log for the Glauconitic Sandstone reservoir interval at Jenner-Suffield from well UWI 00/13-05-020-08W4/0. This figure highlights the position of the Glauconitic reservoir in relation to the Ostracod Member and Upper Mannville Formation.

CHAPTER TWO

Depositional Facies

Previous research has variably attributed Glauconitic Member deposition across central and southern Alberta to a shallow marine prograding shoreface (Jackson 1984; Koladich, 2004), highstand barrier islands and associated bar forms (Holmes and Rivard, 1976; Tilley and Longstaffe, 1984), coastal lowstand to early transgressive incised valley fill deposits that were either fluvial (Hopkins et. al., 1982; Hradsky and Griffin, 1984; Fashori, 1983; Karvonen and Pemberton, 1997), lacustrine (Farshori, 1983; Hopkins et. al. 1982; Hopkins, 1987), estuarine (Banerjee, 1989; Reinson, 1989, Wood and Hopkins, 1989), or tidally-influenced (Barclay and Smith, 1992; Cederwall, 1991; Leckie and Smith, 1992; Koladich, 2004). Observations within core suggest that the Glauconitic within the study area was deposited as incised valley fluvial fill, of which, four depositional facies are differentiated on the basis of textural composition, grain size, mud content, mechanical sedimentary structures, and ichnofabric index (*sensu* Droser and Bottjer, 1986). A summary of the diagnostic attributes by which each facies is recognized is provided in Table 1, and representative photographs of each facies are provided in Figure 5.

Table 1. Facies summary table for the Glauconite Member at Jenner-Suffield field.

Name	<i>Fine Channel Sand</i>	<i>Coarse Channel Sand</i>	<i>Organic Rich Coal</i>	<i>Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sand</i>
Environment	Fluvial Channel (Facies 1)	Fluvial Channel (Facies 2)	Swamp (Facies 3)	Fluvial Overbank (Facies 4)
Typical Mud Content	0-10%	0-5%	>50%	80-100%
Grain Size	Very fine to medium	Coarse to granule	Silt and carbonaceous mudstone	Very fine sand and mud
Ichnofabric Index	1-4	1-2	1-5	1-4
Ichnofacies	<i>Scoyenia</i> undifferentiated	Not observed	<i>Scoyenia</i> undifferentiated	<i>Scoyenia</i> undifferentiated
Mechanical Sedimentary Structures	mm and cm-laminations, planar-horizontal laminations, scours, trough cross bedding, planar tabular cross bedding, current ripples, root traces, soft sediment deformation	Trough cross bedding, scours, massive unstratified	mm-laminations, root traces, slickensides	Burrows, flaser bedding, root traces, mm-laminations
Average Porosity (fraction)	0.27	0.25	0.10	0.10
Median Kmax (md)	757	2145	201	1.5

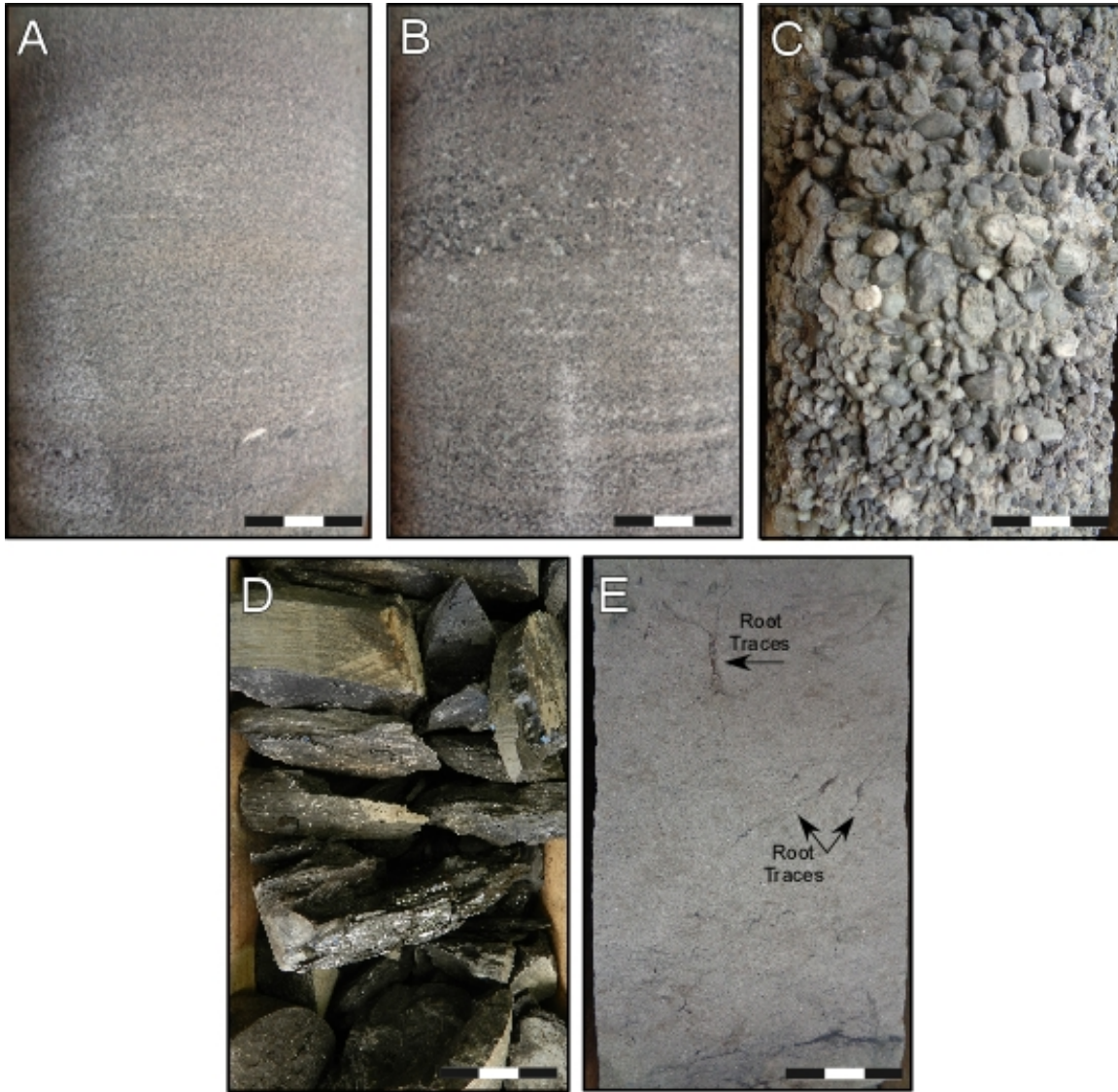


Figure 5. Representative core photographs of Glauconitic Member depositional facies observed within the study area. Scale bar is 3cm. (A) Fine Channel Sand in well 02/10-13-021-09W4/0 at a depth of -948m. (B) Fine Channel Sand in well 02-10-13-021-09W4/0 at a depth of -946m. (C) Coarse Channel Sand in well 00/04-19-021-08W4/0 at a depth of -951.6m. (D) Organic Rich Coal in well 02/09-16-020-08W4/0 at a depth of -911m. (E) Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sand in well 03/05-05-020-08W4/0 at a depth of -962m. Both A and B provide examples of the textural ranges within the Fine Channel Sand. Note the carbonaceous root traces in image E (labeled)

Facies FCH -Fine Channel Sand

Description - Fine Channel Sand (Figure 5A and 5B) is a quartz-rich, very fine to medium sandstone. Mud content is low (0-10%) and undifferentiated *Scoyenia* trace fossils range from 1-4 on the ichnofabric Index, and have an average value of 1.

Mechanical sedimentary structures include mm- and cm-scale laminations, planar-horizontal laminations, scours, trough cross bedding, planar tabular cross bedding, current ripples, root traces, and soft sediment deformation. The average porosity is 27% and the median permeability is 757 md.

Interpretation - The *Scoyenia* trace fossils, current ripples, scours, and root traces suggest fresh water, uni-directional flow associated with a fluvial (channel) environment (*sensu* Frey, et. al., 1984; Todd, 1996).

Facies CCH – Coarse Channel Sand

Description - Coarse Channel Sand (Figure 5C) contains coarse to granule sized sand grains and low mud content (0-5%), and is interstratified with Fine Channel Sand. Trace fossils are rare and unidentifiable, and the ichnofabric index ranges from 1-2.

Mechanical sedimentary structures include massive/unstratified, trough cross beds, and scours. The average porosity is 25% and the median permeability is 2145 md.

Interpretation - The coarse grain size, lower flow regime unidirectional bedforms, erosional scours, and intercalation with Fine Channel Sand suggest transport within a fluvial channel.

Facies ORC – Organic Rich Coal

Description - Organic Rich Coal (Figure 5D) is a silty, carbonaceous mudstone where mud content exceeds 50%. Undifferentiated *Scoyenia* ichnofacies trace fossils occur across the ichnofabric range of 1-4 and have an average value of 2. Mechanical sedimentary structures include mm-scale laminations, root traces, and slickensides. The average porosity is 10% and the median permeability is 201 md.

Interpretation - The presence of plant organic material and root traces suggest a terrestrial swamp (*sensu* Frey, et. al., 1984).

Facies VFS – Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sand

Description - Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sand (Figure 5E) includes very fine sand disseminated within mud (80-100% of sediment volume). *Scoyenia* trace fossils vary in abundance from 1-5 on the ichnofabric index and have an average value of 3.

Mechanical sedimentary structures consist of mm-scale laminations, flaser bedding, and root traces. The average porosity is 10% and the median permeability is 1.5 md.

Interpretation - The abundance of burrows, root traces, and mud content suggest a fluvial overbank environment (*sensu* Frey, et. al., 1984). Areas that contain mostly laminated sand suggest high rates of sedimentation, possibly within a channel margin levee.

CHAPTER THREE

Depositional Controls on Reservoir Quality

Scatter plots of maximum daily production and cumulative production data (from cored wells) versus grain size, porosity, and depositional environment were evaluated to determine the controls on production. Within the Glauconitic reservoir, porosity ranges from 4-41% and the 25-75th percentiles are 21.5-28.7%. Permeability (Kmax) ranges from 0.01-10,240 md and the 25-75th percentiles are 311-3702.5 md. These values are consistent with studies by Lynch and Hopkins (2001) for the Upper Mannville at the C Pool for Cessford Field, and Koladich (2004) for the E Pool at Jenner Field.

Although the reservoir interval across the study area consists of 4 stacked channel “cycles” (aka, sequences), baffles to fluid flow are not observed (Johnson, 2017). A plot of cumulative production versus channel “cycle” indicates that channel “cycles” have progressively higher cumulative production in ascending stratigraphic order (Figure 6). This is in spite of each channel “cycle” having similar facies and associated reservoir quality attributes, and suggests bottom to top cross-flow between channel “cycles”.

To further analyze the relationship between reservoir quality and depositional characteristics, the core analysis data were digitized, merged and depth corrected to effectively compare with digital wireline log data. Box plots of each attribute versus core neutron-corrected porosity and permeability (Kmax) were generated to illustrate the total range, mean, median, and 25th-, 50th- and 75th-percentiles.

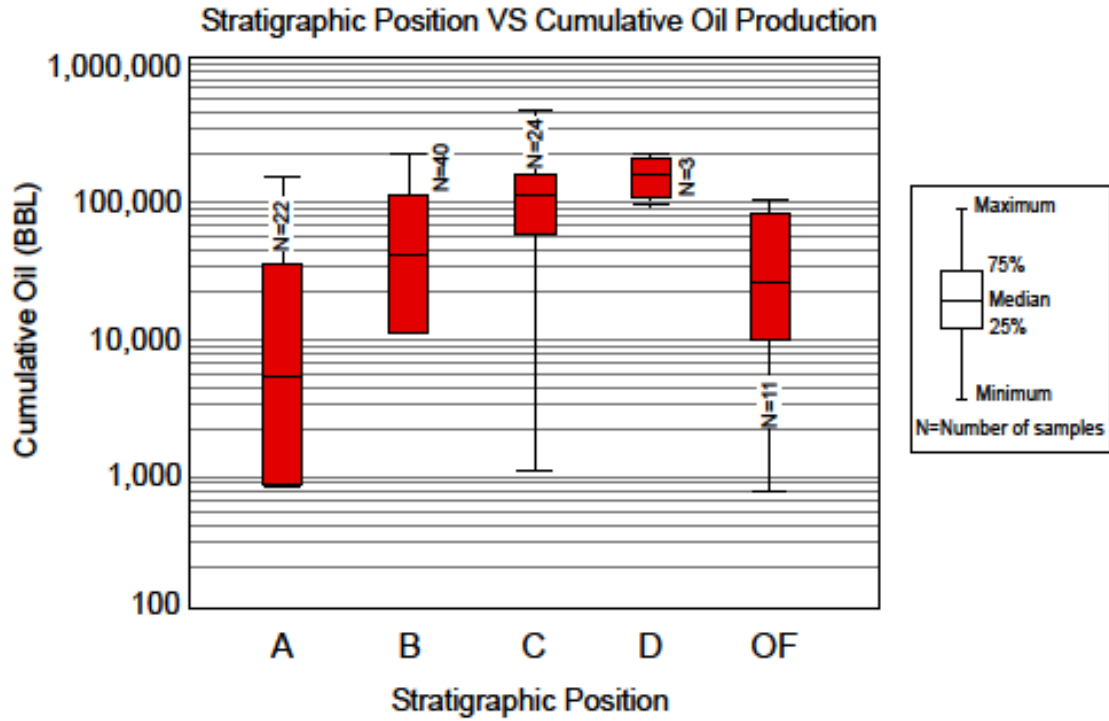


Figure 6. Stratigraphic position of channels A-D (A at the base, D at the top of the reservoir; OF-overbank fine portion) versus cumulative oil production within each channel.

Grain Size versus Porosity and Permeability

Figure 7 documents the relationship between grain size and porosity and permeability. Increasing permeability values correspond with increasing grain size, whereas porosity increases from the mud to fine sand fraction, and reaches a maximum in the fine and coarser size fractions.

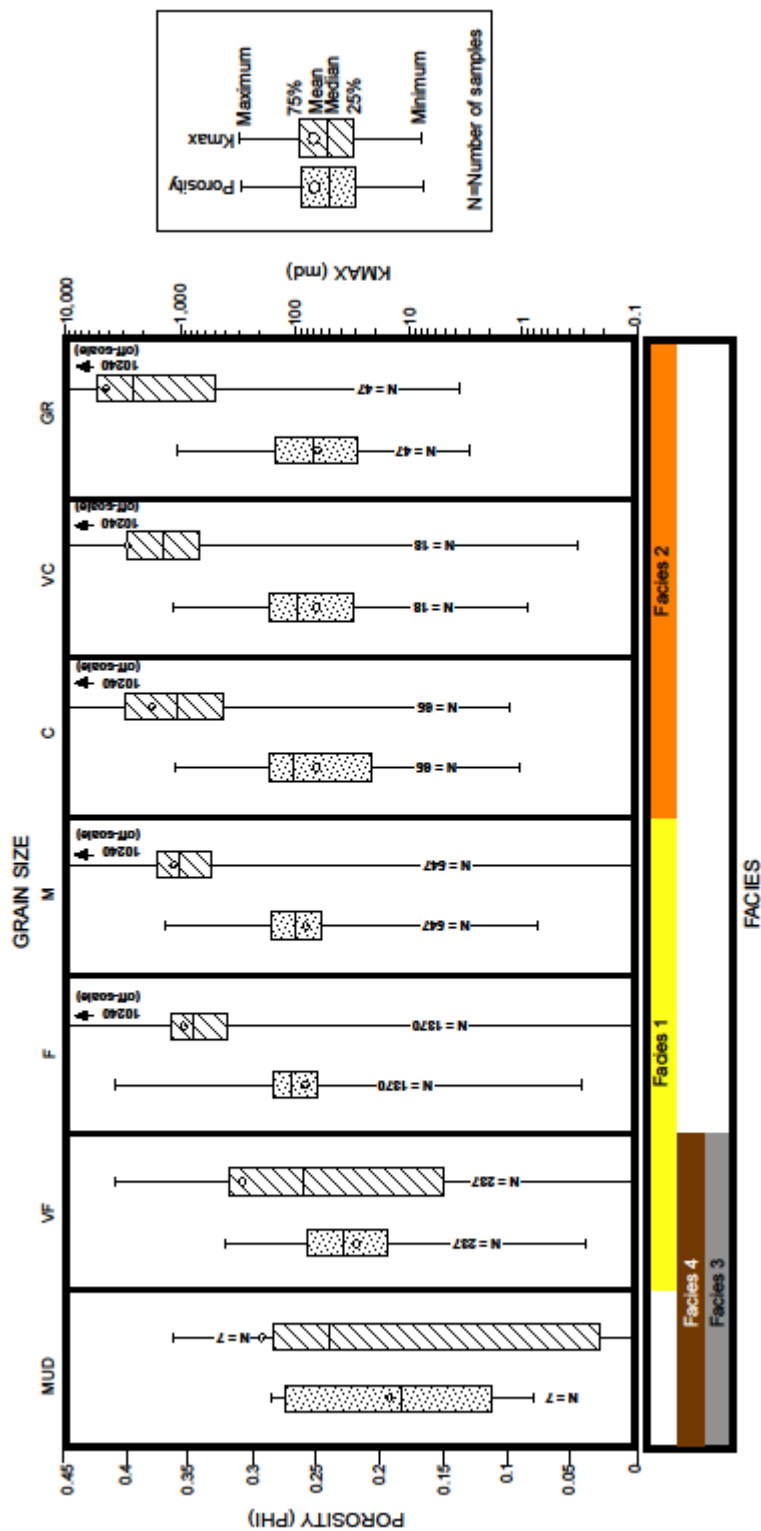


Figure 7. Combined box and whisker plots of grain size versus porosity and Kmax permeability. The colored boxes beneath the box plots highlight the range of grain size associated with each facies. Overall, permeability increases with increasing grain size, and porosity increases above very fine grain size and remains fairly constant in coarser grain size categories. Facies 1 = Fine Channel Sand, Facies 2 = Coarse Channel Sand, Facies 3 = Organic Rich Coal, Facies 4 = Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sand.

Depositional Environment versus Porosity and Permeability

Depositional facies (environments) were also compared with porosity and permeability (Figure 8). Coarse Channel Sand and Fine Channel Sand have the highest permeability, with mean values of 2,813 md and 1,001 md, respectively. The lower porosity and higher permeability of Coarse Channel Sand in comparison with Fine Channel Sand is owing to Coarse Channel being more poorly sorted (reducing porosity) but having comparatively larger grain size and therefore larger pore throat diameters that increase permeability. The Organic Rich Coal (swamp) has a mean permeability of 270 md, and the Very Fine Sand (overbank) has the lowest mean permeability at 178 md.

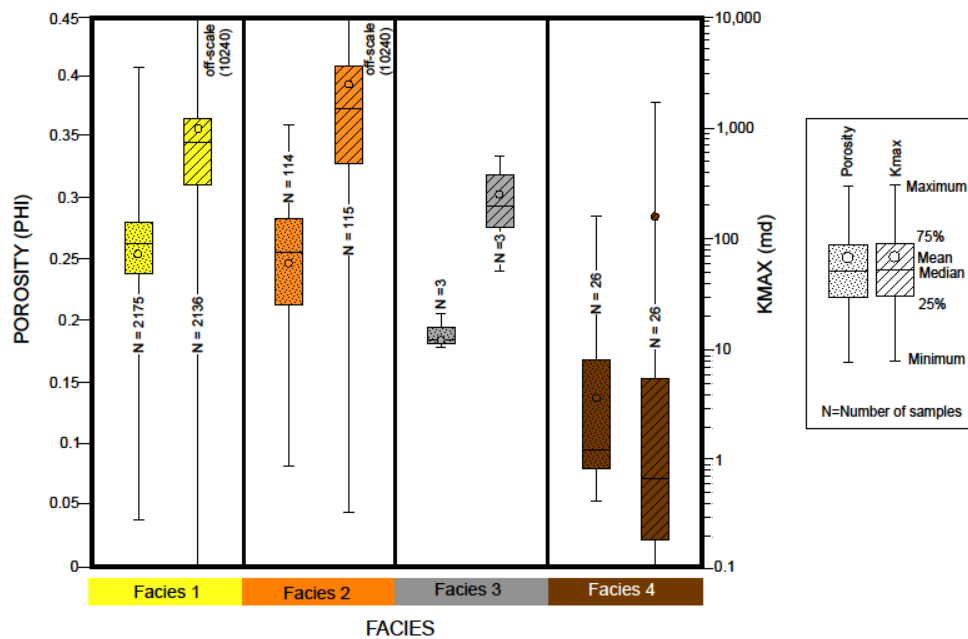


Figure 8. Box and whisker plots of facies versus porosity and Kmax permeability. The highest porosity and permeability is associated with facies 1 and 2. Facies 1 = Fine Channel Sand, Facies 2 = Coarse Channel Sand, Facies 3 = Organic Rich Coal, facies 4 = Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sand

CHAPTER FOUR

Petrophysical Model for Facies Prediction

Digitized core descriptions were compared to gamma ray and sandstone-calibrated density porosity well log response to create a petrophysical algorithm for facies prediction in non-cored wells. These log types were used because they are present in all wells across the study area, and are sensitive to variations in mud content and associated textural variations that are often depositionally controlled. To evaluate depositional controls, box plots of channel facies versus well log values were created to identify the mean, median, 25th -, 50th -, and 75th -percentile for each log type (Figure 9).

Depositional Facies versus Gamma Ray

Fine Channel Sand is characterized by overall higher gamma ray values than Coarse Channel Sand (Figure 9A). The lower gamma ray response associated with Coarse Channel Sand is due to the comparatively lower mud (and clay) content. Noteworthy is that both Fine Channel Sand and Coarse Channel Sand have considerable overlap in the gamma ray range (Figure 9A). This limits the effectiveness of gamma ray response or facies prediction. Both Fine Channel and Coarse Channel deposits are quartz-rich, and therefore have similar gamma ray response.

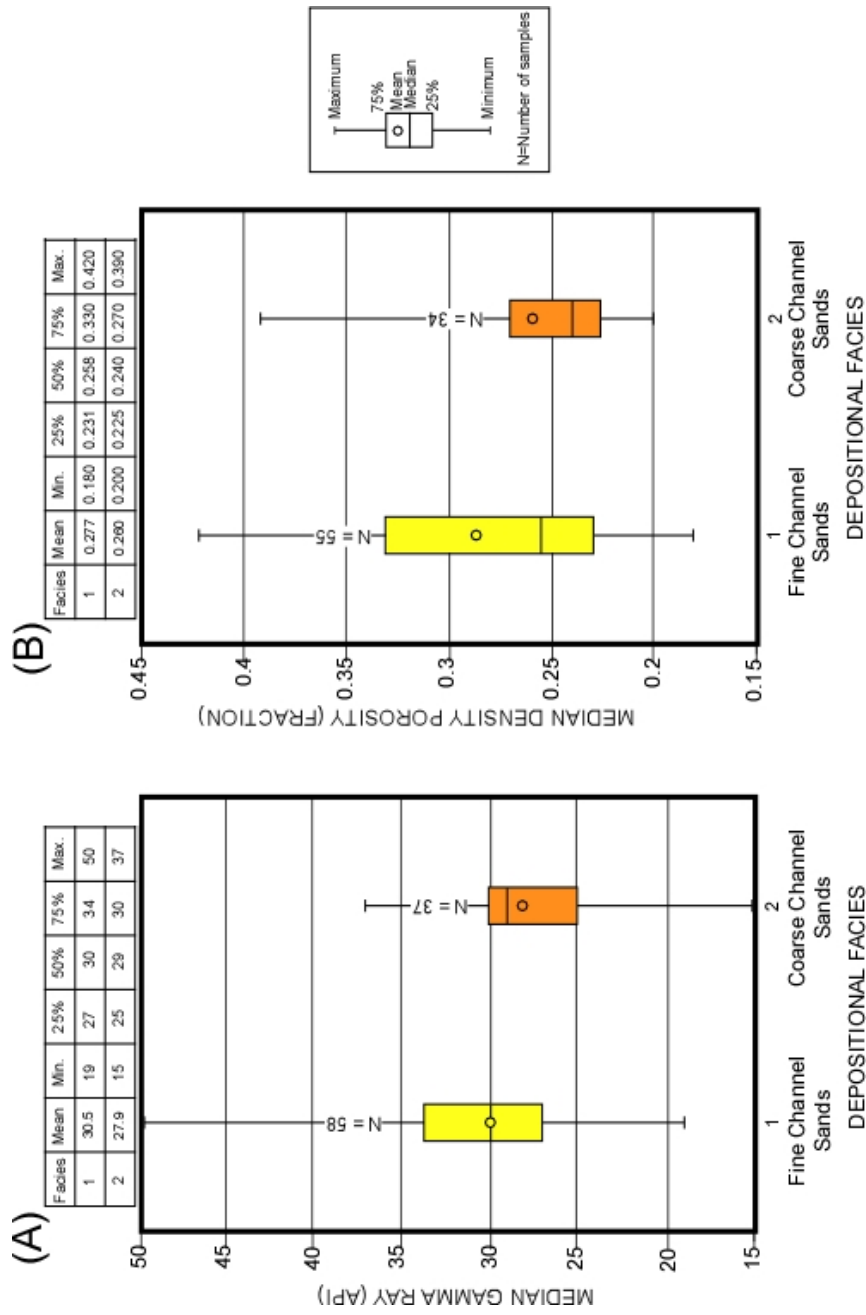


Figure 9. Box and whisker plots of channel facies versus (A) well log gamma ray, and (b) density porosity.

Depositional Facies versus Density Porosity

Channel facies were also compared to density porosity values calibrated to a quartz sandstone matrix value of 2.644 g/cc (Figure 9B). Fine Channel Sand has a notably higher range of porosity in comparison with Coarse Channel Sand. The higher porosity within Fine Channel Sand is attributed to better overall sorting. It is important to note, however, the significant overlap of porosity values between the range of 25-30% for both Fine and Coarse Channel Sand (Figure 9B).

Petrofacies Log Parameters

The guidelines used for discrimination of channel facies are based on the comparison with the gamma ray and density porosity log response as summarized in the box plots provided in Figure 9. In addition to the facies-specific summary statistics, overall log signature was also qualitatively used in the petrofacies prediction algorithm (Table 2). In regards to gamma ray, the Fine Channel Sand facies has a larger range of API normalized gamma radiation counts than the Coarse Channel Sand. The Coarse Channel Sand has comparatively lower overall gamma radiation. The Fine Channel Sand facies is characterized by consistently high density porosity values, whereas the Coarse Channel Sand facies has significant variability in density porosity and a characteristic “spikey” (extreme localized variability) log signature (Figure 10). Figure 10 summarizes the guidelines used in facies prediction.

Table 2. Guidelines for channel facies prediction using gamma ray and neutron porosity well logs.

Facies	Gamma Ray (API)	Density Porosity (fraction)	Characteristic Log Signature
Fine Channel Sand	Range: 19-50 25 th Percentile: 27 Median: 30 75 th Percentile: 33.75	Range: 11-45 25 th Percentile: 22 Median: 27 75 th Percentile: 30	Variable gamma ray and consistent density porosity. i.e., lacking sharp increases or decreases.
Coarse Channel Sand	Range: 15-37 25 th Percentile: 25 Median: 29 75 th Percentile: 30	Range: 11-36 25 th Percentile: 22 Median: 27 75 th Percentile: 29	Relatively “clean” (low) gamma ray activity with variable, “spikey” decreases in density porosity.

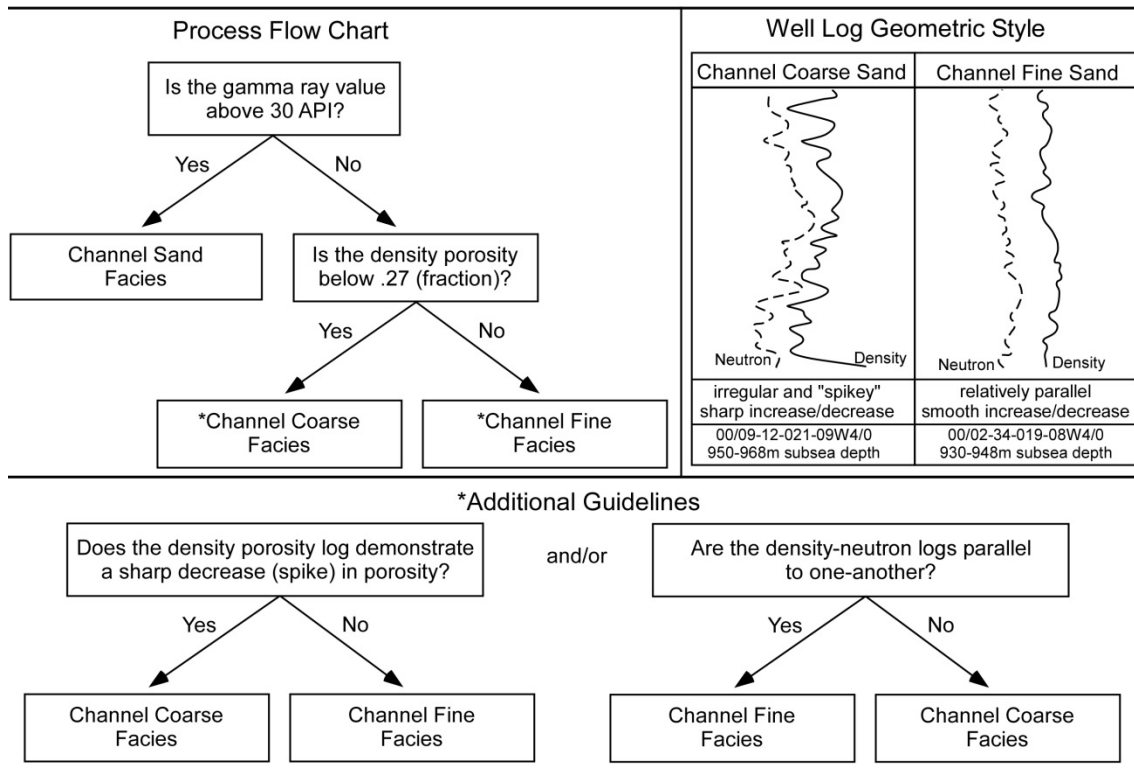


Figure 10. Flow chart for channel facies prediction utilizing the gamma ray and density porosity logs.

Blind Test Results

To evaluate the accuracy of the aforementioned semi-quantitative algorithm for channel facies prediction, a blind test was applied to all 40 cored wells. The results from two of these wells are provided in Figure 11, (i.e., 9-6-21-8W4 and 3-8-21-8W4). From the blind test, the overall accuracy of facies prediction is 33.1%; however, the algorithm is 45% accurate for beds ranging from 1-3m and 3-5m thick, and 64% for beds greater than 5m thick (Table 3). The overall low reproducibility is owing to both the typical occurrence of Coarse Channel Sand as thin beds, which are below log resolution, and the overlapping range of gamma ray and density porosity values between Coarse and Fine Channel facies. Additionally, Coarse Channel Sand only occurs in 40% (18 of 40 cored wells) within the study area, and the total thickness of Coarse Channel Sand accounts for only 4.5% of the cumulative reservoir thickness observed in core. As such, Coarse Channel Sand is less represented within the log-based summary statistics than Fine Channel Sand.

Table 3. Accuracy statistics of the algorithm for facies prediction from well logs.

Thickness Interval	All Wells	Beds>1m thick	Beds>3m thick	Beds>5m thick
*Prediction Accuracy	33.1%	45.0%	44.5%	63.6%

*The percentage of algorithm-interpreted facies coinciding with core observed facies. Predictions are based on gamma ray and density porosity log response.

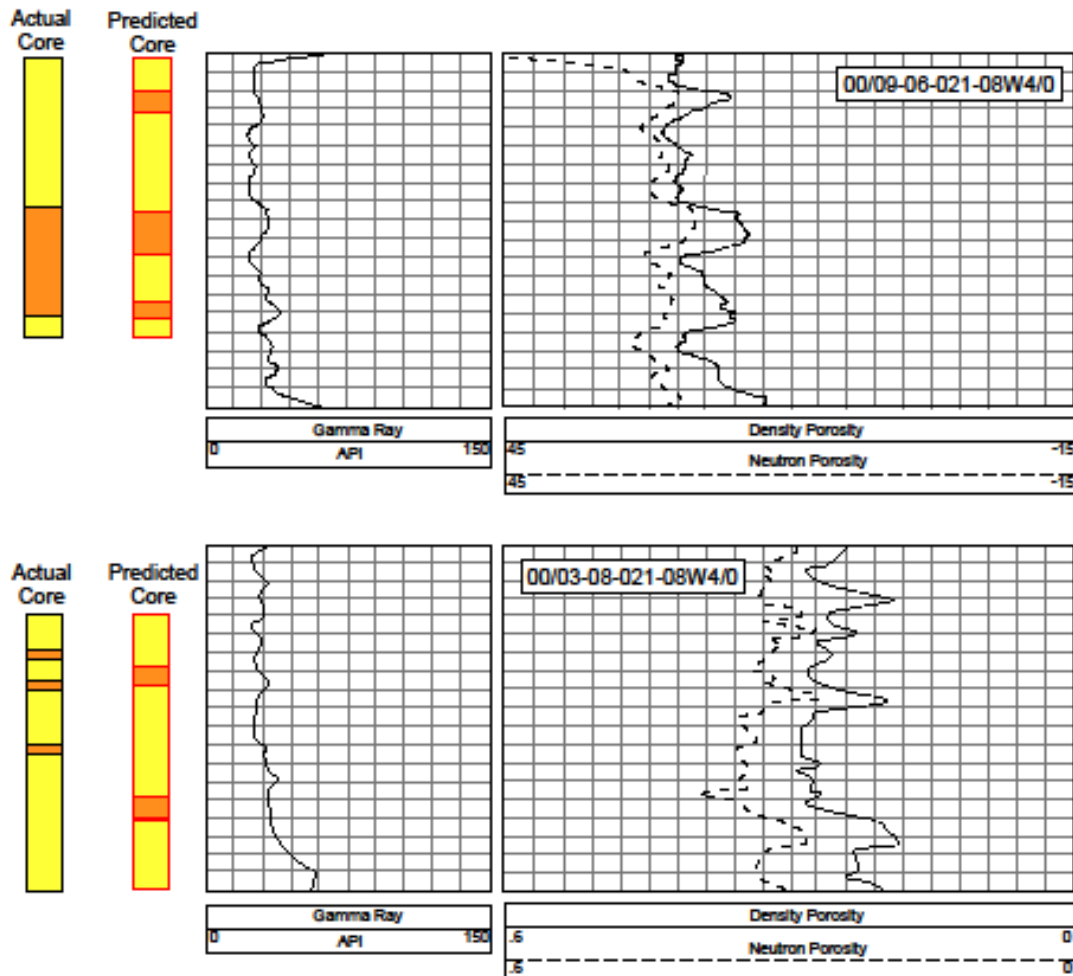


Figure 11. Representative well logs providing a comparison of “actual” versus well log “predicted” channel facies (indicated on the left-hand portion of the log). “Actual” facies is the observed distribution in core.

CHAPTER FIVE

Conclusions

1. The Glauconitic Member at the Jenner-Suffield field area consists of 4 facies deposited within an association of fluvial environments: Fine and Coarse Channel Sand within the fluvial channel, Very Fine (Argillaceous) Sands within the fluvial overbank, and Organic Rich Coal within a swamp. Overbank and swamp deposits occur above the channel deposits at the top of the Glauconitic Member.
2. Reservoir facies include the Fine Channel and Coarse Channel facies. The Fine Channel Sand has higher overall porosity, whereas the Coarse Channel facies has higher overall permeability. The differences in reservoir quality are owing to facies-specific variations in grain size and sorting. The Coarse Channel deposits have lower porosity due to comparatively poor sorting, but higher permeability due to larger pore throat diameter.
3. Channel fill is dominated by the Fine Channel Sand. Fine Channel facies constitutes 89.9% and Coarse Channel facies 4.49% of the reservoir interval.
4. The petrophysical facies prediction model is based upon the range of gamma ray and density porosity values, along with the characteristic log signatures of the Fine Channel Sand and Coarse Channel Sand facies. Fine Channel Sand is characterized by higher overall gamma ray activity and density porosity, whereas Coarse Channel Sand by lower overall gamma ray activity and more variable

- density porosity. A blind test of the predictive model suggests that accuracy is greatest (64%) when Coarse Sand occurs as beds greater than 5m thick.
5. A more comprehensive suite of data (i.e., well logs, core descriptions, seismic data) would be needed to increase the likelihood of differentiating and predicting the occurrence of Fine Channel and Coarse Channel facies, or similar facies within analogous areas of exploration or production.

APPENDICES

APPENDIX A

Core Descriptions and Legend

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		00/08-04-020-08W4/0	44
		03/16-04-020-08W4/0	45
		03/05-05-020-08W4/0	47
		04/08-09-020-08W4/0	48
		11/09-09-020-08W4/0	49
		00/06-10-020-08W4/0	50
		00/13-10-020-08W4/0	52
		02/12-10-020-08W4/0	53
		08/05-10-020-08W4/0	54
		AD/04-10-020-08W4/0	55
		F1/11-15-020-08W4/0	57
		00/02-16-020-08W4/0	58
		00/10-16-020-08W4/0	59
		02/09-16-020-08W4/0	60
		05/01-16-020-08W4/0	61
		02/10-19-020-08W4/0	62
		02/10-21-020-08W4/0	63
		00/11-32-020-08W4/0	65
21	8W	00/11-04-021-08W4/0	66
		00/09-06-021-08W4/0	67
		00/06-07-021-08W4/0	68
		00/08-07-021-08W4/0	69
		00/14-07-021-08W4/0	71
		00/03-08-021-08W4/0	72
		00/10-10-021-08W4/0	73
		00/06-18-021-08W4/0	74
		00/04-19-021-08W4/0	75
21	9W	00/09-12-021-09W4/0	77
		00/16-12-021-09W4/0	78
		00/08-13-021-09W4/0	79
		02/10-13-021-09W4/0	80

Core Description Legend

Grain Size

- 0 - Silt/Clay
- 1 - Lower Very Fine
- 2 - Upper Very Fine
- 3 - Lower Fine
- 4 - Upper Fine
- 5 - Lower Medium
- 6 - Upper Medium
- 7 - Lower Coarse
- 8 - Upper Coarse
- 9 - Lower Very Coarse
- 10 - Upper Very Coarse

Photos

7-1-16-nnn(initials of author)

Ichnofabric Index

- 1 - No bioturbation recorded; all original sedimentary structures preserved
- 2 - Discrete, isolated trace fossils; up to 10 percent of original bedding disturbed
- 3 - Approximately 10 to 40 percent of original bedding disturbed
- 4 - Last vestiges of bedding discernable; approximately 40-60 percent disturbed. Burrows overlap and are not always well defined.
- 5 - Bedding is completely disturbed, but burrows are still discrete in places and the fabric is not mixed. May also represent totally homogenized sediment in the absence of trace fossils.











Ichnofauna

- | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Pl - <i>Planolites</i> | Sk - <i>Skolithos</i> |
| Th - <i>Thalassinoides</i> | Ast - <i>Asterosoma</i> |
| Teich - <i>Teichichnus</i> | Aren - <i>Arenicolites</i> |
| Pal - <i>Palaeophycus</i> | Ros - <i>Rosselia</i> |
| Zoo - <i>Zoophycos</i> | Diplo - <i>Diplocraterion</i> |
| Cyl - <i>Cylindrichnus</i> | Con - <i>Conichnus</i> |
| Sub - <i>Subphyllocorda</i> | Chon - <i>Chondrites</i> |
| O - <i>Ophiomorpha</i> | Phy - <i>Phycosiphon</i> |
| Ber - <i>Bergaueria</i> | Ter - <i>Terebellina</i> |
| Rh - <i>Rhizocorallium</i> | |

Depositional Environment

- CH- Fluvial Channel
- OF- Overbank Fines
- SW- Swamp
- SH- Shoreface

Sedimentary Structures

- | | | | |
|---|---------------------------|---|-----------------|
|  | Planar Horizontal |  | Hummocks |
|  | Planar Laminations |  | Current Ripple |
|  | Trough Cross Bedding |  | Wave Ripple |
|  | Soft Sediment Deformation |  | Flaser Bedding |
|  | Planar Tabular |  | Lithoclast |
|  | mm laminations |  | Intraclast |
|  | Climbing Ripple |  | Bivalve undiff. |
|  | Firmground |  | Burrow |
|  | Organic Material |  | Scour |
| | |  | Rooting |

Ichnodiversity

n - number of taxa observed

Ichnofacies

- 1 - Nereites
- 2 - Zoophycos
- 3 - Cruziana (Restricted)
- 4 - Cruziana (Open)
- 5 - Skolithos

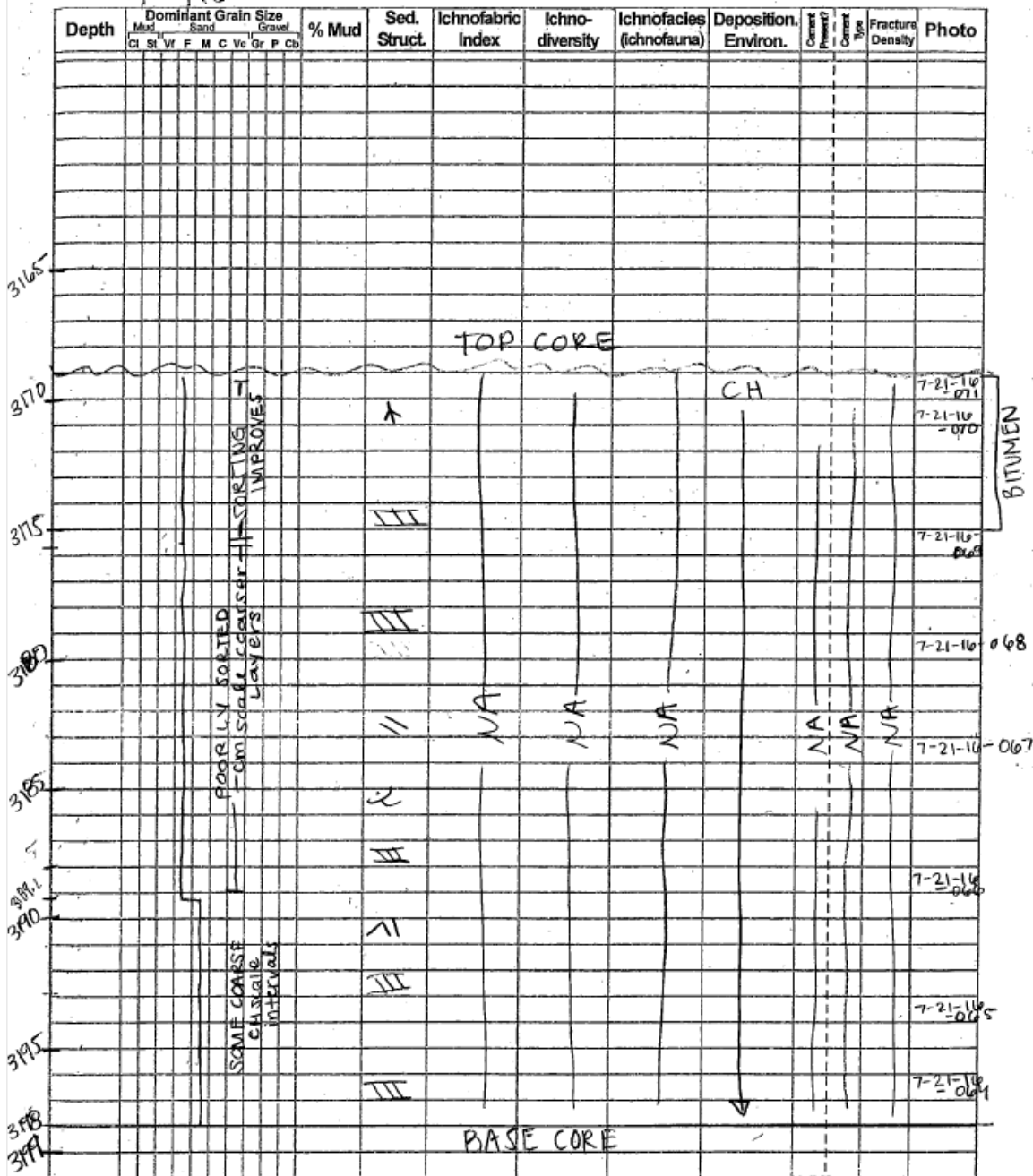
Cement

- 0 - No Cement Present
- 1 - Cement Present

Cement Type

- 0 - Quartz
- 1 - Calcite

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Depth-Shift Adjustment to E-Log : Core (-) 5' = Log

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size											% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Direction	Current Speed	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud		Sand		Gravel																
	Cl	St	Vf	F	M	C	Vc	Gr	P	Cb											
TOP CORE																					
3065	X																			7-21-10 KA97	
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
3070	X																			7-21-10 KA46	
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
3075	X																			7-21-10 KA99	
	X																			7-21-10 KA93	
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
3080	X																			7-21-10 KA91	
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
3085	X																			7-21-10 KA98	
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
	X																				
3090	X																			7-21-10 KA95	
	X																				
	X																				
3094	X											2ft missing									

Core diameter = 9 cm

Coke base

-Metric Units ($1'' \equiv 25.4$)

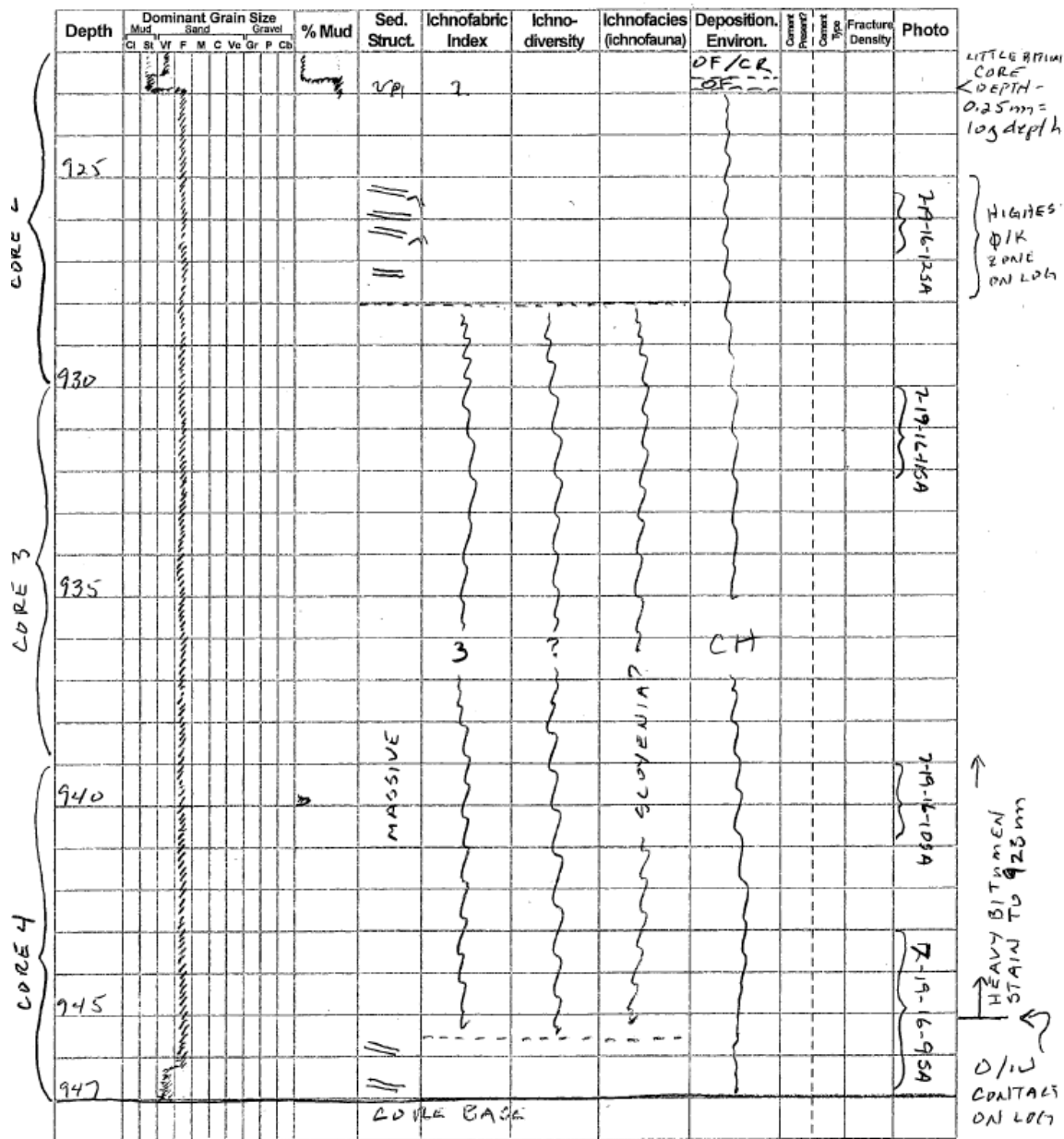
core depth = log depth

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Core diameter = 7cm

CORE DEPTH & LOG DEPTH

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

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Core diameter =

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

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Core diameter = 9 cm

-Metric Units ($1'' \equiv 10'$)

CORE + 1' = LOG DEPTH

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Core Photo	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Cl	St	Vi	F	M	C	Vc	Gr	P	Cb								
3035												vl							7-22-10KAI9
3040												vl							7-22-10KAI11
3045												vl							7-22-10KAI10
3050												Missing core							
3055												vl							7-22-10KAI5
3060												vl							7-22-10KAI4
3065												vl							7-22-10KAI3
3070												vl							7-22-10KAI2
3075												vl							7-22-10KAI1
3080												Missing core							
3085												vl							7-22-10KAI0
3090												vl							7-22-10KAI7
3095												vl							7-22-10KAI8
3100												vl							7-22-10KAI6
3105												vl							7-22-10KAI5
3110												vl							7-22-10KAI4
3115												vl							7-22-10KAI3
3120												vl							7-22-10KAI2
3125												vl							7-22-10KAI1

Core diameter = 8 1/2 cm

CORE BASE

Metric Units (1" = 70')

Depth Shift: none

Bitumen
Poorly sorted
L. KAI9

* Kmax
poorly sorted
up to coarse
grains

inc. sum

400 cont.
cl and
Bitumen
stains

INCREASE
Sorting

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Rubble
Bitumen
Stained
Partially
throughout
Rubble
1.5m thick
Poorly sorted

-Metric Units ($1'' \equiv 10''$)

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Corement Present?	Corement Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Cl	Sl	Vi	F	M	C	Vc	Gr	P	Cb										
3075																CH				7-22-10-078
3080																				7-22-10-077
3085																				7-22-10-076
3090																				
3092.1																				
3095																				7-22-10-075
3100																				
3102.8																				7-22-10-073
3105																				
3110																				7-22-10-072
3114																				

Core diameter = 8.5 cm

Metric Units (1" = 10)

DEPTH CORRECTION = 0

1 BOX = 1 FOOT

BITUMEN

Project/Location: Jenner/02/06-34-019-08W4/0 Logged By: Johnson

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Present?	Current Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mod.	Cl	S	V	F	M	C	Gr	P	Cb										
3130												W	2			CH				7-22-16-085
												W	2							
												W	2							
3135																				7-22-16-084
3140																				7-22-16-083
3145																				7-22-16-082
3150												2		2	2		2	2	2	7-22-16-081
3155																				
3160												2								7-22-16-080
3165												2								7-22-16-079
3170																				

Core diameter = 8.5cm

Metric Units (1" = 10)

DEPTH CORRECTION = 0

1 BOX = 1 FOOT

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3925~~Metric Units ($1^{\text{m}} = 10^1$)~~

∴ 1 BOX = 1 FOOT

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Core diameter = 9 cm

~~Metric Units ($1'' \equiv 10'$)~~

CORE-4' = LOGN

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size							% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (Ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Present?	Current Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Sand	Gravel	Cl	Sl	F	M	C	Ve	Gr	P	Cb					
3020													CH				7-21-16-052
3025																	7-21-16-054
3030																	
3035																	7-21-16-058
3040																	7-21-16-059
3045																	7-21-16-056
3050																	7-21-16-055
3055																	7-21-16-054
3059																	
3060																	

Core diameter = 8.5cm

DEPTH CORRECTION: ? Metric Units (1" = 10')
Each BOX = 1 foot

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Hand-drawn stratigraphic column for Core 1, Bitumen. The column is plotted on a grid with depth markers on the left: 3000, 3005, 3010, and 3015. The top is labeled 'TOP CORE'. The right side is labeled 'CORE 1 BITUMEN'. The column shows several vertical lines representing different samples or measurements. Key features include: a 'CH' label near the top right; a '3.1' and '0.1' label near the 3000-3005 depth range; a '7-21-16 - 0603' label near the 3000 depth; a '7-21-16 - 0602' label near the 3005 depth; a '7-21-16 0601' label near the 3010 depth; and a '2-2-2-2' label near the 3010-3015 depth range. The column is divided into sections by vertical lines, some of which are labeled with 'A' and 'B'.

~~Metric Units ($1^{\text{u}} = 10^{\text{u}}$)~~

DEPTH CORRECTION = 0? Each Box = 1 foot.

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Core diameter = 19 cm

~~Metric Units (1" = 10")~~
Each Box = 1 ft

$$\text{DEPTH CORRECTION} = 0$$

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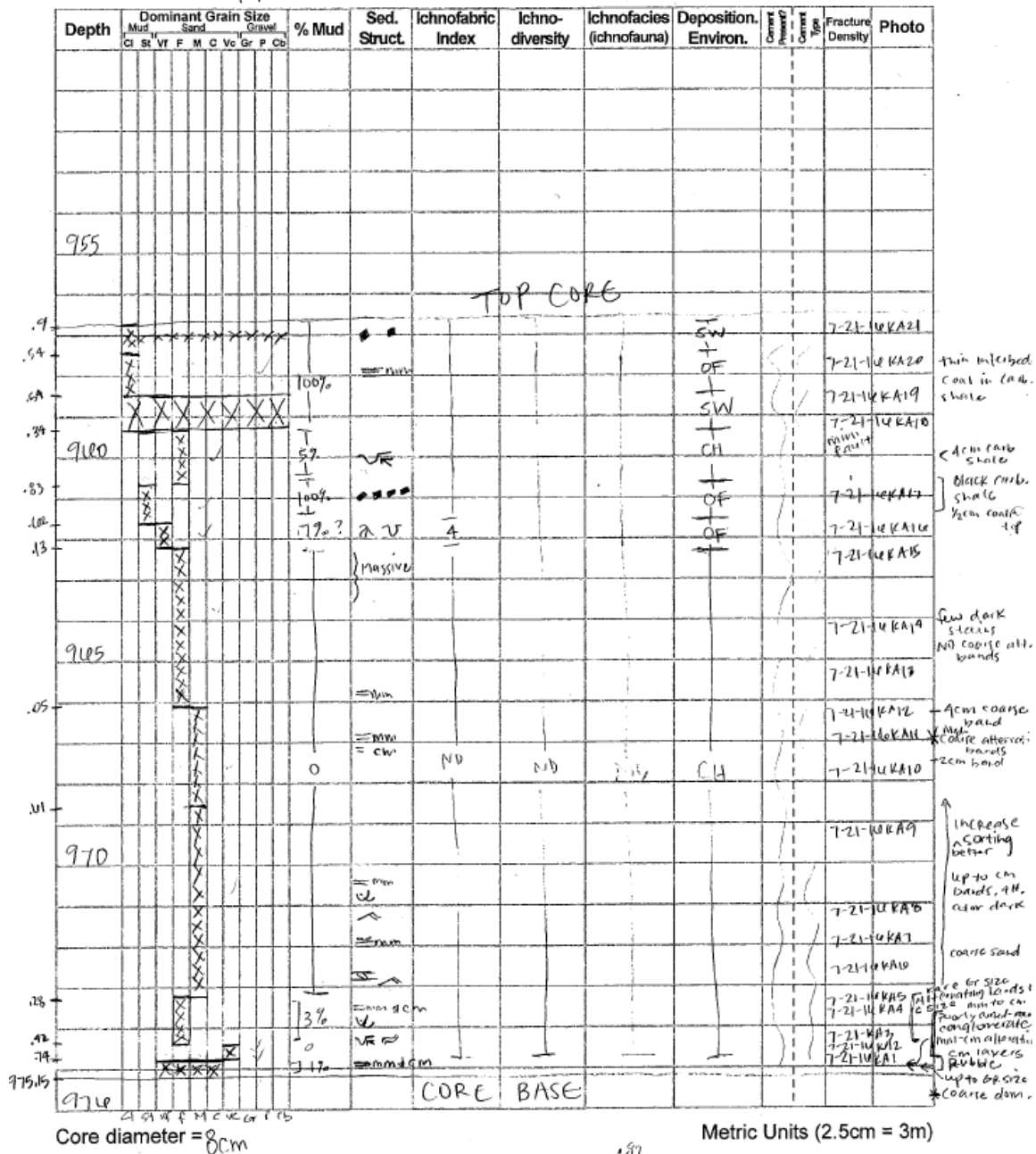
Core diameter = radius = 2 cm

CORE BASE

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

Depth Shift : none

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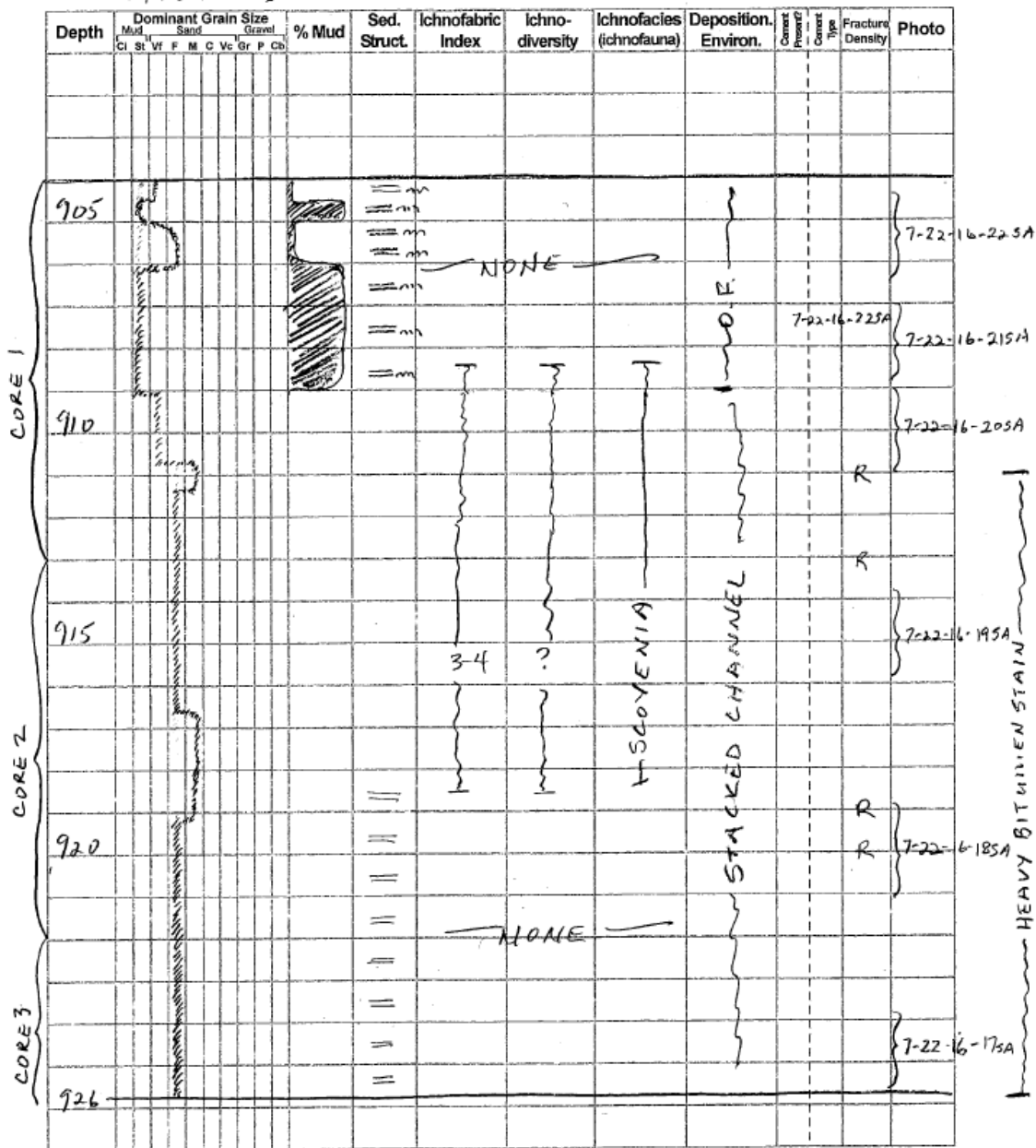
Depth shift: core + .66 = 10g (coal @ 970)

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Core diameter = 7cm

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

CORE - 1.5m = LOG DEPTH

Project/Location: Verner / 11/09-09-020-08W4/0
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Depth	Dominant Grain Size							% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Present?	Current Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Silt	F	M	C	Gr	Pb										
Top Core 1 898																	
899									λ	↑	↑	↑	OF				
900									√ λ	↑	↑	↑					
901									√ λ	↑	↑	↑					
902									√ λ	↑	↑	↑					
903									√ λ	3	↑	↑					
904									=PH	↑	↑	↑					
905									=PH	↑	↑	↑					
906									=PH	2	1	∅	CH			4/m	
907									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
Top Core 2 907m									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
908									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
909									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
910									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
911									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
912									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
913									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
914									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
915									=PH	1	1	∅	CH			4/m	
916									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
Top Core 1 916									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
917									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
918									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
919									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
920									=PH	↑	↑	↑	↑				
921									=PH	1	1	∅	CH				
922m																	

Depth Correction: Core ~ Log
 Note: Lower interval not perfect; possible recompaction? Not Imaged though...

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Core diameter = 9 cm

CORE-3' = 1 PM DEPTH

Metric Units (1" = 10')

Project/Location: Jenner 02/12-10-020-100N/1 Logged By: Knstn
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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Core Position	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Cl	Sl	Vf	F	M	C	Ve	Gr	P	Cb								
	X											✓	↑						7-22-10KA42
	X											u	2-3						7-22-10KA41
900	X											✓	3						7-22-10KA40
	X												2						7-22-10KA39
	X												3						
905	X											✓	2						
	X												4						
	X											✓							7-22-10KA38
	X												+						
910	X											mm	ND	ND	ND	CH			7-22-10KA37
	X											mm							
	X											mm							7-22-10KA36
	X											mm							
915	X											✓							7-22-10KA35
	X											u							7-22-10KA34
	X																		
	X											mm							7-22-10KA33
	X											mm							7-22-10KA32
	X											mm							7-22-10KA31
	X											u	mm						7-22-10KA30
	X											mm							7-22-10KA29
920	X											mm							7-22-10KA28
	X											mm							7-22-10KA27
	X											mm							7-22-10KA26
922	X											mm							7-22-10KA25

Bitumen stained

More conspicuous bed-forms

Defect in bed
 bed bands
 All bands
 more carbon
 better
 sorting?

Alternating bed-forms
 Bands of sand
 Bands of mud
 grain

Core diameter = radius = 2.5cm
 Slabbed

Depth Shift: Core + 1.5 m = 109
 (1-2m)

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

Project/Location: Jenner 02/12-10-020-03W4/0

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Core diameter =

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

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DEPTH CORRECTION = 0

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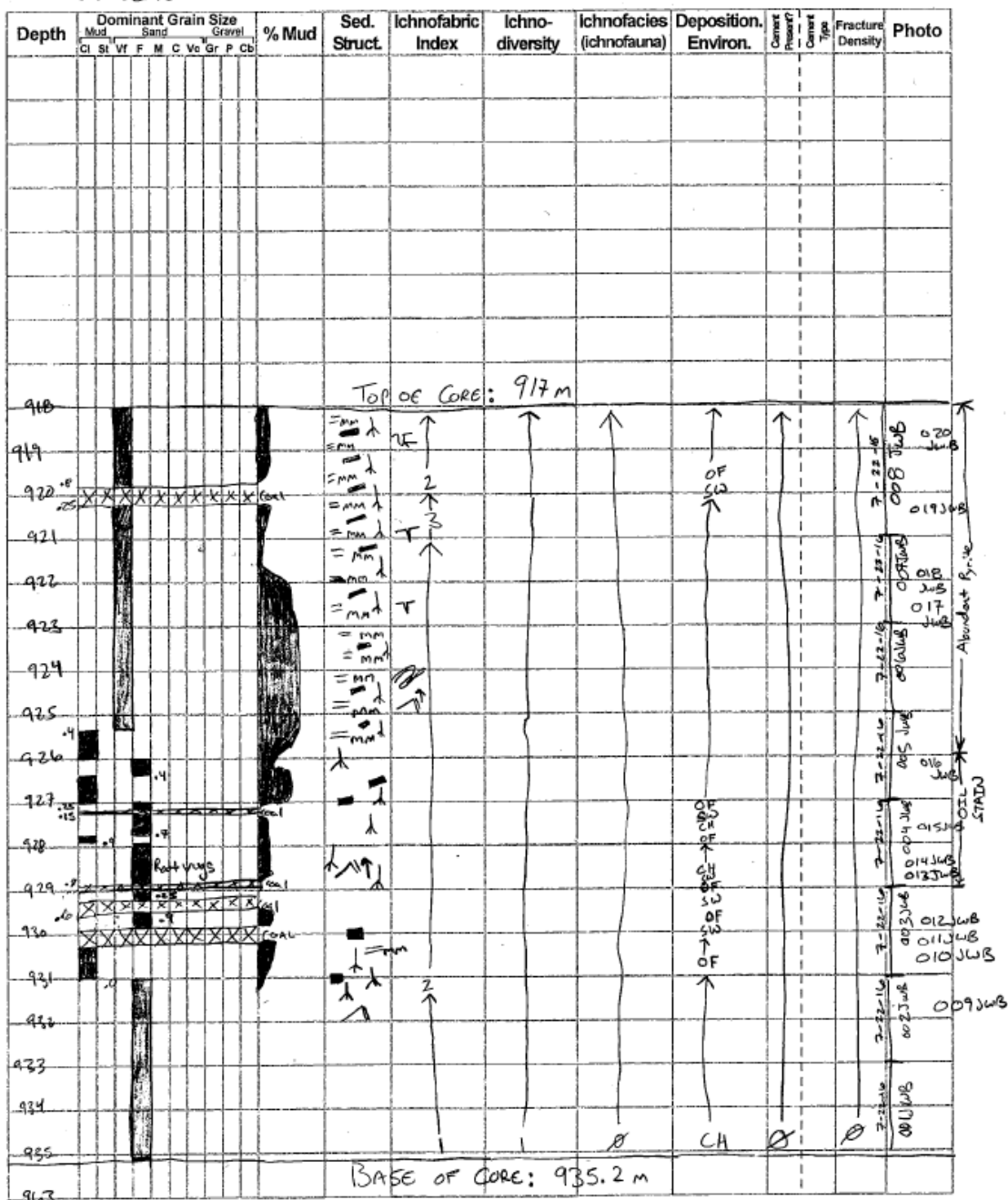
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	Mud	St	Sl	Fl	F	M	C	Gr	P	Co										
935																				7-21-16-35A
																				7-21-16-25A
																				7-21-16-15A
																				7-21-16-195A
940																				7-21-16-85A
																				7-21-16-175A
945																				7-21-16-185A
																				7-21-16-155A
950																				7-21-16-145A
																				7-21-16-135A
																				7-21-16-125A
																				7-21-16-115A
955																				7-21-16-105A
																				7-21-16-95A
957																				

Core diameter = 9cm

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (Ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Present	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Sand	Gravel	Cl	Sl	Vi	F	M	C	Gr	P	Co							
3010		X																	7-21-16 KA26
3015		X																	7-21-16 KA27
3020		X																	7-21-16 KA28
3025		X																	7-21-16 KA29
3030		X														CH			7-21-16 KA30
3035		X																	7-21-16 KA31
3040		X																	7-21-16 KA32
3045		X																	7-21-16 KA33
3050		X																	7-21-16 KA34

Core diameter = 9cm

Metric Units (1" = 10')

Up to coarse sized
 Bitumen partially through out
 Better sorted
 o/w contact
 Gradual change M → F

Project/Location: Jenner 00/02-1U-020-03WA10

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Cement. Present?	Fracture Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Sand	Gravel	Cl	St	W	F	M	C	Ve	Gr	P	Cb							
2975																				
2980																				
	X	X										λ								7-21-16KA35
	X	X										≡mm								7-21-16KA34
2985	X	X										λ								7-21-16KA33
	X	X										✓								
	X	X																		
2990	X	X										λ								7-21-16KA32
	X	X									46%									
	X	X										✓				CH				
2995	X	X											3							7-21-16KA31
	X	X										λ								
	X	X																		
3000	X	X										✓								7-21-16KA30
	X	X																		
3005	X	X										λ								7-21-16KA29
	X	X																		
	X	X																		
	X	X																		

Core 1

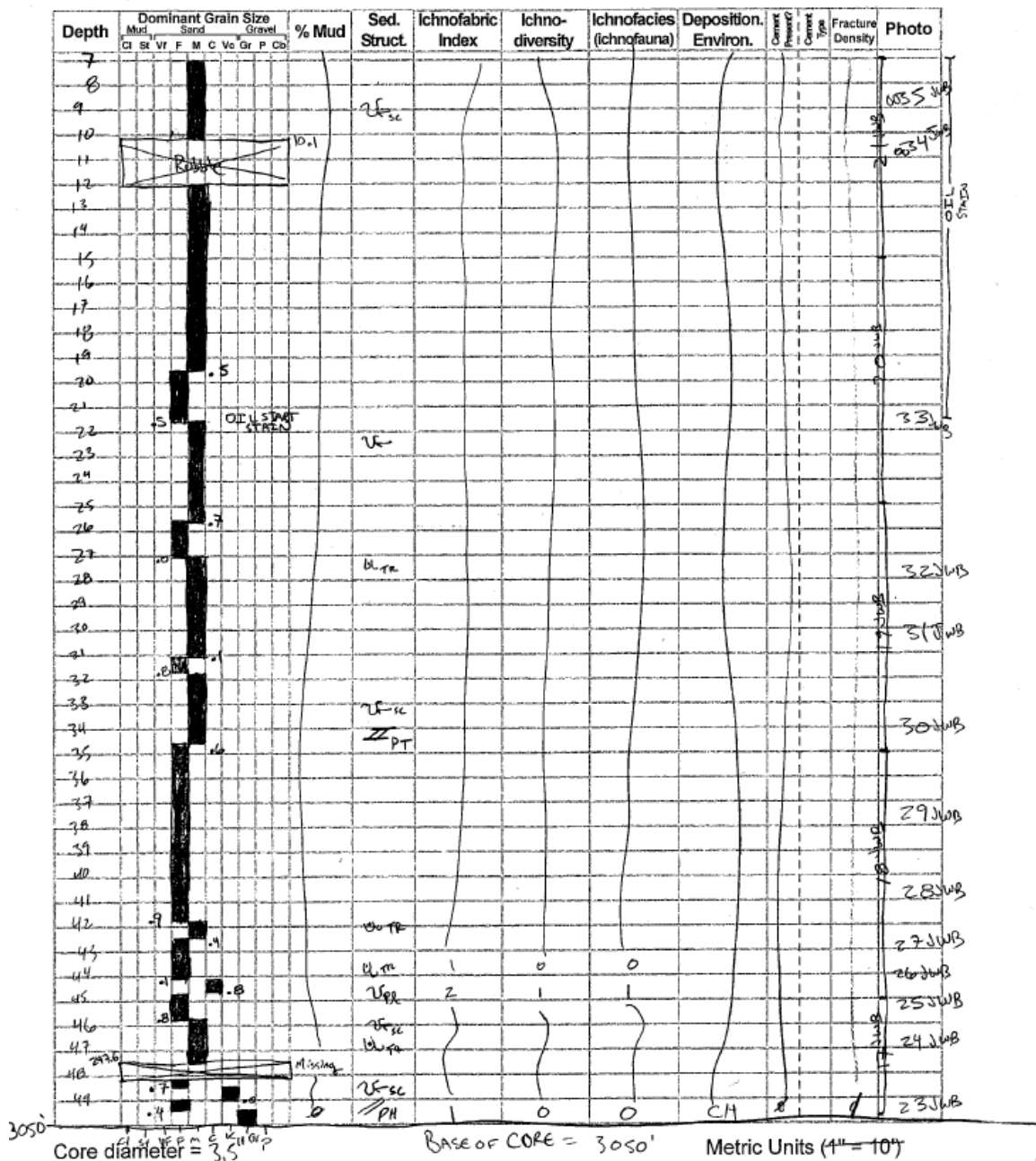
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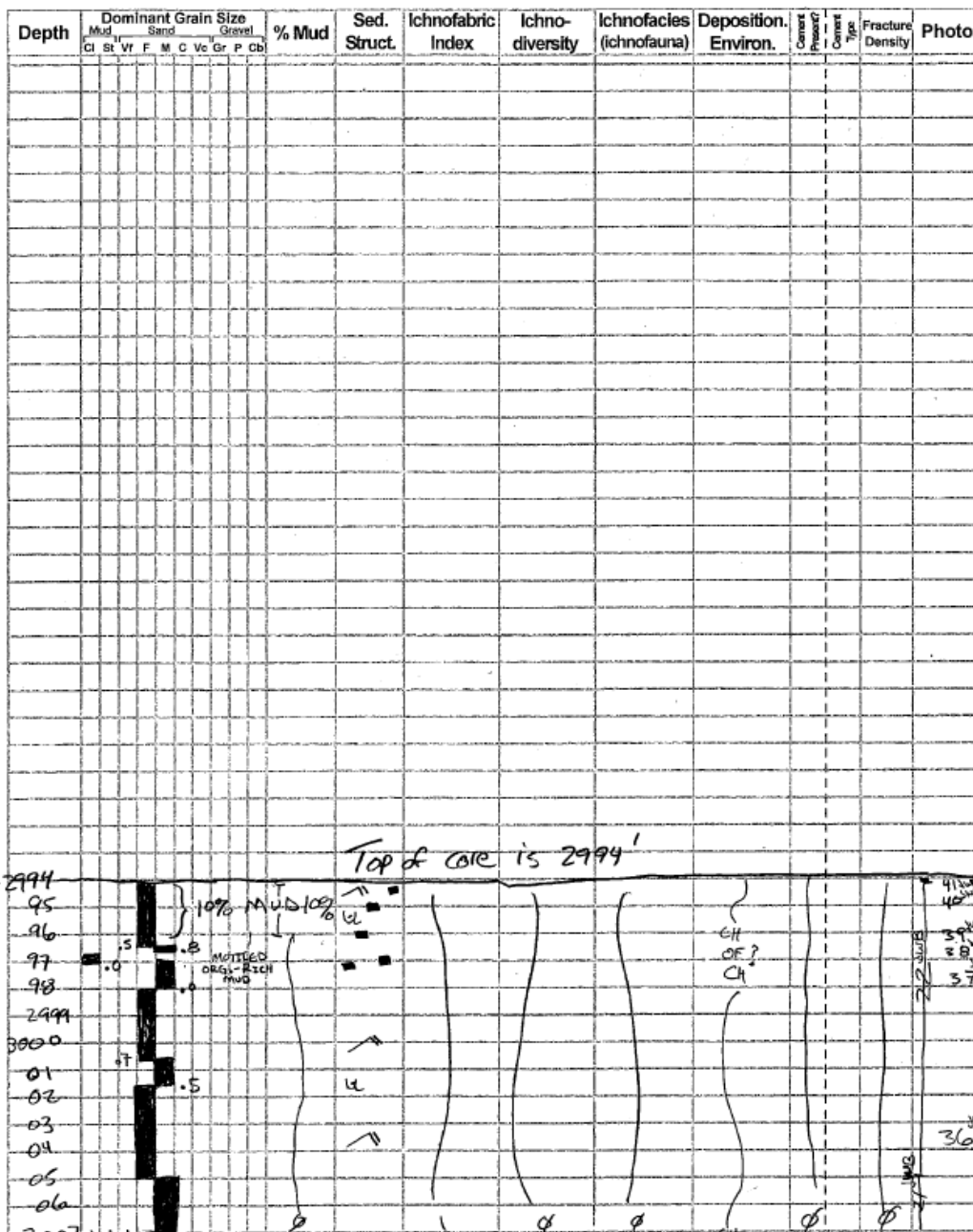
Metric Units (1" = 10')

↑ Mud layer
*Argillaceous micaceous (secondary also)
rare coarse grains
Top oil Bitumen
Poorly sorted

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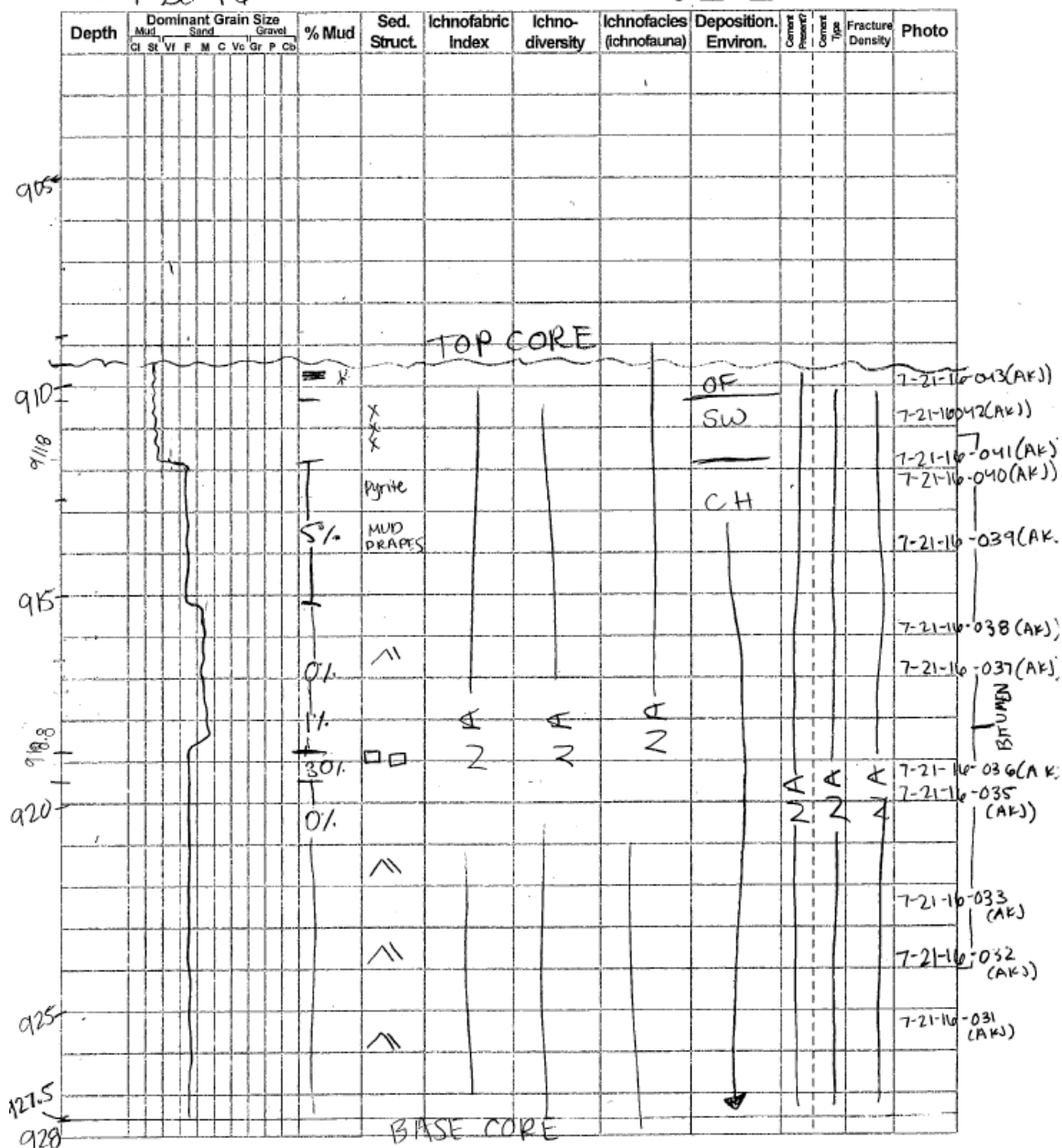


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1 box = 5 mm = 1

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Core diameter =

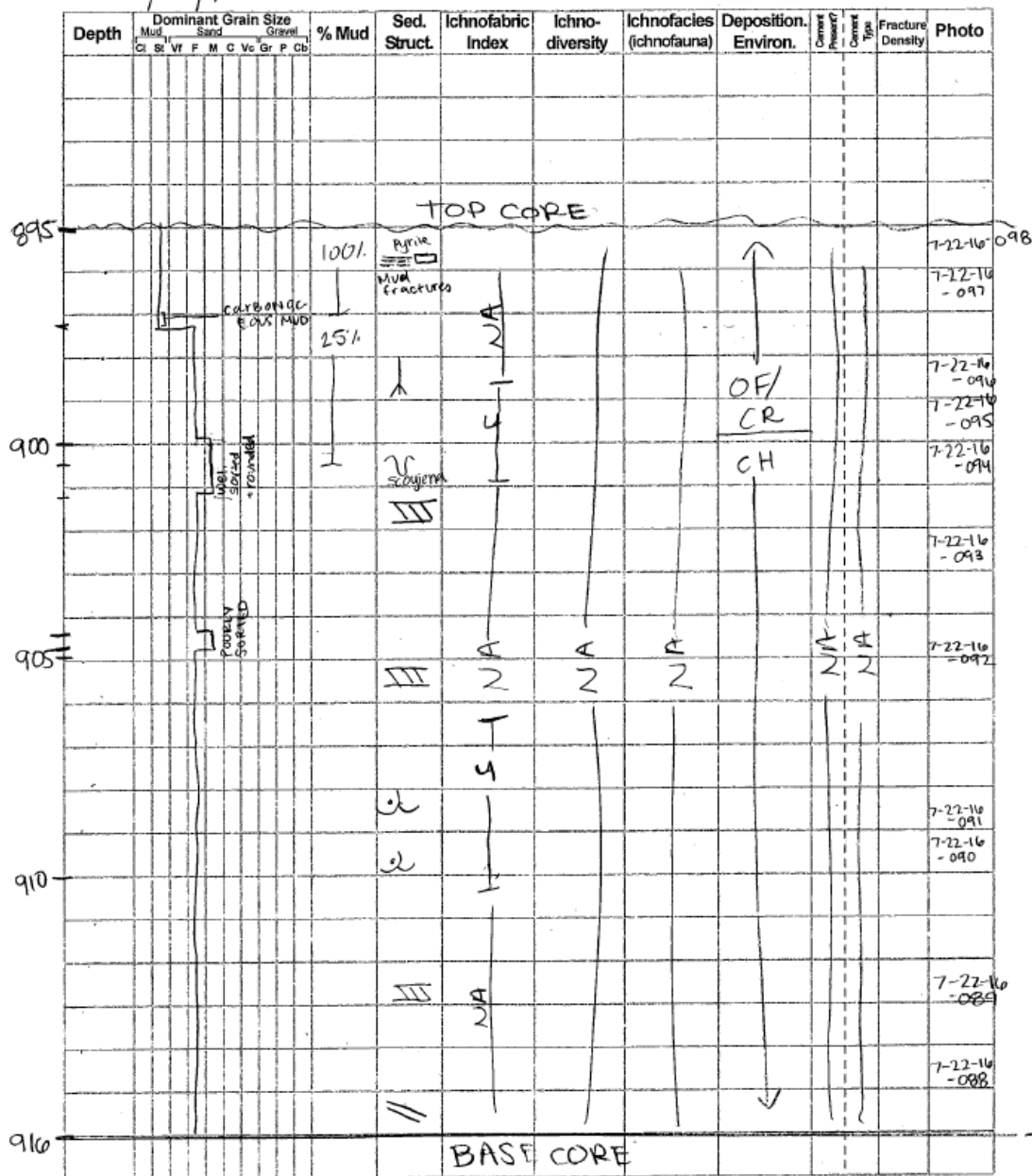
Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)
 (1 box = 1m)

DEPTH CORRECTION = 0.1m

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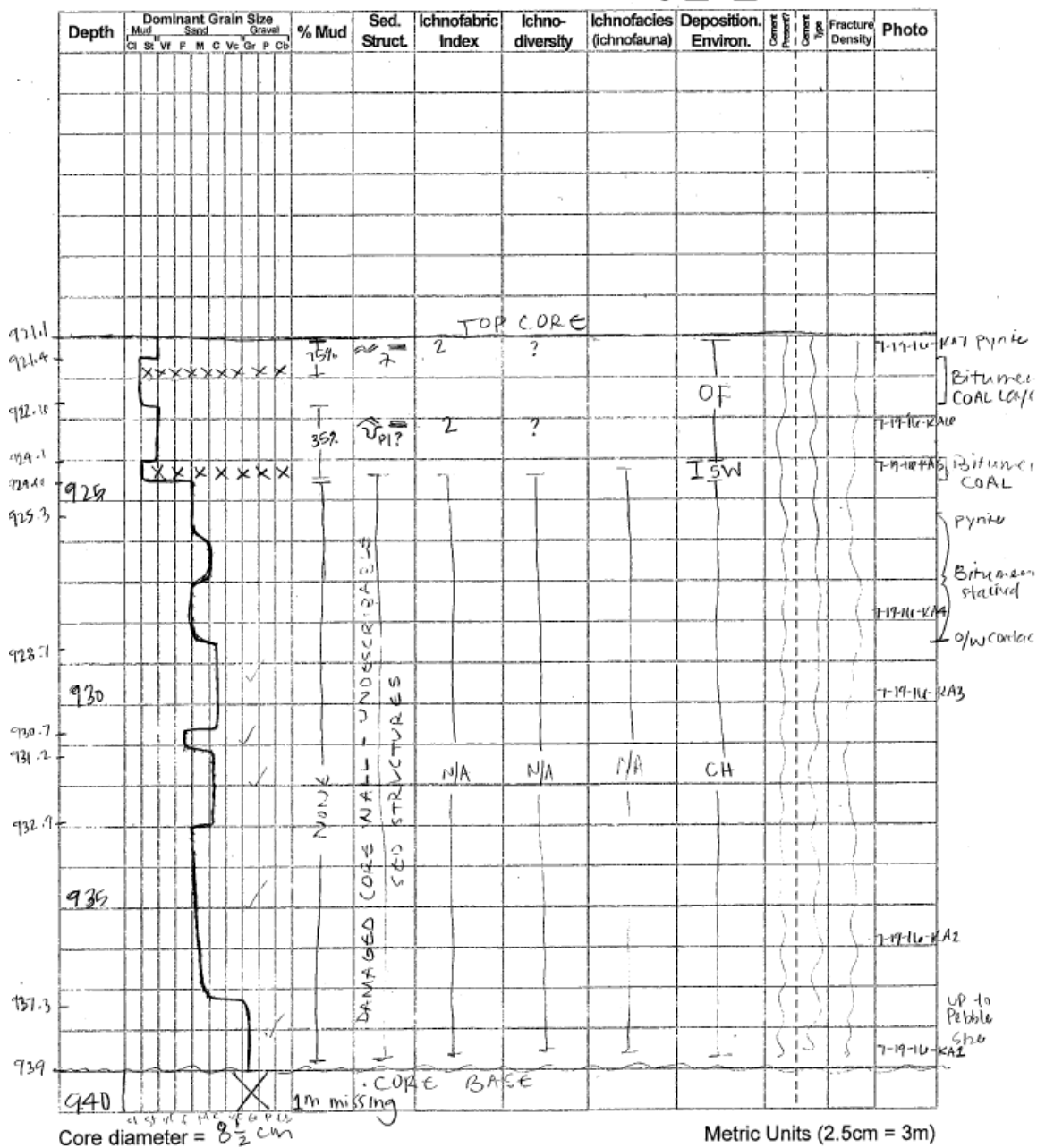


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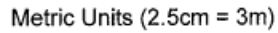
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Depth shift core + 1/2 m = log

CH-channel
SW-swamp
OF-overbank fines

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DEPTH ± 0 m

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Core diameter = 9 cm

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

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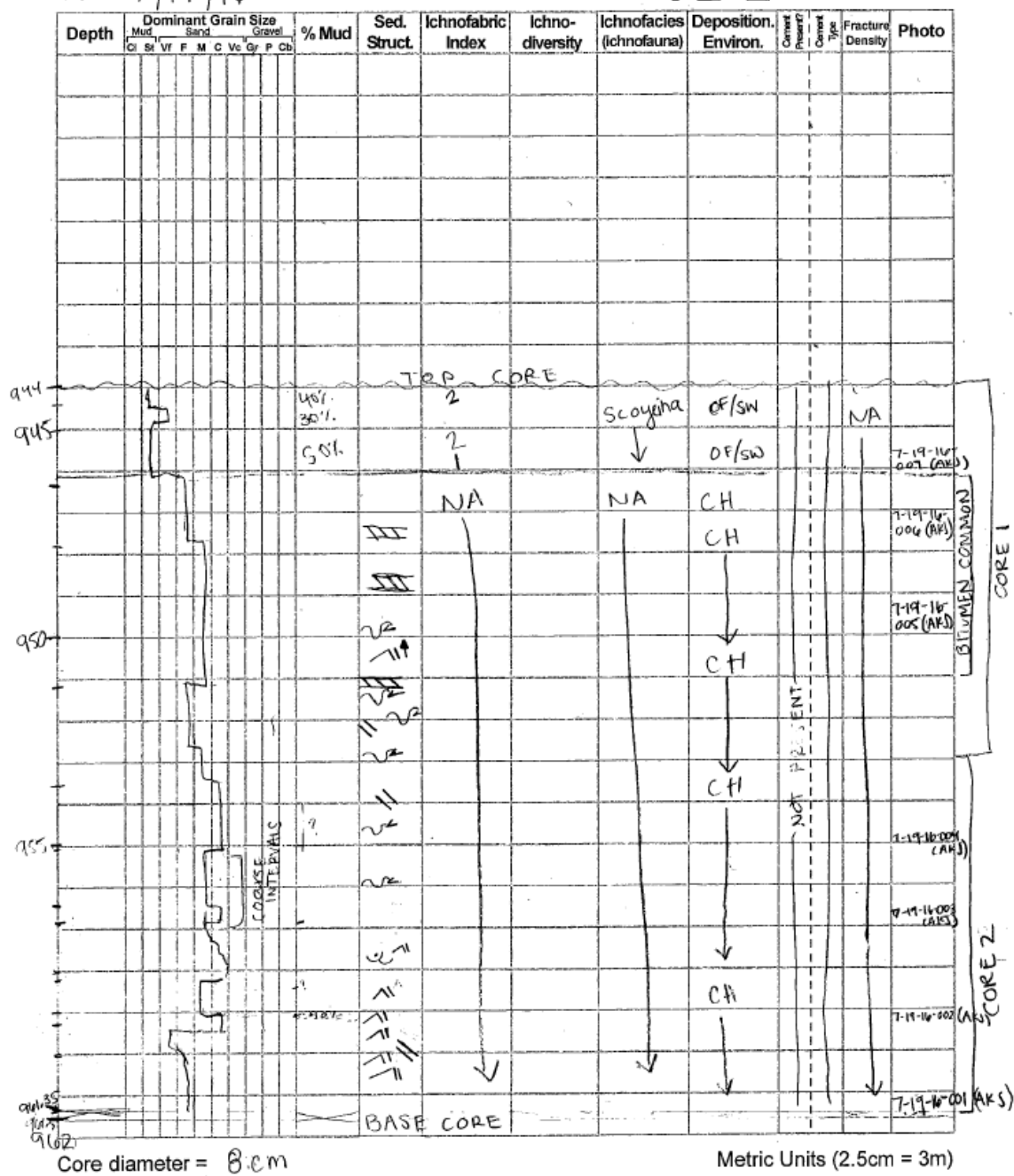
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$$\text{CORE} + 1m = 40G$$

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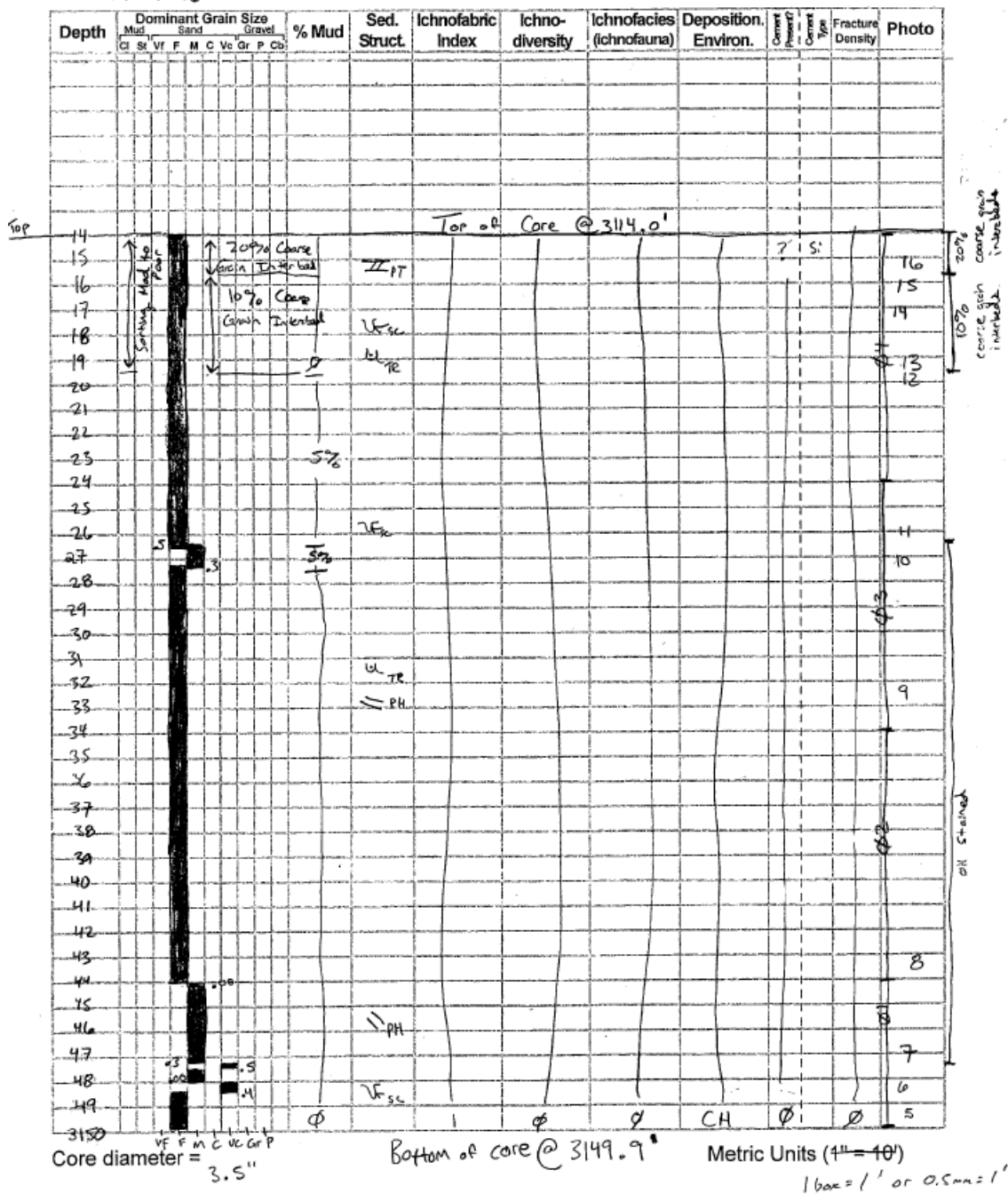
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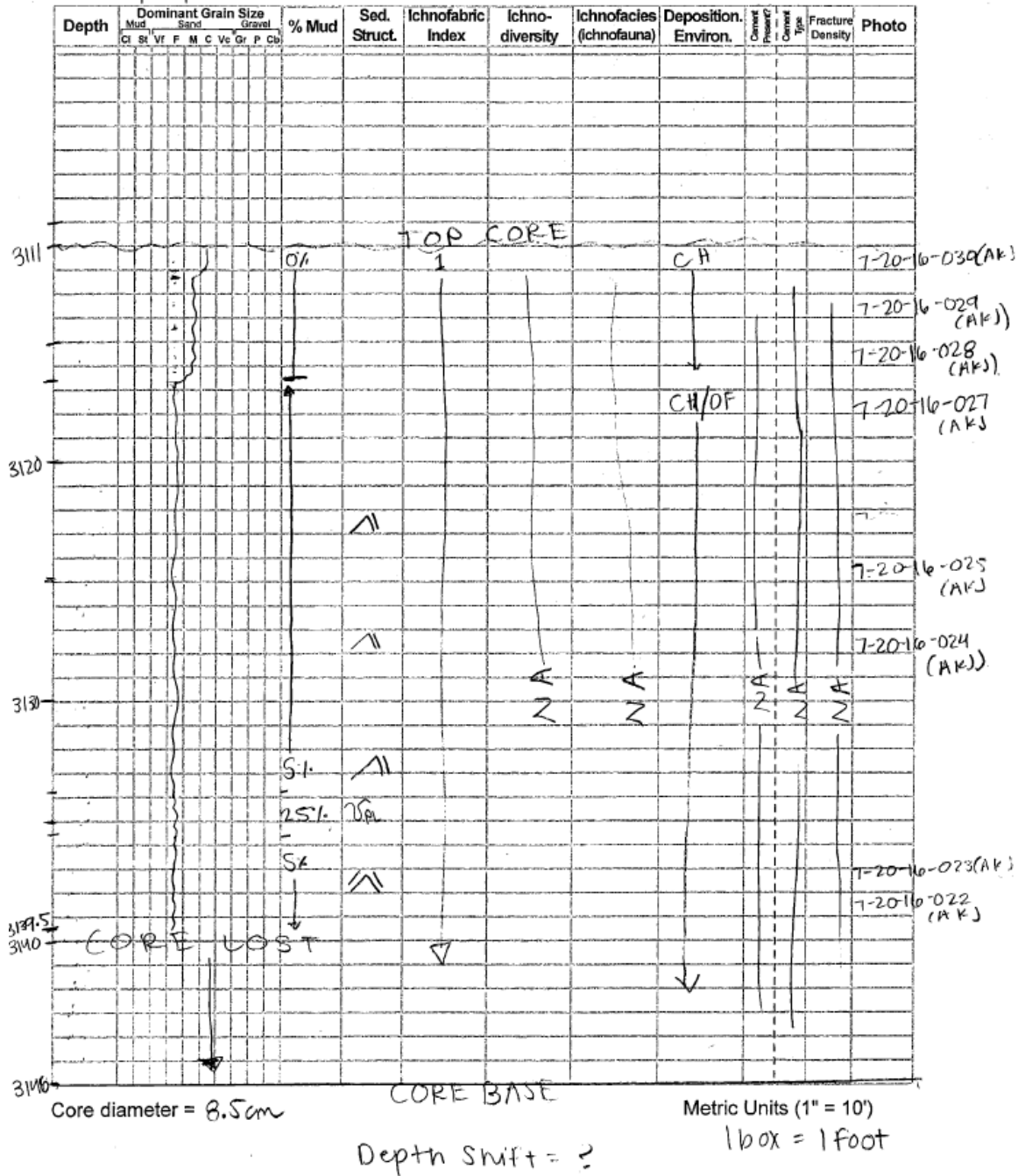
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Depth	Dominant Grain Size										% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Core (height)	Core Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Cl	St	Vi	F	M	C	Vc	Gr	P	Cb									
3115																				
3120																				7-20-10 KA29
																				7-20-10 KA28
3125																				7-20-10 KA27
3130																				7-20-10 KA26
3135																				
3140																				
3145																				
3150																				
3155																				

Bitumen stained
 up to 6% sized fco

Poorly sorted

up to 6% sized ben
 sample from
 ≤ 3 cm thick

Q/W contact

Alternating
 cm thick bed
 w/ v.c. grains

Core diameter = 9 cm

Base Core

Metric Units (1" = 10")

Depth shift: Core + 1 ft = 109

Project/Location: Jenner 00/14-07-021-06W4/2 Logged By: Kristin

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Metric Units (1" = 10')

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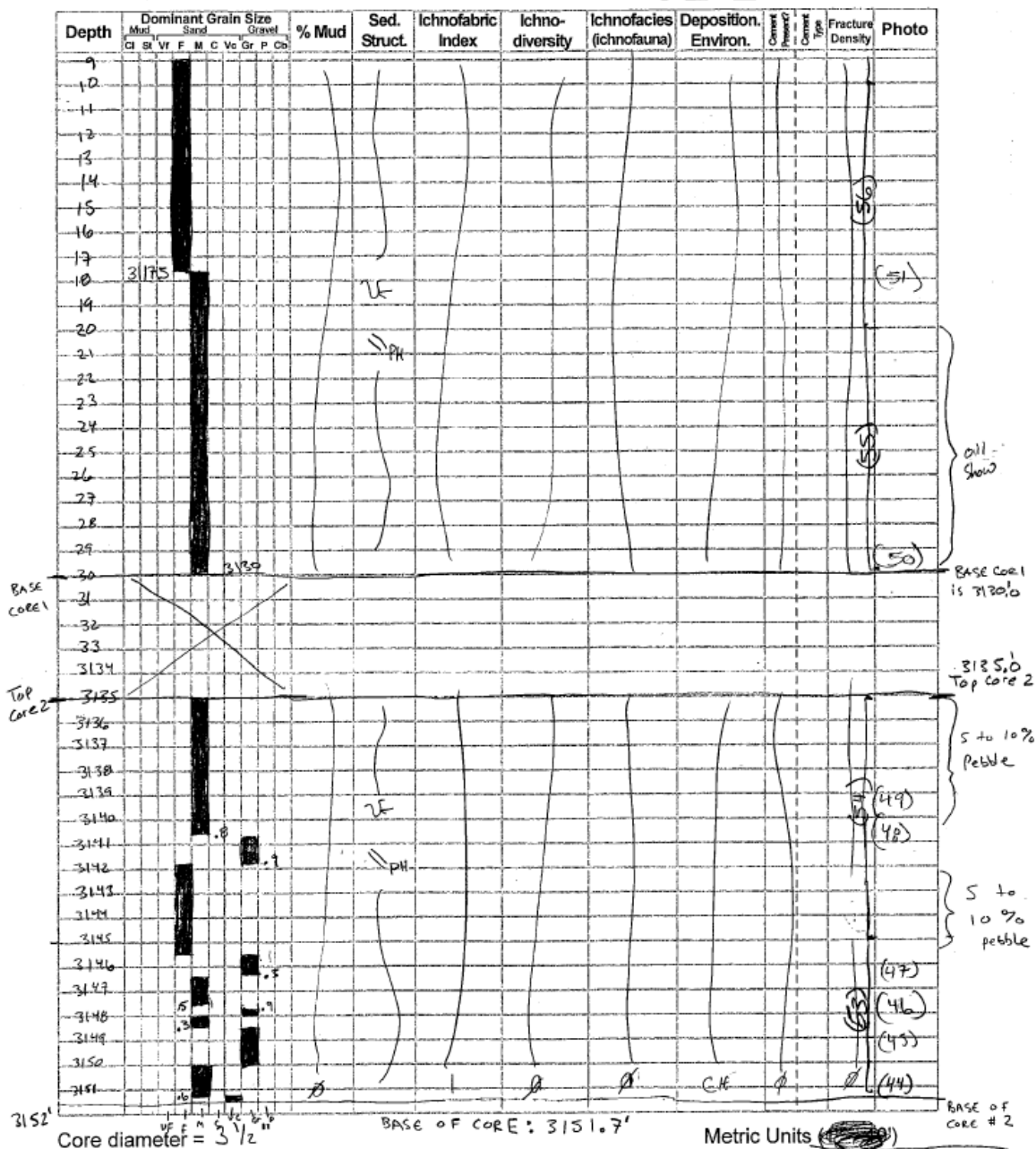
Depth	Dominant Grain Size											% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Present?	Fracture Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Cl	St	Vi	F	M	C	Vc	Gr	P	Cb										
957																					

Core-Log Depth Correction : ?

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 over



Depth Adjust : ?

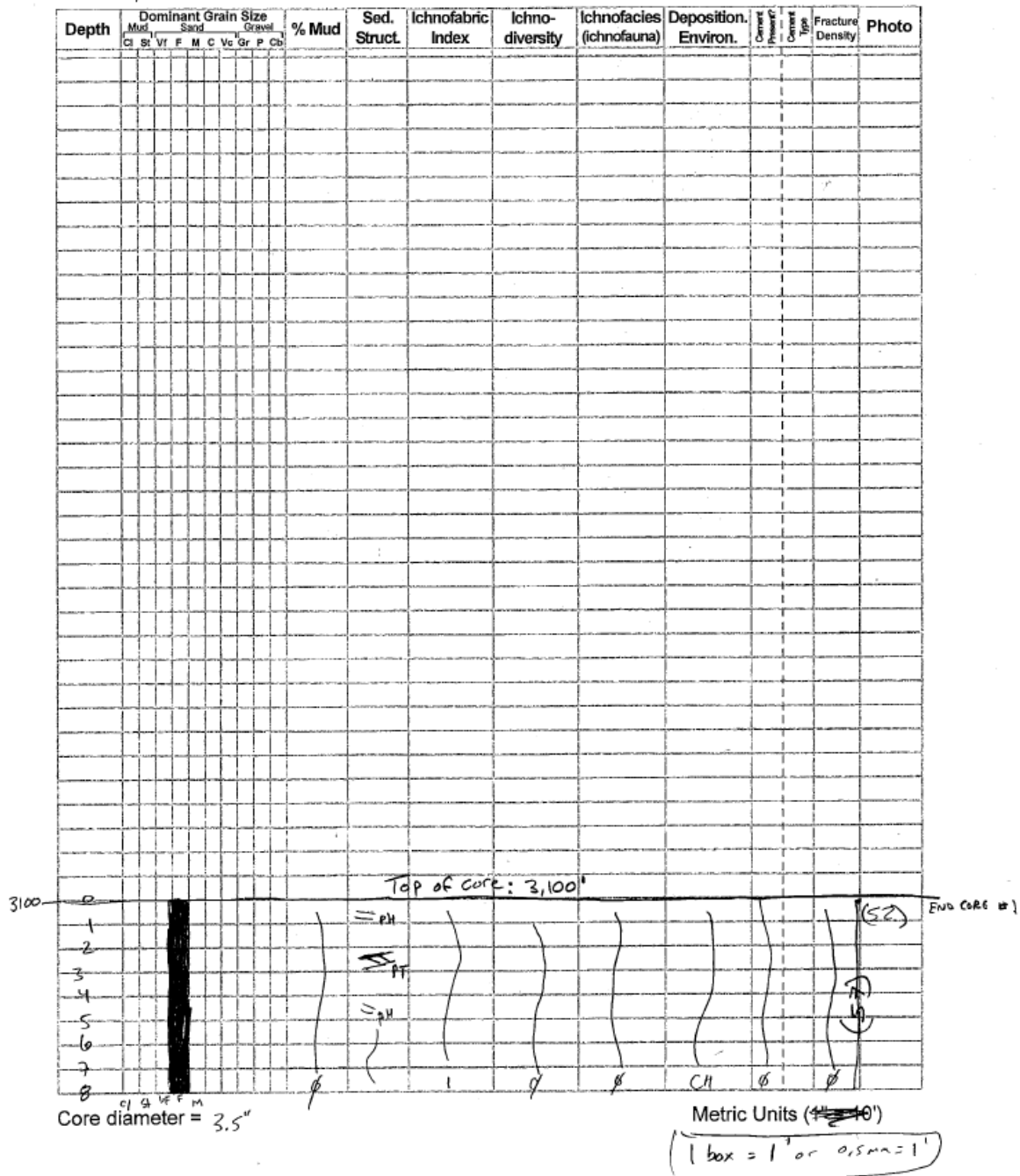
$n \propto$ acoustic time
 (note: diff. than seismic)
 (S) is time to travel through

Metric Units ()

1 box = 1' or 0.5mm = 1'

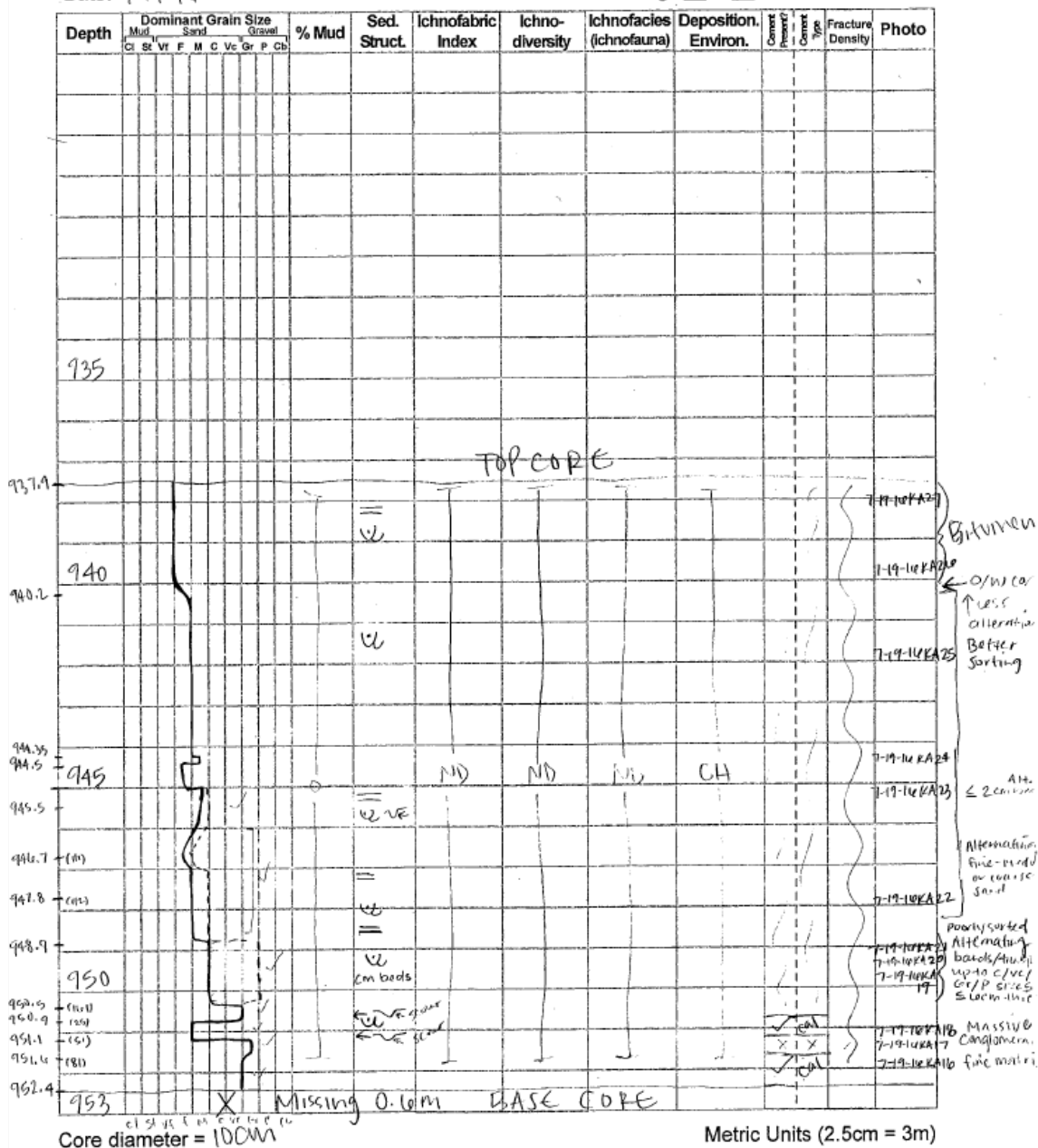
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Project/Location: Jenner 00/04-19-021-08W19/0
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Depth shift: CORE-1.2 = 109
 (940.2) (939)

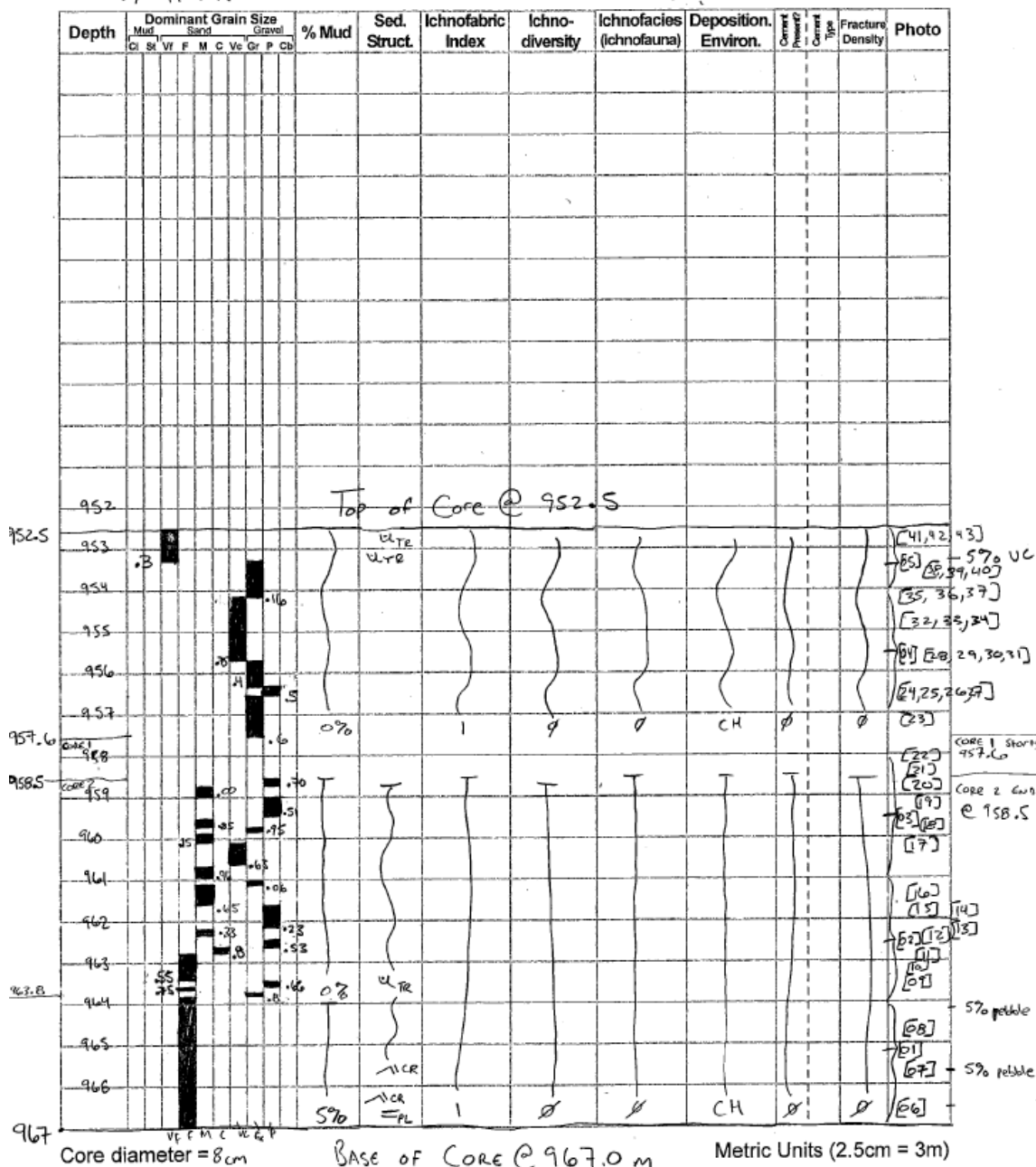
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RECOMPLETE?
Well

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ELOG - Core Adjust: ?

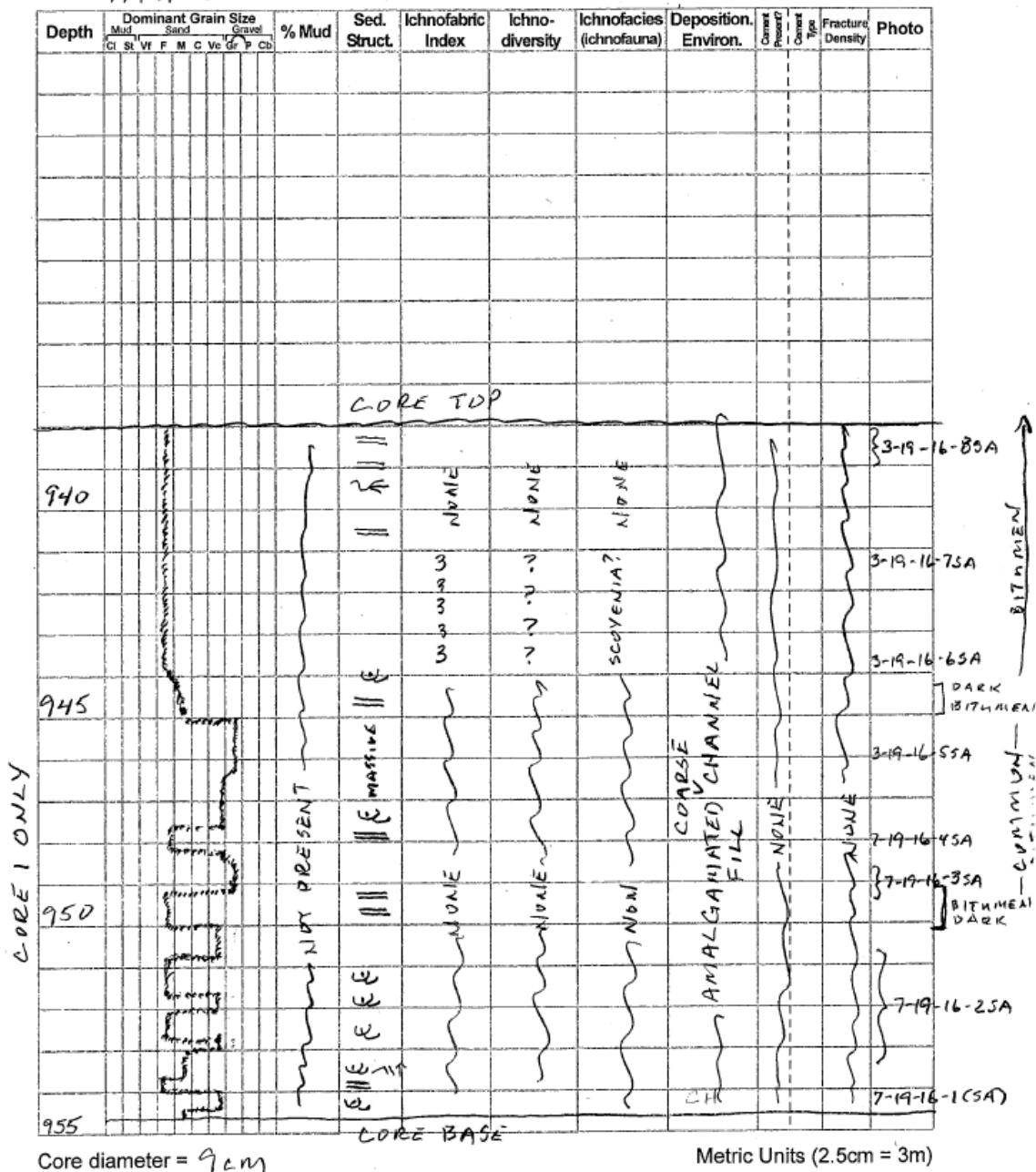
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? depth / log shift

Project/Location: JENNER / B-13-21-9W4
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Decomposition/Redshift

possible

02/10-13-021-09 WA/O

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Depth	Dominant Grain Size											% Mud	Sed. Struct.	Ichnofabric Index	Ichno-diversity	Ichnofacies (Ichnofauna)	Deposition. Environ.	Current Present?	Pressure Present?	Current Type	Fracture Density	Photo
	Mud	Cl	Sl	VI	F	M	C	Ve	Gr	P	CB											
935																						
CORE TOP																						
940													≡ mm									
940.85													≡ cm									
941.55													≡ cm	ND	ND	ND	CH					
942.75													Wavy ss laminated									
945													≡ mm									
945.45 (33)													≡ mm									
945.90																						
949																						
950													Wavy VE ≡ mm									
951													≡ mm									
952													Wavy VE ≡ mm									
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957													≡ mm									
CORE BASE																						

Core diameter = 10cm

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

Core diameter = 10 cm

CORE BASE

Metric Units (2.5cm = 3m)

depth shift: none
(if any slightly ↓)

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