

**The genesis and development of the Guli dunite core complex  
of the Guli Massif, northern Siberia, Russia.  
A multi - disciplinary study.**

**Genese und magmatische Entwicklung des Guli Dunit  
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# 1. Abstract

The Guli Massif, located in the Meimecha – Kotui province of northern Siberia, Russia, represents the world's largest Alaskan-Uralian-type complex, oval in shape, and with an extension of 35 x 45 km, occupying an area of 1500 to 1600 km<sup>2</sup>. It is composed of a giant dunite core complex with occasional uneconomic chromite disseminations and clinopyroxenite dykes, an alkaline suite surrounding the core complex, and carbonatite intrusions. Geological field work was primarily focused on logging and sampling of selected drill cores from the Guli core complex (G17, G13) and from the ultramafic-mafic alkaline sequence forming the envelope around the core complex (G1).

The aims of this study were i) to characterise the formation and genesis of the dunite core complex, ii) investigate possible links between the dunite core complex, its surrounding ultramafics and the meimechites, and iii) investigate a possible source for the PGE placers that occur within the Massif.

The detailed mineralogical, textural, petrological and geochemical investigations of this study revealed the following results:

The Guli dunite core complex represents a restitic mantle material with a metasomatic overprint. This becomes obvious on the basis of textural, mineralogical (e.g. Fo of olivine 91-93) geochemical evidences and by modelling data. The Guli core dunite composition is achieved after 9 episodes of continuous partial melting of primitive mantle material under “wet” conditions, equivalent to a total partial melting of 52% and an extraction of approximately 95% of each melt batch. Clinopyroxenite dykes and plugs, intruding the dunite restite and found in the Guli core complex surrounding alkaline suite, represent early melt batches. Very minor melt portions of similar composition can be found in interstitial spaces within the restitic dunites of the core complex and are interpreted as not having escaped from the residue. Two distinct olivine cumulates (i.e. from G1 and G13), occurring at the periphery of the core complex, represent late melt batches, after approximately 40% of partial melting. The meimechites show a clear genetic link to the more primitive, less fractionated type of olivine cumulates (G1). Mineralogical and geochemical evidences indicate a common parental magma for the G1 olivine cumulates and the meimechites, the residuum of which is represented by the Guli core dunites. All rock types investigated show a

variable enrichment of LREE, which has been characterised by addition of 0.03 to 0.05% of carbonatitic material to the dunite residuum and the melt batches on the basis of modelling data.

No primary chromite and PGE mineralised horizons were found in rocks of the Guli core complex investigated. It can be assumed that estimates, previous to this study, of PGE concentrations in the placer deposits of the Guli Massif are the result of misinterpretation and exaggeration.

## 2. Zusammenfassung

Das Guli Massiv liegt in der Meimecha – Kotui Provinz von Nordsibirien, Russland und repräsentiert den weltweit größten Alaskan-Uralian-Typ Komplex. Das Massiv zeigt eine ovale Form und umfasst eine Größe von 35 x 45 km, was einer eingenommenen Fläche von 1500 bis 1600 km<sup>2</sup> entspricht. Das Guli Massiv besteht aus einem riesigen Dunit Kernkomplex mit vereinzelten nicht ökonomischen Disseminationen von Chromit und Klinopyroxenit-Gängen, einer den Kernkomplex umgebenden Alkalinen Gesteinsabfolge und Karbonatit-Intrusionen. Die Geologische Feldarbeit konzentrierte sich auf die Aufnahme und Beprobung von selektierten Bohrkernen vom Guli Kernkomplex (G17, G13), sowie von ultramafisch-mafischen Gesteinssequenzen (G1), die den Kernkomplex umgeben.

Die Ziele dieser Arbeit waren: i) Eine Charakterisierung der Bildung und Genese des Dunit Kernkomplexes, ii) ein Studium der möglichen, genetischen Verbindung zwischen dem Dunit Kernkomplex, den umgebenden ultramafischen Gesteinen und den Meimechiten, sowie iii) die mögliche Herkunft der PGE in Seifen innerhalb des Guli Massivs zu untersuchen.

Der Guli Dunit Kernkomplex repräsentiert einen Mantel-Restit mit einer metasomatischen Überprägung. Diese Schlussfolgerung ergibt sich auf der Basis von texturellen, mineralogischen (z.B. Fo-Gehalt des Olivins 91-93) und geochemischen Ergebnissen sowie aus den Daten der Modellierungen. Die Zusammensetzung des Guli Kernkomplex wird nach 9 Episoden kontinuierlicher, partieller Aufschmelzung von primitiven Mantelmaterial unter wässrigen Bedingungen und einer Schmelzextraktion von ca. 95% erreicht, was einem totalen Aufschmelzungsgrad von 52% entspricht. Klinopyroxenit-Gänge und Stöcke, die in den Restit des Kernkomplexes intrudieren und die alkaline Gesteinssequenzen um den Kernkomplex bilden, repräsentieren frühe partielle Schmelzen. Kleine Mengen von Schmelzen ähnlicher Zusammensetzung, treten im Intersertalraum der Dunite des Kernkomplexes auf und werden als nicht vom Restit extrahierte Reste von Schmelzen angesehen. Zwei unterschiedliche Olivin-Kumulate (von G1 und G13), die in der Peripherie des Guli Kernkomplexes auftreten, repräsentieren späte partielle Schmelzen nach ca. 40% partieller Aufschmelzung. Die Meimechite zeigen eine deutliche, genetische Verbindung zu den primitiveren, weniger fraktionierten Olivin-Kumulaten (G1). Mineralogische und geochemische Erkenntnisse

deuten auf ein für die Olivin-Kumultae und die Meimechite gemeinsames Stammmagma hin. Das Residuum dieses Magmas ist durch die Dunite des Kernkomplexes repräsentiert. Sämtliche untersuchten Gesteine sind durch eine unterschiedliche Anreicherung der LREE gekennzeichnet. Diese LREE Anreicherung konnte, auf der Basis von Modellierungs-Daten, als eine Addition einer 0.03 bis 0.05% Karbonatit-Komponente charakterisiert werden.

Es konnten keine primären Chromit und PGE vererzten Horizonte innerhalb der untersuchten Gesteine des Guli Kernkomplexes gefunden werden. Daher kann vermutet werden, dass frühere Angaben über die Konzentrationen von PGE in den Seifen einer Miss-Interpretation und Übertreibung unterlagen.

### **3. Introduction**

There are three main types of mafic – ultramafic igneous complexes: 1: layered intrusions, 2: zoned Alaskan – Uralian – Aldan type massifs and 3: ophiolite complexes. These complexes differ in their igneous rock assemblages, in size, in shape and particularly in the geotectonic setting in which they occur. What these different complexes have in common however, is that they host world sized deposits of chromite and platinum group minerals. The current knowledge of layered complexes and ophiolite massifs is quite developed however, there is a lack of information and understanding of zoned massifs. In the research project, P16440-NII, supported by the National Austrian Research Fund (FWF) a so called Zoned Alaskan – Uralian type complex, the Guli Massif, was studied.

## 4. Regional Geology

### 4.1. *The Siberian Platform*<sup>1</sup>

- The Siberian Platform is composed predominately of Archean basement and is overlain by sediments of an Early Proterozoic and younger age. The platform forms the oldest consolidated element in northern Asia and is located centrally in the north of the Asian continent. To the north the craton is bounded by the Taimyr Fold Belt, the Verkhoyansk Fold Belt to the east, the Baikalsk fold belt to the south and the Sajan-Jenissey Fold Belt to the west. The Aldan Shield and the Anabar Massif are the outcropping examples of the Archean basement. They are highly metamorphosed, up to granulite facies and are of an Archean to Early Proterozoic age. See Fig 4 - 1
- The Aldan Shield is a massif of ~200,000 km<sup>2</sup> and is composed of Precambrian granulites, it is bounded to the south, west and east by younger fold belts. It consists of several blocks that reflect a primary heterogeneity of composition and differences in the structural and thermodynamic evolution of different parts of the area (Perchuk et al., 1985). The massif can be divided into two megablocks, the eastern Aldan and the western Aldan, on the basis of structural and petrological data. These megablocks are separated by a narrow meridional fold-belt. On the basis of geodynamics, the structural evolution of this zone was completed in the late Archaen. In the south this central fold belt becomes the small Sutam block, which adjoins the Stanovoy fold belt that forms the southern

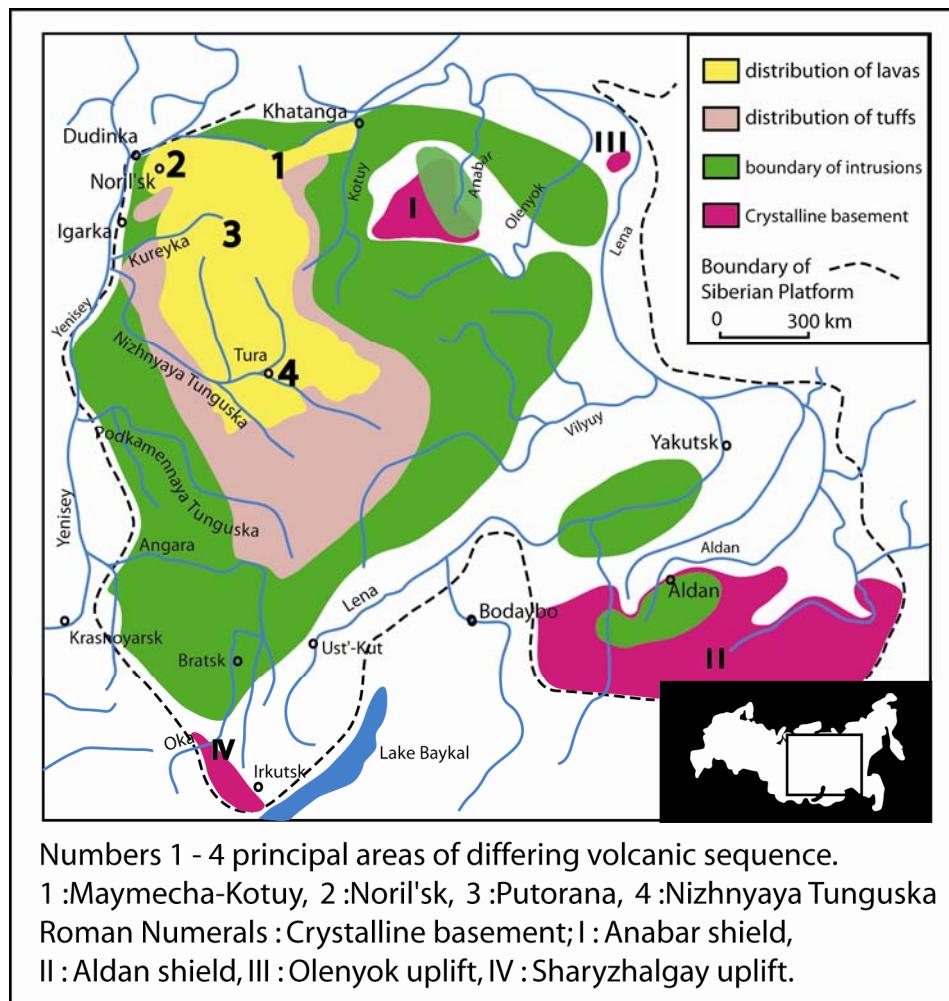
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<sup>1</sup> The geology of the Siberian Platform is described after Chain & Koronovskij (1995), Dolginow & Kropatschjow (1994) and Khain (1985)

boundary of the Aldan shield. A system of north trending grabens filled by post Archaean sediments separates the Sutam block from the other structural units of the Aldan shield. The Aldan shield is composed of Archaean high grade granulites, while the Stanovy fold belt, to the south, consists of highly foliated Proterozoic rocks metamorphosed under relatively lower grade conditions. However, relics of the granulites are mapped within the fold belt (Perchuk et al., 1985).

- The Anabar Massif is the second largest outcrop of the basement of the Siberian Craton. The Precambrian formations correspond to those of the Aldan Shield and have been exposed due to erosion. Metamorphic conditions up to granulite facies are observed. The Anabar Massif has a quite complex fold structure and is characterized by a predominance of north west trends. The accumulation of protoplatform sediments began in the Early Proterozoic, this was followed by significant accumulations of platform deposits in the Middle and Late Riphean and Vendian periods. The rate of sedimentation was influenced by events of significant uplift and subsidence. As a result, the cover consists largely of terrigenous, shallow marine, marine and continental clastic sediments (Dolginow and Kropatschjow, 1994).

**Figure 4-1 Map of the Siberian Platform from (Fedorenko and Czamanske, 1997)**



## **4.2. Maimecha – Kotui Province**

- The Maimecha-Kotui province is located in the northern part of the Siberian Platform and is unique due to the presence of both effusive and intrusive alkaline – ultramafic magmatism occurring both spatially and temporally during a very short period of time. The Maimecha – Kotui province comprises an area of approximately 70 000 km<sup>2</sup>. Geologically it is located at the northern margin of the Siberian platform. Geographically it is located between the Kotui and Maimecha Rivers, which flow approximately from south to north, between Essei and Khatanga. A significant section of the province are Upper Proterozoic carbonate – terrigenous sediments, which discordantly cover the Archaean – Lower Proterozoic crystalline basement. To the north of the province is a cover of Permian sediments and a sequence of Mesozoic ultramafic lavas, which are partly overlain by the younger sediments of the Khatanga trough (Vasiliev and Zolotukhin, 1995). During the formation of the sedimentary cover of the Siberian platform, intense tectonic activity and at least two periods of major igneous / volcanic events (Upper Proterozoic and Early Triassic) led to a block – type structure of the Siberian platform. The Upper Proterozoic event is characterized by dolerite dykes and sills, which are associated with Ryphean terrigenous carbonate sediments. The Early Triassic event was by far the most expansive. The first event, were the emplacement of dolerite dykes and sills within Permian sediments. Later events are characterised by alkaline – ultramafic igneous, extrusive and effusive rocks, which have four clearly distinguished groups (Vasiliev and Zolotukhin, 1995):

- 1: effusive eruptions of alkaline – ultramafic and alkaline rocks with related dykes, sills and explosion pipes.
- 2: complex massifs of alkaline – ultramafic rocks (associated with carbonatites)
- 3: post intrusive dykes and explosion pipes of alkaline – ultramafic rocks
- 4: dykes and pipes of kimberlites.

#### **4.3. *Maimecha – Kotui Province: Volcanism***

- The volcanic rocks from the Lower Triassic are exposed to the northwest of the province, along the north – western margin of the Siberian platform and dip beneath the younger sediments of the Khatanga Trough. They have been classified into five suites.

##### **The Pravobayaraskay suite:**

- This suite consists of basic tuffs and tuffites, which overlie Permian sediments. The thickness varies from 250 to 400m.

##### **The Aridzhanskay suite:**

- This suite is at the same stratigraphical level as the Pravobayaraskay suite and consists of a basal layer of alkaline ultramafic tuffs 20 – 25 m thick. This is then followed by melanephelinites, melilitites, their olivine varieties, augitites, limburgites, alkaline picrites and shoshonites. The thickness of the suite is between 300 – 500m and is exposed along the cliffs of the Kotui river.

##### **The Kogotokskay suite:**

- This suite has been divided into two sub suites. The lower suite is comprised of basaltic flows in contact with flood basalts, it has a thickness of 500 – 545 m. The upper sub suite is comprised of subalkaline olivine basalts and trachybasalts, with alternating flows of trachybasaltic andesites, andesites, shoshonites and trachytes. It has a thickness of 350 – 400 m.

### **The Delkanskay suite:**

- The Delkanskay suite is also divided into two sub suites, the lower of these is between 400 – 500 m in thickness and is comprised of melanephelinites, melilitites, melanalicimites, limburgites, augitites and alkaline picrites. The upper suite has a thickness of 400 – 500 m and is comprised of trachybasalt, trachytes, additionally flows of ultramafic foidites, andesites, rhyolites and trachytes.

### **The Maimechinskay suite:**

- The Maimechinskay suite is composed of unique ultramafic lavas and flows, called “meimechites” alternating with these lavas are tuffs which lie concordantly over the Delkanskay suite. There are varying estimates on the thickness of this suite, with estimates ranging from 400 to 2000 m. Meimechites are defined as an ultramafic volcanic rock composed of olivine phenocrysts; in a groundmass of olivine, clinopyroxene, magnetite and glass. (Le Maitre, 2002). The difference between meimechites and alkali picrites is less abundant olivine and phlogopite often present in the groundmass, which sometimes exhibits spinifex- like textures. (Kogarko and Ryabchikov, 2000). In samples collected from drill cores, alteration of the glass and olivine, the variation in phlogopite content and the variation in geochemistry has made the differentiation of these two rock types difficult. As a result the high Mg volcanic ultra mafic rocks are referred to as Meimechites in this work. The relationship between the Meimechites and the Guli Massif is some what ambiguous with various authors attributing the meimechites to the Siberian Flood Basalts (Fedorenko and Czamanske, 1997; Kogarko and Ryabchikov, 2000) and others

that they represent an extension of the peridotitic facies of the Guli complex.

References from (Fedorenko and Czamanske, 1997).

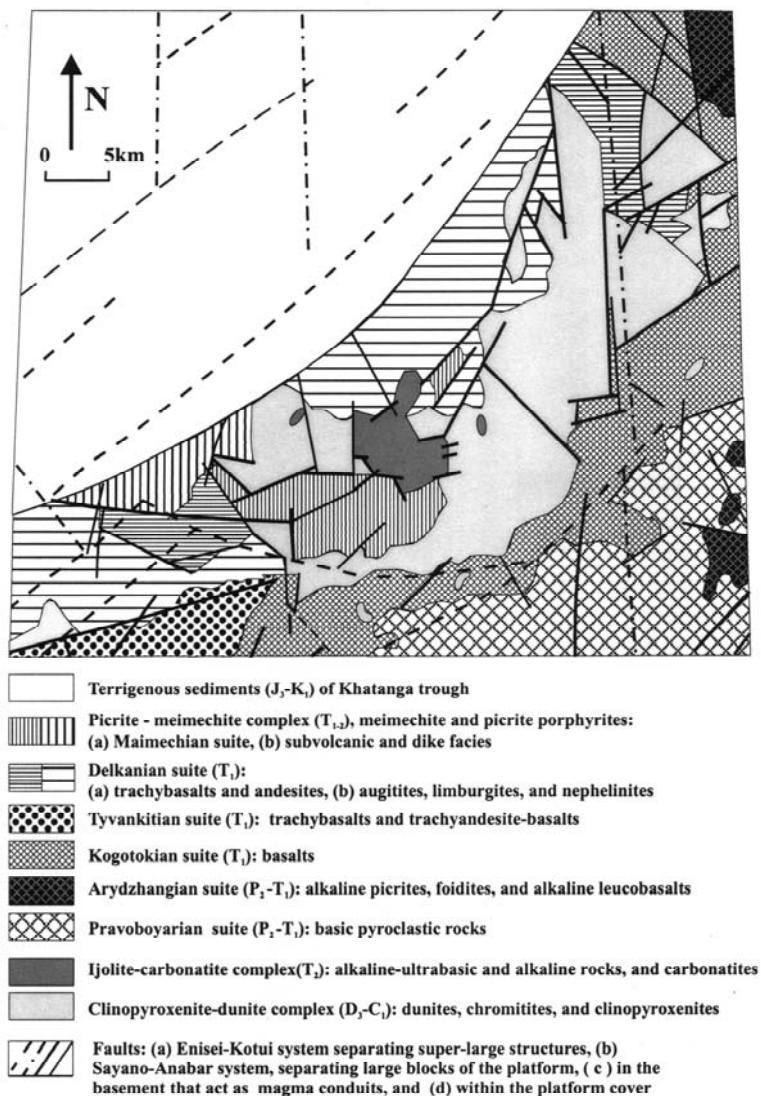
#### **4.4. Alkaline – ultramafic and carbonatite intrusive complexes.**

- More than 50 multiphase alkaline – ultramafic and carbonatitic complexes have been identified within the Maimecha- Kotui province. The largest complex, the Guli complex, covers 1500 km<sup>2</sup>. Two complexes are between 42 to 56 km<sup>2</sup>, three are 11 to 18km<sup>2</sup>, and four are from 3 to 7 km<sup>2</sup>, and other complexes are from 10 to 100 m<sup>2</sup>. These complexes are concentrated along submeridional faults, they have a cylinder-like morphology and intrude Palaeozonic terrigenous – carbonate rocks. The current consensus from Russian geologists is, that these complexes have been emplaced concentrically, have a multiphase origin, which consists of the following:
  - Phase 1: Dunites (olivinites, peridotites),
  - Phase 2: Melilite rocks,
  - Phase3: Jacupirangites- melteigites and related alkaline mafic rocks,
  - Phase 4: Ijolites,
  - Phase 5: Nepheline and alkaline aegirine syenites,
  - Phase 6 : Rocks of a phoscorite series,
  - Phase 7: Carbonatites. All phases are represented in only two massifs, Guli and Kugda.

#### **4.5.      *The Guli Massif***

- The Guli massif ( $70^{\circ}57'$  N;  $101^{\circ}26'$  E) is located in the Kotui basin of the Maimecha – Kotui magmatic province. The western margin of the Guli massif lies on the right bank of the Maymecha River, while the northeastern margin lies 10 km from the Kotui valley. The Guli massif is a large heterogeneous intrusive body, composed of ultramafics, alkaline rocks and carbonatite. Aeromagnetic data suggests that the intrusive is oval in shape, with dimensions of  $35 \times 45$  km and occupies an area of 1500 to  $1600 \text{ km}^2$ . As such it is the world's largest dunite – clinopyroxenite massif. Approximately two thirds of the Guli Massif lies beneath the deposits of the Khatanga basin. On the basis of geophysical data, the buried portion of the massif increases in thickness from 0.5 to 2-4 km towards the Khatanga basin. Only the southeastern part of the massif is exposed. This crescent shaped outcrop occupies an area of  $470 \text{ km}^2$ . (Yegorov, 1989). See Fig 4 - 2

**Figure 4-2** Schematic geological map of the Guli Massif, modified after (Malitch and Anonymous, 2002)



### Structural and Geological location:

- Early Triassic volcanics host the massif. These volcanics are composed of ultramafic foidites of the Ary-Dzhang formation to the northeast, basalts of the Lower Kogotok sub-formation to the south and east, while to the southwest trachybasalts, trachyandesites, trachyrhyolites, dacites, ultramafic foidites, alkalic metapicrites and meimechites of the Kotogok, Del'kan and Meimecha

formations form the host rock See Fig 4 - 2. The total thickness of the lava sequence, intruded by and covering the massif, is approximately 4 km. The northern and northwestern sections of the pluton are buried beneath the Mesozoic – Cenozoic deposits of the Khatanga basin. It has been interpreted that caldera subsidence of the roof of the pluton (during the early stages of emplacement or possibly after emplacement) led to isolated remnants of the lava sequence (e.g. alkalic metapicrites and meimechites) occurring within the pluton.

- The Guli massif is located on the boundary between the Siberian platform and the Mesozoic – Cenozoic Khatanga basin, where the most active abyssal faults of Early Triassic magmatic activity meet. To the north, the Central Taymyr (Baykura – Meimecha) fault approaches the massif and can be traced to the south where it is known as the Meimecha – Kotui fault. Both of these faults are part of the Taimyr –Baikla fault system. To the west, the Malaya Kheta-Kheta and the Yenisey – Guli deep faults, which are elements of the Pyasina – Khatanga paleorift, are truncated by the Guli massif. To the northeast the pluton is truncated by a branch of the Kotui deep fault, while to the southwest the Romanikha fault can be traced.
- Geological and geophysical data indicate that the southeastern contact of the massif with the volcanic sequence is nearly vertical. The gravity field over the massif is similar to the geophysical anomalies produced by other vertical plutons in the Maimecha – Kotui region. On this basis the Guli massif has been interpreted as having a stock-like form, the width of which decreased with depth. See Fig 4 -3, which shows the geophysical outline of the Guli massif.

- Within the pluton, several petrographically different rock groups have been identified. They have been interpreted by (Yegorov, 1989) as being the result of successive phases and subphases of intrusive activity. These phases are described in Table 4 -1.

**Table 4-1** Sequence of formation of the Guli massif, after (Yegorov, 1989)

Phase of emplacement	Subphase of emplacement	Rocks
Seventh	Third	Dolomitic carbonatite
	Second	Fine grained calcitic carbonatite
	First	Coarse grained calcitic carbonatite
Sixth		Phoscorite
Fifth	Second	Microshonkinite and solvsbergite
	First	Ijolite and ijolite pegmatite
	Third?	Jacupirangite and melteigite
Fourth	Second	Melanephelinite, olivine melanephelinite, nepheline and biotite - pyroxene picrites
	First	Melteigite, malignite and shonkinitie
Second		Melilite rocks
First	Second	Ore pyroxenite (koswite)
	First	Dunite

- The Guli massif differs from the typical zoned massifs in that it is not concentrically zoned. The exposed section of the massif,  $\sim 600 \text{ km}^2$  is composed of dunites, chromitites, wehrellites and magnetite-bearing clinopyroxenites. Dunites comprise the dominant rock type, with a body  $\sim 30 \text{ km}$  long and  $10 - 15 \text{ km}$  wide, which dips moderately to the northwest. The southwestern section of the massif is overlain by Meimechan ultramafic volcanics (meimechites). The central sections of the massif are comprised of nepheline basalts (called ankaratrites – a melanocratic nepheline basalt) and picrite. The picrites are cut by stock – like bodies of the Meimecha – Kotui ijolite – carbonatite complex. To the north and northwest the Guli massif is overlain by continental and marine

sediments. See Fig 4-3 Map of the Guli massif. The Guli massif, while being considerably larger, not concentrically zoned and without the rounded shape of other zoned massifs, it has the ultramafic rock suite and many of the petrological and geochemical characteristics typical of zoned massifs.

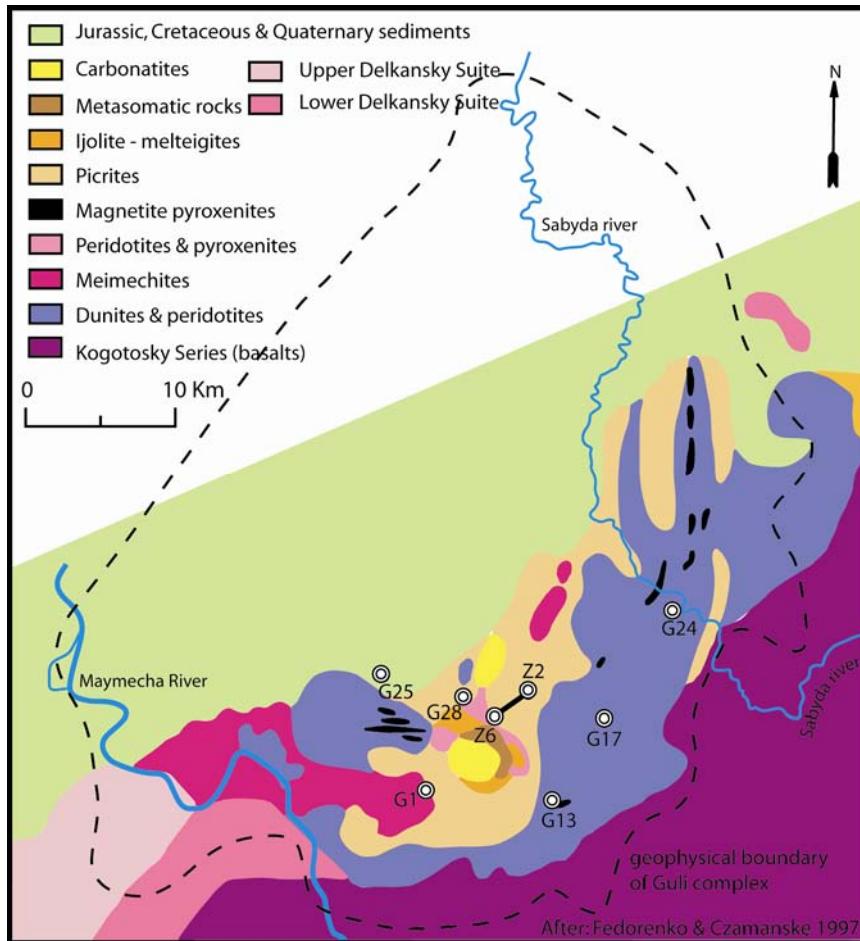
- Mineralisation within the Guli complex is associated with a number of different systems. Most notably the gold and PGE mineralisation (Malich and Thalhammer, 2002) with placer deposits of noble metals prognosticated at ~ 20 tons (Malich and Lopatin, 1997). The Guli Massif is a known source of phlogopite and clinohumite in association with the carbonatitic intrusion. It is also regarded as having potential ore deposits of titanomagnetite and chromite from the dunite core. (Kogarko et al., 1995)

### **Age constraints of the Guli Massif**

- The age of the Guli Massif is poorly constrained. (Dalrymple et al., 1995) have reported an  $^{40}\text{Ar}/^{39}\text{Ar}$  age of  $437.7 \pm 1.2$  Ma for the carbonatites. Meimechites are generally assigned to the upper most stratigraphic position of the Siberian flood volcanic plateau, which has been dated at  $245 \pm 1$  Ma. (Arndt et al., 1998a; Dalrymple et al., 1995; Horan et al., 1995). Age determination of the meimechites on the basis of Sm-Nd, K-Ar and Os isotope data suggest an age within the time interval of 220 -245 Ma. (i.e Permian/Triassic) (Dalrymple et al., 1995; Malich and Kostoyanov, 1999; Yegorov, 1989). More recent preliminary Os isotope data from PGM from placer deposits in the vicinity of the Guli Massif reveal model ages of ~370 Ma. (Malich and Kostoyanov, 1999). This suggests that the Guli ultramafic complex is Early Carboniferous, corresponding to the final stage of the Middle Paleozoic tectonic cycle of development of the

Siberian Platform. A  $^{206}\text{Pb}/^{238}\text{U}$  vs  $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{235}\text{U}$  age of  $250.8 \pm 3.5$  Ma was obtained from perovskite from a clinopyroxenite from drill core G28 by (Dvorani, 2007) as a part of this project.

**Figure 4-3** Map of the Guli massif showing the geophysical outline of the massif



## **4.6. *Genesis and economic potential of Zoned Alkali – Ultrabasic Complexes (with reference to Russia)***

- Summary after (Zalishchak et al., 1994). Zoned alkali - ultrabasic complexes are often found in tectonically stable zones. They are usually limited to deep seated fractures and zones of tectonic – magmatic activity during the Mesozoic-Cenozoic age. These complexes often form concentric – zoned structures and are comprised of various carbonatitic, calc- alkalic to ultramafic rocks. Older complexes, forming over a long period of time often contain rocks that are not co- magmatic. Older ultramafic cores of either Precambrian or Paleozoic age, and younger Mesozoic alkaline rocks have been observed within these complexes. Alkali – ultramafic volcanic and sub-volcanic rocks are comprised of alkaline picrites, ankermanites, ultrabasic foidites, nephelinites and in some case lamproites and kimberlites.
- A multiphase genesis of the zoned alkali- ultrabasic complexes is most common. The first phase consists of ultramafic rocks such as dunites and pyroxenites (with grain size varying from fine to pegmatoidal). These have undergone varying degrees of metasomatism (kaersutitised, biotitsed or phenitised). The pyroxenites may contain economic concentrations of titanomagnetite, ilmenite, sphene, perovskite and apatite. The alkaline – ultramafic rocks are composed of aegirine ijolite- melteigites and hastingsite-aegirine-augite ijolite-melteigites and may form bands and lenses in nepheline syenites or occur in separate bodies among pyroxenites. The second phase is comprised of veins of foyaites, mayaskites and aegirine-augite-hastingsite-nepheline syenites. The third phase is represented by emplacement of veins of lujavrites, rischorites and mariopolites

and their pegmatitodal equivalents. Small carbonatite bodies (approximately 1 km in diameter) occurring both outside the massif and within complete the formation of the complexes. Metasomatically altered pyroxenites can form an external zone, often several hundred meters thick and distributed along the inner sections of the tectonic fractures of the massif. Mineral variations of the ultrabasic and alkaline rocks are usually controlled by alkali metasomatism in the temperature range of 600 to 100°C. The platinum mineralisation is spatially and genetically connected with the dunites, it has also been associated in ore-bearing pyroxenites, metasomatic rocks and in skarns. Gold was commonly deposited after platinum mineralisation. Additionally significant chrome spinels bearing inclusions of platinum group minerals have been observed in zoned alkali – ultrabasic complexes.

- Alkali – ultramafic complexes are characterised by a genetic diversity (magmatogene, hydrothermal and exogenic origin, etc.) and by a variety of ore minerals and non – metallic mineral resources. These can include
- Sphene – apatite – titanomagnetite mineralisation.
- Rare metal mineralisation (zircon, pyrochlore and rare earth element minerals)
- Skarn and fenite rocks with mineral occurrences such as perovskite, gahnite, phlogopite, richterite-asbestos.
- Gelzircon- baddeleyite occurrences.
- Platinum – chromite and gold mineralisation and associate placer deposits.
- Diamond deposits in subvolcanic bodies.
- Exogenic vermiculite deposits.

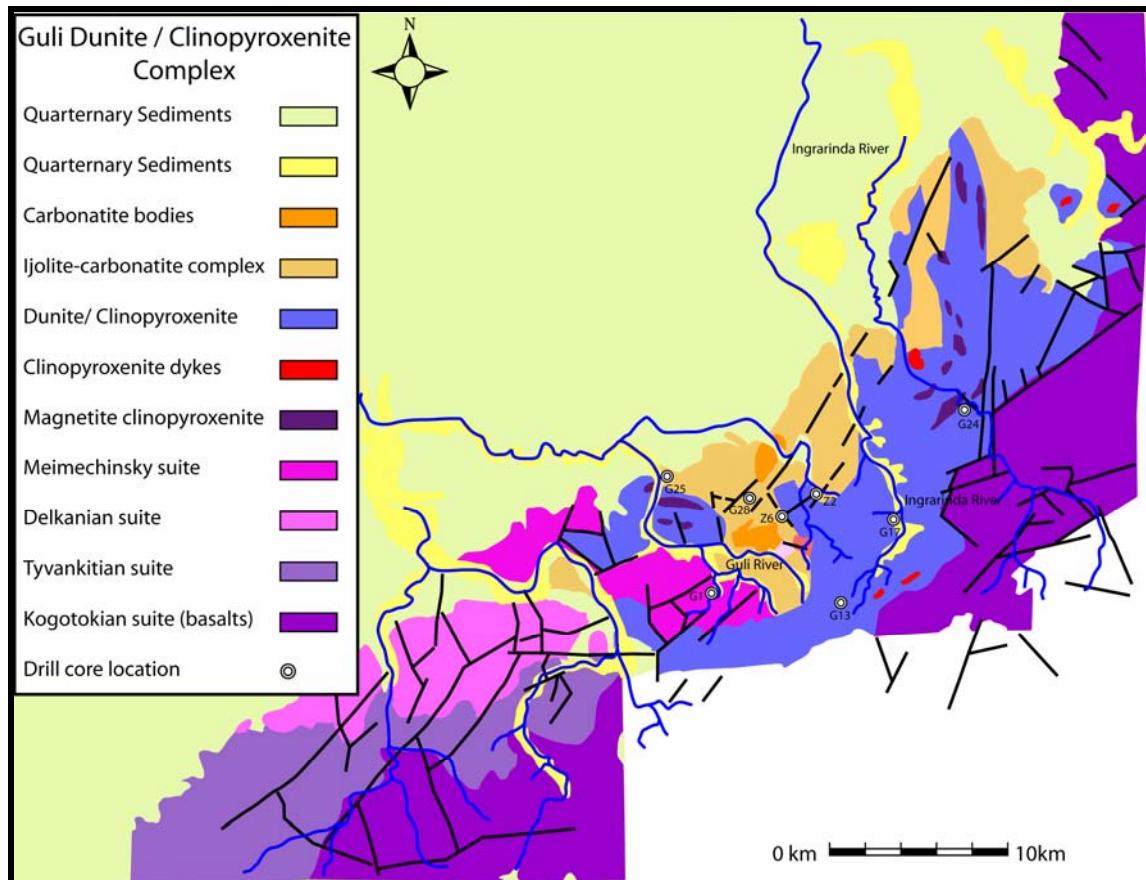
## **5. The Guli Massif**

### **5.1. Previous studies and Field work during this study**

Previous work on the complex has been carried out mainly by Russian geologists, starting with the discovery of the massif by Sheinman in 1943. Moor & Sheinmann (1946) carried out a petrographic study of the complex. Epshtey *et al* (1961) carried out exploration on the phlogopite deposit and surrounding area during the 1950's. The complex has been extensively mapped during various drilling and mapping campaigns between 1990 – 1994 (Polar Party, Noril'sky Kombinant); however few of these maps have been released or made available in the West. From this information, and documents made available during the field work for this study a geological map was constructed. (See Fig 5-1). On the basis of these different studies the Guli massif has been interpreted as a multi-stage intrusion, beginning with the intrusion of the dunite mass, with the final stage being represented by the carbonatite bodies (Kogarko *et al.*, 1995). Considerable age dating has been done on the rocks of the Maimecha-Kotui province. Most of the isotope dating has been done on the surrounding volcanics, which consistently give ages of between, 253 and 243 Ma. Age data from the Guli Massif itself is somewhat varied. Older Russian articles often give ages and isotope systems used for analysis, but not the mineral or location of the sample. The oldest age is  $437.7 \pm 2.0$  Ma., using the Ar – Ar system on biotite from the carbonatite or metasomatic zone. (Dalrymple *et al.*, 1995), while (Kamo *et al.*, 2000) obtained an age of  $252.7 \pm 0.3$  Ma. from baddeleyite ( $ZrO_2$ ) from the carbonatite, while Os - Os isotopes from PGM nuggets from the rivers of the Guli massif have yielded two ages  $370 \pm 45$  Ma. and  $230 \pm 30$  Ma. (Malich and Kostoyanov, 1999). A young age of 240 Ma. has was published

in Kogarko *et al.* 1988, this was obtained using Rb – Sr and Sm – Nd isotope systems however the location of the sample is given only as “Guli”.

**Figure 5-1** Map of the Guli Massif complied from various sources.



## **5.2. Economic Potential – Guli Massif**

An evaluation of the metallogenetic potential of the Guli Massif and the entire Maymecha-Kotui province was given by (Malich et al., 1996). PGE placers were explored by Likhachev *et al.* (1987), Lazarenkov *et al.* (1992) and (Malich and Lopatin, 1997), and later studied by Malitch *et al.* (1995), Malitch & Auge (1998), (Malich and Kostoyanov, 1999) and (Malich and Thalhammer, 2002). A few PGM were identified from chromitite-bearing dunites of the Guli Massif by Malitch & Rudashevsky (1992). The gold placers were investigated by Sazonov *et al.* (1994) and Simonov *et al.* (1995). The placer deposits are located in valleys and tributaries that drain the Guli Massif, and occur in Upper Quaternary and recent alluvial sediments (Malich and Thalhammer, 2002). A detailed study on gold nuggets and their numerous inclusions had been recently completed within the frame of this research project by S. Dvorani (Dvorani, 2007).

## **5.3. Aims of the Project**

The aims of this project were to investigate the Guli Massif, host of the largest dunite complex in the world. The genesis and formation of such large dunite masses is very poorly understood. Therefore this project was focused on characterising the dunite mass, on a mineralogical, petrographical and geochemical basis. The meimechites, which occur on the periphery of the Guli Massif are somewhat of an enigma. The close association to the Guli massif and a possible genetic relationship with the Dunite core complex creates an interesting field of investigation. The Guli Massif is said to host one of the largest concentrations of IPGE placers in the world. The primary source of these placers is as yet unknown. A further aim of this project was to identify possible sources of these IPGE placers.

#### **5.4. *Field work carried out during this study***

The field work of this study was carried out during summer 2003. A field camp, located on the banks of the Guli River (Fig 5-2), represented the base for the mapping and sampling campaign carried out. The camp had been previously utilised as a base for drilling expeditions of the Polar Party and subsequently was used as the camp for mining operations on the Guli River. The camp consisted of a number of converted railway carriages as sleeping quarters and a small hut that was used as a kitchen and dining room. The water supply was the river, cooking was done on an open fire or cast iron stove. Although the camp had a number of vehicles remaining from the drilling expedition none of these were available for use. A great deal of the drill core from the Polar Party drilling programs was stored on site. See Fig 5-4. However, two of the cores of most interest for the present study remained at their original drill location. See Fig 5 - 3 In order to sample and log these cores, several very long, up to 23 hour hikes had to be done. See Fig 5-5

**Figure 5-2** The field camp on the banks of the Guli River



**Figure 5-3** Drill core G17



**Figure 5-4** Storage location for drill core

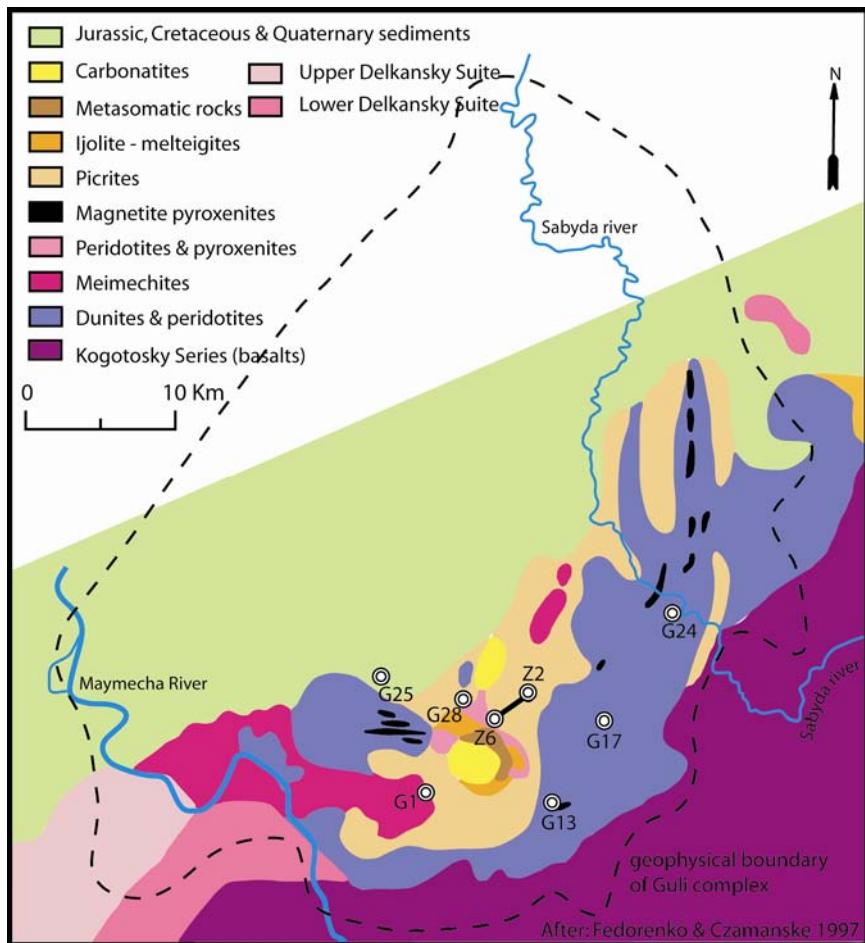


**Figure 5-5** The Ingardina River



Apart of collecting surface rock samples from various outcrops and mapping some sections in detail, the dominant number of samples for this study was collected from drill cores. See Fig 5-6 for the locations of the drill cores.

**Figure 5-6** Detailed map of the Guli Massif showing drill core locations and the geophysical boundaries of the complex



The following drill cores had been logged and sampled

G13 (0 – 662.0 m end of core)

G28 (251.0 -506.0m end of core)

G17 (0 – 1281.5 m end of core)

Z2 (0 – 220.5 m end of core)

Z3 (0 – 191.0 end of core)

Z4 (0 – 216 m end of core)

Z12 (0- 99.7 end of core)

G1 (~7.5m – 401.0 m end of core)

A number of representative samples were collected from other drill cores. The drill cores were logged on the basis of, rock type, grain size, visible accessory minerals, veining and degree of alteration. Samples of the drill core were taken at regular intervals, or at locations of specific interest.

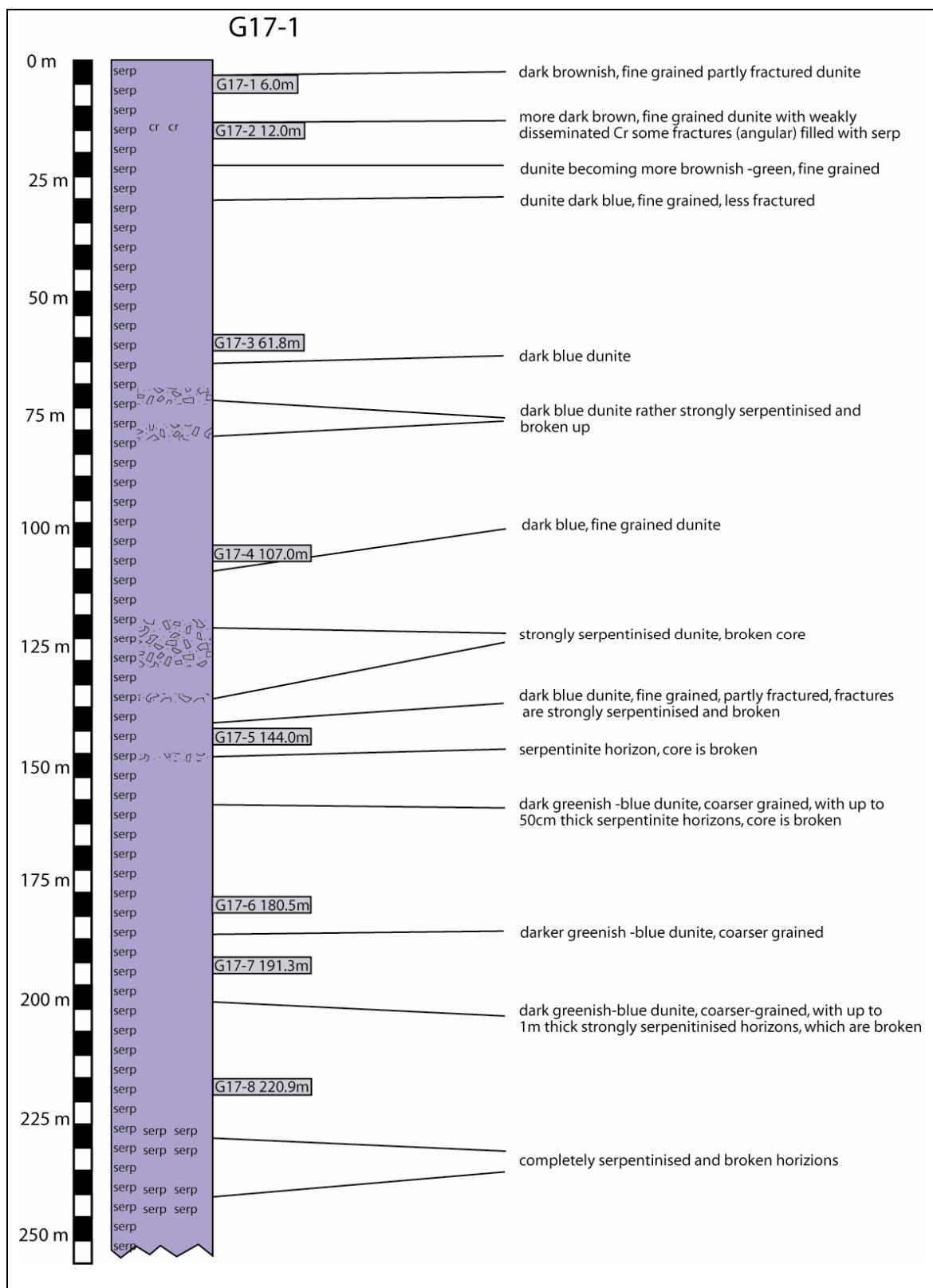
Drill cores G28, Z2, Z3, and Z4 have been investigated as part of the of the Diploma thesis of Gernot Loidl (2005), entitled “The metasomatic contact aureole between the carbonatite and dunite – complex of the Guli Massif, Taimyr province, northern Siberia, Russia. A mineralogical – petrological – geochemical study” and the PhD thesis of Sami Dvorani (2007), entitled “Die Genese und die Herkunft von Gold Nuggets aus dem Guli Massiv, Nordsibirien, Russland: eine multidisziplinäre mineralogische und geochemische Studie”. These cores had been selected, because they represented a transect from the dunite core complex to the carbonatites, with G28 representing the core closest to the carbonatites and Z2 the core closest to the dunite rock of the Guli Massif.

For the purpose of this study drills cores G17 (1200m), located in the centre of the dunite complex of the Guli Massif, G13 (662m), located at the periphery of the dunite complex, and core G1 (401m), located at the periphery of the Massif, were investigated in detail.

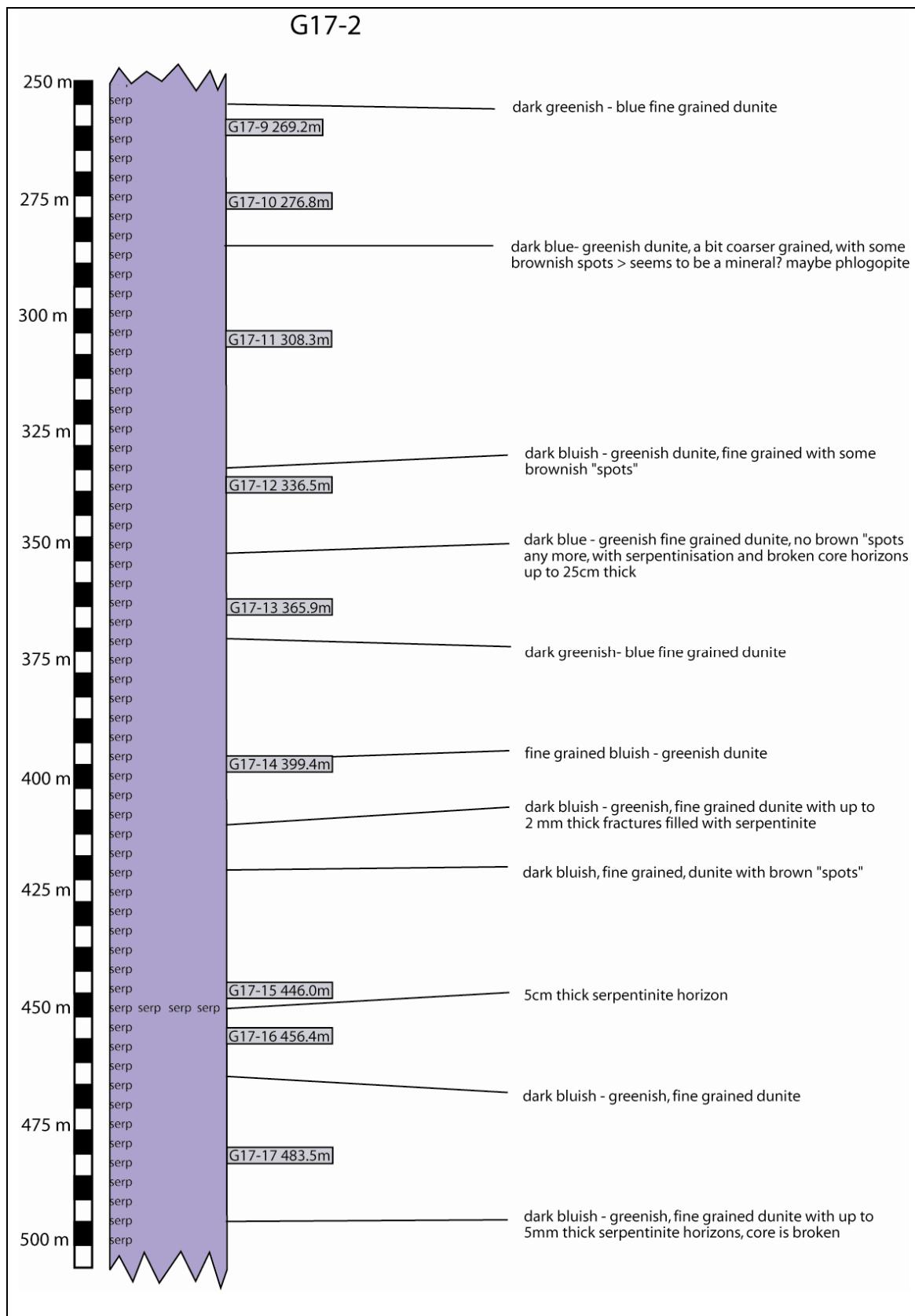
Figs 5-7 to 16 shows the results of the drill core logging for cores G17, G13 and G1, while Table 5 1 & 2 show samples list and analysis carried out.

## 5.5. Drill core logs

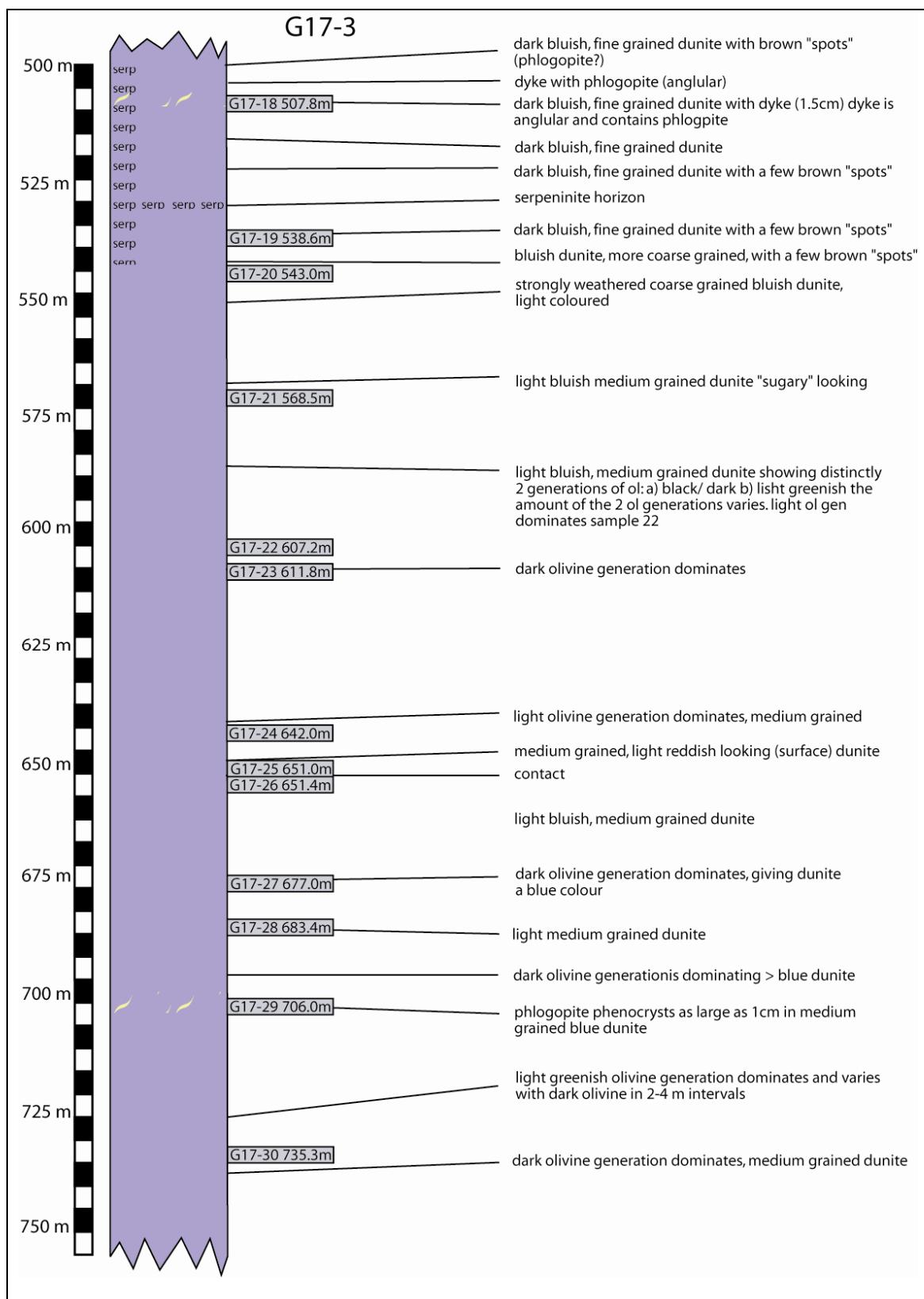
**Figure 5-7 Drill core log G17 0 – 250 m**



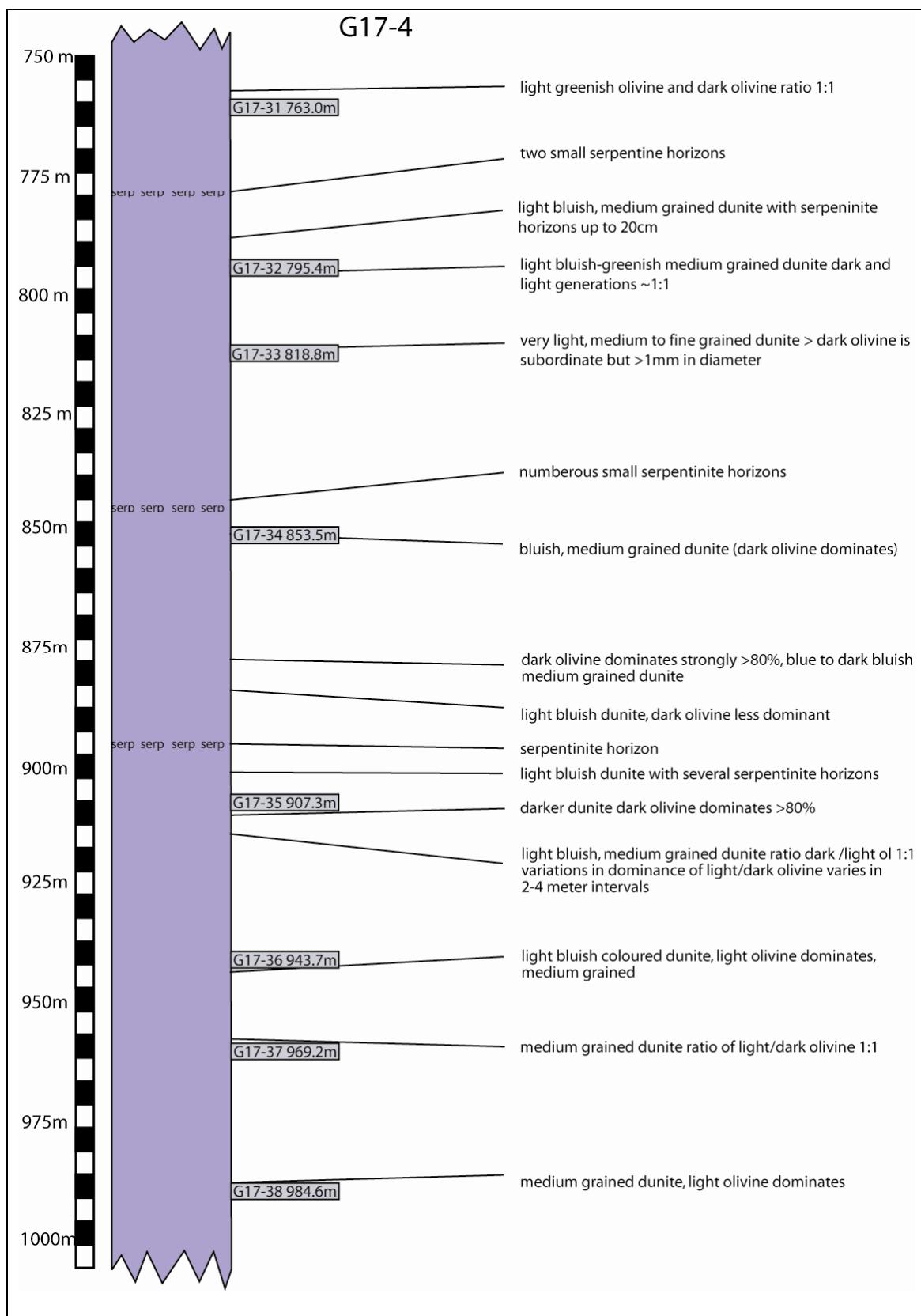
**Figure 5-8 Drill core log G17 250 – 500 m**



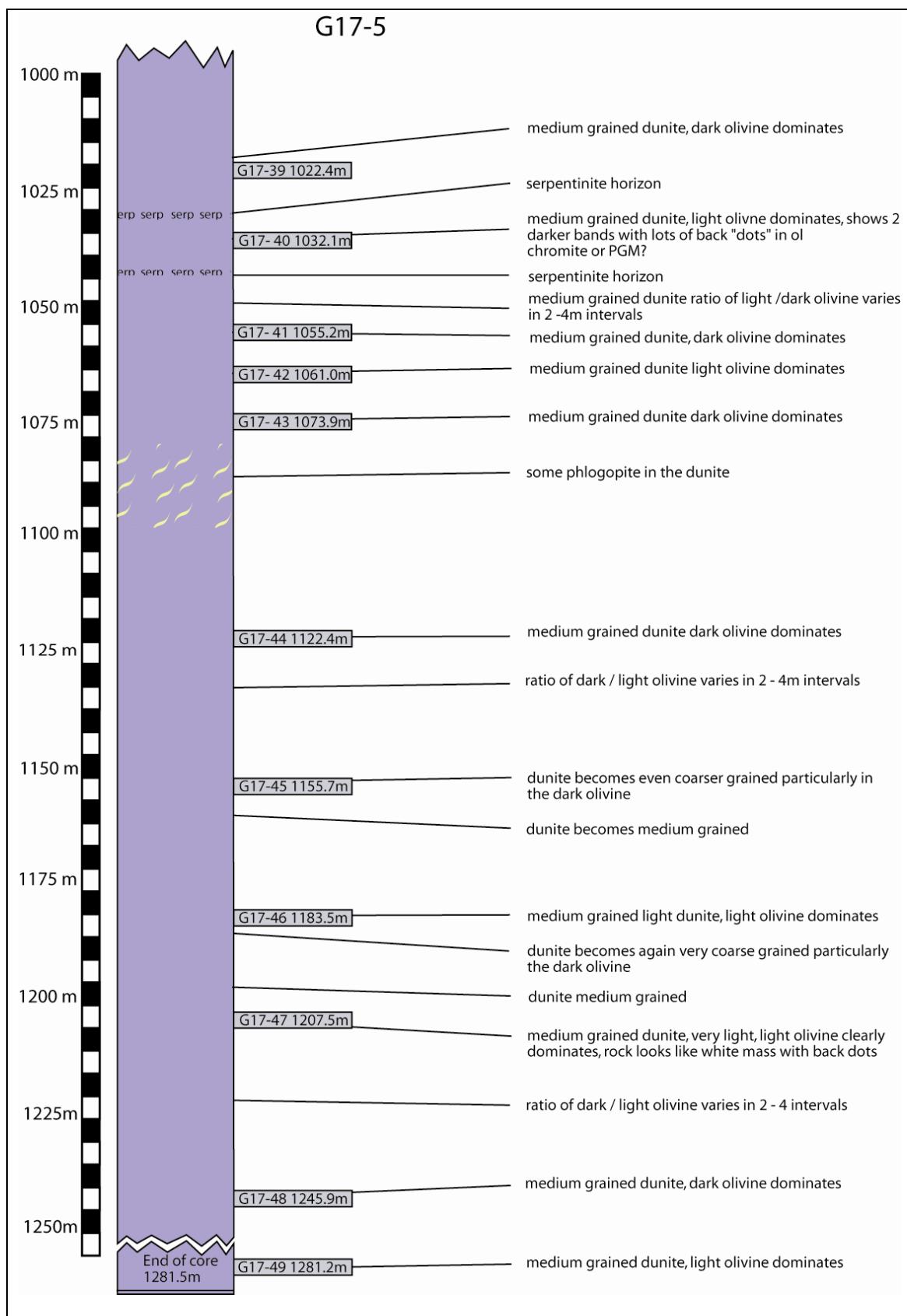
**Figure 5-9 Drill core log G17 500- 750 m**

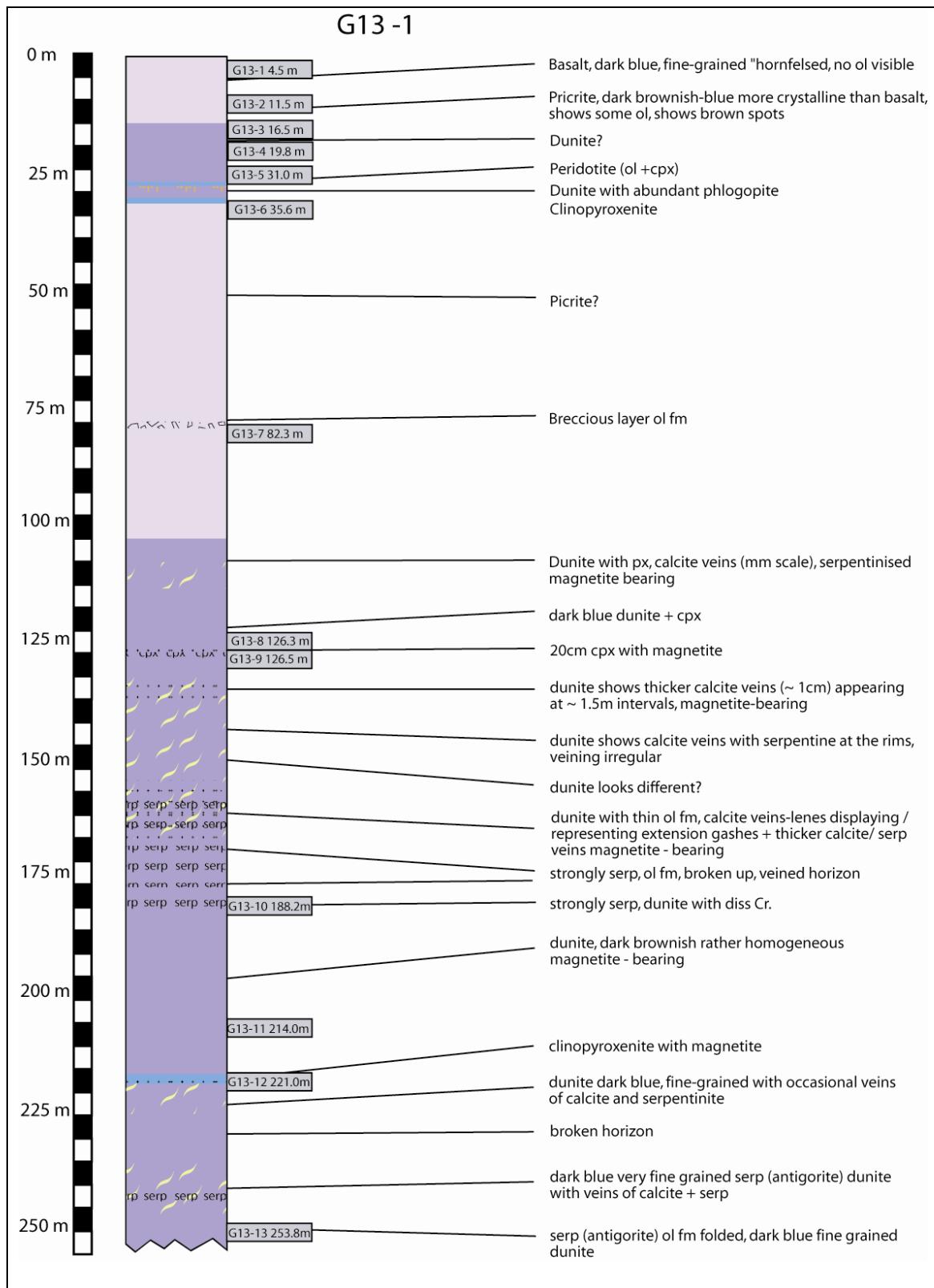


**Figure 5-10** Drill core log G17 750 -1000 m

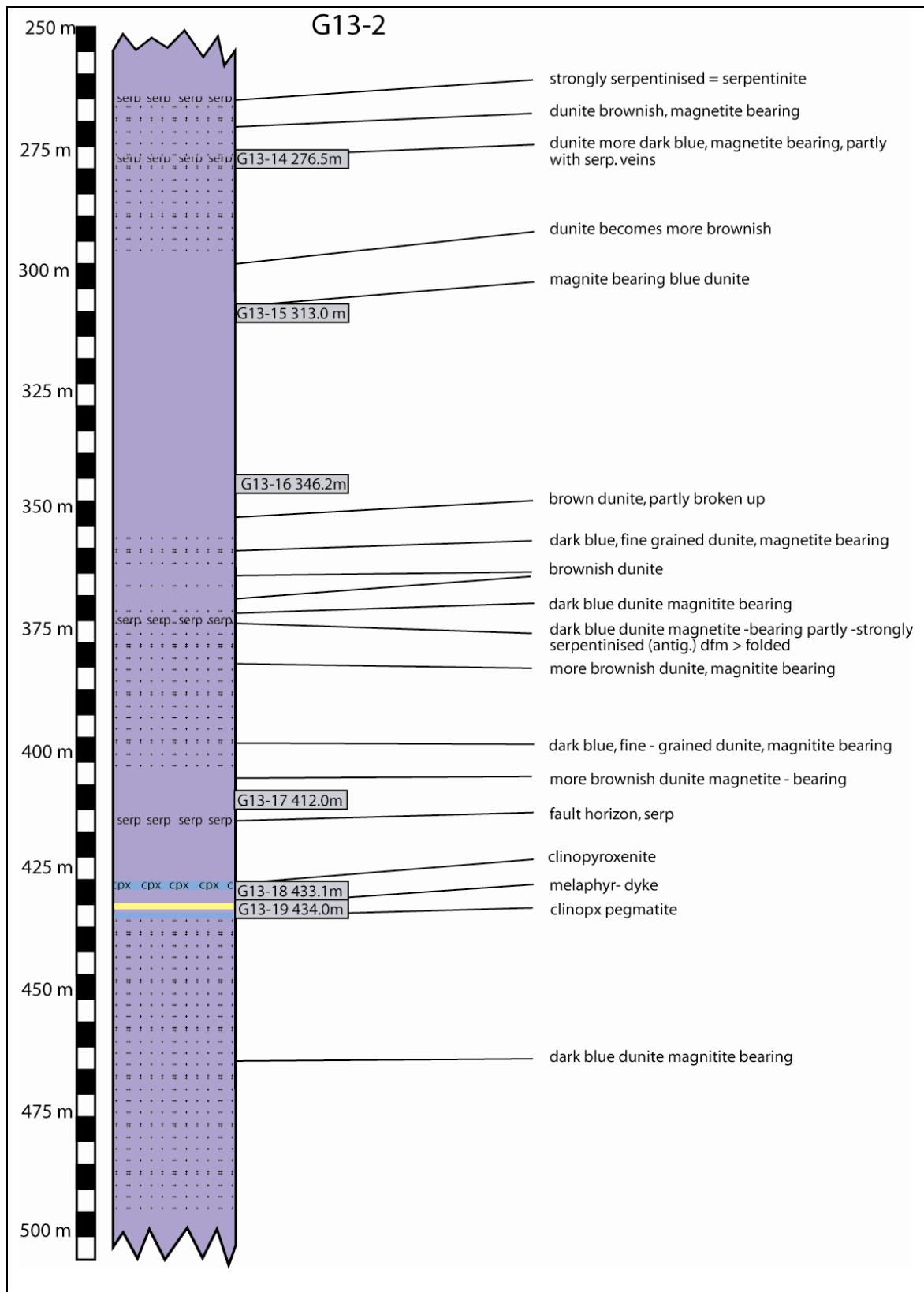


**Figure 5-11** Drill core log G17 1000 to end of core.

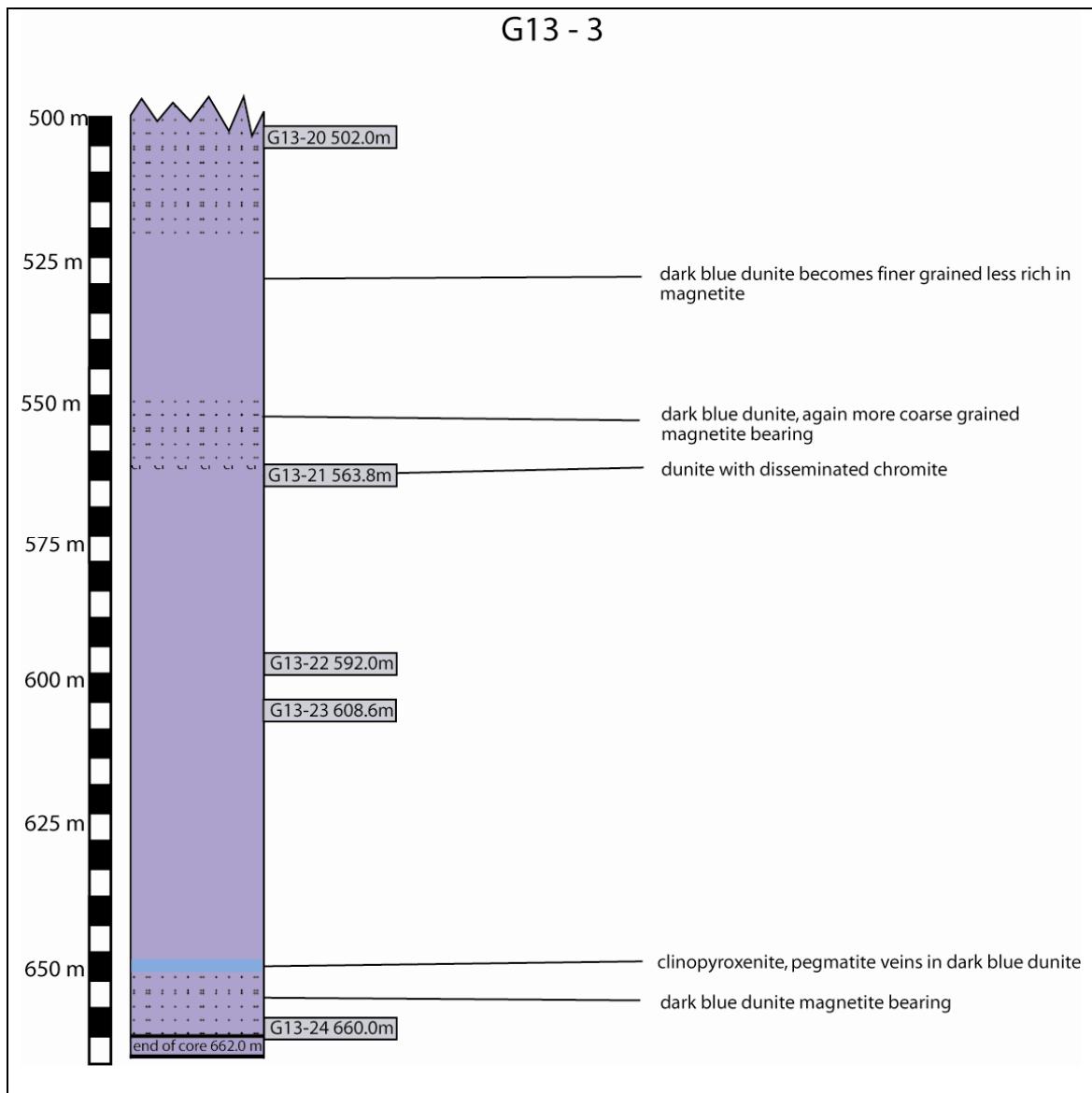




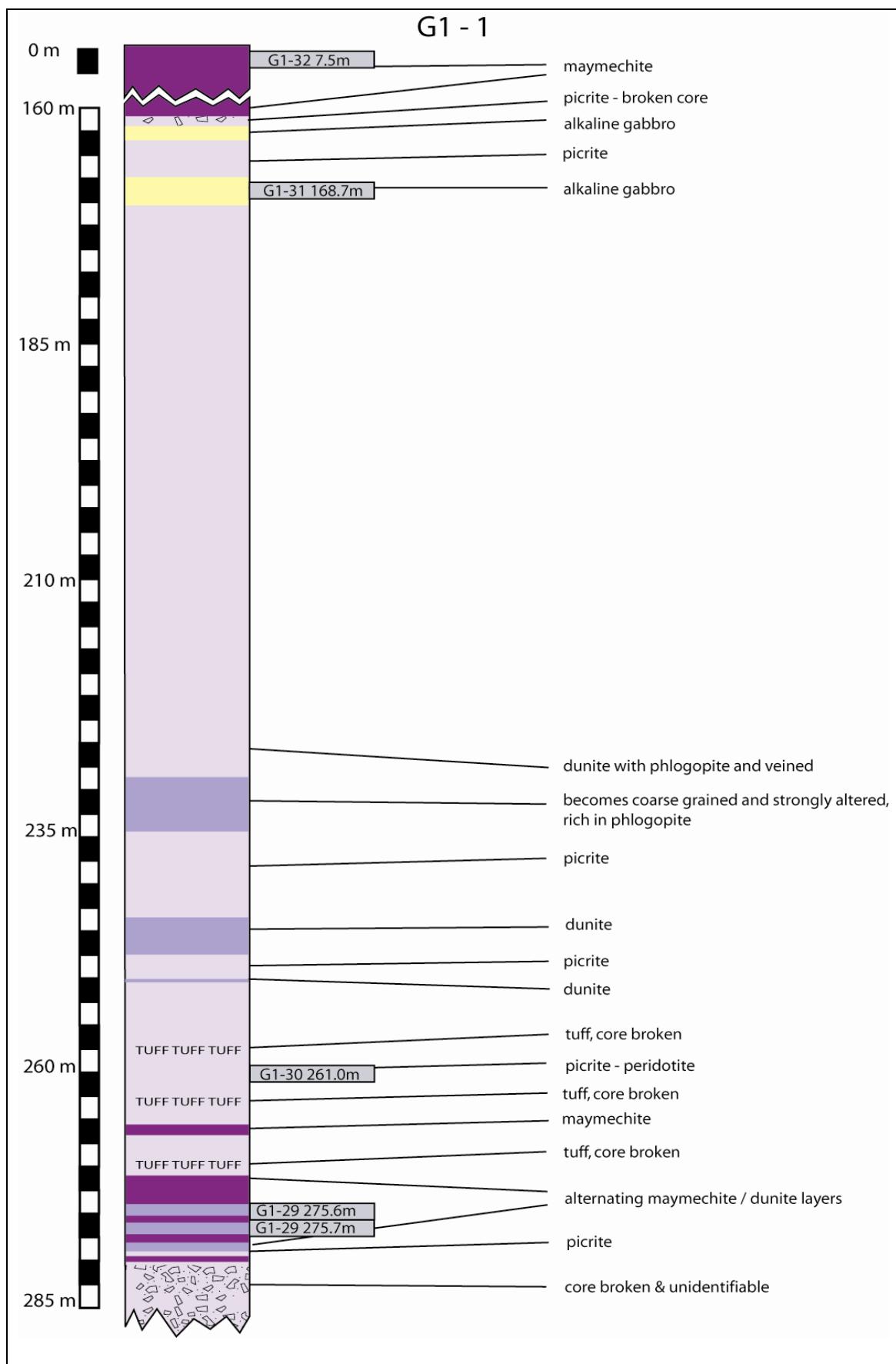
**Figure 5-12** Drill core log G13 0 - 250 m



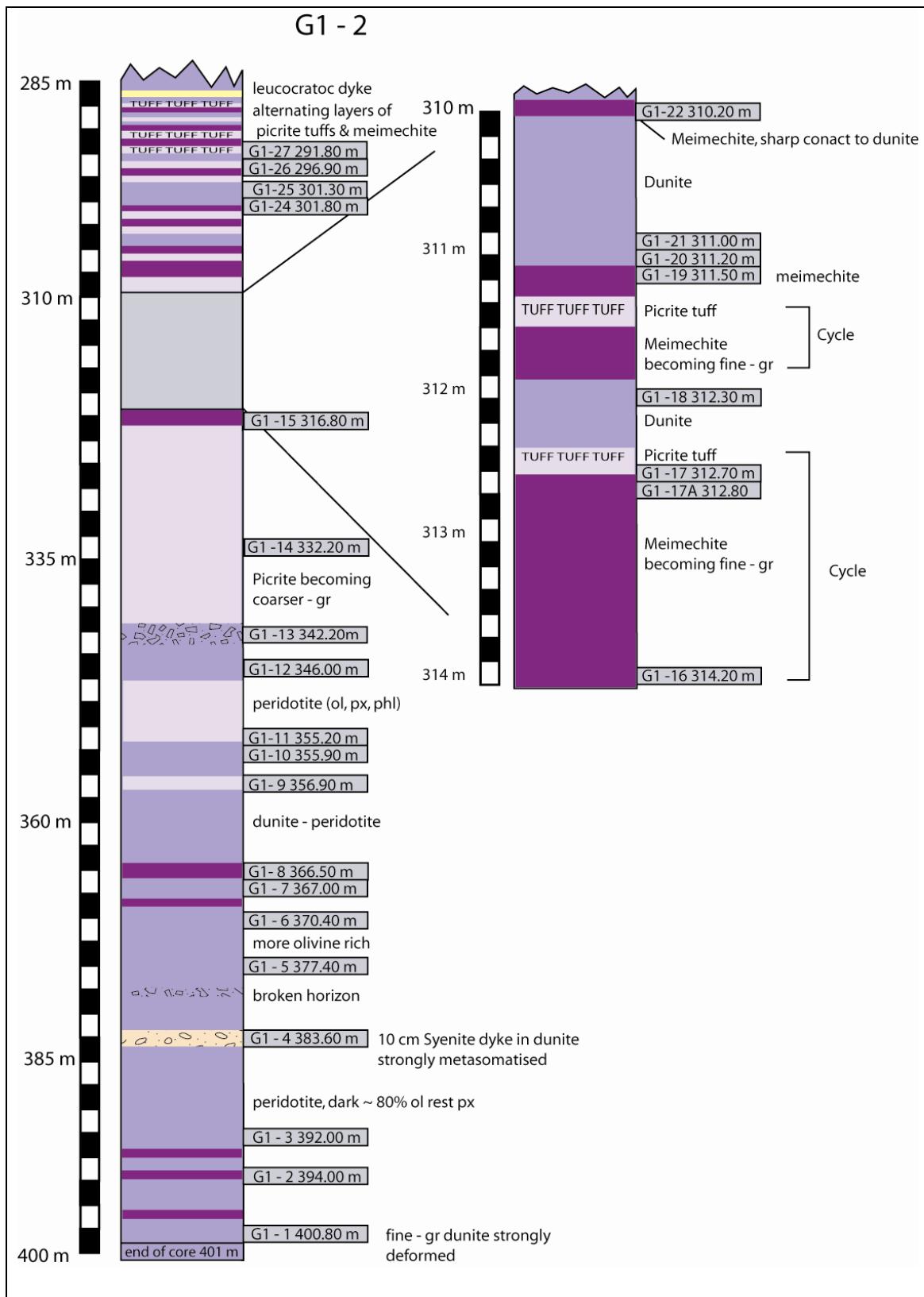
**Figure 5-13** Drill core log G13 250 -500 m



**Figure 5-14** Drill core log G13 500m – to end of core.



**Figure 5-15** Drill core log G1 – 1 0 – 285 m



**Figure 5-16** Drill core log G1 – 2 285 – 400 m

Drill Core	Sample #	Depth	Analysis		IC-PMS	XRF	PGE	REE
			Thin Section	Micro Probe				
G-17	1	6						
G-17	2	12				x	x	
G-17	3	61.8						
G-17	4	107.8	x		x	x	x	
G-17	5	146						
G-17	6	180.5						
G-17	7	191.3	x		x	x	x	
G-17	8	220.9						
G-17	9	269.2	x					
G-17	10	276.8						
G-17	11	308.3						
G-17	12	336.5	x		x	x	x	
G-17	13							
G-17	14	399.4						
G-17	15	446						
G-17	16	456.4	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	17	483.5						
G-17	18	607	x		x	x	x	x
G-17	19	538.6	x		x	x	x	x
G-17	20A	543	x					
G-17	21	568.5	x					
G-17	22	607.2	x		x	x	x	x
G-17	23							
G-17	24	642			x	x	x	x
G-17	25	650	x	x	x			x
G-17	26	650.4						
G-17	27	677						
G-17	28	683.5						
G-17	29	706.2	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	30	735.3	x					
G-17	31	763						
G-17	32	795.4	x					
G-17	33	818.8	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	34	853.5						
G-17	35	907.3	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	36	943.7						
G-17	37	969.2			x	x	x	x
G-17	38	984.6	x	x				
G-17	39	1022.5	x	x				
G-17	40	1032.1	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	41	1055.2						
G-17	42	1061	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	43	1073.9	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	44	1122.4	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	45	1165.9	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	46	1183.5						
G-17	47	1207.5	x	x	x	x	x	x
G-17	48	1245.9						
G-17	49	1281.2	x	x	x	x	x	x

**Table 5-1** List of samples and analysis

Drill Core	Sample #	Depth	Analysis			IC-PMS	
			Thin Section	Micro Probe	XRF	PGE	REE
G-1	1	400.8					
G-1	2	394	x	x	x	x	x
G-1	3	392	x				
G-1	4	383.6	x				
G-1	5	377.4	x				
G-1	6	370.4			x	x	x
G-1	7	367					
G-1	8	366.5	x		x	x	x
G-1	9	356.9					
G-1	10	355.9	x				
G-1	11	355.2					
G-1	12	346.1	x		x	x	x
G-1	13	342.2	x	x			
G-1			x	x	x	x	x
G-1	15	316.8	x				
G-1	16	314.2					
G-1	17A	312.8					
G-1	17	312.5	x				
G-1	18	312.3	x	x			
G-1	19	311.4	x	x			
G-1	20	311.3	x	x	x	x	x
G-1	21	311	x	x			
G-1	22	310.2					
G-1	23	306.1	x				
G-1	24	301.8	x	x			
G-1	25	301.3	x		x	x	x
G-1	26	296.4	x	x	x	x	x
G-1	27	291.8	x				
G-1	28	275.4	x	x			
G-1	29	275.3	x				
G-1	30	268	x				
G-1	31	168.7					
G-1	32	7.5	x				
G-13	1	4.5					
G-13	2	11.5					
G-13	3	16.3	x	x			
G-13	4	19.8			x	x	x
G-13	5	31					
G-13	6	35.6	x	x	x	x	x
G-13	7	82.3	x	x			
G-13	8	126.3					
G-13	9	126.4					
G-13	10	188.2	x	x	x	x	x
G-13	11						
G-13	12	221.2					
G-13	13	253.8					
G-13	14	276.5					
G-13	15	313.2					
G-13	16	346.2	x		x	x	x
G-13	17	412	x	x	x	x	x
G-13	18	433.1				x	
G-13	19	433.1					
G-13	20	502	x	x	x	x	x
G-13	21	563.6	x	x	x	x	x
G-13	22	592.5					
G-13	23	608.6					
G-13	24	660	x	x	x	x	

**Table 5-2** List of sample and analysis

## **6. Methods**

### **6.1. Sampling and sample preparation**

In total 55 thin sections were prepared for microscopic investigation. The thin sections were prepared as uncovered polished thin sections using *Logitech* thin section and *Rehwald* polishing machines. Lapidary discs with a diamond slurry were used for polishing. For microprobe analyses the sections were carbon coated.

#### Microscopy

Transmitted and reflected light microscopy was carried out on an *Olympus BX 40 polarising microscope*, which was equipped with an *Olympus U-RLA bright field / dark field vertical illuminator* and an *Olympus TH3 halogen lamp unit* for reflected light microscopy. Five-, ten-, twenty-, forty-, fifty-, and one hundred times magnification objectives were used. Thin section images were taken on a *Zeiss Axiolab* microscope fitted with a *JVC KY-F55B* video camera and a *Leica Q500IW* computerised image capture and processing system. *Leica Qwin Standard Y2.3a* software was used for image processing.

#### Electron Microprobe

The electron microprobe was used to determine the chemical composition of individual mineral phases, inclusions and exsolutions selected in the microscopy study. With this technique an electron beam, accelerated on the basis of a selected voltage (In the range of 15 to 30kV) is focused on the surface of the sample. The diameter of the focused beam is  $\sim 3 \mu\text{m}$ . With the influence of the surrounding minerals, the minimum grain size that can be measured is between 5 – 10  $\mu\text{m}$ . Interaction between the primary electron beam and the sample creates a number of phenomena including the creation of

element characteristic X-rays. The intensity of these X-rays is detected using wavelength dispersive and/or energy dispersive spectrometers. The microprobe used at the Department of Applied Geosciences and Geophysics (Mineralogy and Petrology) is an *upgraded ARL-SEMQ 30*, equipped with 4 wavelength dispersive spectrometers (WDS) with *TAP, LIF and PET diffraction crystals* and a LINK 860 energy – dispersive spectrometer (EDS). Typical beam operating conditions are 15-20 KeV and up to 30 nA. Computer control allows for digitized image acquisition (in beam – scanning mode) and processing of various signals from the sample including secondary electron (SE) emission, back-scattered electrons (BSE) and characteristic X-rays. The probe is controlled by a modified *ARL program (JamiWin2)* software, written by S. Merz. Elements heavier than fluorine (atomic number greater than 9) can be analysed quantitatively. Appropriate standardisation programs using typical standard minerals were used for quantitative analyses. Table 6 - 1 gives an overview of the standard minerals used in the various standardisation programs. Analytical conditions were 20 – 25 kV and 15 – 20 nA. Matrix correction and oxide recalculation were carried out after the model of *Bastin* which is integrated in the JamiWin2 data processing program. All spreadsheets used to calculate cation distribution and mineral classification have been designed and developed by Jeremy Preston (Preston, 2002) using high quality published techniques, equations, distribution coefficients in addition to thermodynamic and mineralogical data.

Further EMP analysis was carried out with the new JEOL-JXA 8200- WD/Ed combined microanalyzer microprobe at the Chair of Mineralogy and Petrology at the Department of Applied Geosciences, University of Leoben. See Table 6 - 2 for the mineral standards used. Measurements were done with an accelerating voltage of 15 kV at 1.09E-8 A with

an analysis time of peak 15 sec and background 5 sec. The applied correction for all standardisation is ZAF.

Analysed Minerals	Determined Oxides	Standard minerals (standard identification name)
Amphibole pyroxene olivine phlogopite	MgO, FeO, SiO <sub>2</sub>	Olivine ( ro <sub>10</sub> )
	CrO <sub>2</sub> , Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Chromite ( Chro <sub>9</sub> )
	TiO <sub>2</sub>	Ilmenite ( ro <sub>17</sub> )
	MnO	Rhodonite ( ro <sub>2</sub> )
	CaO	Diopsite ( ro <sub>14</sub> )
	K <sub>2</sub> O	Biotite ( ro <sub>5</sub> )
	Na <sub>2</sub> O	Jadeit ( ro <sub>3</sub> )
	NiO	Nickel alloy ( eis ni )
Olivine Spinel	SiO <sub>2</sub> , MgO	Olivine ( ro <sub>10</sub> )
	FeO, Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Chromite ( Chro <sub>9</sub> )
	NiO	Nickel alloy ( eis ni )
	ZnO	Bustamite ( ro <sub>1</sub> )
	MnO	Rhodonite ( ro <sub>2</sub> )
	CaO, TiO	Kaersutite ( ro <sub>6</sub> )
	V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Vanadium alloy ( v )

**Table 6-1** Overview of standardisation programs and mineral standards used on the *upgraded ARL-SEMQ 30 microprobe*.

Determined Oxides	Mineral Standard used for silicate analysis	Mineral Standard used for spinel analysis
MgO	F-Phlogopit	Chromite_S08
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	S08_Kearsutit	Chromite_S08
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Cromite_S08	Chromite_S08
TiO <sub>2</sub>	Titanit_P26	Titanit_P26
CaO	S08_Kearsutit	S08_Kearsutit
SiO <sub>2</sub>	S08_Kearsutit	S08_Kearsutit
Na <sub>2</sub> O	Albite_S02	Albite_S02
FeO	Garnet_S06	Chromite_S08
MnO	Rhodonite_S23	Rhodonite_S23
NiO	NiS-454	NiS-454
K <sub>2</sub> O	Adular_S01	Adular_S01
V <sub>2</sub> O		Chromite_S08
ZnO		ZnS

**Table 6-2** Overview of standardisation programs and mineral standards used on the JEOL-JXA 8200-WD/ED microprobe.

### X-Ray Fluorescence Spectroscopy (XRF)

The whole rock chemical composition (major elements and trace elements) were determined using the XRF – technique on fused glass beads (lithium tetraborate 1+6). A list of the analysed elements/compounds and the precision is given in Table 6 - 3. The XRF instrument at the *Department of General, Analytical and Physical Chemistry, University of Leoben*, is an *ARL 8410* wavelength dispersive X-ray fluorescence spectrometer (WDXRF). The calibration programs (GEO-M for major elements and GEO-T for trace elements) have been programmed by T. Meisel using geological reference materials Rhyolite RGM-1 and basalt BCR-2, both USGS.

X-ray fluorescence spectrometry is a non destructive method for the elemental analysis of solids and liquids. It is a common technique for the analysis of major and trace elements in geological samples. The samples are prepared as pressed powder pellets or as fused glass beads. The sample is irradiated by an intense X-ray beam which causes the emission of fluorescent x-rays. The emitted spectrum is detected using either energy dispersive or wavelength dispersive detectors. The elements in the sample are identified by the wavelengths of the emitted X-rays, while the concentrations of the elements are determined by the intensity of these X-rays. These influences require accurate calibration.

XRF Determinations			
Major	Trace		Precision
Na <sub>2</sub> O	Sr	SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.35
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Zn	TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.08
SiO <sub>2</sub>	Y	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.23
CaO	Rb	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Zr	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.15
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Cu	MnO	0.004
K <sub>2</sub> O	Cr	MgO	0.33
MgO	Ni	CaO	0.13
MnO		Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.07
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>		K <sub>2</sub> O	0.08
TiO <sub>2</sub>		P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.02

**Table 6-3** Show the list of elements analysed using the XRF technique and the precision for major element determination using the technique after (Meisel et al., 1997)

### Inductively Coupled Plasma Mass Spectroscopy (ICP-MS)

The ICP-MS technique was used for multiple trace element analyses, including rare earth and platinum group element determinations. Different digestion methods were required for the determination of these elements and are described in the sample preparation section. The instrument used was a *Hewlett Packard HP 4500* ICP-MS, equipped with a quadrupole mass spectrometer at the Department for General, Analytical and Physical Chemistry, University of Leoben. Geological reference materials used for external clalibration. (see Table 6 - 4)

REE	PGE
Jp-1	Jp-1
GP-13	GP-13
	Ref A220
	Ref A213

**Table 6-4** Table of the Geological reference materials used as standards in ICP-MS determinations.

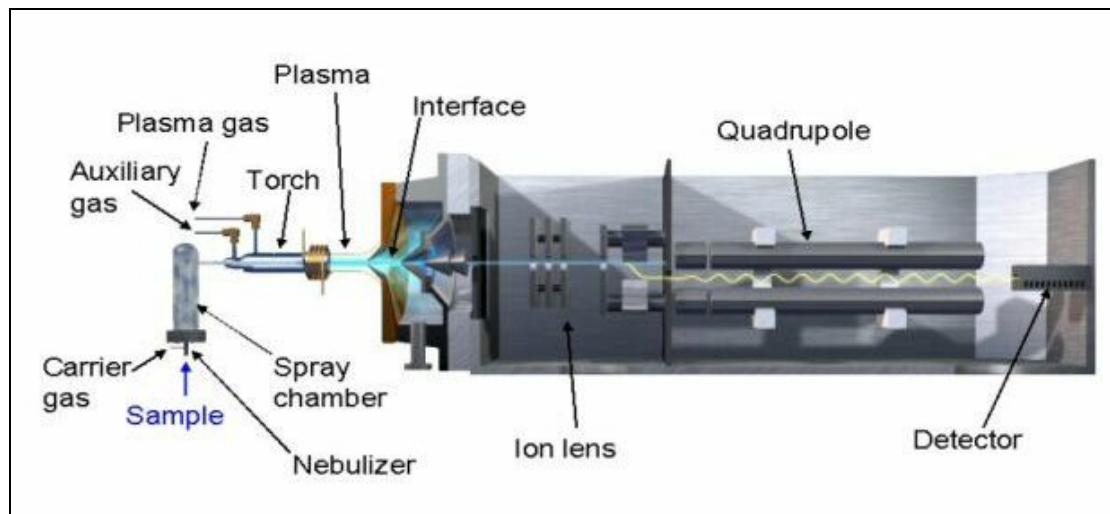
### **Principles of the ICP-MS technique**

The Inductively Coupled Plasma Mass Spectrometry (ICP-MS) is a powerful tool for trace elemental analysis (Higgins, 2002). It is widely used in many industries including semiconductor, environmental, geological, chemical, nuclear, clinical and research laboratories. It is an analytical technique that performs elemental analysis with excellent sensitivity and high sample throughput. The ICP-MS instrument uses plasma as the ionisation source and a mass spectrometer analyser to detect the ions produced. It can simultaneously measure most elements of the periodic table and determines analytic concentrations down to parts per trillion (ppt). It can perform qualitative, semi

quantitative and quantitative analysis as it employs a mass analyser. It is also possible to measure isotopic ratios. The most important units of an ICP-MS instrument are shown in the schematic diagram in Fig 6 - 1 and consist of three main components.

- The argon plasma unit comprising nebuliser, cloud chamber, torch, work coils and power supply.
- A quadrupole mass spectrometer and associated data processing unit, which permits rapid scanning of selected masses ranging between 0 and 300 amu.
- An interface unit which permits sampling of the plasma gases and transfer of the ion beam into the mass spectrometer.

**Figure 6-1** Schematic block diagram of an ICP-MS. (picture is from the internet URL: <http://www.chem.agilent.com/Scripts/Generic.ASP?IPage=455&indcol=N&PF=Y&Emailthispage=true>



In general liquid samples are introduced by a peristaltic pump to the nebulizer where the sample aerosol is formed. A double pass spray chamber ensures that a consistent aerosol is introduced into the plasma. Argon (Ar) gas is introduced through a series of concentric quartz tubes which form the ICP. The torch is located in the centre of a radiofrequency (RF) coil, through which RF energy is passed. The intense RF field

causes collisions between the Ar atoms, generating high energy plasma. The sample aerosol is instantaneously decomposed in the plasma to form analyte atoms which are simultaneously ionised. Plasma temperature is in the order of 6,000 – 10,000 K. The ions produced are extracted from the plasma into the mass spectrometer region which is held at a high vacuum (typically 10 – 4 Pa). The vacuum is maintained by differential pumping: the analyte ions pass through a pair of orifices, known as the sampling and skimmer cones. The analyte ions are then focused by a series of ion lenses into a quadrupole mass analyser. The mass analyser separates the ions on the basis of their mass/charge ratio. The term quadrupole is used because the mass analyser essentially consists of four parallel molybdenum rods to which a combination of RF and DC voltages are applied. The combination of these voltages allows the analyser to transmit only ions of a specific mass/charge ration. Finally ions are measured using an electron multiplier and are collected by a counter for each mass number. The mass spectrum generated is extremely simple. Each elemental isotope appears at a different mass (e.g.  $^{27}\text{Al}$  would appear at 27 amu) with a peak intensity directly proportional to the initial concentration of that isotope in the sample solution. A large number of elements ranging from Lithium (Li) at low mass to Uranium (U) at high mass are simultaneously analysed typically within 1-3 minutes.

### **Standardisation:**

A method to address internal drift is to use an internal standardisation procedure. A certain amount of a solution (in this case Ir and Re) with a well defined concentration is added to all samples and standard solutions. The analysed mass counts are then normalised to the internal standard intensity. The selected elements which are used as internal standards should have similar ionisation characteristics in the plasma as the elements to be determined. Suitable internal standard solutions may contain several

elements to satisfy this demand. The second procedure used for the correction of instrumental drift and for the quantification of individual elements is the isotope dilution analysis. The element to be determined must possess more than one naturally occurring isotope. An isotope dilution spike containing an enriched fraction of one of those isotopes is added at a certain concentration to all analyte solutions. Measurements are then made of the relative intensity of the spike to the natural isotope. Quantification is carried out from the isotopic abundance of the enriched spike, the measured isotope ratio and the known natural isotopic abundance of the element.

## **6.2.      Sample preparation and digestion methods**

### General

The sampling and the sample preparation are very important procedures to achieve accurate and precise results. Therefore the samples that were selected for geochemical investigations were homogeneous with no anomalous enrichment of sulphide phases and veining. They were also characterised by low alteration. Before analysis the selected samples were crushed to a grain size lower than 1 mm using a jaw crusher. Subsequently the material was milled in an agate ring mill for approximately 10 – 15 minute to achieve a powder with a grain size of a few  $\mu\text{m}$ . To avoid contamination of the sample material, the mill was cleaned with water, acetone and dried with compressed air. This milled powder is then used for the different digestion methods.

### Preparation for XRF analysis

To analyse geological material for bulk chemistry a fused glass bead must be prepared. Fusion is considered the best method currently available when preparing samples for XRF analysis. Prior to the fusion procedure, the loss on ignition (LOI) was determined by heating 3 grams of sample at 1000 °C for 2 hours or till constant mass was reached, measuring the mass before and after. The fusion is achieved by mixing the sample with a flux at a ratio of 1+6. (1 gram of sample to 6 grams lithium-tetra-borate ( $\text{Li}_2\text{B}_4\text{O}_7$ )) The sample fusion was performed in crucibles made of 95% platinum and 5% gold, a standard non-wetting alloy. After homogenizing the mixture of flux and sample using a platinum spatula the mixture was heated in the *Claisse – Fluxer BIS* to a fusion temperature in the range of 1000 ° and 1100 °C. In this process the mixture is

continuously heated and the crucible is regularly agitated. When the sample is completely molten the melt is poured into a mould and annealed forming a glass disc.

### Sodium Peroxide Digestion Method

Complete digestion of samples is important when determining trace elements including rare earth elements. Sample decomposition with sodium peroxide ( $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$ ) is highly effective in attacking minerals rapidly and the resulting sinter residue is easy to dissolve. It decomposes to  $\text{NaOH}$  and  $\text{O}_2$  and does not introduce elements that cause instrument memory.

100 mg of finely powdered sample and 0.6 g of fine grained  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$  are added to graphite crucibles. These glassy carbon crucibles are used to withstand low pH caused by the sodium peroxide. The mixtures were sintered at  $480 \pm 10$  °C in a muffle furnace for 30 minutes. It is of great importance to monitor the temperatures as higher temperatures lead to the melting of the  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$ . Molten  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$  has a significantly stronger oxidation effect and may result in the oxidation of elements such as Ce and others, resulting in strong negative anomalies. Water is slowly added to the crucible drop wise (resulting in a vigorous reaction) until the reaction stops. Undissolved hydroxides are separated via centrifuge and the supernatant collected in a 100 ml volumetric flask. The hydroxides are dissolved in 3 mol L<sup>-1</sup> HCl (~3 ml). 2 ml of concentrated HCl is used to rinse the crucibles. Once the hydroxides and rinse fluids are dissolved they are added to the volumetric flask. On occasion it is necessary to add 1 or 2 ml of 3 mol L<sup>-1</sup> HCl to dissolve a white precipitate caused by a high pH. The solution was then made up to certified volume and homogenised. The analyte solution has a dilution of 1:1000 and the solution is ready for ICP-MS measurement. (Meisel et al., 2002).

### Digestion Procedure for PGE Analysis

The sample preparation consists of a sample digestion step in a high pressure ashing unit (HPA-S, Anton Paar Graz, Austria) with concentrated HNO<sub>3</sub> and HCl and drying of the sample solution after the Os concentration was determined via sparging OsO<sub>4</sub> into the ICP-MS. After drying and the dissolution of the remaining solution, the other PGE are separated on-line from their matrix in a simple cation exchange column coupled to a quadrupole ICP-MS. More details about this method are described in (Meisel et al., 2003 a). 2 g of sample material and ~ 0.17 g of “dilute mixed PGE spike” solution was added to a quartz crucible. Then 2 ml concentrated sub-boiled HCl and 5 ml HNO<sub>3</sub> were added. The samples were homogenized after adding HCl. Samples must be sealed immediately after adding HNO<sub>3</sub> to prevent the loss of osmium due to rapid oxidation. The samples were treated in the HPA-S for between 5 and 12 hours at 300 °C and 120 bars. After this procedure a small amount of the liquid was decanted for Os measurement. The Os analyte solution remaining after analysis was returned to the quartz crucibles. The crucibles were placed in an ultrasonic bath to suspend any undigested material. The sample is then placed in a centrifuge and the supernatant removed. The supernatant is slowly heated on a hotplate until the sample is nearly dry. The residue is then treated with 2 mL of 0.1 mol L<sup>-1</sup> HCl and slowly warmed on a hot plate. Once filtered through a 0.45 µm cellulose acetate syringe filter the sample is ready for measurement (Meisel et al., 2003 a). Details on method validation can be found in (Meisel et al., 2003 b) and (Meisel et al., 2002)

## 7. Petrography

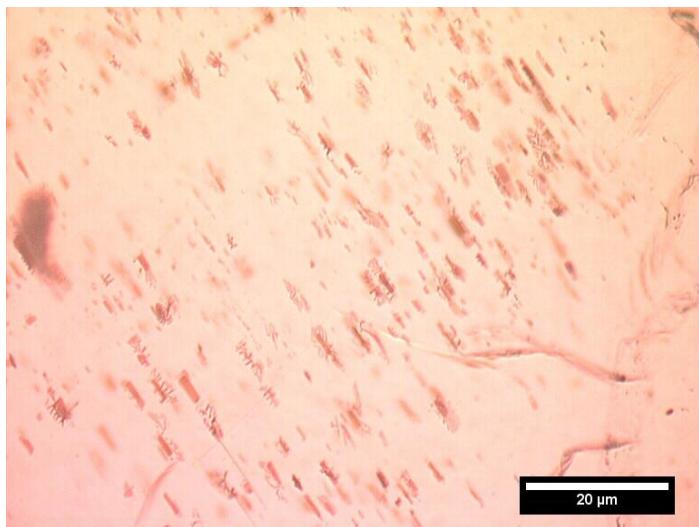
### Note:

A number of inclusion types in olivine were identified in multiple samples from various drill cores, for ease of description these have been named “Platy”, “Wormy” and “Lamella”. A general description of these inclusion types and a photo (See Figs 7 – 1, 2 & 3) are given here these names are referred to in the following Petrography Chapter without further description. Due to the ultra thin nature and often inclined habit (i.e. exposures are  $< 1 \mu\text{m}$ ) quantitative microprobe analysis of these inclusions has not been possible. Rare qualitative EDS analyses indicate spinels (i.e. Fe, Cr, Al and Ti clearly identified). These descriptions refer only to inclusions in olivine and not any other mineral.

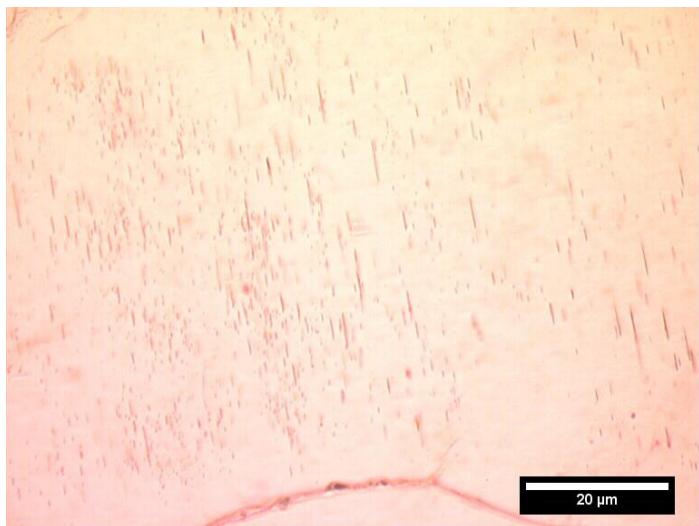
**Platy:** ultra thin ( $< 3 \mu\text{m}$ ) negative crystal shaped, translucent brown inclusion 10-50 $\mu\text{m}$  long. Fig 7 – 1 & 3

**Wormy:** like “Platy” except negative crystal shape looks “corroded” and inclusion has “lobes” Fig 7 - 1

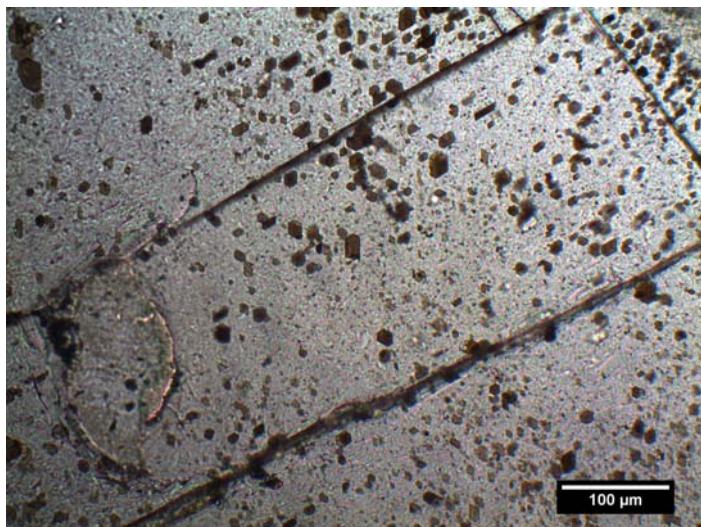
**Lamella:** ultra thin ( $< 3 \mu\text{m}$ ) elongated, needle like, inclusion. Fig 7 - 2



**Figure 7-1** Photomicrograph under transmitted light, parallel nicols, showing “wormy” and “platy” inclusions in olivine.

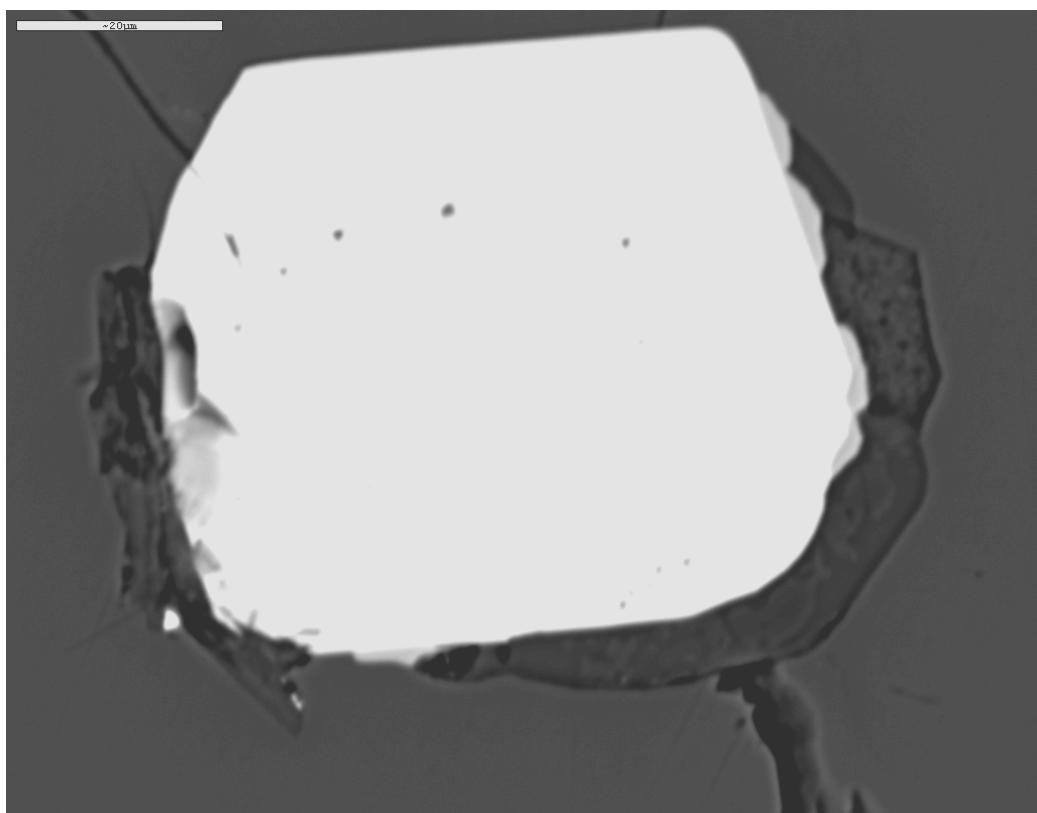


**Figure 7-2** Photomicrograph under transmitted light, parallel nicols showing “lamella” inclusions in olivine.

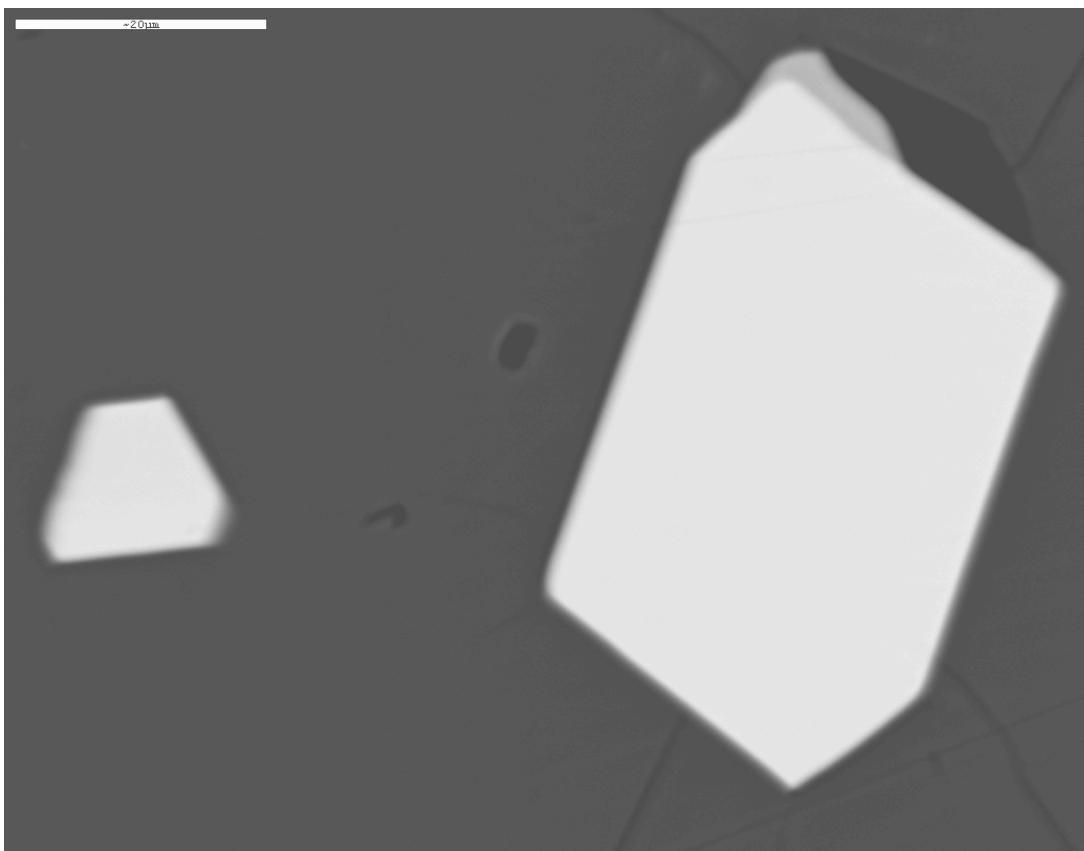


**Figure 7-3** Photomicrograph under transmitted light, parallel nicols showing “platy” inclusions in olivine

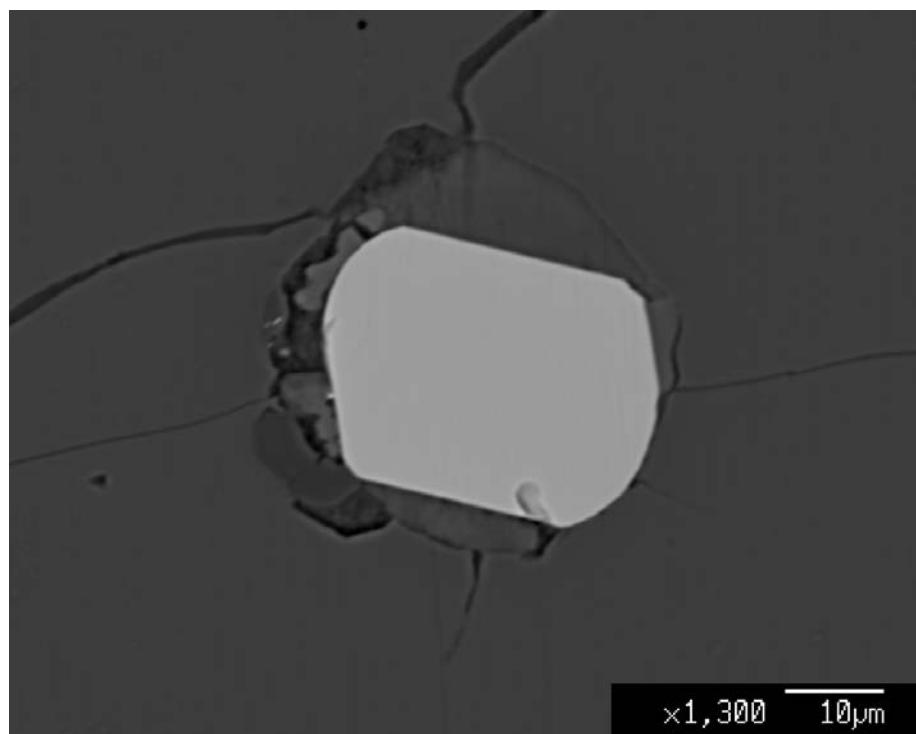
It should be also noted that despite the use of the word “inclusion” in reference to larger spinels grains occurring within olivine, that they are not “true” inclusion. Microprobe imaging and images produced from SEM have shown that these “inclusions” usually have a reaction rim and/or associated with cracks. See Fig 7 – 4, 5 & 6



**Figure 7-4** Image of spinel inclusion in olivine, under SEM, showing cracks and reaction rim.



**Figure 7-5** Image of spinel inclusion in olivine, under SEM, showing cracks and reaction rim.



**Figure 7-6** Image of spinel inclusion in olivine, (microprobe), showing reaction rim and cracks.

## G17 Descriptions

### G17-16 456.4 m

#### **Drill core description:**

Dark bluish, fine grained dunite.

#### **Thin section description:**

The section is highly altered (i.e. approximately 93% altered material); however some remnant/skeletal grains of olivine lie in a transparent, sometimes brownish coloured mass of very fine-grained to fibrous serpentine minerals ± chlorite. The altered material shows long complex trails of opaques throughout the whole section. The trails are often “worm-like” and can appear to follow previous grain boundaries. These trails are predominantly magnetite, which is in a dendritic habit and may have formed between sheets of serpentinite and thus represents a by-product of serpentinisation. Some of the skeletal olivine crystals have “platy” and “lamella” inclusions. These extend out of the crystals into the altered material. The “lamella” inclusions have an average thickness of ~ 3 $\mu$ m, while the largest of the platy inclusions is 30 $\mu$ m in length. The only clearly recognisable grains are olivine, magnetite and perovskite. All other minerals have been altered beyond recognition. Perovskite occurs very rarely as small >100 $\mu$ m grains.

Sulphides are always very small and occur finely disseminated in the altered material.

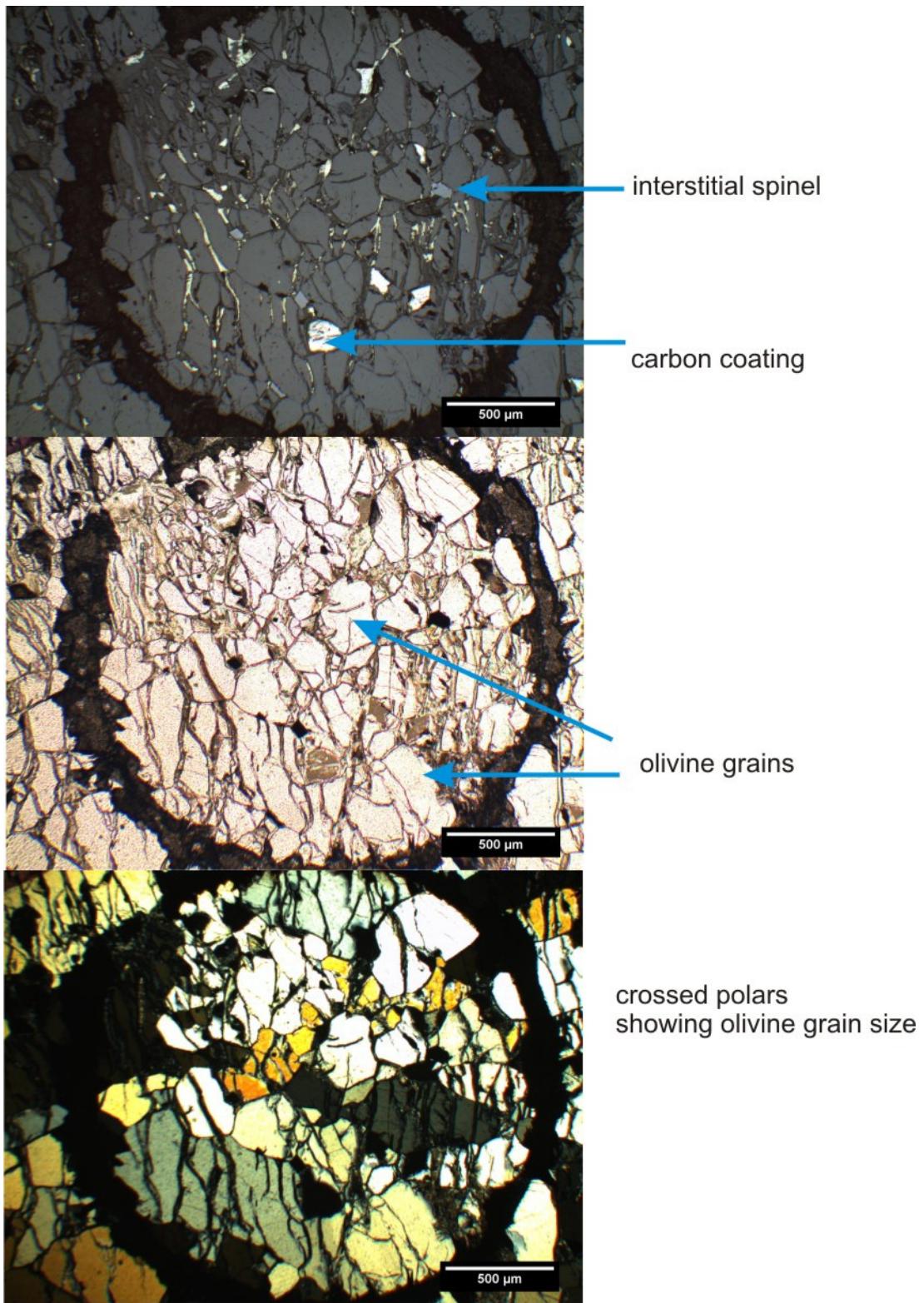
## G17-25 650 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained, light reddish looking surface, dunite.

### **Thin section description:**

Olivine dominates the section. Most of the crystals are broken and there is minor serpentinisation along larger cracks; oxide minerals are very rare (<<1%). Olivine grain size varies, from large ~ 4 mm to medium grained ~250 µm. Primary grain boundaries are often difficult to distinguish due to degree of cracking. However, under crossed polars, grain boundaries with triple point junctions can be distinguished. Olivine grains with triple point junctions usually have a smaller grain size. The cracking is parallel across the section and the cracks are filled with carbonate minerals and serpentine. There is very little alteration of olivine crystals. See Fig 7 - 7. Large trails of very small solid inclusions can be observed. Sulphides are concentrated within the serpentinised zones. At least three types of spinel phases can be distinguished: i) interstitial – usually small, euhedral – subhedral with a maximum size of 0.3 mm, ii) inclusions in olivine, which are small (maximum size 65 µm) and euhedral in shape. iii) Large spinel grains, neither included in olivine nor occurring interstitially are cracked in the same manner as olivine grains and have a maximum size of 0.5mm. Inclusions of Cr- rich spinel within olivine are also observed.



**Figure 7-7** Photomicrographs from sample G17 – 25 under transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols) and reflected light

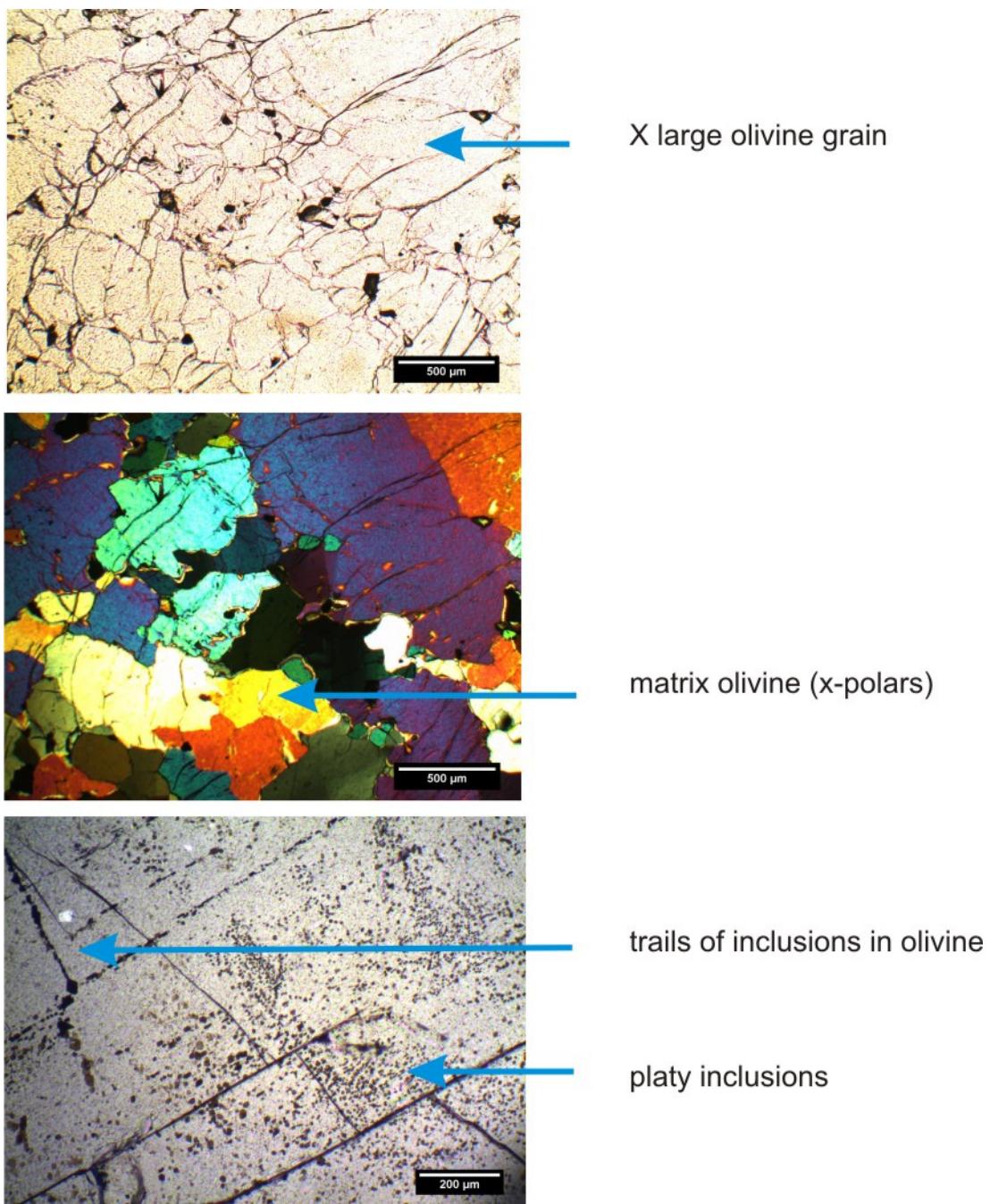
## G17-29 706m

### **Drill core description:**

Phlogopite phenocrysts (up to 1 cm in length) occurring in blue medium grained dunite.

### **Thin section description:**

In this section two distinct types of olivine can be distinguished: a) A type of matrix is formed by fine-grained, anhedrally shaped olivine, the size of which varies from 200 µm to 2 mm and commonly shows triple junction grain boundaries ( $120^\circ$ ) indicating recrystallisation. b) Large olivine crystals, 3 - 4mm in diameter, occur within the matrix olivine. They exhibit very irregular shape, undulose extinction and are characterised by abundant spinel and “platy” inclusions, which appear disseminated and as inclusion trails. On the basis of shape and size, spinel inclusions can be separated into 3 groups 1: <10 µm up to 100 µm euhedrally shaped inclusions occurring as disseminations. 2: trails and /or clusters of inclusions, commonly less than 5µm in diameter. (See Fig 7 – 8). 3: spinel grains (usually euheral to anhedrally shaped, 600 – 800 µm in size), small (3 – 4 µm), multiphase (chalcopyrite and bornite) sulphides are located in the interstitial space. Perovskite was also observed.



**Figure 7-8** Photomicrographs from sample G17-29 under parallel & crossed nicols (transmitted light)

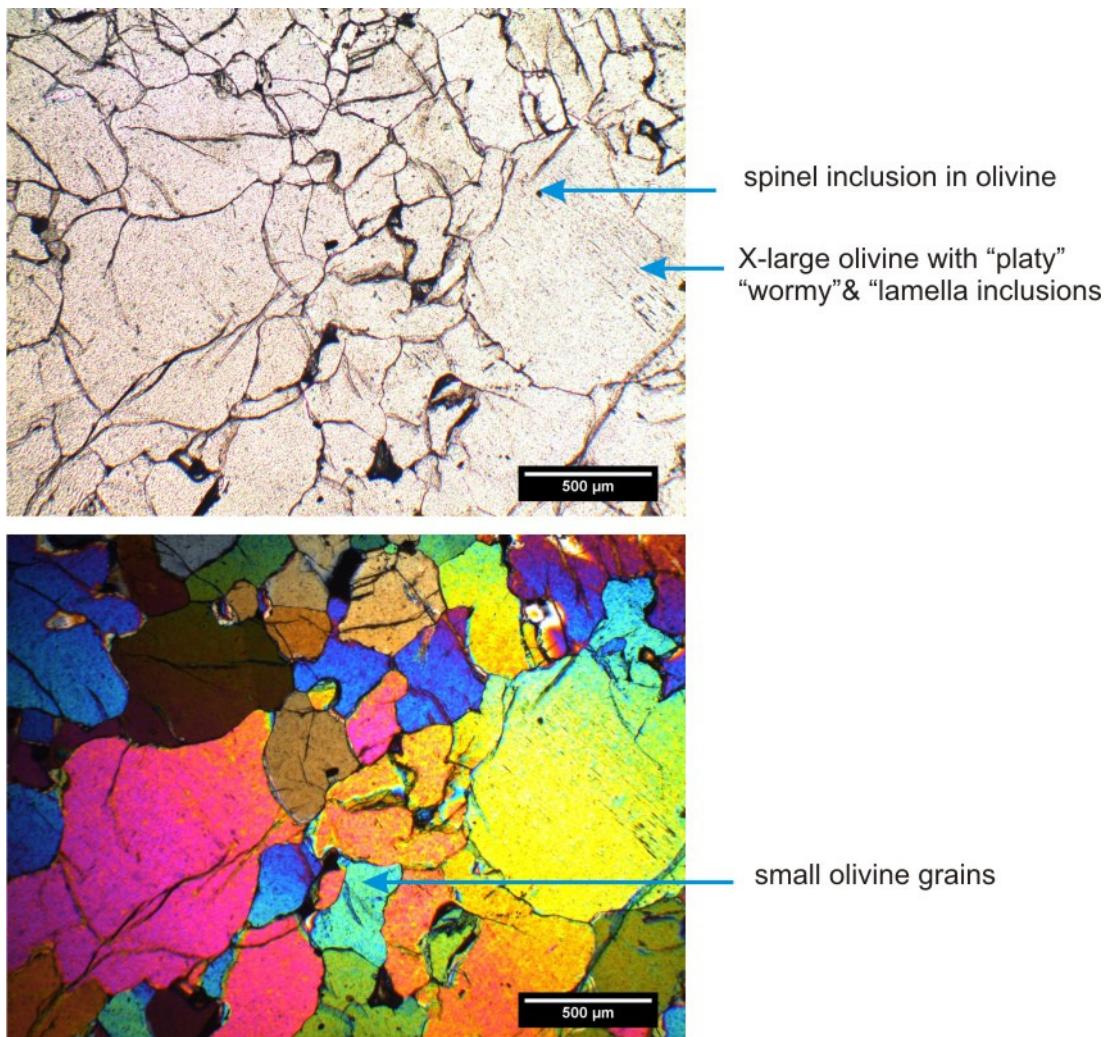
## G17-30 735.3 m

### **Drill core description:**

Coarse grained dunite, medium blue in colour.

### **Thin section description**

The section is comprised of more than 95% olivine. Grain size varies considerably, with large grains between 5 mm and 2 mm and small grains ~ 0.5 mm. The average grain size is 2 mm. Olivine type a) is sub- to anhedral with 120° triple point junctions. There is no alteration. The larger olivine grains type b) are highly included with “platy, wormy and lamella” type inclusion. See Fig 7 - 9 Small Cr-rich spinel inclusions are rarely found in olivine. They are euhedral with a grain size of 30 – 50 µm. Spinel inclusions can also be found in interstitial spaces and as interstitial filling. Rare phlogopite can be found in interstitial spaces as can perovskite. Very rare, small (~ 10 µm) chalcopyrite grains can be observed in interstitial spaces.



**Figure 7-9** Photomicrograph of sample G17-30 under transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols).

*Note: good pics of the “wormy, platy and lamella” inclusions!*

## G17-35 907 m

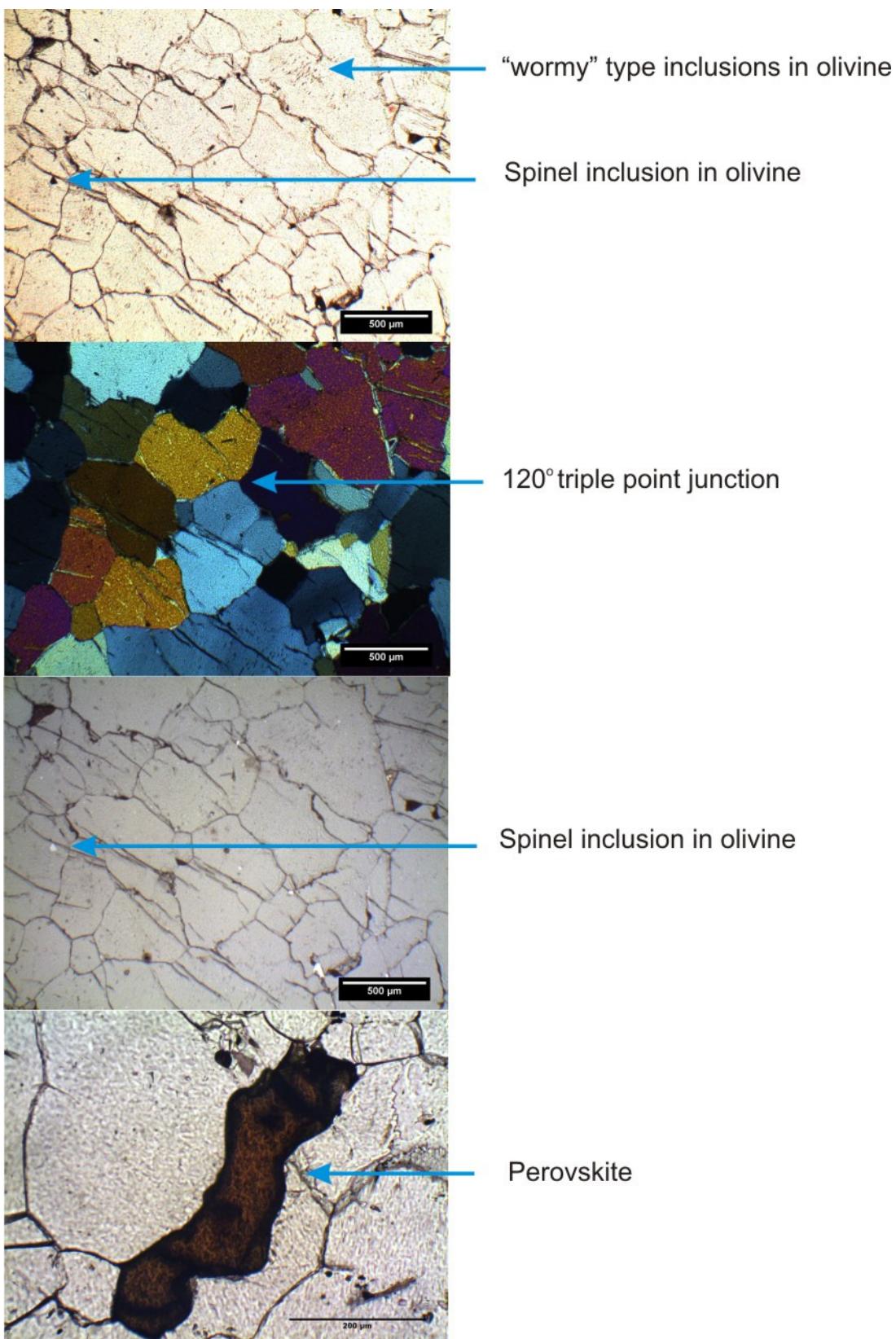
### **Drill core description:**

Darker dunite, dark olivine dominant ~80%.

### **Thin section description:**

This section is characterised by evenly grained (2 – 3mm in diameter), colourless olivine forming a granoblastic texture. Grain boundaries are quite regular, frequently with 120° triple point junctions, indicating recrystallisation. The majority of olivine grains contain “lamella type” inclusions. Furthermore, tiny little dendritically shaped subsurface inclusions are very common but due to their small size they were not able to be identified. The high abundance of these inclusions gives the olivine in hand specimen a darker appearance. (See drill core log).

Accessory minerals comprise perovskite, phlogopite, Cr- rich spinel and carbonate located commonly at the 120° triple point junctions. See Figure 7 -10



**Figure 7-10** Photomicrograph of sample G17-35 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)

## G17-38 984.6 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite, light olivine dominates.

### **Thin section description:**

This section is dominated by olivine (approximately 95%), 60% of olivine is represented by medium to small grains (<1mm), with the remainder consisting of large grains. Many of the olivine grains are cracked and nearly all show undulose extinction. The olivine grains contain many inclusions, including translucent brown plates (randomly oriented) and inclusion trails (healed cracks). The larger olivine grains are rarely included by Cr - rich spinel, with the remainder of the spinels occurring interstitially. Two different types of spinels are observed, i.e. darker spinels having a higher Cr content and the lighter ones are richer in Al. Accessory phases of perovskite, calcite and phlogopite have been observed. This section has a number of small sulphides (bornite and chalcopyrite, often too small to identify), these occur predominantly as inclusions in olivine and less commonly interstitial. This occurrence of sulphides is distinct compared to other sections, where sulphides only occur interstitially.

## G17-39 1022.5 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite, dark olivine dominates.

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by two types of olivine. Type a) very large grains up to 4.5mm, type b) small, recrystallised, with straight grain boundaries and triple point junctions. Within the section ~ 50% is type A olivine. The large grains are often cracked and are highly included. There are trails of fluid and melt inclusions, in addition to “platy” inclusions and “wormy” inclusions. In this section the recrystallised grains also contain inclusions but these are only of the “wormy” variety and are much smaller than those of the larger grains. Accessory spinels comprise 0.5 to 1% of the section and occur interstitially and as inclusions. There is no perovskite or calcite. Very rare pyrite grains were observed but they are very small and occur interstitially.

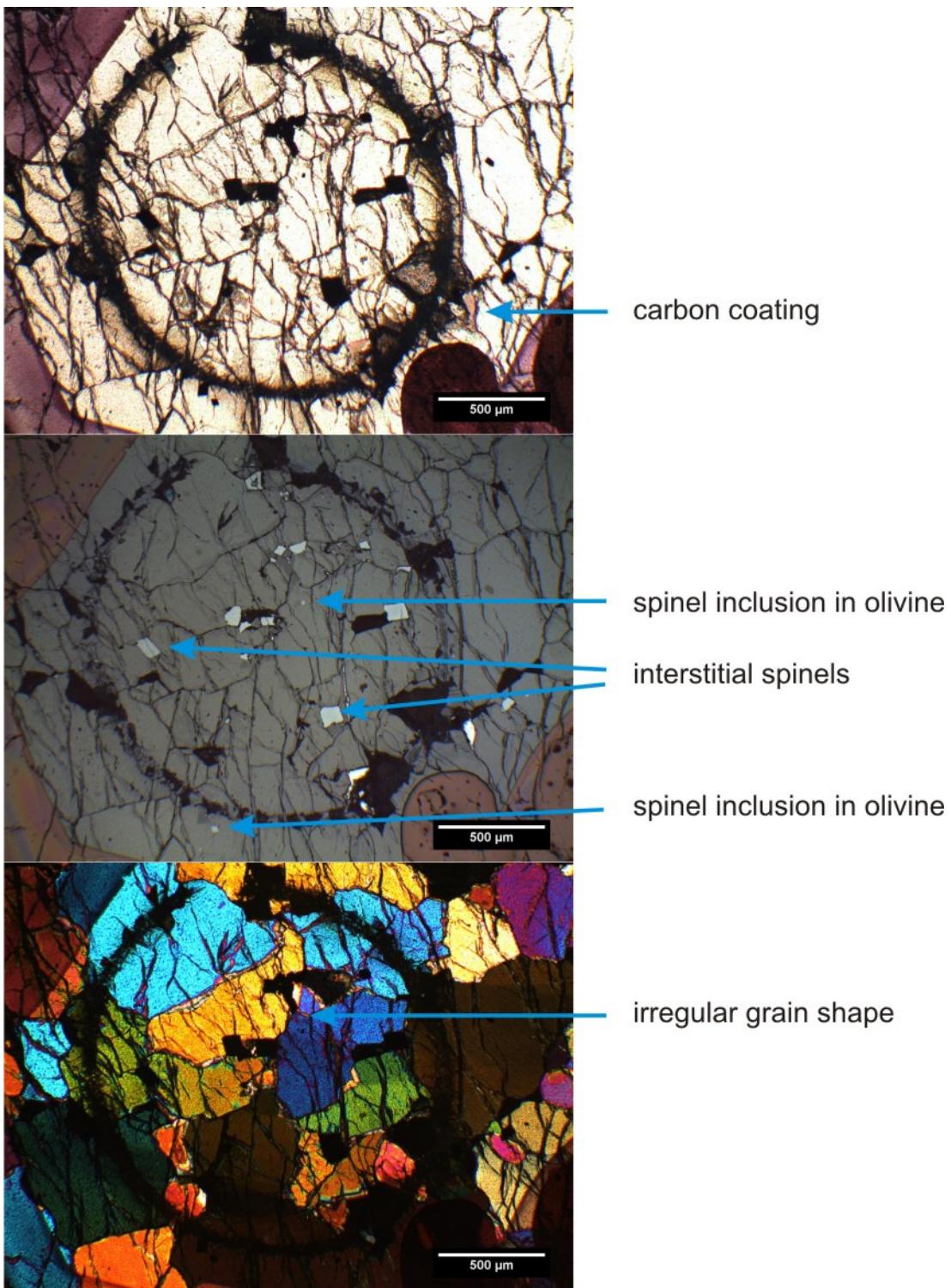
## G17-40 1032.1

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite, light olivine dominates, shows two darker bands with lots of black “dots” in olivine.

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by olivine, making up more than 98% of the section. Rare olivine grains occur up to ~ 3 mm, while the average is 1-2 mm. Grain shape is irregular and smaller grains have 120° triple point junctions. Very small “wormy” and “platy” type inclusions are found in the larger olivine grains. The larger grains are highly included with melt inclusion trails. Inclusions of Cr-rich spinel occur rarely in olivine. They are ~70 µm and euhedral in shape. Larger Cr-poor spinels are found in interstitial space and these have a grain size of ~ 250 µm. See Figure 7 - 11. Rare phlogopite and chlorite is found filling interstitial spaces. A vein, composed of serpentine minerals and chlorite as alteration products, crosses the section. No perovskite was observed in this section. Despite the section having both dark and light olivine, all the olivine grains carry inclusions, the main difference is the size and abundance of these inclusions.



**Figure 7-11** Photomicrograph of sample G17-40 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)

## G17-42 1061.0 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite, light olivine dominates.

### **Block description:**

Medium grained, block varies from dark to light

### **Thin section description:**

Very irregular, abundantly cracked, undulose, and commonly recrystallised olivine dominates the section, with large grains composing only 5 % of total. Abundant fluid and melt inclusion trails contained within the large olivine grains, occasionally crossing grain boundaries, can be observed. Cracks are often very fine and are filled with serpentine ± chlorite as alteration products. Larger olivine grains have platy inclusions, while the smaller “recrystallised” grains are inclusion free. Rare phlogopite has also been observed. Opaque phases consist of spinels and sulphides (chalcopyrite and pyrrhotite). The sulphides are very small and usually associated with fine cracks, or occurring in the interstitial space in euhedral to subhedral shape. The spinels ~1% of the total occur as inclusions, in interstitial spaces and as large grains. There is usually an alteration rim associated with the larger grains.

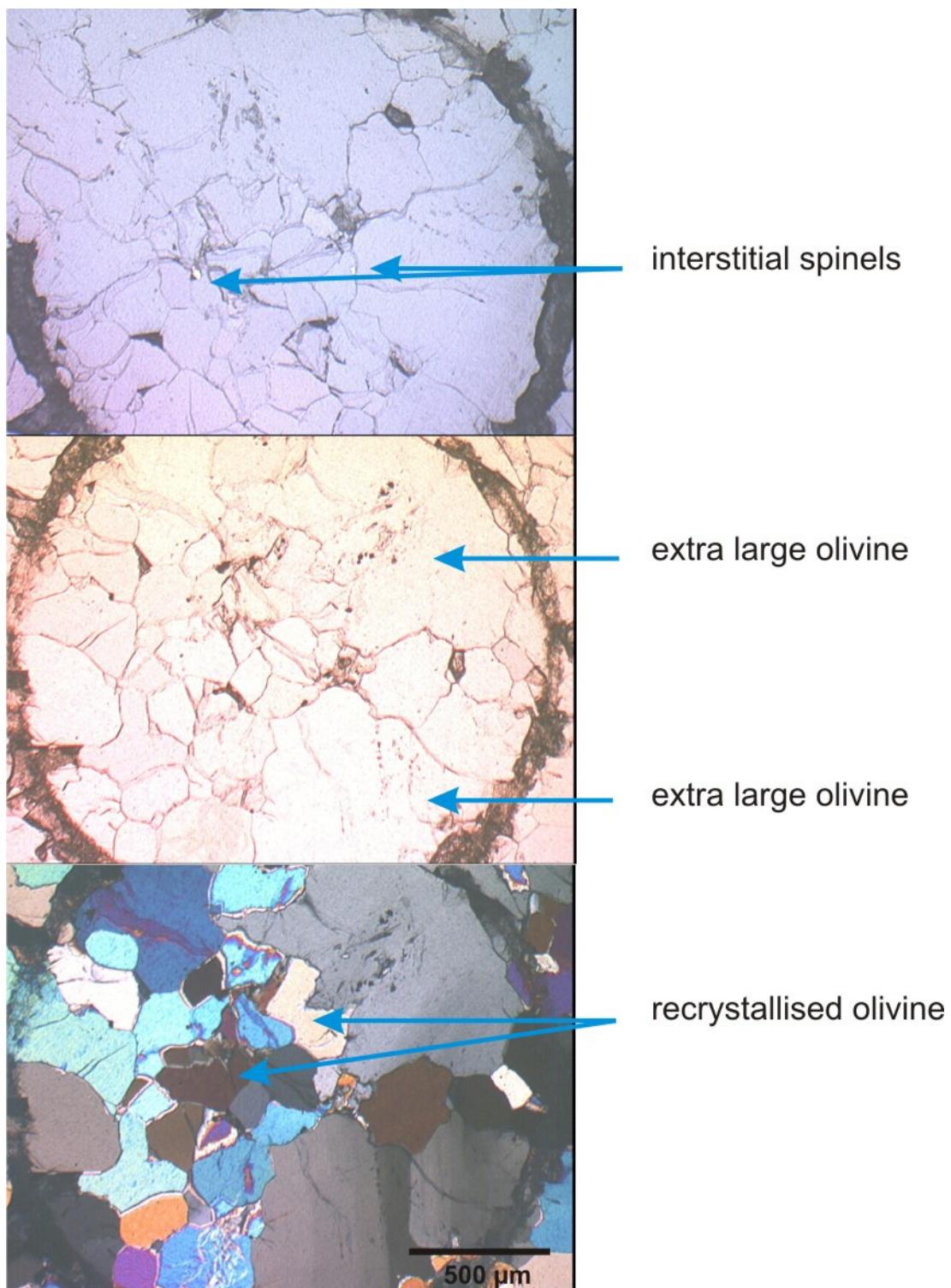
## G17-43 1073.9 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite. Dark olivine dominates.

### **Thin section description:**

The olivine in this section is highly recrystallised with ~ 20% consisting of large olivine grains. The large grains are between 3 – 5 mm and the remaining olivine is small, recrystallised grains between 0.25 – 0.5 mm. The larger olivine grains have rare “platy” type inclusion. See Fig 7 – 12. The small olivine grains have occasional very small “platy” type inclusions usually concentrated in the centre of the grain. Rare Cr-rich spinel inclusions are found in the large olivine. They are small (~30 µm) and euhedral. Larger spinel inclusions can be found in interstitial spaces and as interstitial filling. Perovskite can be rarely found in interstitial spaces. There is no carbonate or phlogopite within the section.



**Figure 7-12** Photomicrograph of sample G17-43 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)

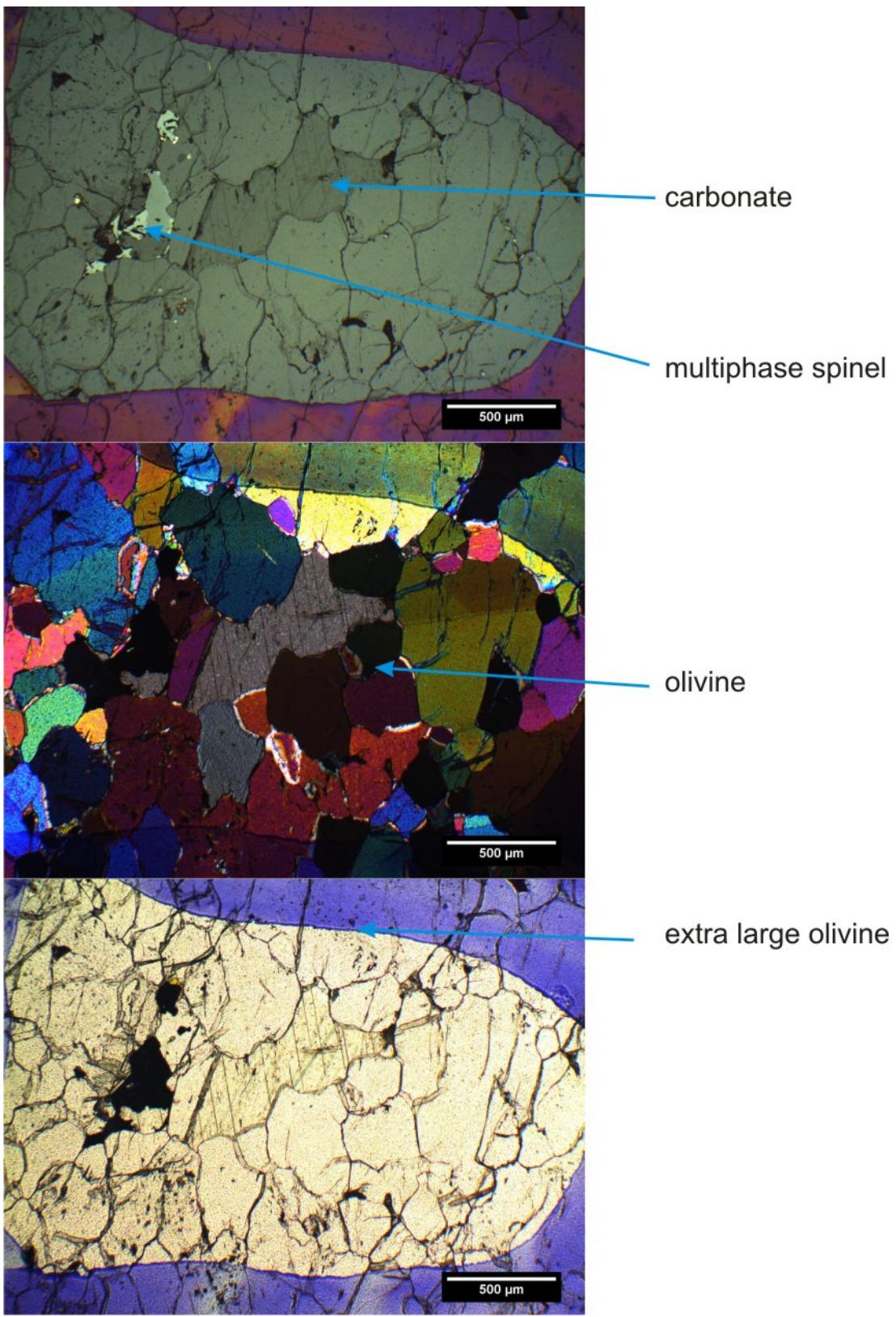
## G17-44 1122.4 m

### **Drill core description:**

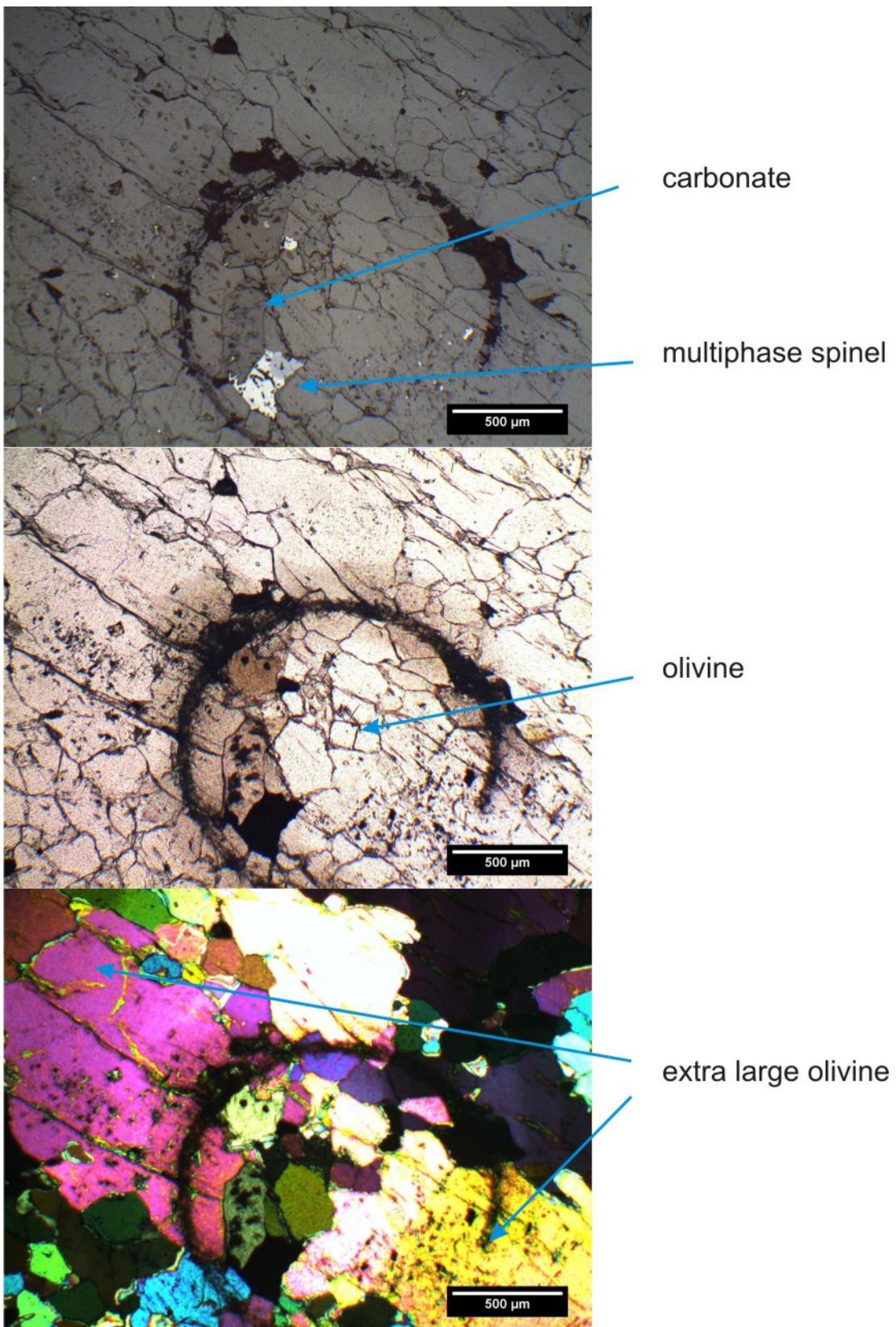
Medium grained dunite, dark olivine dominates. Ratio of dark / light olivine varies in 2-4 m intervals.

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by olivine, greatly varying in grain size and containing abundant inclusions, both the “platy” and “wormy”. Olivine with smaller grain size is characterised with  $120^{\circ}$  triple point junctions and straight grain boundaries. The section is characterised by a significant amount of cracking throughout. 30% of the olivine grains are  $>1\text{mm}$ . Accessory calcite  $\sim 1\text{mm}$  and clinopyroxene grains  $\sim 1\text{mm}$  in addition to phlogopite are observed. Calcite and phlogopite occur in interstitial spaces. See Fig 7 - 13. There is also an area rich in spinels phases. See Fig 7 - 14



**Figure 7-13** Photomicrograph of sample G17-44 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-14** Photomicrograph of sample G17-44 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)

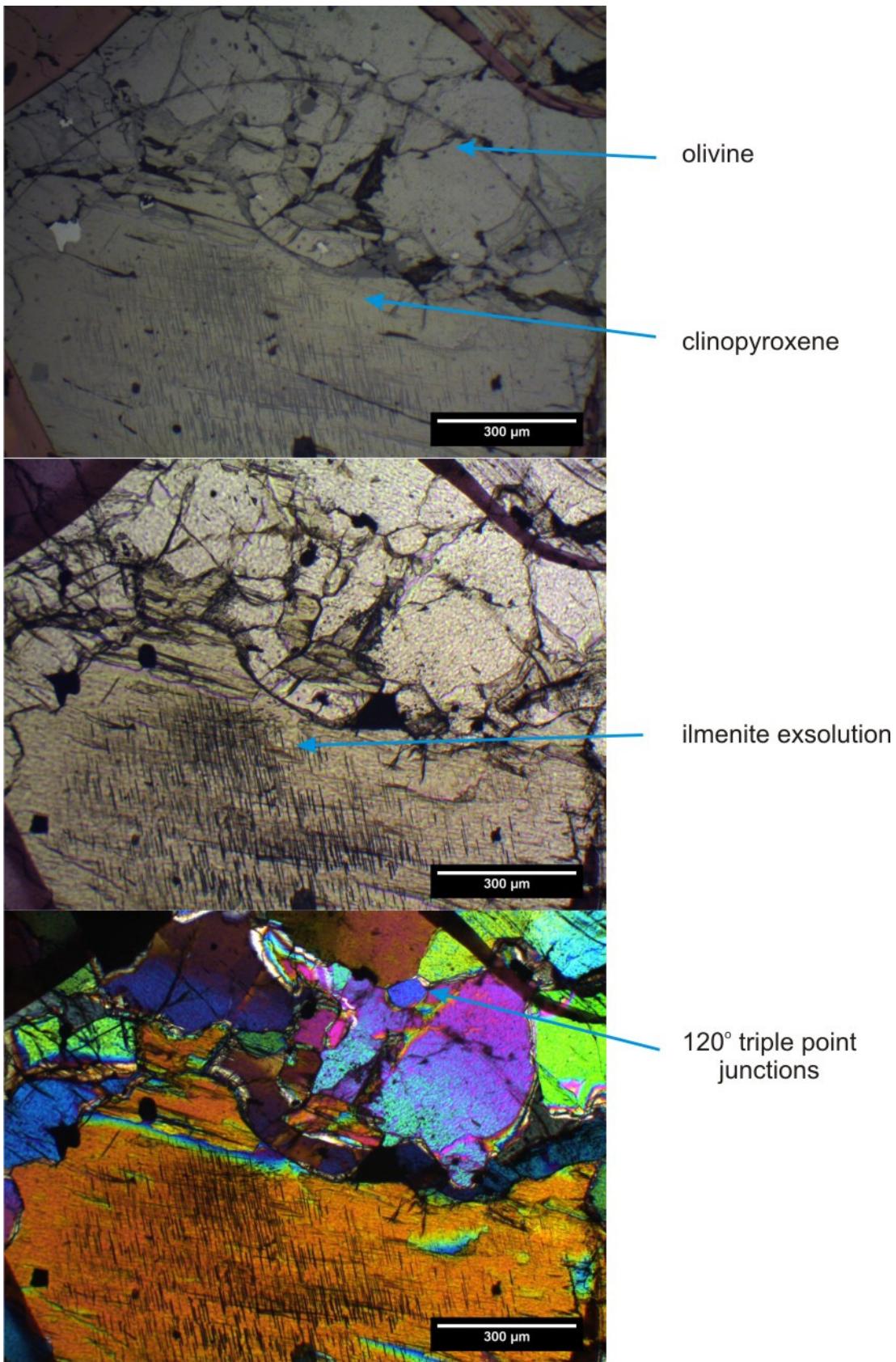
## G17-45 1165.9m

### **Drill core description:**

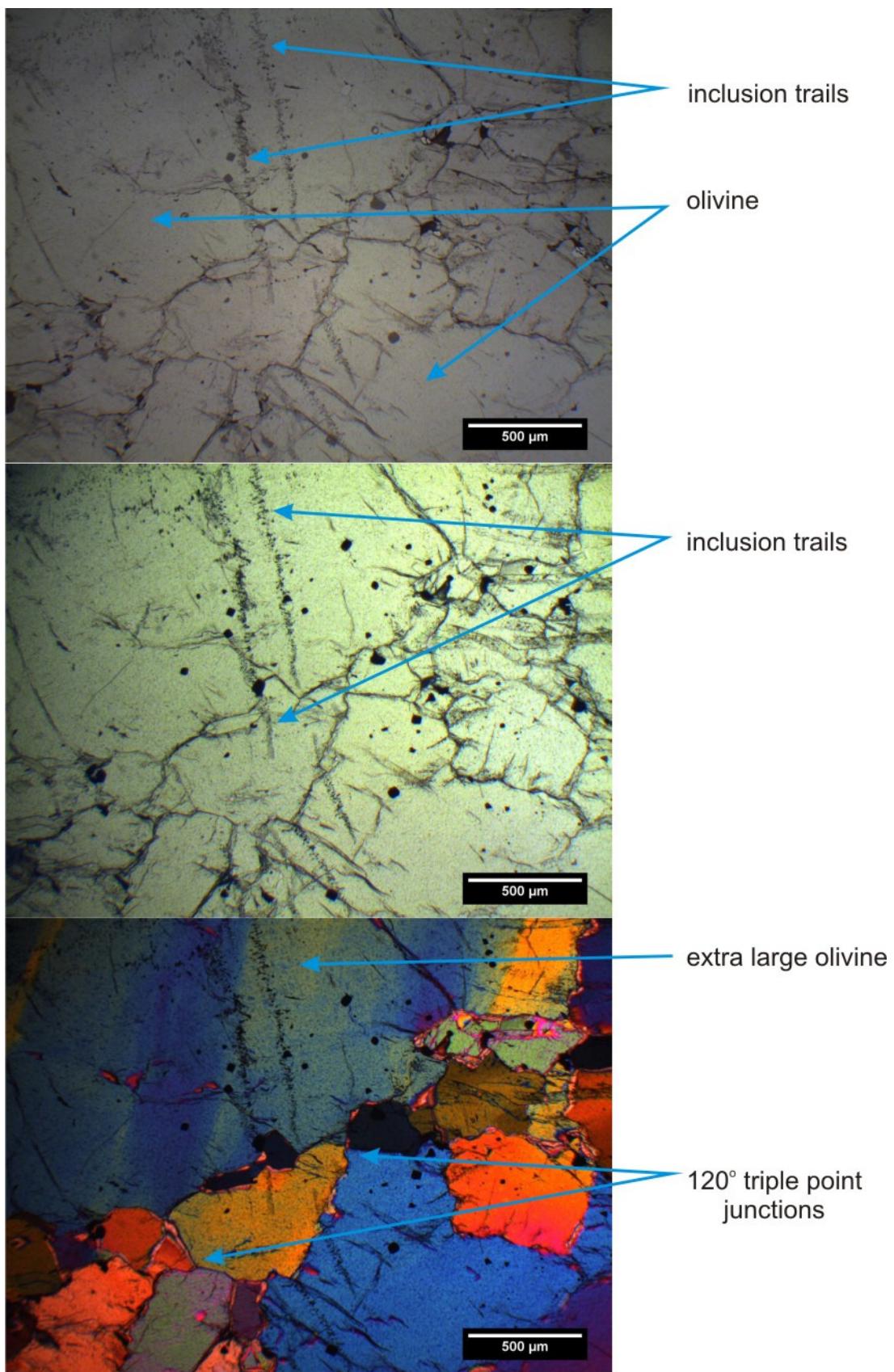
Dunite becomes even coarser grained, particularly the dark olivine.

### **Thin section description:**

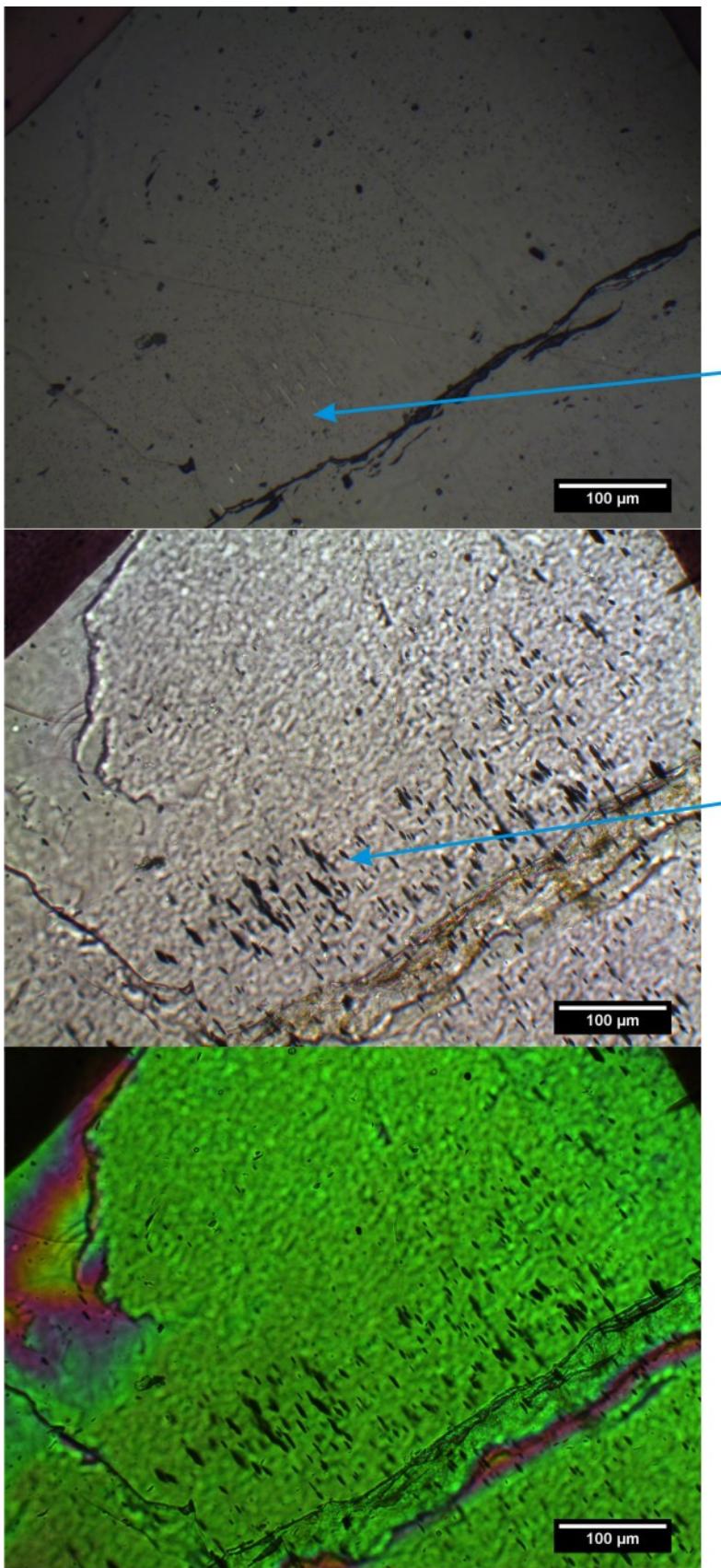
The section is dominated by olivine, greatly varying in grain size and containing abundant inclusions, both of the “platy” and “wormy” type. See Fig 7 - 17. Extra large olivine grains up to 5 mm are common. See Fig 7 – 16. Olivine with smaller grain size is characterised with 120° triple point junctions and straight grain boundaries. The section is characterised by minor cracking with no alteration. 30% of the olivine grains are >1mm. Accessory calcite ~1mm and clinopyroxene grains ~ 1mm in addition to phlogopite are observed. Calcite and phlogopite occur in interstitial spaces. Clinopyroxene is characterized by ilmenite exsolution. See Fig 7 – 15. Rare Cr-rich spinel inclusions can be found in olivine. They are euhedral to subhedral with a grain size of ~ 30 µm. Larger Cr-poor spinel grains can be found in interstitial spaces and as interstitial filling.



**Figure 7-15** Photomicrographs of sample G17-45 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-16** Photomicrographs of sample G17-45 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)



"platy type  
inclusion  
in olivine"

"platy type  
inclusion  
in olivine"

100 μm

**Figure 7-17** Photomicrographs of sample G17-45 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel & crossed nicols)

## G17-47 1183.5 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite, very light olivine dominates.

### **Thin section description:**

This section is comprised of more than 98% olivine. 70% of the olivine is represented by small grains (0.25 - 0.75mm) with  $120^{\circ}$  triple point junctions, indicating recrystallisation, and showing rare “platy” type inclusions. About 30% of olivine is made up by large (up to 2 mm) irregular grains with abundant “platy” type inclusions. Small Cr-rich spinels can be found as inclusions in olivine. They have a grain size of less than 70  $\mu\text{m}$ . Larger spinel inclusions can be found in interstitial spaces and as interstitial filling. Perovskite, carbonate and phlogopite can be found interstitially.

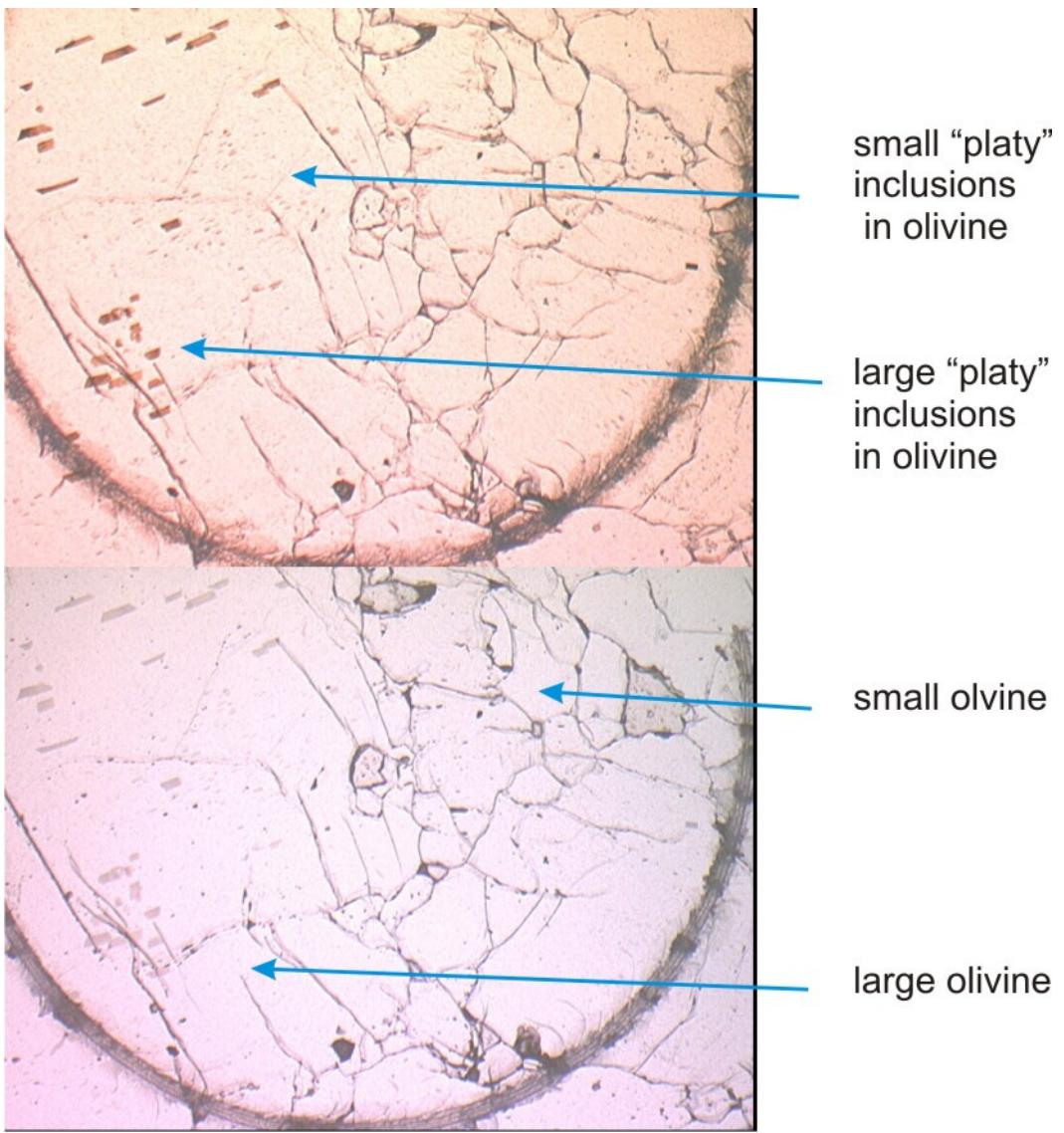
## G17-49 1281.2 m

### **Drill core description:**

Medium grained dunite, light olivine dominates.

### **Thin section description:**

Olivine comprises more than 95% of the section. Olivine grain sizes vary from rare large grains (3 mm) to small grains (0.25 mm). Average grain is 1 mm or less. The texture of the rock is dominated by subhedral olivine showing  $120^0$  triple point junctions, indicating recrystallisation. See Fig 7 - 18. Inclusions in olivine consist of rare Cr-rich spinel inclusions (50  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and “platy” type inclusions. The size of the “platy” inclusions is variable. Rare interstitial Cr-poor inclusions with a grain size of ~ 100  $\mu\text{m}$  can be found. Carbonate and perovskite can be found filling interstitial spaces.



**Figure 7-18** Photomicrograph of sample G17-49 under transmitted and reflected light.

## G13 descriptions

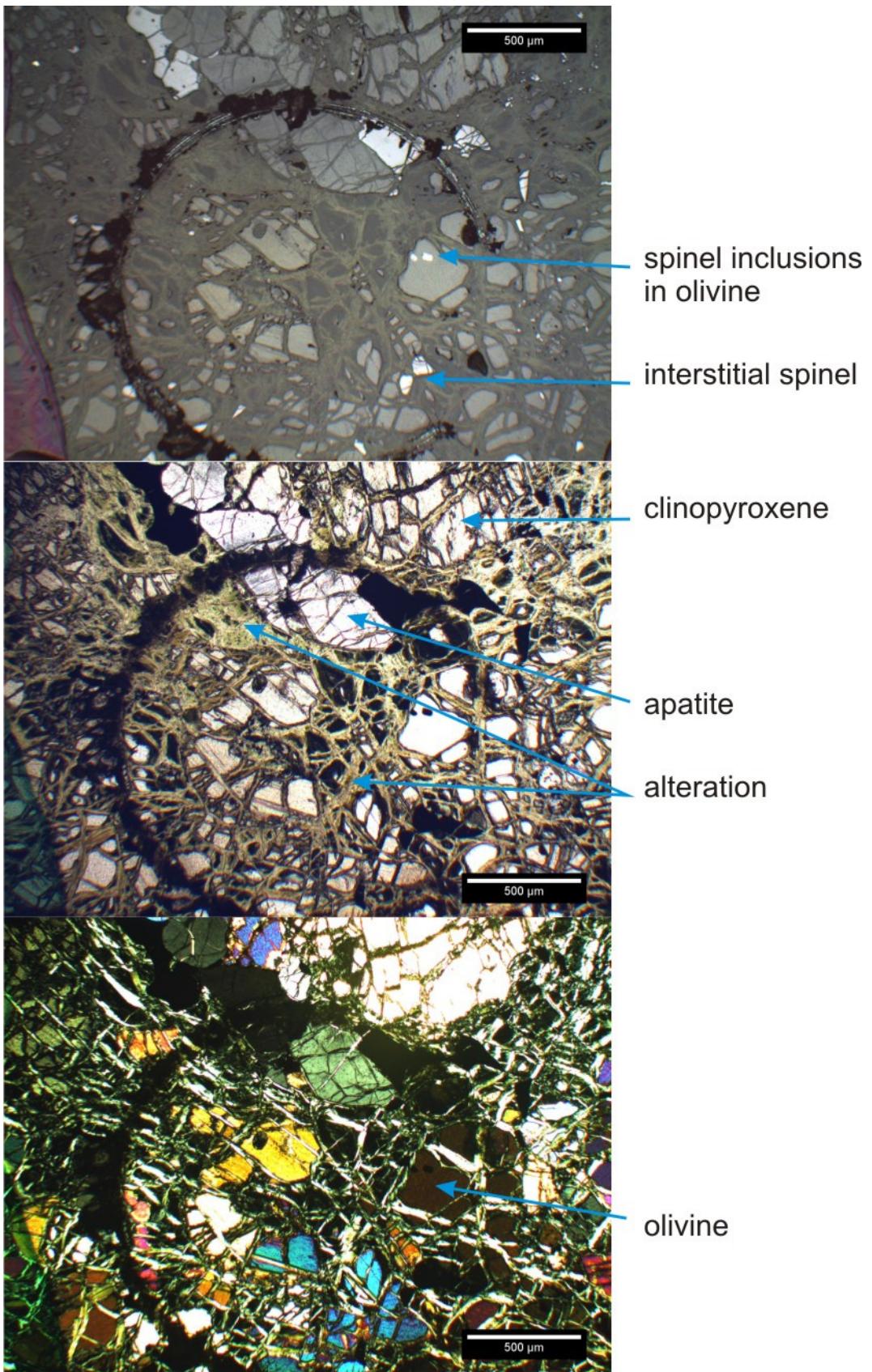
### G13-6 35.6 m

#### **Drill core description:**

Olivine cumulate

#### **Thin section description:**

This section is highly serpentinised and cracked with ~ 50% of the slide composed of serpentine minerals, carbonate and ± chlorite. Relic olivine comprises 22% of the slide. It is not possible to determine grain boundaries due to the degree of alteration. Olivine contains melt inclusion trails and inclusions of Cr-rich spinels, but none of the “platy”, “wormy” or “lamella” type of inclusions that are common in G17 are present in this section. Clinopyroxene comprises 15 - 17% of the slide and it is characterised by exsolution lamella of ilmenite. The clinopyroxene grains are altered and cracked in the same manner as olivine. Opaque minerals comprise ~ 11% of the section. Magnetite with ilmenite exsolution occurs as large cracked grains ~ 1.5 mm in size and Cr-rich spinel occurs as euhedral inclusions in olivine up to 100 µm. Disseminations of magnetite, ~ 10 µm in size, are associated with veining and alteration. The section is crosscut by a three carbonate veins. In the altered material are sulphides ~5-10 µm in size. Rare apatite grain observed. See Fig 7 - 19. Possible olivine cumulate on the basis of geochemistry.



**Figure 7-19** Photomicrograph of sample G13-6 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

## G13-10 355.9m

### **Drill core description:**

Dunite with clinopyroxenite vein.

### **Thin section description:**

This section is composed of dunite and a clinopyroxenite vein, the contact between the olivine rich area and the vein is highly altered, with various serpentine minerals and chlorite. The dunite part of the section is similar to G13 - 6 but has much less clinopyroxene. It is impossible to determine relic grain size of olivine due to the degree of serpentinisation. There are rare secondary inclusion trails and small 30 - 50 µm euhedral inclusions of Cr - rich spinel within olivine. The dunite part contains also grains of a larger Cr - poor spinel. The clinopyroxene dyke is dominated by clinopyroxene and magnetite with ilmenite, in coarse grain size (mm scale). Clinopyroxene has ilmenite exsolution, while the oxides are comprised of a complex intergrowth of magnetite, Ti-rich magnetite with ilmenite exsolution of anhedral to subhedral shape. Tiny grains of sulphides (pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite and bornite) occur within magnetite and clinopyroxene.

## G13-17 412 m

### **Drill core description:**

Broken up, dark blue and brown dunite.

### **Thin section description:**

The section is highly serpentinised with very small broken relic olivine grains remaining (~ 60% alteration). No evidence of original grain size or shape of olivine can be observed. Some olivine grains have many fluid inclusions and on rare occasions the relic grains contain spinel inclusions. The serpentine is very fine grained and associated with very small dendritic magnetite grains (3 - 5 µm). There are sulphides within the altered material, but they never occur as inclusions within olivine. There are two types of spinel, with slight variations in the Cr content being the notable difference. The Cr-poor spinels are usually found interstitially, whereas the more Cr-rich spinels appear as inclusions in olivine. The section contains a very large perovskite grain (~ 0.5 mm) that is slightly broken and rare phlogopite occurring as interstitial filling. The sulphide grains are usually very small, anhedral and pitted or broken. They are comprised of pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite and bornite and are isolated in the altered material.

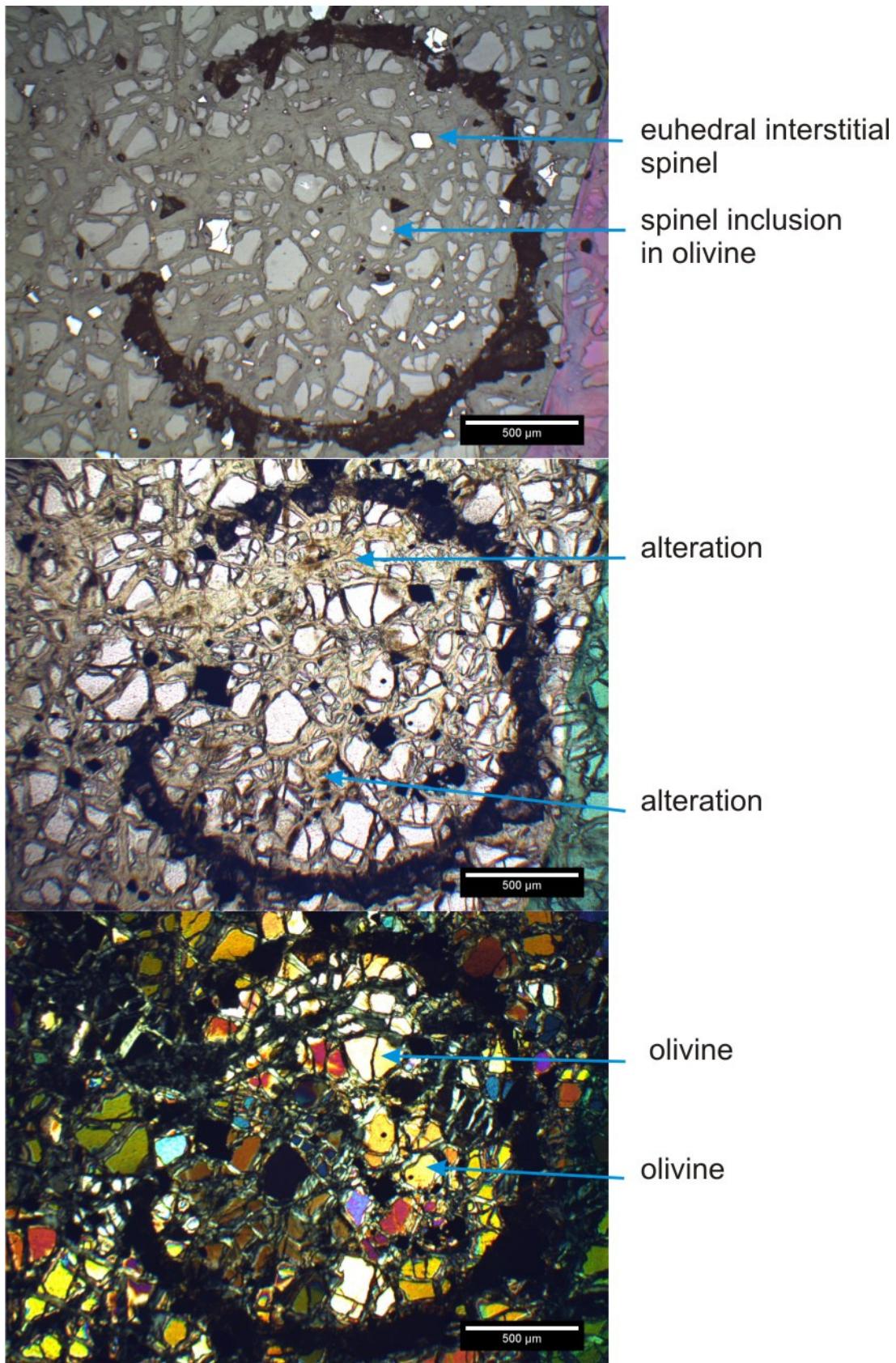
## G13-20 502 m

### **Drill core description:**

Dark blue dunite becomes finer grained, less rich in magnetite.

### **Thin section description:**

Olivine is the main phase and is quite highly serpentinised, with 25 - 30% of the slide altered. Average relic grain size it 200 – 300 $\mu\text{m}$ . There is much less of the reddish brown alteration material. Some of the relic olivine contains spinel inclusions. These are usually subhedral and have a slightly higher Cr content than the spinels occurring interstitially. Cr - rich spinels are still very common. The Cr - rich spinels occur in all shapes, from euhedral to anhedral. See Fig 7 - 20. The larger spinels are often cracked. Sulphides occur within the serpentinised network and are comprised of pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite and bornite. This sample contains no calcite, neither as veins or grains/inclusions nor clinopyroxene.



**Figure 7-20** Photomicrograph of sample G13-20 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

## G13-21

### **Drill core description:**

Dunite with disseminated Chromite

### **Thin section description:**

The section is highly serpentinised, except some very small relic olivine grains remaining, the largest grains 0.6 mm in size. The relic olivine grains contain no “platy, wormy or lamella” type inclusions, but rare euhedral Cr-rich spinels inclusions are found in olivine. Approximately 50-60% of the sample is altered. It is not possible to identify the original grain size due to the degree of serpentinisation. The significant difference to other sections of this drill core is that the spinels are concentrated in large grains, whereas in other sections they have been quite small and disseminated. The large spinels (from 0.5 mm up to 2 mm) are usually “cracked” which appears to be related to the alteration. There are very small (3 - 5  $\mu\text{m}$ ) sulphides occurring within the serpentinised network, comprising pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite and bornite. There are some thin calcite veins cutting through the rock. Some of the larger sulphides are broken by the carbonate veins. There are some euhedral spinels. No clinopyroxene could be observed.

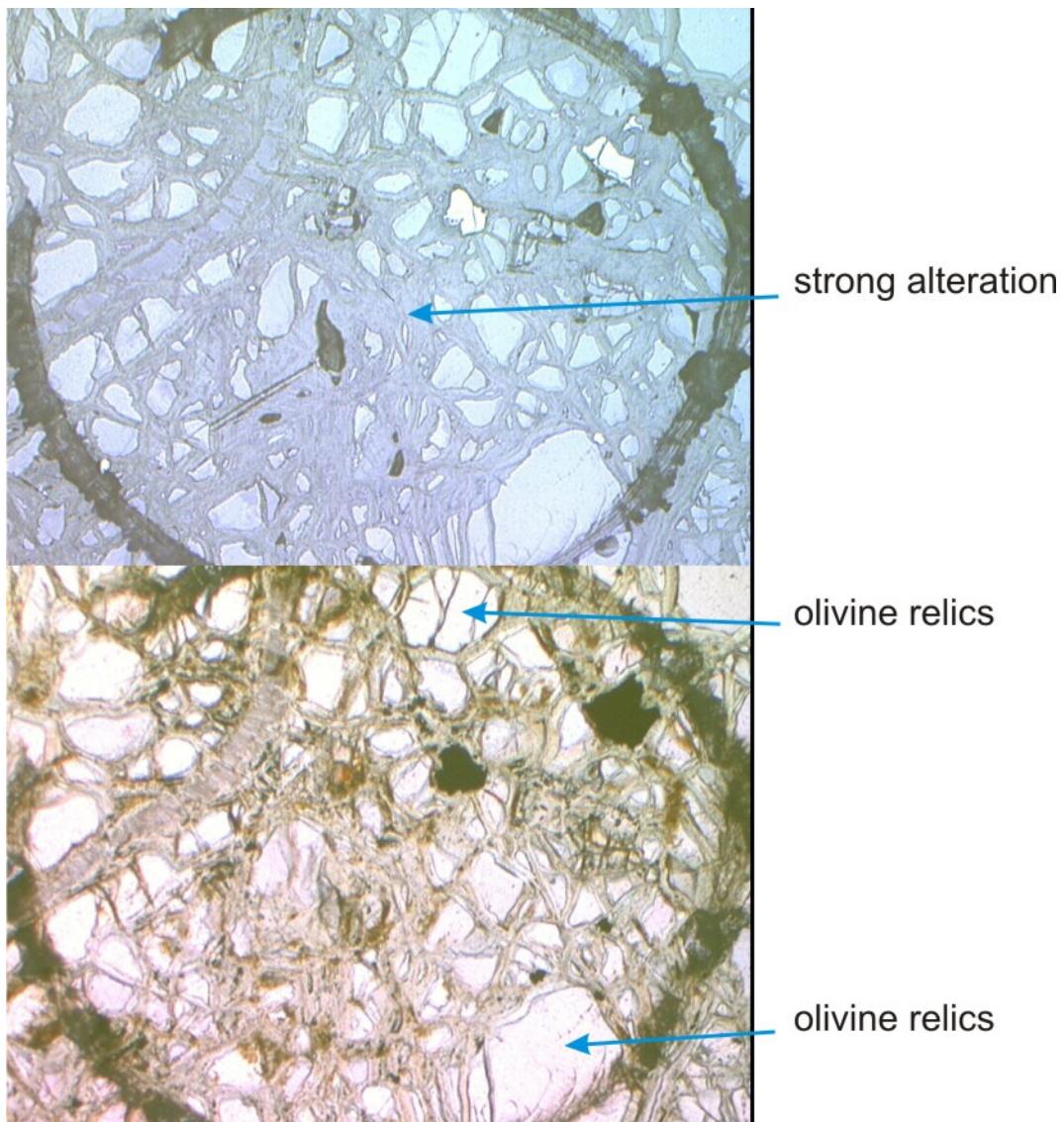
## G13/24 660 m

### **Drill core description:**

Dark blue dunite magnetite bearing.

### **Thin section description:**

The section is highly serpentinised, resulting in a network of serpentine minerals and veins of carbonate. See Fig 7 - 21. Relic olivine grains are cracked and filled with serpentine minerals. The largest size of the relic grains is ~ 0.8 mm, while the original grain size of olivine can be estimated at up to 2 mm. The relic olivines are highly included, but it is extremely difficult to determine if these are fluid or solid inclusions. The serpentine network contains abundant spinels. Some of these appear to be associated with the serpentinisation, while others occur as either inclusions in olivine (pristine) or are part of a “cracked” grain (i.e. cracked by vein). There is a significant variation in spinel shape. The inclusions within olivine can be euhedral or subhedral “blobs”, which, under reflected light, are slightly darker and have a slightly higher Cr content. Inclusions within the altered material range from euhedral to anhedral and have a slightly lower Cr content. There are sulphides within the serpentine network, while there are no sulphides within the relic olivine. The sulphides are highly irregular in shape and are often intergrown with spinels and are comprised of pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite and bornite



**Figure 7-21** Photomicrograph of sample G13-24 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel nicols)

## **G1 Discriptions**

### G1-2 394 m

#### **Drill core description:**

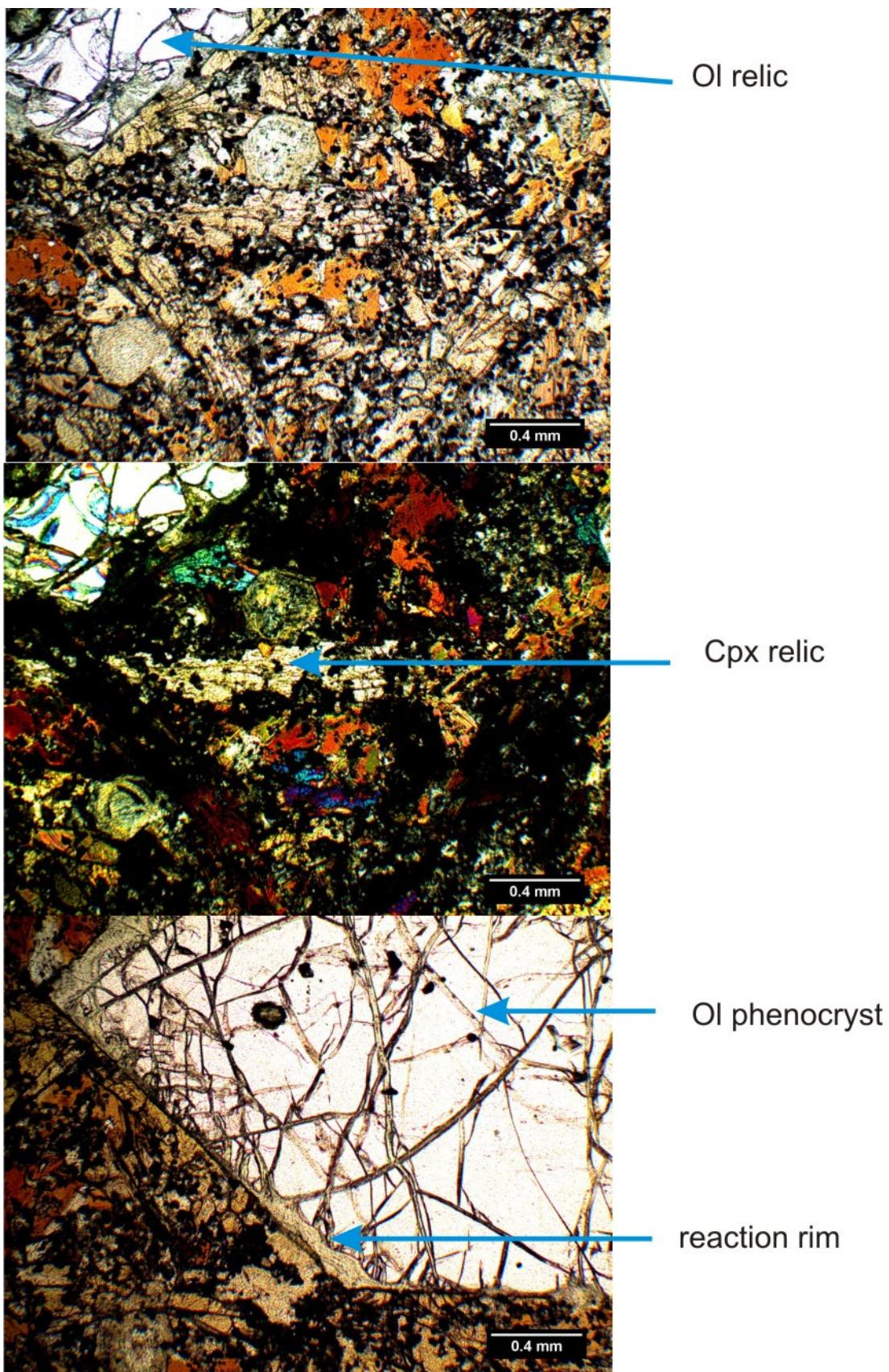
Meimechite (Volcanic)

#### **Thin section description:**

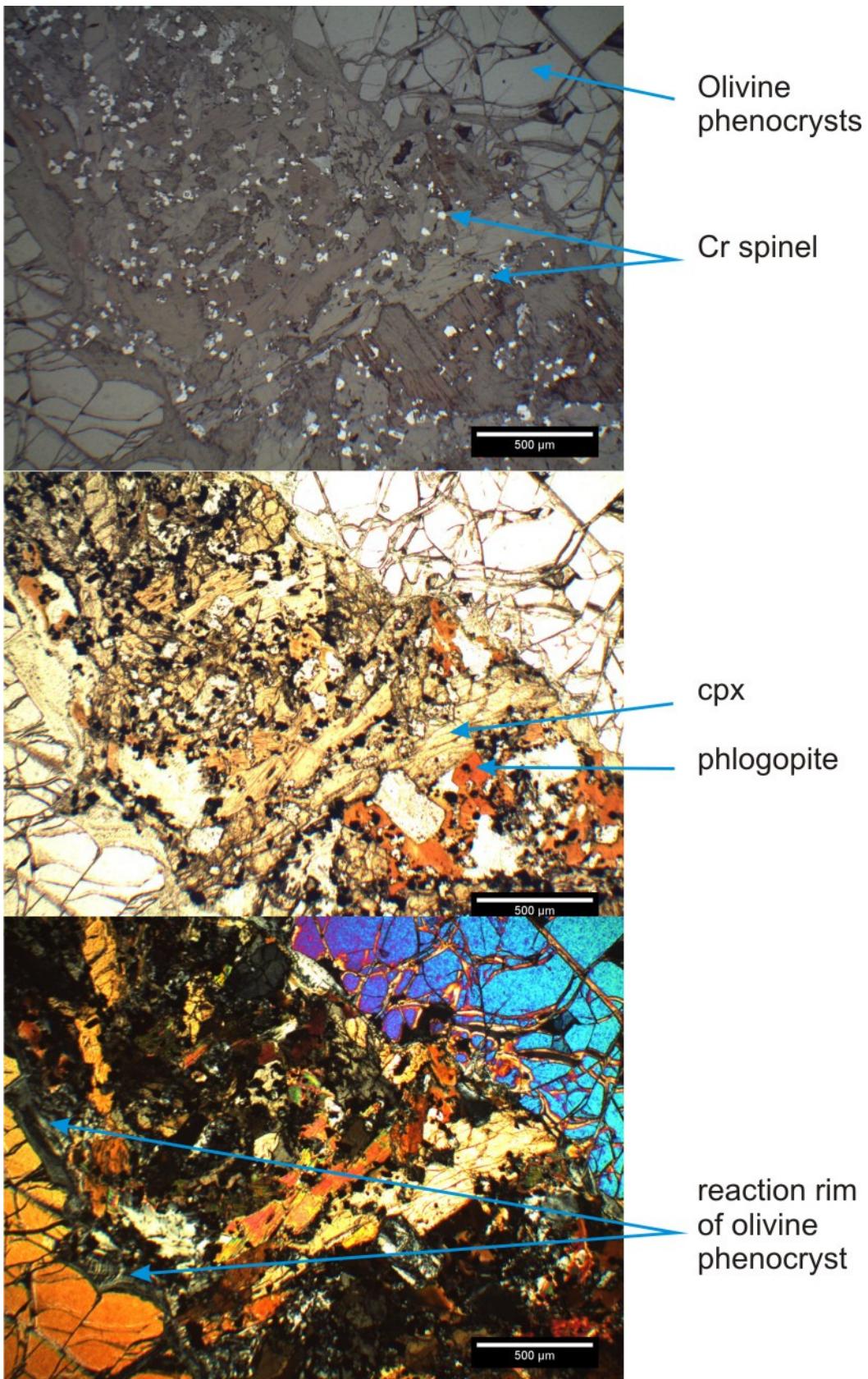
Comprised of large broken olivine phenocrysts in a matrix. Olivine phenocrysts comprise ~50% of the slide with considerably varying grains size. Maximum grain size is ~ 10 mm, minimum grain size is 1 mm, while the average is ~ 6 mm. The olivine phenocrysts are euhedral and characterised by remarkable alteration rims, clearly indicating that they had been reacting with the melt. The reaction rim is composed of serpentine minerals and chlorite. It is often irregular in thickness with “corners” more affected. The serpentine minerals and chlorite extend into some phenocrysts via cracks and extend through out the crystal. See Fig 7 - 22. This alteration halo is characteristic of the meimechites, there is a variation in the degree or thickness of the alteration in different samples, but it is always present and is thus diagnostic. The smaller grains are altered to a greater degree than the larger grains. The olivine contains none of the “lamella” or “platy” inclusions, but melt inclusion trails and Cr-rich spinels are observed. The larger olivine grains are slightly cracked and are filled with serpentine minerals and chlorite.

The matrix is composed of phlogopite, clinopyroxene, apatite, oxides and altered material. See Fig 7 – 23. Within the matrix phlogopite is medium to small grained, maximum grain size ~ 3 mm, minimum grain size 0.5 mm, with an average of 0.9 mm. The phlogopite, was originally lath shaped, but now displays skeletal laths, with partial replacement by chlorite and serpentine. It is highly pleochroic and comprises 35% of the

matrix. Clinopyroxene makes up ~ 30% of the matrix. The clinopyroxene laths show an ophitic texture and are often broken, pitted and altered. Oxides comprise 20% of the matrix, with a grain size of 250  $\mu\text{m}$  or less. There is a complex intergrowth of anhedrally shaped magnetite and ilmenite, also aggregates of disseminated magnetite have been observed. Rare Cr - rich spinels were also observed.



**Figure 7-22** A photomicrograph of sample G1-2 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).



**Figure 7-23** A photomicrograph of sample G1-2 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).

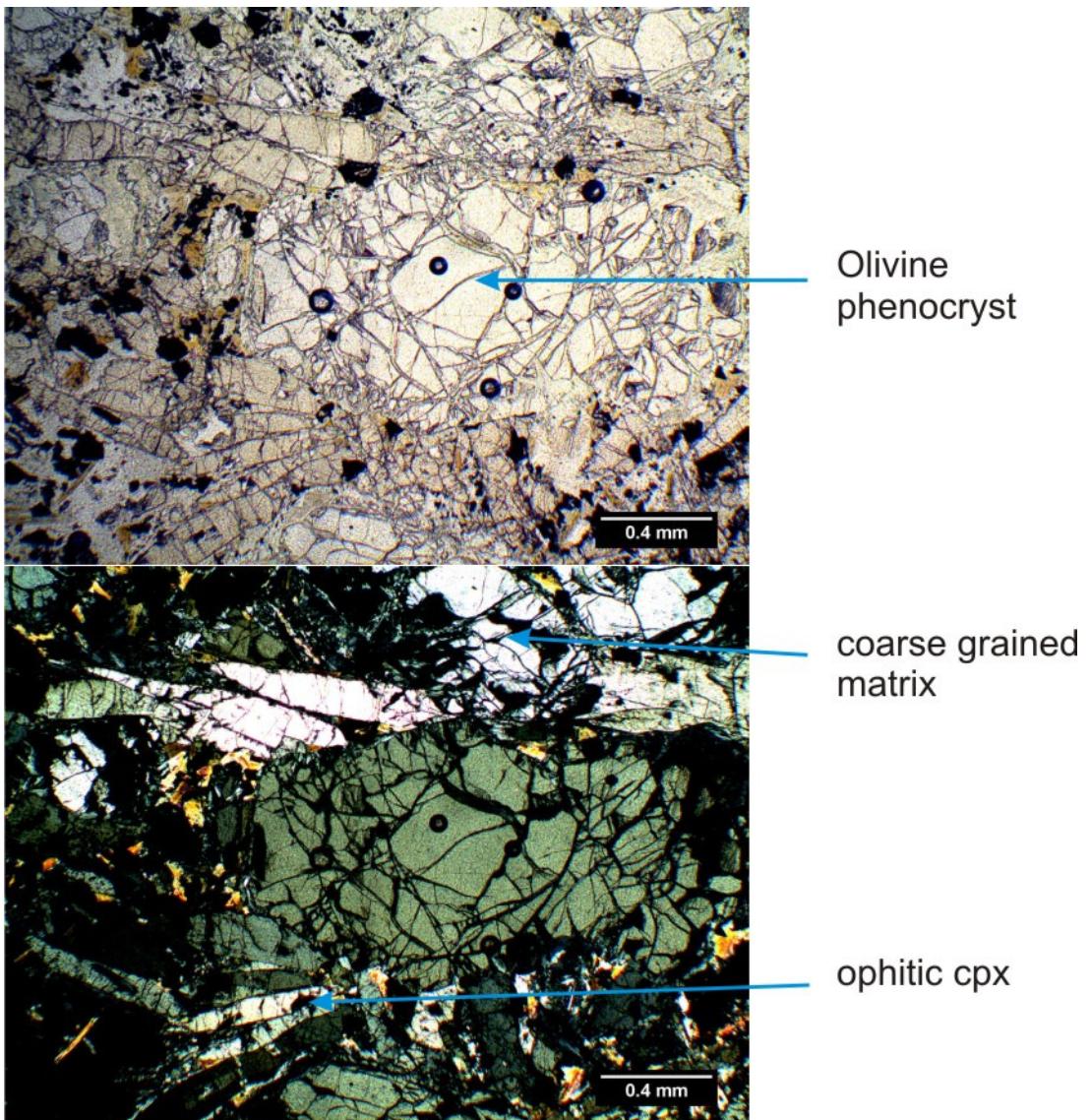
## G1-3 392 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (Volcanic),

### **Thin section description:**

Large olivine grains in a groundmass of clinopyroxene, oxides, phlogopite and altered material. Olivine grains are highly cracked, with minimal alteration at the rims. Internal cracks in the olivine are filled with serpentine. Grain size varies from a maximum of ~ 7 mm to a minimum of 0.6 mm, with the average grain size being 2 mm. Olivine comprises ~ 65% of the slide. Rare Cr-rich spinel inclusions occur within the olivine but they are relatively free of melt inclusions. Under crossed polars a primary euhedral grain shape can be observed. The groundmass comprises 25% of the slide, 10% is represented by altered material. The grain size of the groundmass is smaller than in G1-2 and is dominated by moderately altered clinopyroxene. The clinopyroxene appears as needle-like laths displaying an ophitic texture. See Fig 7 – 24. Grain size varies from 2 mm to 3 mm. The phlogopite is not as pleochroic as in G1-2, appearing as small broken grains. There is a complex intergrowth of magnetite and ilmenite. Grains are irregular and often pitted with a highly variable grain size, i.e. large grains ~ 0.5 mm to clusters of ~ 10 µm grains. Rare large grained magnetite has melt inclusions. Cr- rich spinels up to 200 µm, can also be found in the matrix. On the basis of the texture (ophitic texture of clinopyroxene), this rock represents a volcanic rock and can be classified as meimechite.



**Figure 7-24** Photomicrograph of sample G1-3 under transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).

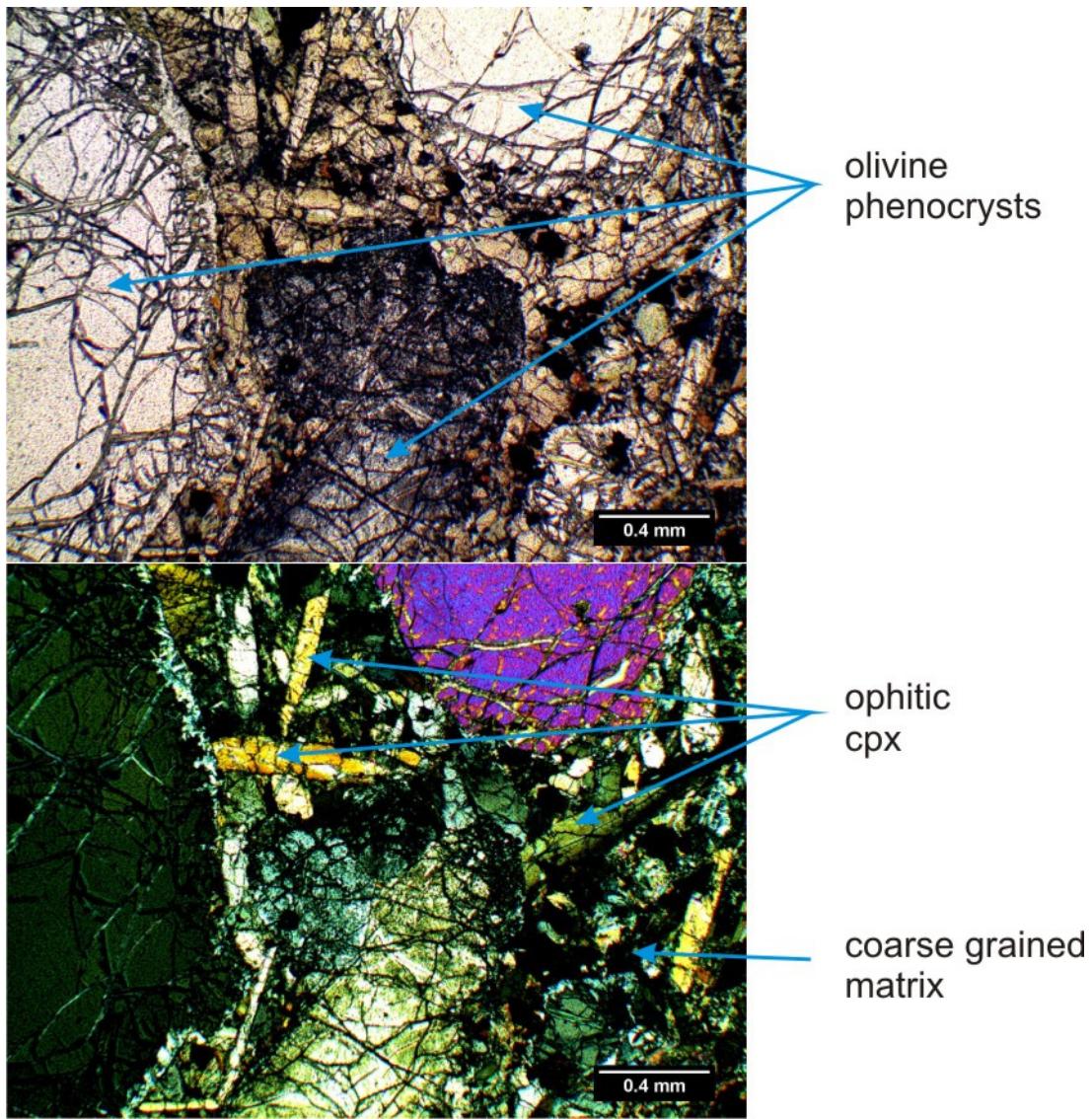
## G1-12 346.1 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

Olivine comprises ~ 50% of the slide, the grains are large and euhedral to subhedral and have straight grain boundaries. Grain size varies from a maximum of 4.4 mm to a minimum of 1 mm with an average of 2 mm. The olivine grains are cracked and have melt inclusion trails. See Fig 7 - 25 Cr - rich spinel inclusions (around 30  $\mu\text{m}$  in diameter) are rare in olivine. The section is further characterised by a network of serpentine  $\pm$  chlorite and magnetite through the olivine grains. The ground mass is comprised of clinopyroxene, phlogopite, serpentine minerals, magnetite chlorite and amphiboles. Clinopyroxene occurs as laths up to 2.2 mm in size and comprises ~ 45% of the matrix. The clinopyroxene is zoned; the zonation is defined by a pale to colourless core with a darker brown rim. Clinopyroxenes are often broken and exhibit in places a radial growth of lath shaped crystals. Magnetite comprises ~15% of the matrix and occurs as filling of interstitial spaces, aggregates of small (3 - 5  $\mu\text{m}$ ) grains and larger grains ~ 70  $\mu\text{m}$  which are zoned. The zonation is defined by a core of less reflectance and a higher reflecting rim. Phlogopite, occurring as irregular sheets up to 300  $\mu\text{m}$ , has a strong red coloured pleochroism and comprises 10% of the matrix. On the basis of the texture of the matrix this rock represents a volcanic rock, based on the mineral composition this rock is classified as meimechite.



**Figure 7-25** Photomicrograph of sample G1-12 under transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).

## G1-13 342.2 m

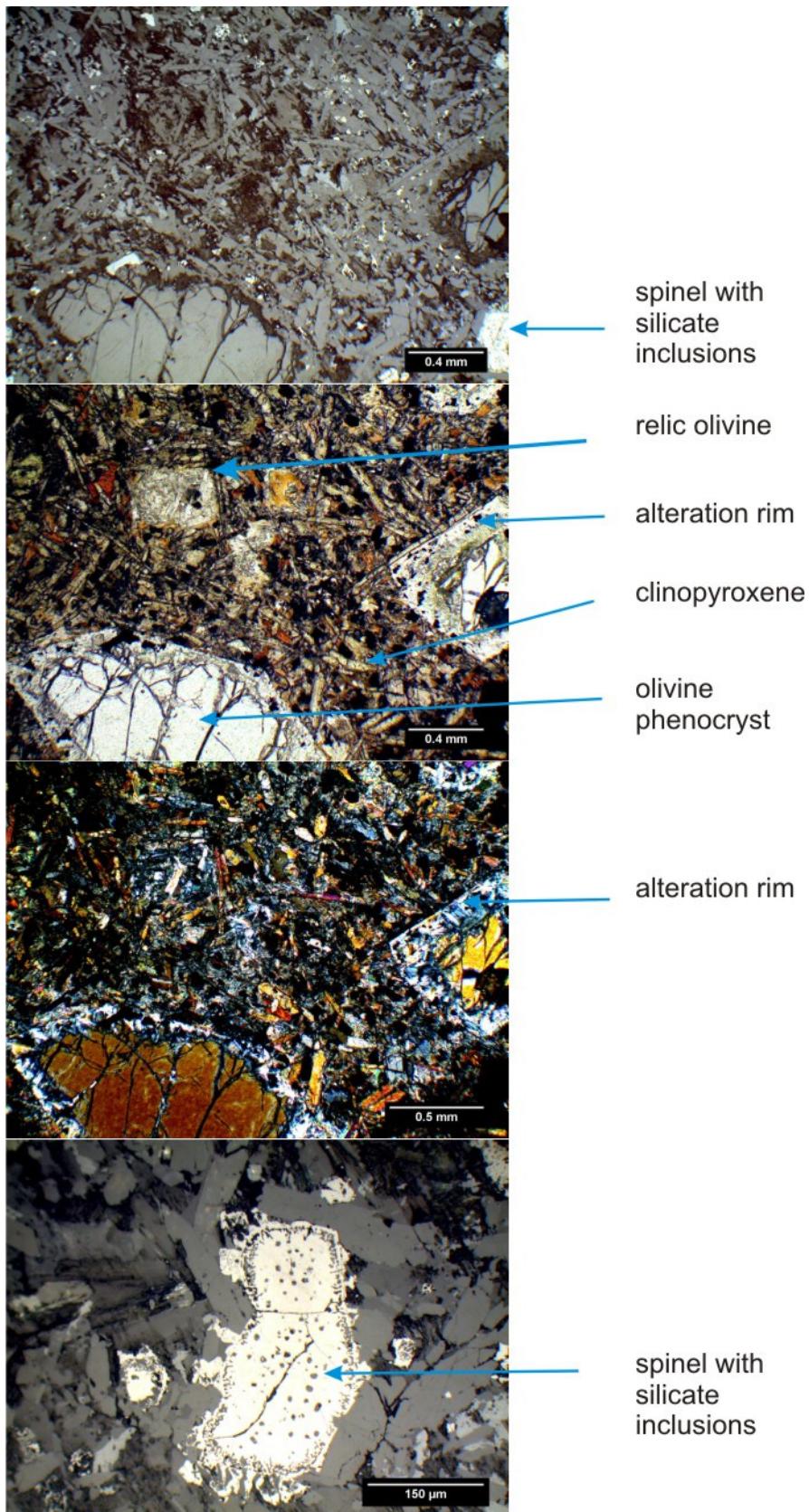
### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (Volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by ~ 80% of groundmass. A few relic olivine grains remain. These grains are surrounded by a reaction rim, which is composed of serpentine minerals, chlorite and biotite. This reaction rim can sometimes replace the entire olivine grains. See Fig 7 - 26. Primary grain shape was euhedral to subhedral; the relic cores now have an irregular grain shape. Grain size varies from 1 to 3 mm, with an average grain size of 2 mm. Rare euhedral to subhedral Cr - rich spinel inclusions can be found in the olivine, these are ~ 40  $\mu\text{m}$ . No fluid or melt inclusion trails were observed in the olivine. The groundmass is medium grained and dominated by clinopyroxene, phlogopite, magnetite, feldspar, apatite, serpentine minerals, chlorite and white mica. Clinopyroxene appears as needles or are of lath shape (up to 1 mm in length), with radial crystal growth and locally displaying ophitic texture. Phlogopite comprises 15 - 20% of the groundmass. It is highly pleochroic, with colours ranging from near colourless to a rich red brown. Grain size and shape is highly irregular often forming a sheet like network. Magnetite is abundant in the groundmass and ranges from small and disseminated to large (~200  $\mu\text{m}$ ) grains. The larger grains are subhedral to euhedral, and often show corroded rims. There is no ilmenite exsolution. Very small (5 - 10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) grains of chalcopyrite and bornite can occasionally be observed. Within this section the grain size grades from coarse to fine. The mineralogical composition of the finer grained part is identical to that of the matrix. Occasionally pseudomorphs of completely replaced olivine phenocrysts can be observed. On the basis of the texture and

mineralogy the coarser-grained portion of the section is classified as strongly altered meimechite; the fine-grained part of the section is interpreted as a chilled margin.



**Figure 7-26** Photomicrograph of sample G1-13 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).

## G1-14 332.2 m

### **Drill core description:**

Olivine cumulate

### **Thin section description:**

Olivine phenocrysts comprise approximately 50% of the slide. Grain size varies considerably, large grains up to ~1 cm, medium sized grains ~ 2 mm and small grains ~500 µm. The large olivine grains are subhedral, with fairly straight grain boundaries, the medium and small olivine grains are anhedral with irregular grain boundaries. All olivine grains are cracked; cracks are filled with alteration products (i.e. serpentine phases and chlorite). Very rare, small (20 - 30 µm), Cr-rich spinel inclusions can be found in some of the olivine phenocrysts. Olivine phenocysts contain rare melt inclusion trails. The rims / grain boundaries are often “corroded”. Olivine contains some of the “platy” inclusions. Olivine with a small grain size is often more heavily included, with Cr-rich spinels and solid/fluid inclusion trails. The matrix is comprised primarily of phlogopite, i.e. ~ 50% of the matrix. The phlogopite forms interlocking sheets and is not as pleochroic as in other sections. Clinopyroxene within the groundmass has uneven grain boundaries and no obvious grain shape or size. Grains appear as corroded altered relicts. The grain size of the magnetite varies from small disseminated ~ 5 µm to larger ~ 250 µm sub- to euhedral grains which can show a zonation and silicate inclusions. Cr - rich spinel grains can also be found in the matrix. Perovskite grains up to 200 µm are present in the groundmass. Subordinate plagioclase, carbonate and white mica can be observed. Altered material within the matrix is comprised of white mica, phlogopite (in irregular patches) serpentine minerals, carbonate, apatite and chlorite. On the basis of geochemistry this rock is classified as an olivine cumulate.

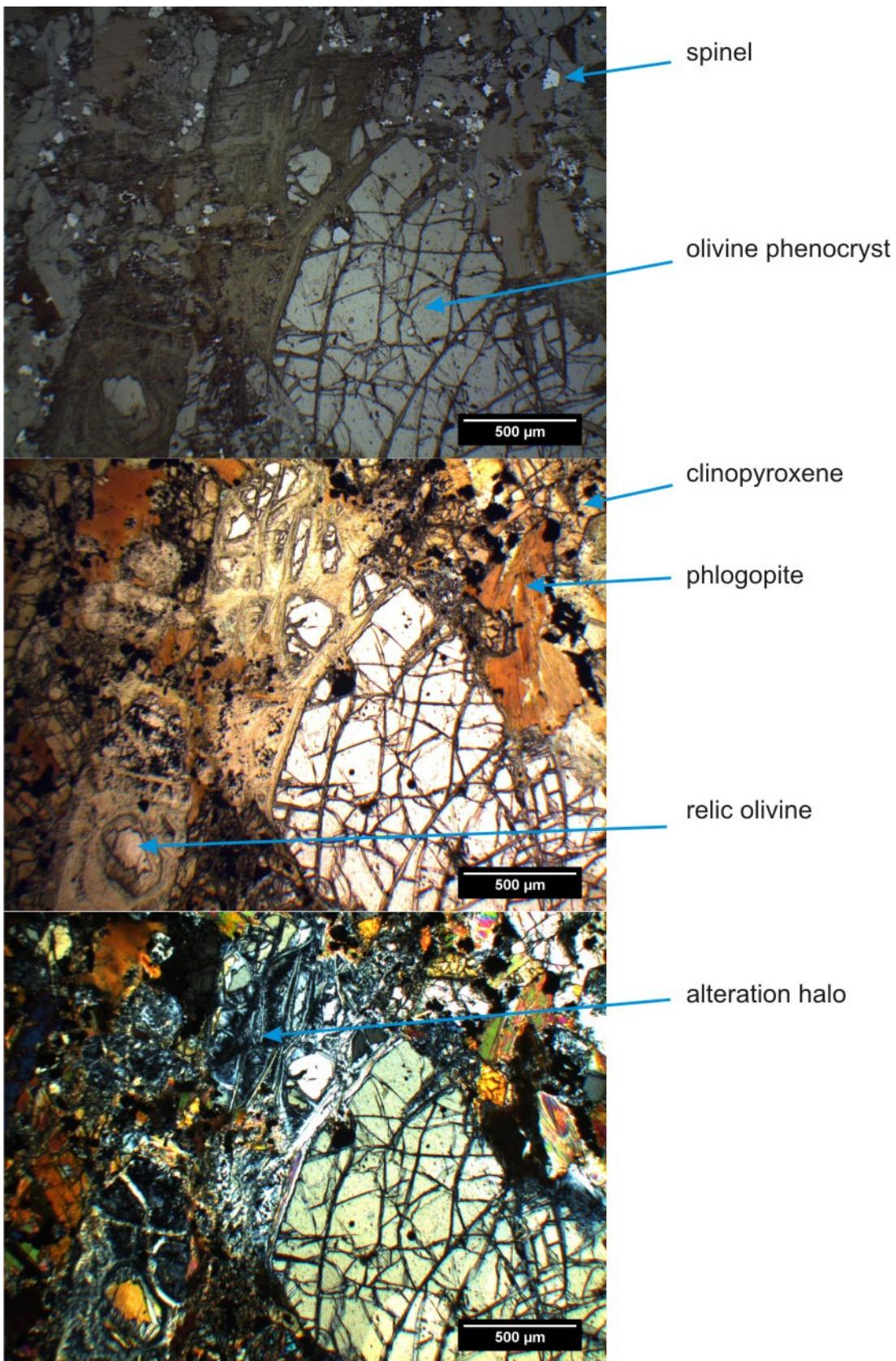
## G1-15 316.8 m

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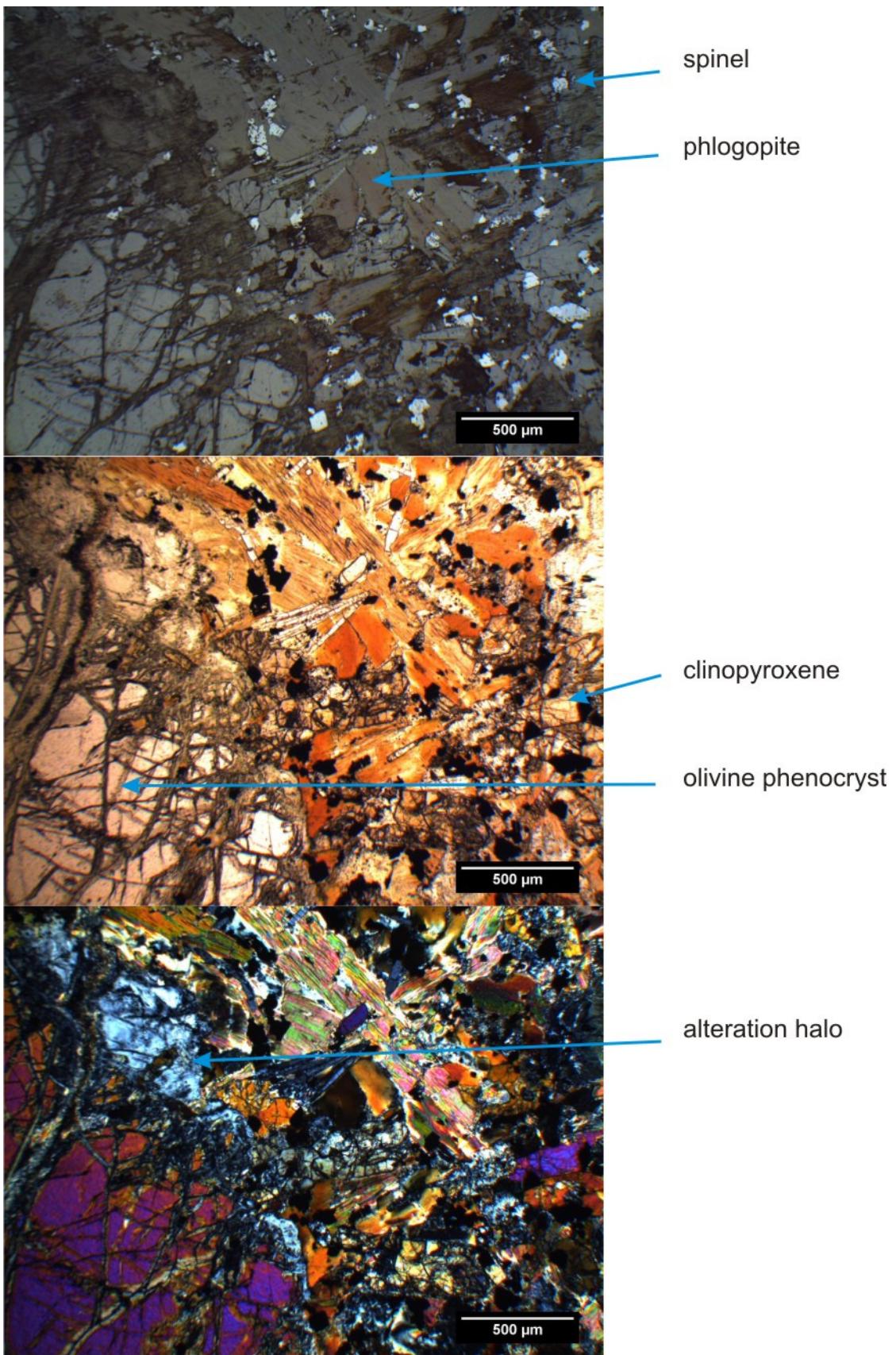
Meimechite (Volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

The section is comprised of large to medium grained olivine phenocrysts in a coarse grained partly altered matrix of clinopyroxene, phlogopite, magnetite and rare plagioclase. Olivine comprises approximately 60 - 70% of the slide. The olivine grains are cracked, with minor alteration filling the cracks. Some grains show alteration rims. See Fig 7 – 27. Olivine grain size varies considerably, with large grains ~ 7.5 mm, medium grains ~ 2.2 mm. The olivine has small inclusions of Cr-rich spinels. The matrix is coarser grained than G1-14, and slightly altered. Clinopyroxene has a varied grain shape, with broken grains and laths. Large grains are up to 1.2 mm, while medium grains are ~ 0.5 mm. Phlogopite is highly pleochroic, with colour variation from a light tan to burnt orange and shows uneven sheet-like shape. See Fig 7 – 28. Magnetite and Cr – rich spinel grains are disseminated throughout the matrix, grain size varies from ~2 - 3  $\mu\text{m}$  to 250  $\mu\text{m}$ . The larger grains are zoned with a grey blue core of Cr – rich spinel and a higher reflecting magnetite rim. The smaller grains are sub to euhedral and not zoned and have the same reflectance as the rims of the larger grains.



**Figure 7-27** Photomicrograph of sample G1-15 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-28** Photomicrograph of sample G1-15 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

## G1-17 312.5 m

### **Drill core description:**

Tholeiitic basalt.

### **Thin section description:**

This section is composed of phenocrysts of clinopyroxene, phlogopite and plagioclase in a matrix of fine grained to cryptocrystalline matrix that has been partly recrystallised. The matrix has an amorphous texture and appears to be recrystallised glass. Clinopyroxene comprises ~ 55% of the phenocrysts and shows a sub - ophitic texture formed by relic laths and needles. The clinopyroxene phenocrysts are up to 3-4 mm in length. Phlogopite is highly pleochroic, from tan to bright orange / red, there is often some zonation of the phlogopite. Phlogopite occurs as sheets without an obvious grain shape. Magnetite comprises 5% of the groundmass. The proportion of matrix varies throughout the section.

## G1-18 312.3 m

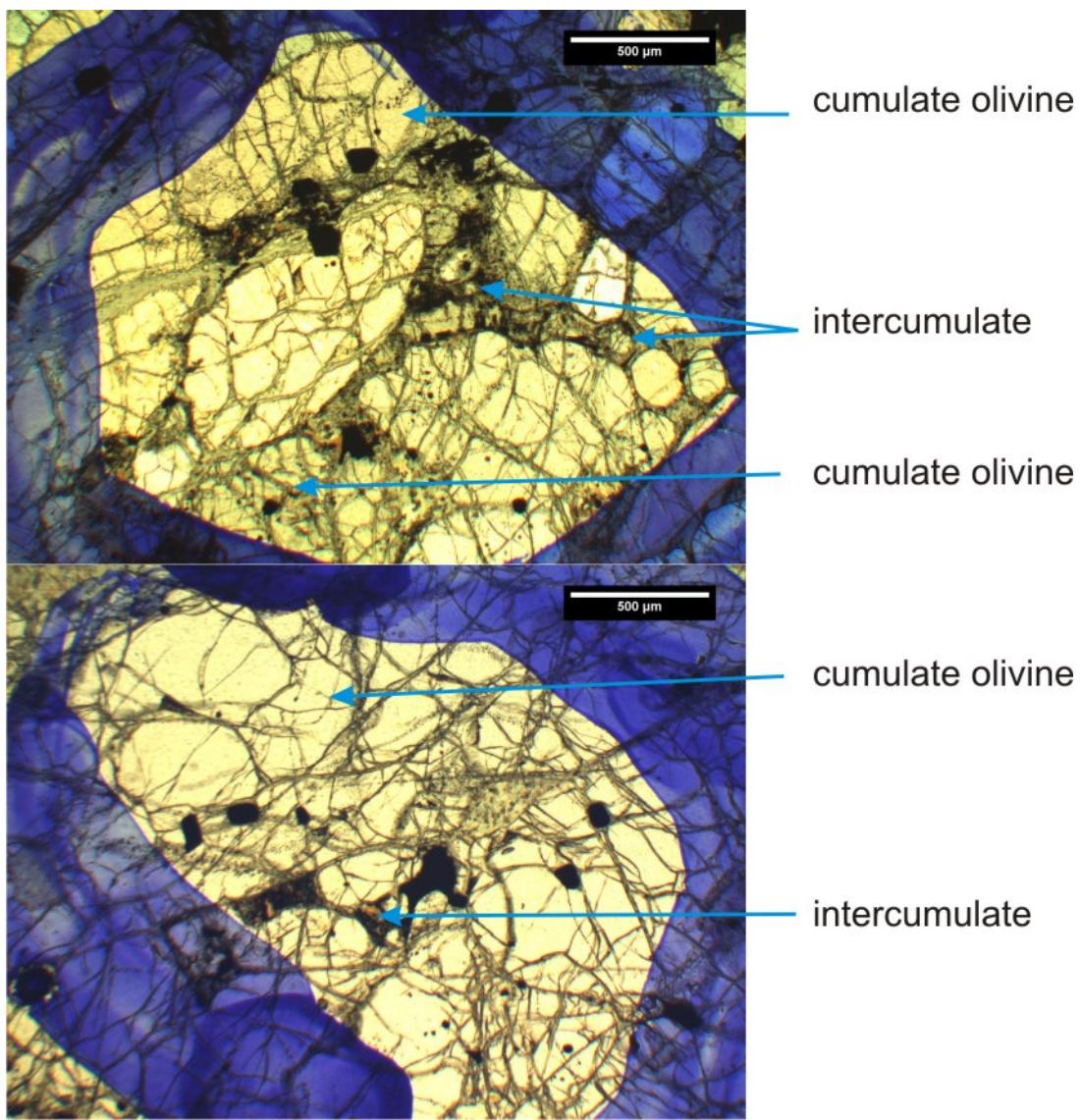
### **Drill core description:**

Olivine cumulate

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by olivine, approximately 90% of the slide, with a partly altered interstitial mass of clinopyroxene, phlogopite and magnetite and Cr - poor spinel. The olivine grains are cracked, with minor alteration along the cracks, grain size varies, from large irregular grains ~ 3 mm, to medium euhedral grains ~ 0.5 mm with a strong cumulate texture. See Fig 7 - 29. Olivine is highly included, with trails of melt inclusions and subordinate fluid inclusions. Cr-rich spinels (~ 125 µm in size), with a subhedral grain shape are observed in the interstitial spaces, very rarely euhedral Cr-rich spinel inclusions (~ 30 µm in size) within olivine are observed. The intercumulate material is comprised of phlogopite, alteration products, such as serpentine minerals ± chlorite and clinopyroxene. The percentage of cumulus olivine and intercumulus mineral phases varies, in that locally veins and zones rich in intercumulus clinopyroxene and phlogopite of massive grain size can be observed, the olivine in these zones shows little/no alteration.

On the basis of the clearly observable cumulate texture, this rock is an intrusive olivine cumulate.



**Figure 7-29** Photomicrograph of sample G1-18 under transmitted light (parallel nicols)

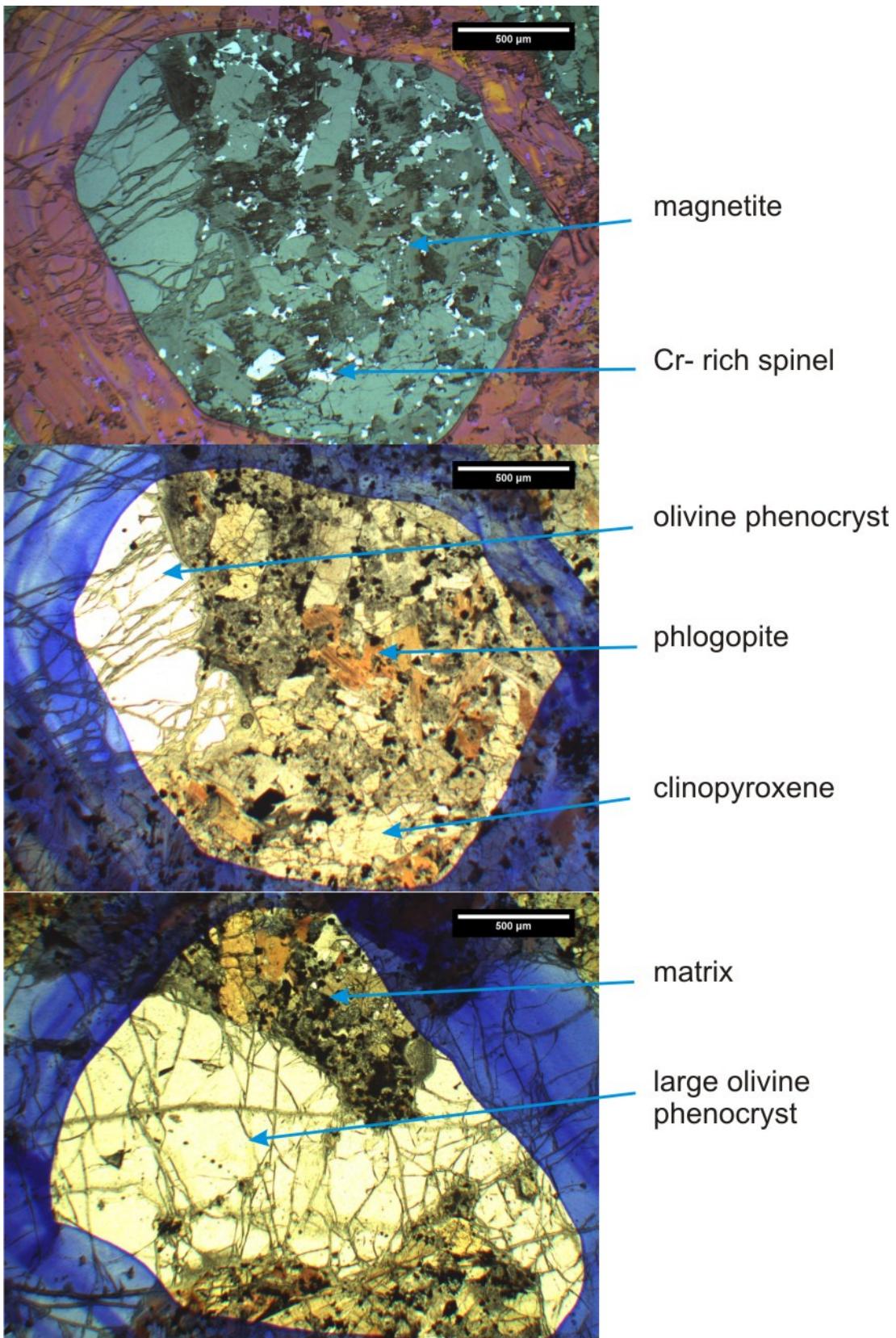
## G1-19 311.4 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (Volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

The slide is comprised of coarse grained olivine phenocrysts in a groundmass of clinopyroxene, phlogopite and oxides. Olivine phenocrysts in this section are much larger than in other sections with average grain size of 6 - 7 mm and grains up ~ 9 mm. Olivine grains are cracked, with minor alteration (i.e. serpentine and chlorite) filling cracks. The larger olivine grains show slight alteration along the rims; this alteration rim is more significant on the small grains. See Fig 7 – 30. Inclusions of Cr - rich spinels can be found within olivine, these are euhedral and 60  $\mu\text{m}$  in size. Magnetite and Cr-rich spinels occur in the interstitial spaces. Clinopyroxene comprises ~ 45% of the groundmass. Clinopyroxene occurs as laths and needle-like grains displaying ophitic textures. Furthermore, the clinopyroxenes are often corroded and appear as relic grains. Plagioclase occurs as ~ 250  $\mu\text{m}$  clumps of small subhedral grains. Phlogopite comprises approximately 35% of the groundmass. Phlogopite is most common as large sheets ~ 500  $\mu\text{m}$ . Within the coarse grained groundmass is a more fine grained material that maybe a recrystallised glass or alteration.



**Figure 7-30** Photomicrograph of sample G1-19 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel nicols).

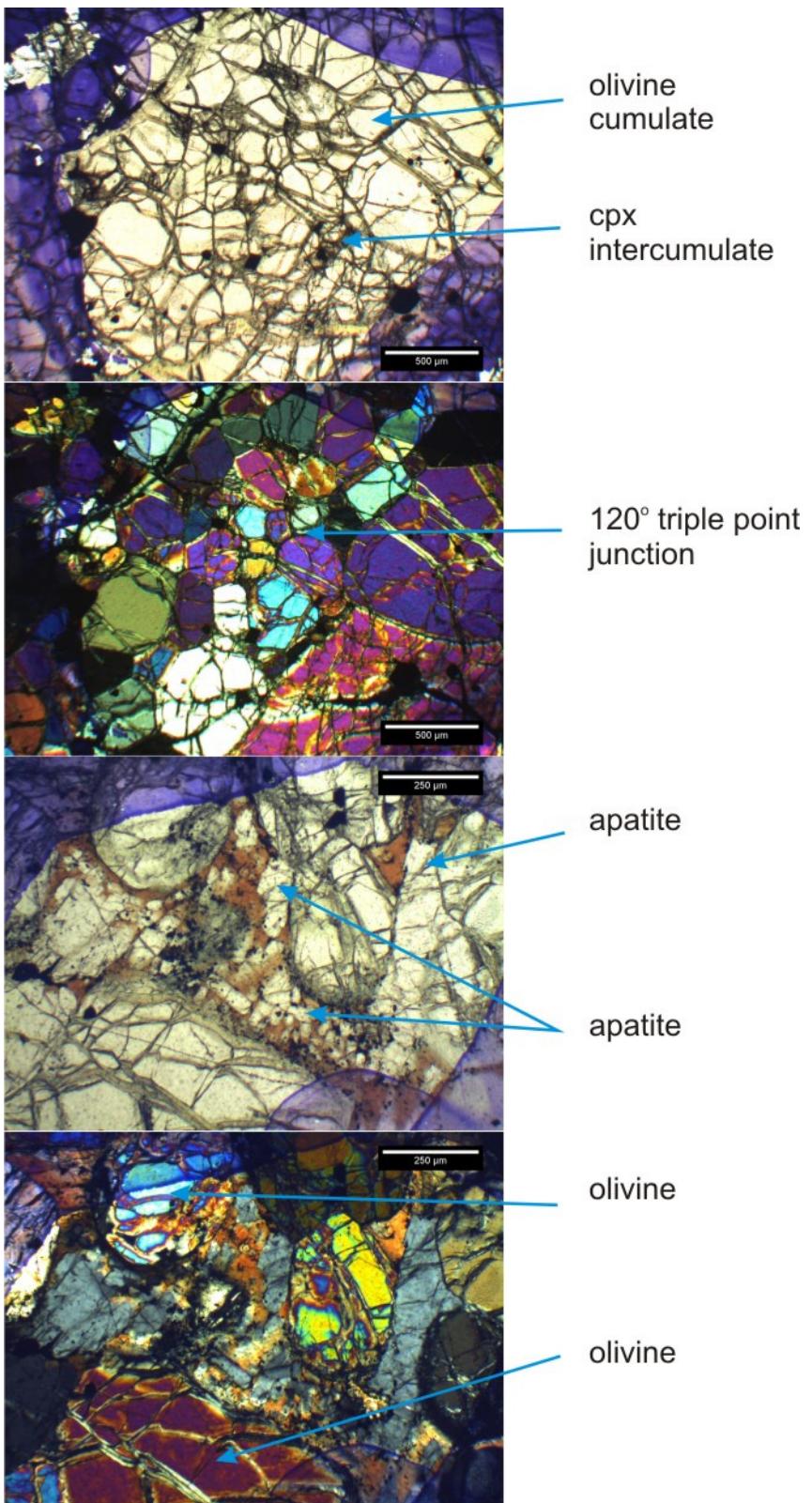
## G1-20 311.3 m

### **Drill core description:**

Olivine cumulate

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by olivine. The grains are highly cracked, with serpentine minerals filling the cracks. Original grain shape and size is visible under crossed polars. Large olivine grains are ~ 2.2 mm and comprise 30% of the slide. Medium sized grains are ~ 0.8 mm and comprise 30% of the slide. Small olivine grains are ~ 0.25 mm and comprise 10% of the slide. Inclusion trails are common in olivine especially near veins. Rare Cr-rich spinel inclusions are found in olivine. These are ~ 40 µm in size and are sub- to euhedral in shape. Alteration minerals (serpentine minerals + chlorite) comprise 10% of the section, with the remainder comprised of phlogopite ~ 3%, clinopyroxene ~ 2% and magnetite ~ 5%. The rock is characterised by a poikilitic texture of clinopyroxene, phlogopite and apatite as intercumulus mineral phases and olivine as cumulus. See Fig 7 - 31. Interstitial anhedral, to subhedral Cr - spinels are common. Grain size varies from 300 µm to 30 µm. Occasionally magnetite occurs as intercumulus Within in the altered material very small (2 – 3 µm) euhedral magnetite grains can be observed



**Figure 7-31** Photomicrograph of sample G1-20 under transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

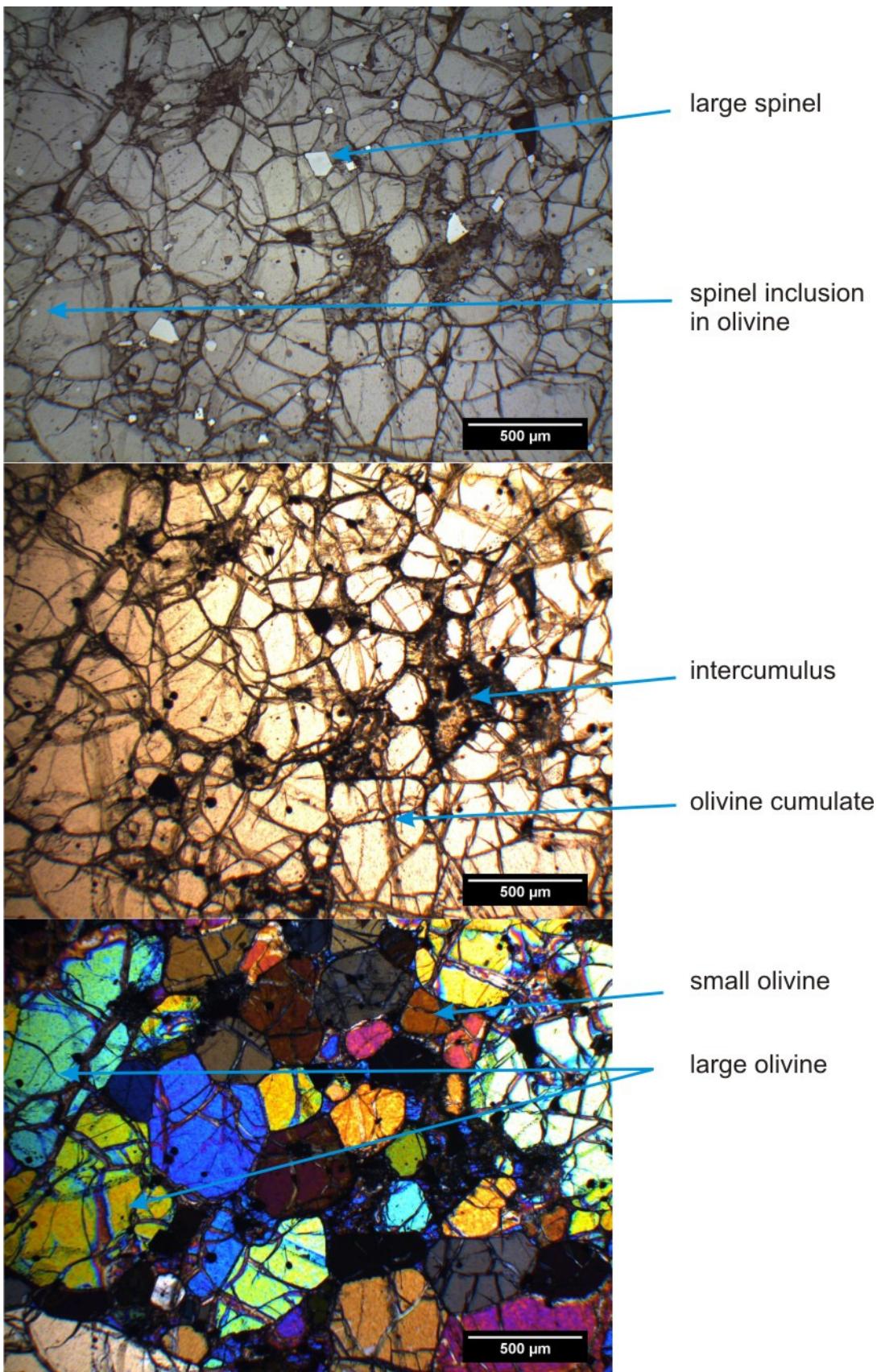
## G1-21 311.0 m

### **Drill core description:**

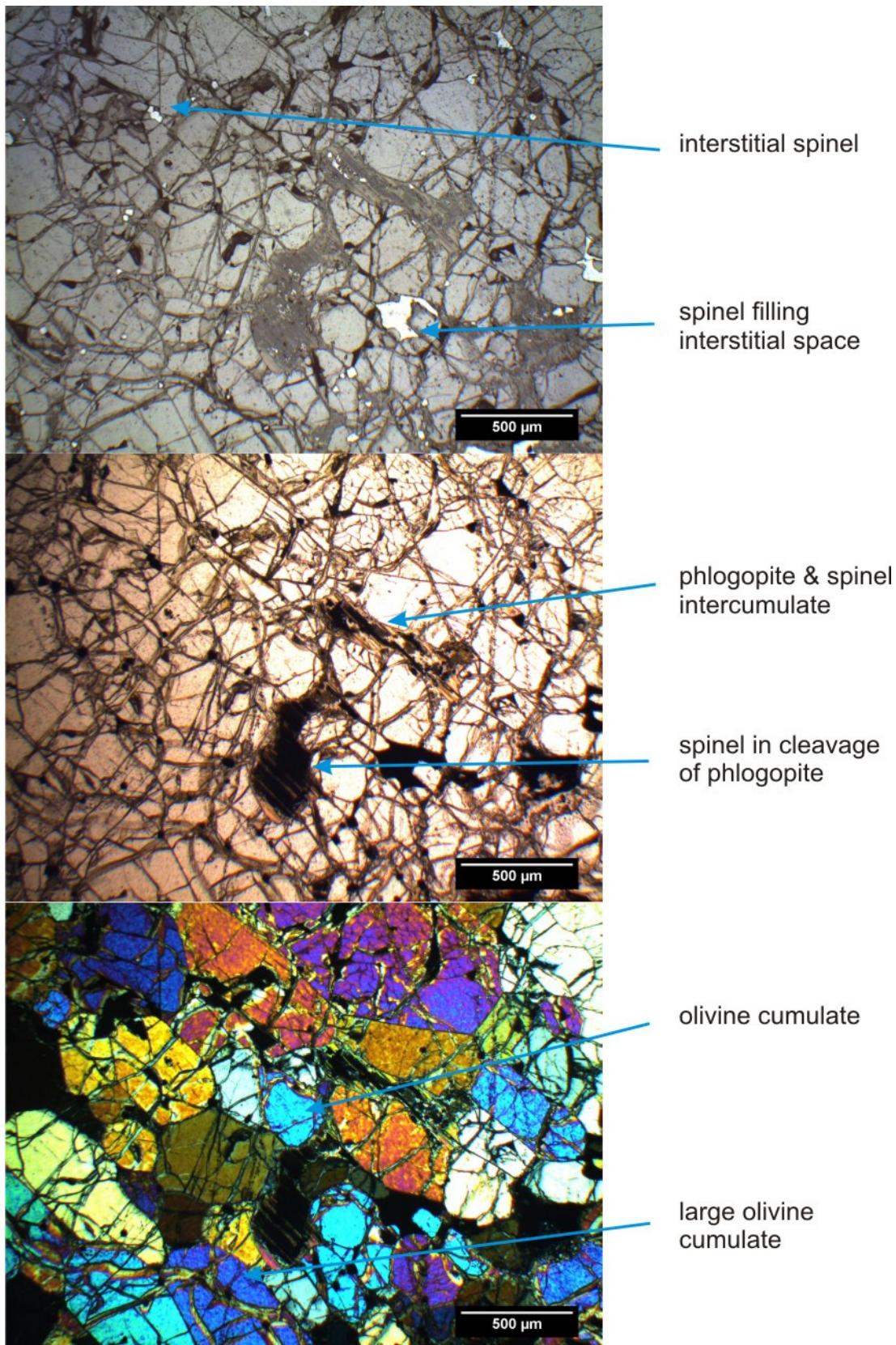
Olivine cumulate

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by medium to small grained olivine. Grain size varies from 2 mm to 0.4 mm. There is a network of alteration within the olivine. The alteration is composed of serpentine minerals and chlorite. Olivine shows cumulate texture with common  $120^0$  triple point junctions. See Fig 7 - 32. Intercumulus is comprised of phlogopite, clinopyroxene (altered) serpentine minerals, chlorite  $\pm$  plagioclase. The olivine is highly included by multiple generations of melt/fluid inclusions. Cr-rich spinel inclusions in olivine are euhedral to subhedral. Grain size is  $\sim 70 \mu\text{m}$ . Interstitial spinels are slightly poorer in chromium. (See microprobe results in Appendix XY: Spinel analysis and Mineral Chemistry section: Spinels) and have a more irregular shape. Magnetite can occur as intercumulus. See Fig 7 – 33. There is no ilmenite exsolution in the magnetite. There is some alignment of the olivine, suggesting a magmatic texture or deformation. On the basis of the texture the rock has been classified as an olivine cumulate



**Figure 7-32** Photomicrograph of sample G1-21 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-33** Photomicrograph of sample G1-21 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

## G1-23 306.1 m

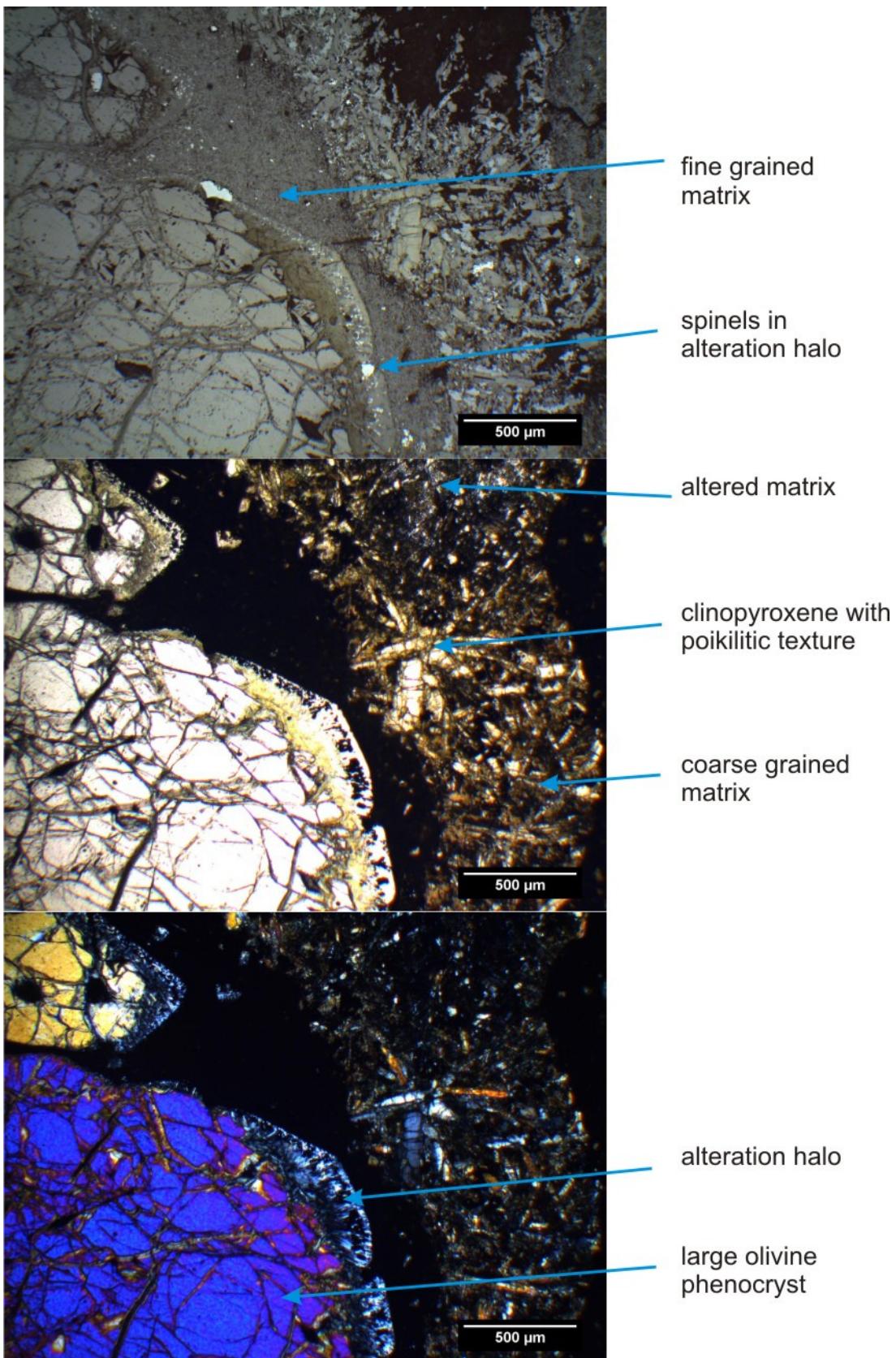
### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (volcanic)

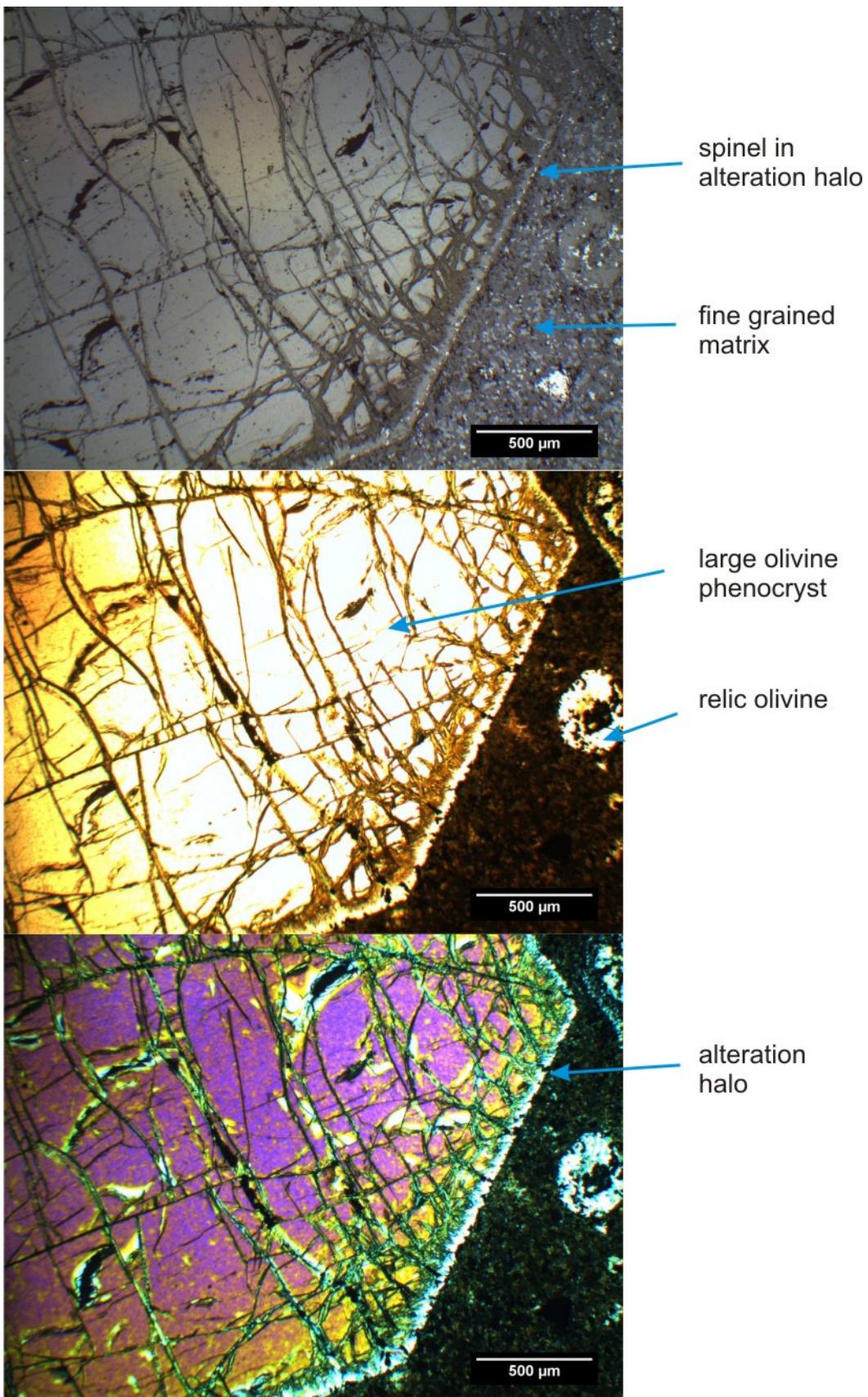
### **Thin section description:**

This section is divided into two parts, 1: Picrite dyke. Large euhedral to subhedral olivine phenocrysts in a very fine grained matrix. Olivine phenocrysts comprise 50 – 60% of the sample. The olivine grains show a very distinct reaction rim. Olivine grain size varies from ~ 4 mm to ~ 0.6 mm, smaller olivine phenocrysts have been completely “eaten up” by alteration. See Fig 7 – 34. Cr-rich spinel inclusions occur in olivine. These are between 20 and 100  $\mu\text{m}$  and are subhedral in shape. The groundmass is a very fine crypto-crystalline mass. Two types of magnetite occur in the matrix. 1: aggregates of very small (2-3  $\mu\text{m}$ ) euhedral grains, 2: Subhedral grains up to 150  $\mu\text{m}$  that are often rimmed by small grains. See Fig 7 - 35

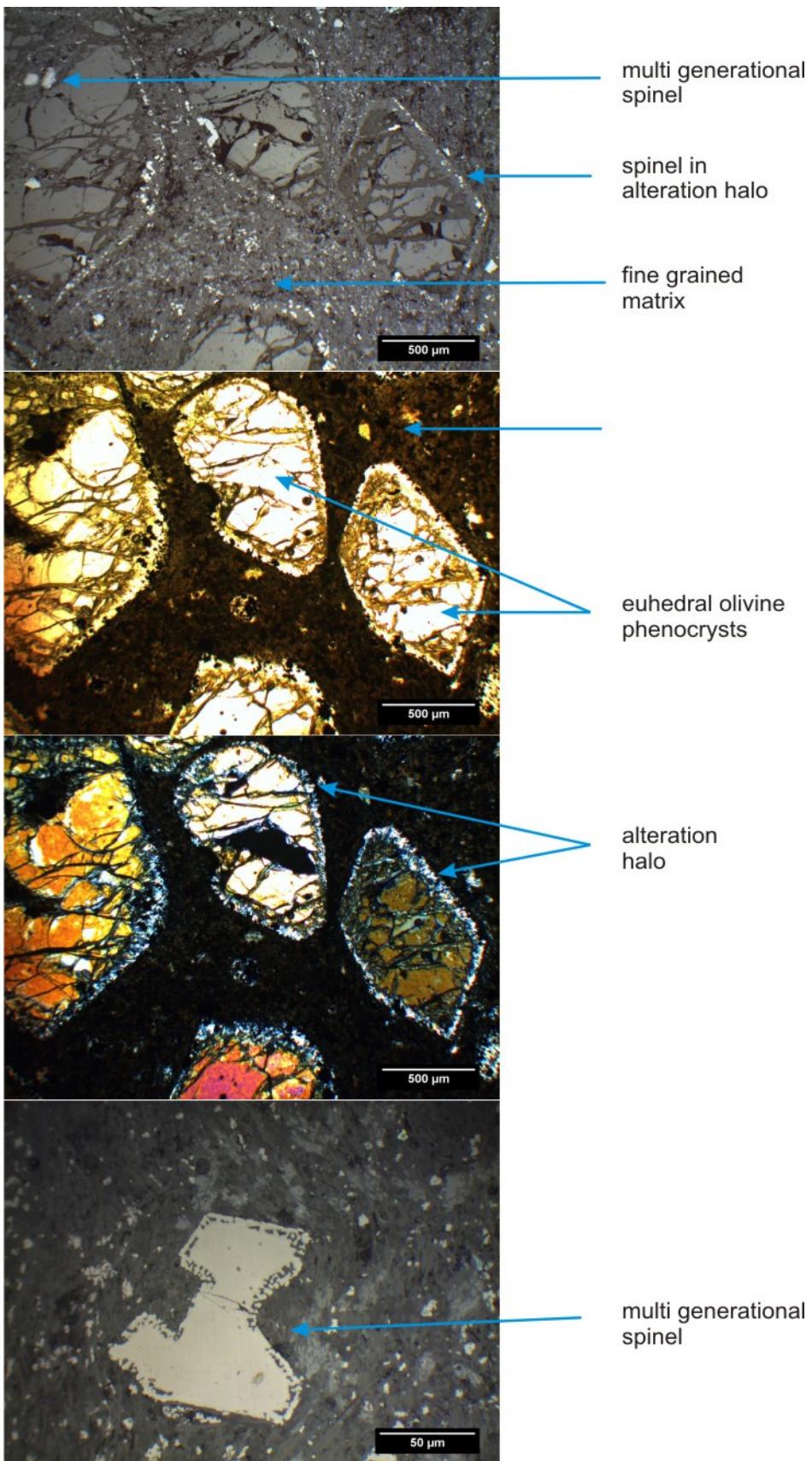
The second part of the section is composed of a coarser-grained matrix, without olivine phenocrysts. The contact between the picrite dyke and the second part of the section is very sharp. The coarser-grained matrix is comprised of clinopyroxene, magnetite, plagioclase and serpentine minerals. Clinopyroxene occurs as relic, altered laths/needles and size varies from 2 mm to 100  $\mu\text{m}$ . See Fig 7 - 36. There is little alteration of the coarser-grained material at the contact, but away from the contact, alteration becomes very intense up to complete replacement by serpentine minerals. This coarser-grained, mostly strongly altered matrix is interpreted as the chilled margin of the meimechite dyke.



**Figure 7-34** Photomicrograph of sample G1-23 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-35** Photomicrograph of sample G1-23 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-36** Photomicrograph of sample G1-23 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

## Gl-24 301.8 m

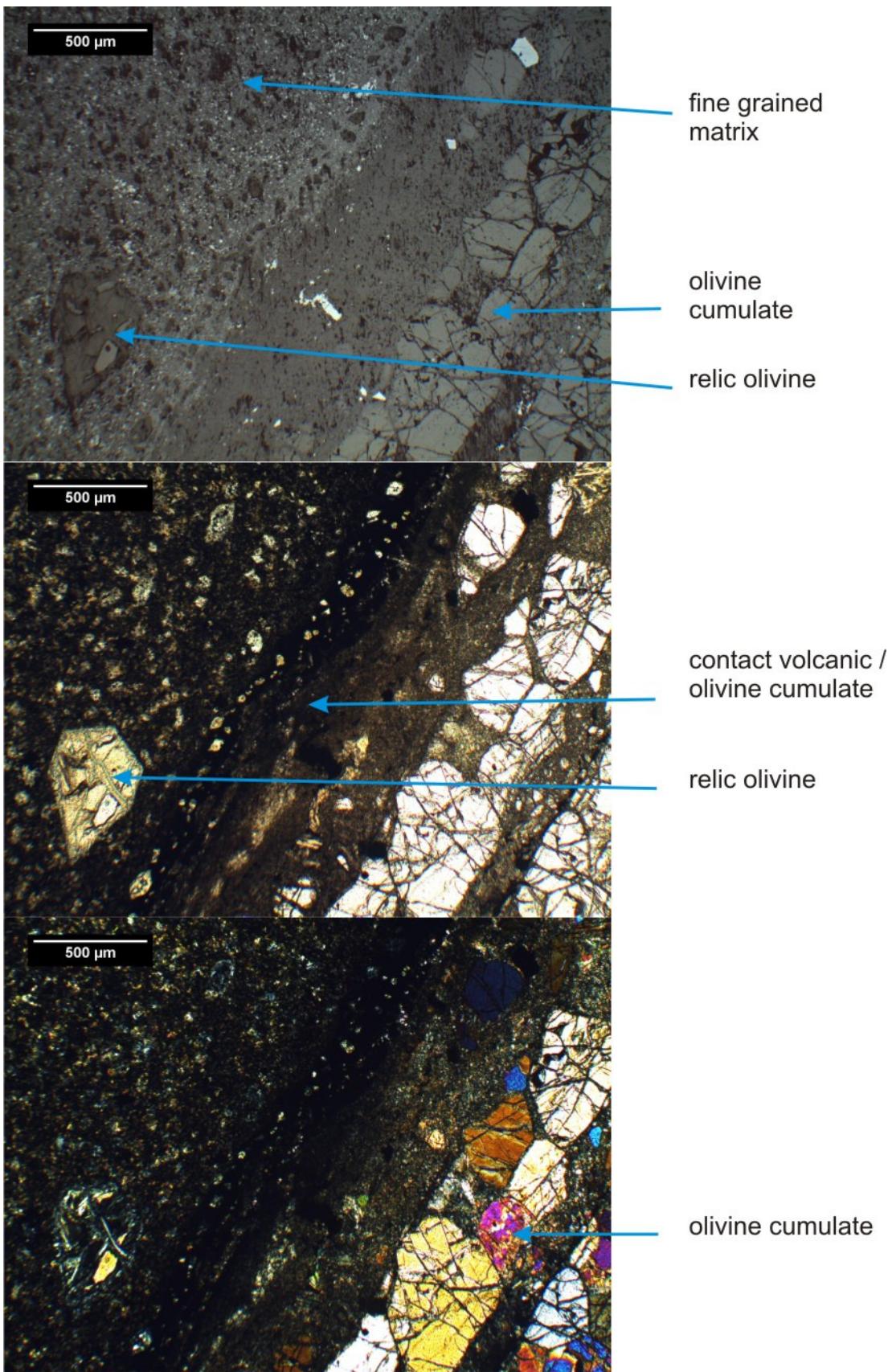
### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite / Olivine cumulate. (Volcanic / olivine cumulate contact)

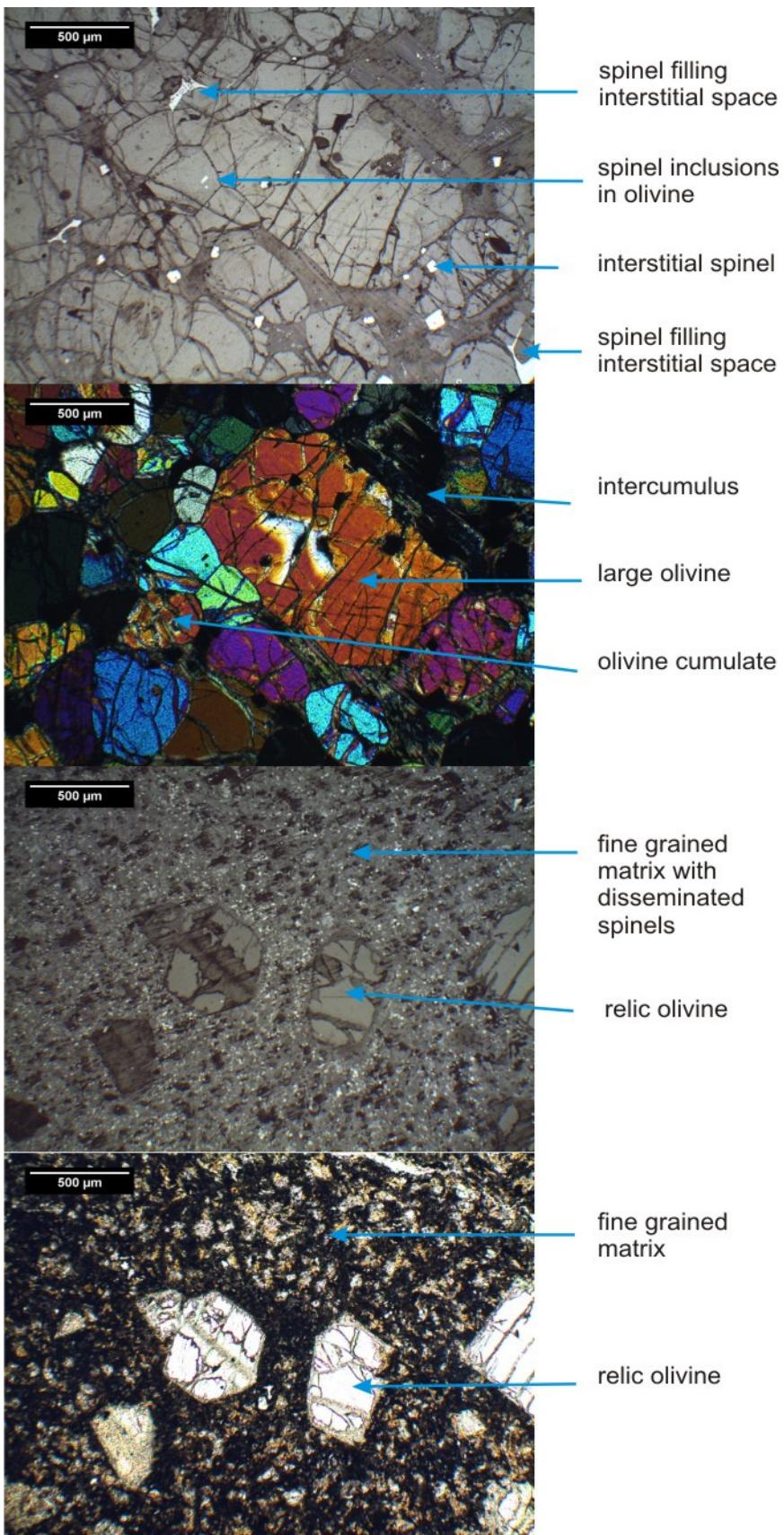
### **Thin section description:**

Two rock types with a sharp contact dominate this section. The first is a fine grained matrix with small (0.5 mm) olivine phenocrysts, making up ~ 10% of this part of the section. Olivine phenocrysts are cracked with serpentine minerals filling the cracks, are subhedral and show the typical alteration halo. The matrix is comprised of fine grained interlocking crystals of phlogopite, disseminated Cr- spinel, magnetite, serpentine minerals, relic plagioclase and rare carbonate. This rock is classified as meimechite. See Fig 7 - 37 & 38

The second rock type is a dunite cumulate. Olivine is subhedral and grain size varies from 2 mm to 0.3 mm and can be clearly identified as cumulus phase. The olivine is cracked, with serpentine minerals filling the cracks. The olivine also has multiple generations of melt/fluid inclusions. Cr-rich spinel inclusions in olivine are euhedral with a grain size of ~ 120 µm or less. The intercumulus is comprised of clinopyroxene, serpentine minerals, chlorite, Cr - spinel, magnetite and phlogopite. There is no zoning of the magnetite. On occasion magnetite forms part of the intercumulus.



**Figure 7-37** Photomicrograph of sample G1-24 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)



**Figure 7-38** Photomicrograph of sample G1-24 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols)

## Gl-25 301.3 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

This section is comprised of olivine phenocrysts in a coarse grained matrix. Olivine phenocryst grain size varies from ~ 5 mm to 2 mm. Phenocrysts show reaction rims and smaller olivine grains have been replaced by serpentine minerals and chlorite completely. The larger olivine phenocrysts are cracked and the cracks are filled with serpentinite. Original grain shape was euhedral. There are no melt / fluid inclusion trails. Inclusion of Cr - rich spinel can be found in olivine. They are ~ 20 -50 µm in size and occur as euhedral to subhedral blobs. The matrix is coarse grained and comprised of clinopyroxene, phlogopite, Cr- spinels, magnetite, plagioclase and altered material. The clinopyroxene occurs as broken relic needle like grains with a radial growth texture. Magnetite occurs in two forms. 1: aggregates of small (2 - 3 µm) euhedral to subhedral grains also as disseminations. 2: larger sub to anhedral grains. Often with a darker core and rimmed by lighter colour material or disseminated material.

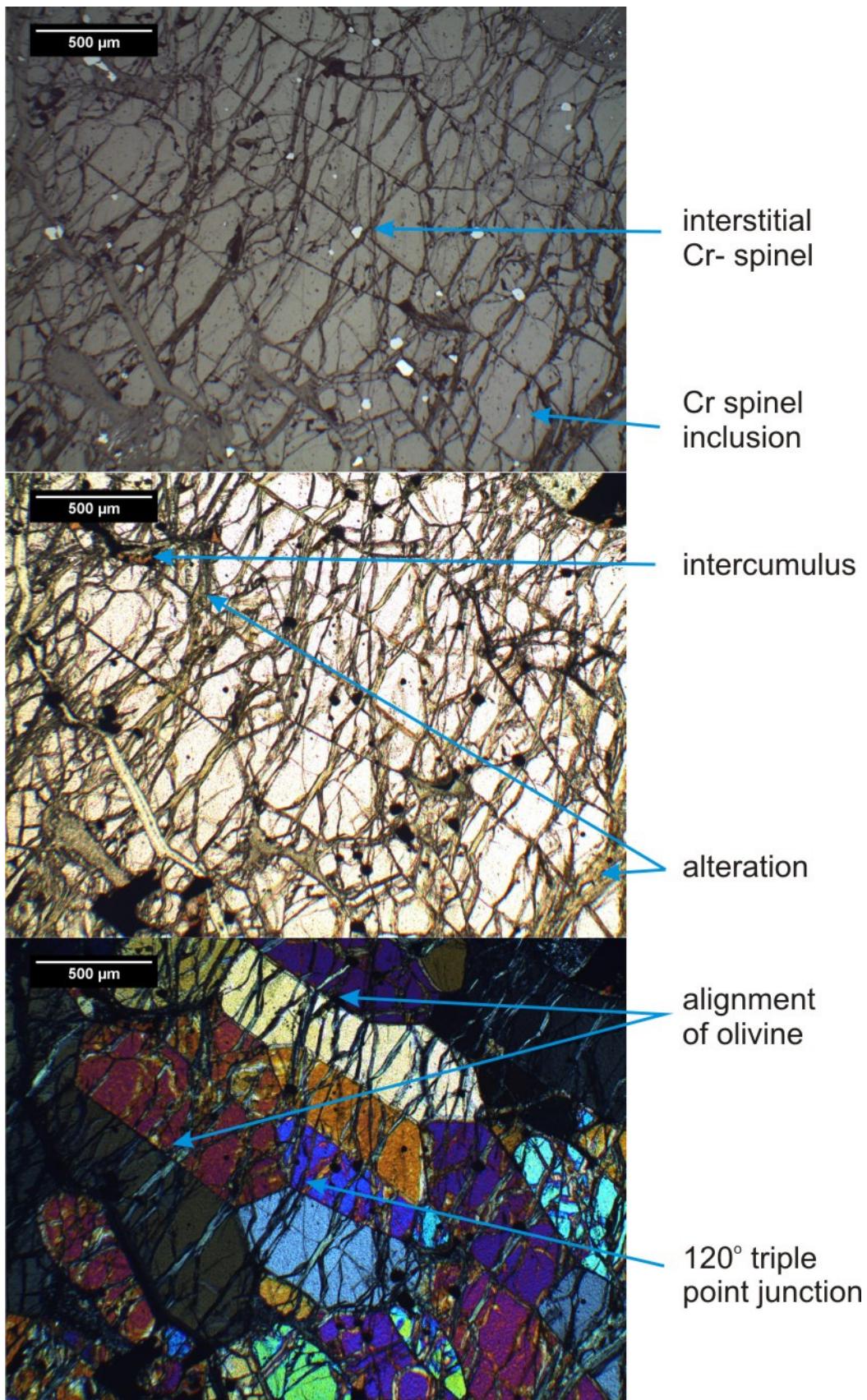
## G1-26 296.4 m

### **Drill core description:**

Olivine cumulate: sharp tectonical overprinted contact.

### **Thin section description:**

This section represents an altered olivine cumulate. Olivine grain sizes vary from 3 mm to 0.3 mm and are orientated. The olivine grains display an elongation and are orientated parallel to this elongation creating a foliation, which may be the result of deformation or a primary magmatic feature. See Fig 7 – 39. Multi-generational trails of melt/fluid inclusions can be observed in the olivine. Inclusions of Cr-rich spinels are found in olivine, grain size varies from ~ 20 µm to 100 µm. Alteration comprises ~ 30% of the section and is composed of serpentine minerals, chlorite and magnetite. The alteration forms an interlocking network through the section. The intercumulate is composed of clinopyroxene and rare phlogopite. Three types of Cr- rich spinel are observed. 1: large (~ 300 µm) sub to anhedral interstitial grains. 2: small (3 - 5 µm) disseminated grains. 3: intercumulus.



**Figure 7-39** Photomicrograph of sample G1-26 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).

## G1-27 291.8 m

### **Drill core description:**

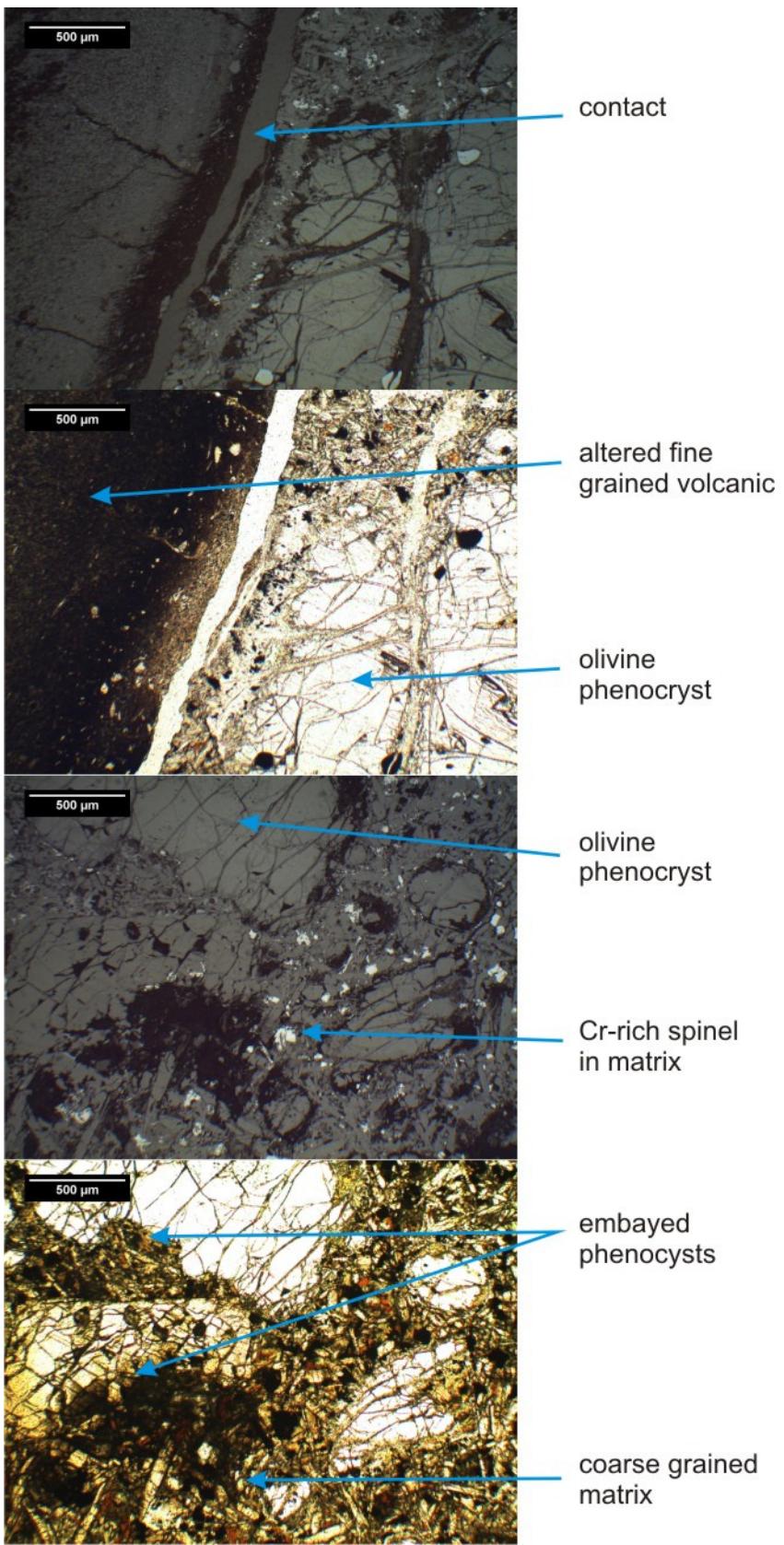
Meimechite (Volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

This section is comprised of two rock types. 1: Large subhedral olivine phenocrysts in a medium to coarse grained matrix. Olivine phenocrysts are between ~ 4 mm and 2 mm. The olivine grains are cracked with minor filling of serpentinite minerals. Very small (20 – 30 µm) subhedral Cr - rich spinel inclusions can be found in the olivine phenocrysts. Other larger spinels occur in cracks and interstitial spaces. The matrix is medium to coarse grained. It is dominated by clinopyroxene, which occurs as radial laths and comprises ~ 50% of the matrix. Magnetite and Cr - rich spinel comprises ~ 25% of the matrix. It occurs as interstitial filling and anhedral grains. Phlogopite, occurring as irregular laths, comprises ~ 20% of the matrix. Serpentine minerals, chlorite and rare plagioclase form the subordinate constituents of the matrix.

The second rock type is composed of very fine grained, nearly completely altered matrix. Locally, partly recrystallised needles of phenocrysts (i.e. they are too small to identify under the microscope) can be observed. See Fig 7 - 40.

The first part of the section is classified as meimechite. The second part is supposed to represent a chilled margin which has partly recrystallised and had been strongly altered.



**Figure 7-40** Photomicrograph of sample G1-27 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel nicols).

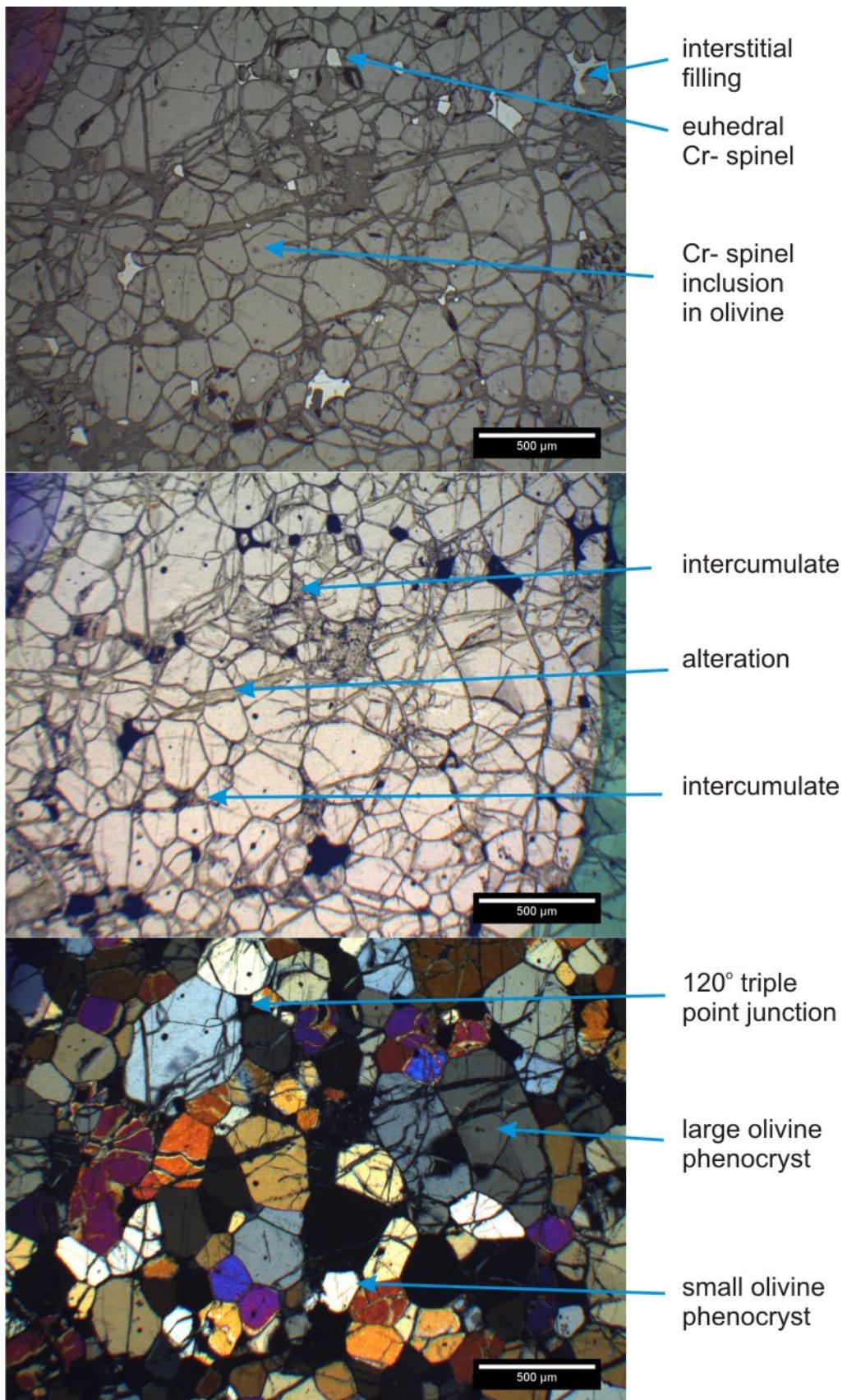
## G1-28 275.4 m

### **Drill core description:**

Olivine cumulate.

### **Thin section description:**

This section represents an altered olivine cumulate. There is network of alteration throughout the section that is composed of serpentine minerals and magnetite. The cumulus olivine is generally equigranular and subhedral with grain size varying from 0.1 mm to 0.4 mm, apart of some large olivine grains up to 2 – 3 mm. See Fig 7 - 41. There are multiply generations of melt / fluid inclusion trails. Cr-rich spinel inclusions in olivine are small, 30 to 50  $\mu\text{m}$  and euhedral. The intercumulus is comprised of phlogopite, clinopyroxene and Cr- rich spinel. The clinopyroxene has been altered to serpentine minerals and magnetite. The phlogopite is unaltered. Carbonate is also found within the altered material.



**Figure 7-41** Photomicrograph of sample G1-28 under reflected and transmitted light (parallel and crossed nicols).

## G1-29 275.3 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (volcanic).

### **Thin section description:**

This section is comprised of large olivine phenocrysts in a medium grained groundmass.

The section grades into a highly altered very fine grained material that cannot be identified. The olivine is cracked with minor filling of the cracks by serpentine minerals. The olivine has a noticeable reaction rim comprised of serpentine minerals and chlorite. Rare Cr-rich spinel inclusions (30 – 60 µm in diameter) are found in olivine. Larger spinel inclusions are also observed in olivine always in association with cracks and alteration. The matrix is comprised of clinopyroxene, phlogopite, magnetite, Cr - rich spinel and plagioclase. Clinopyroxene occurs within the matrix as large (up to 1 mm) needle like laths. The grains are broken and a radial growth pattern can be observed. Clinopyroxene comprises ~ 50% of the matrix and shows little to no alteration. Phlogopite comprises ~ 20% of the matrix. It occurs as irregular sheets and is unaltered. Magnetite and Cr - rich spinel comprises ~ 20% of the matrix. Grains are anhedral, small (30 – 60 µm) and disseminated throughout the matrix. Some grains appear as aggregates.

## G1-30 268.0 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (Volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

This section is comprised of olivine phenocrysts in a coarse grained matrix. The olivine phenocrysts are cracked. Serpentine minerals and chlorite fill the cracks. All phenocrysts show a reaction rim, smaller olivine grains have been completely consumed by this reaction. The olivine phenocrysts are euhedral to subhedral and grain size varies from 1 to 3 mm. Melt or fluid inclusion trails are rare. Small (20 – 40  $\mu\text{m}$ ) Cr-rich spinel inclusions are rarely found in olivine. The matrix is coarse grained and comprised of clinopyroxene, Cr – rich spinel, magnetite, alteration and phlogopite. The clinopyroxene is the dominant phase in the matrix comprising ~ 60% of the matrix. It occurs as large (2 – 3 mm) needle like laths. They are broken and have a radial growth pattern. Alteration products comprise 20% of the matrix. The alteration minerals are dominated by chlorite, serpentine minerals are also present. Rarely carbonate can be observed in the altered material. Magnetite and Cr – rich spinel comprises ~ 15% of the matrix. It occurs as small (5-10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) disseminated grains and as larger aggregates. The fine grained disseminated grains form a rim around the original olivine grain boundaries.

## G1-32 7.5 m

### **Drill core description:**

Meimechite (volcanic)

### **Thin section description:**

The section is dominated by olivine. Olivine comprises ~ 80% of the section with the remainder comprised of alteration ~ 10%, matrix ~5% and magnetite ~5%. The olivine grains are subhedral with a grain size between 5mm and 1mm. The grains are often broken with serpentine minerals filling the cracks. There is little reaction rim. Approximately 30% of the olivine grains are highly included with multiple generations of melt/fluid inclusion. The other olivine grains have very few inclusion trails. Cr - rich spinel inclusions are rare in olivine. They are small between 20 – 40  $\mu\text{m}$  with a euhedral shape. Alteration comprises ~ 10% of the section and is concentrated in a series of veins, composed of serpentine minerals, chlorite and magnetite. The matrix makes up ~ 5% of the section and is comprised of clinopyroxene, phlogopite, Cr - rich spinels and magnetite. Clinopyroxene occurs as unevenly broken grains up to ~ 0.5 mm. Phlogopite occurs as interstitial filling. The “matrix” material shows selectively more alteration than the olivine.

## **Summary Drill core G17, G13 & G1**

### G17 summary

Drill core G17 is 1281.5 m long the upper 600 m are best characterised as partially to completely serpentinised dunite. In some sections relic olivine can be observed, however primary textures are no longer obvious. The lower section is dominated by unaltered olivine, comprising ~ 95% of the rock. Olivine grain size varies considerably, from small equigranular recrystallised grains (~ 0.5 mm) to large irregular highly included grains (up to 6 mm). Larger olivine grains are characterised by a greater proportion of small inclusions, these “wormy”, “platy” and “lamella” – type inclusions can also be found in the smaller olivine grains to a much lesser extent. The lower section of the drill core is also characterised by unusual accessory phases. Phases such as clinopyroxene, phlogopite, calcite, apatite and perovskite occur in interstitial spaces. Very small Cr- rich spinels occur rarely as inclusions in olivine, while a slightly Cr poorer spinel occurs in interstitial spaces. At two levels (706.2 m and 1165.9 m) the core becomes much richer in clinopyroxene and phlogopite. Very rare carbonate veining can be observed.

### G13 summary

Drill core G13 is 660 m long and is variably serpentinised. The lower sections are comprised of highly serpentinised dunite, while the upper sections are much richer in clinopyroxene. The section is highly veined, with carbonate veins affecting the entire core. These veins are usually mm to cm in thickness and are associated with a greater degree of alteration. A vein or dyke (~ 20 cm thick) of clinopyroxenite cuts the core at

188.2 m. It is not possible to distinguish primary grain size or shape in the lower sections. Small Cr – rich spinels can be found as inclusions in olivine and in the altered material, No clinopyroxene was observed in the lower sections. The upper section, from 188 m to the surface, is serpentinised to a slightly lesser extent than the lower section. It is comprised of olivine, clinopyroxene, serpentine minerals, spinel and apatite. The spinels are Cr- poor and occur as large inclusion in olivine and as large interstitial grains. Clinopyroxene is characterised by ilmenite exsolution.

### G1 summary

Drill core G1 is 400.8 m long and dominated my meimechites, the lower 88 m and the upper 275.3 m is meimechite. There is some veining and associated alteration affecting these parts of the section. There is some variation in the grain size of the matrix in these section, ranging from, coarse grained, to cryptocrystalline altered glass. The matrix is composed of clinopyroxene, phlogopite, apatite, Cr- rich spinels, magnetite ± chlorite, plagioclase and amphibole. Large olivine phenocrysts lie within the matrix, these are characterised by an alteration / reaction rim. The thickness of the rim varies from section to section. In some cases smaller olivine phenocrysts are completely consumed by this reaction. A segment of ~38 m between these two meimechite sections is an alternating olivine cumulate and meimechite. The olivine cumulate has a variable grain size, from large irregular grains ~ 1 cm to small and equigranular, with a grain size of ~ 0.5 mm. Cr – rich spinels are often found as inclusions within the olivine. Olivine forms a clear cumulate texture, with small portions of intercumulate. The intercumulate material is comprised of phlogopite, clinopyroxene, alteration products, Cr – rich spinel, magnetite and rarely apatite.

## **8. Mineral Chemistry**

Electron microprobe (EMP) analyses were carried out on selected samples from all drill cores to obtain the composition of various mineral phases within these samples. EMP analysis is used to compositionally characterise the particular mineral phases and to quantify chemical trends within individual drill cores and between different cores.

### **8.1. *Olivine***

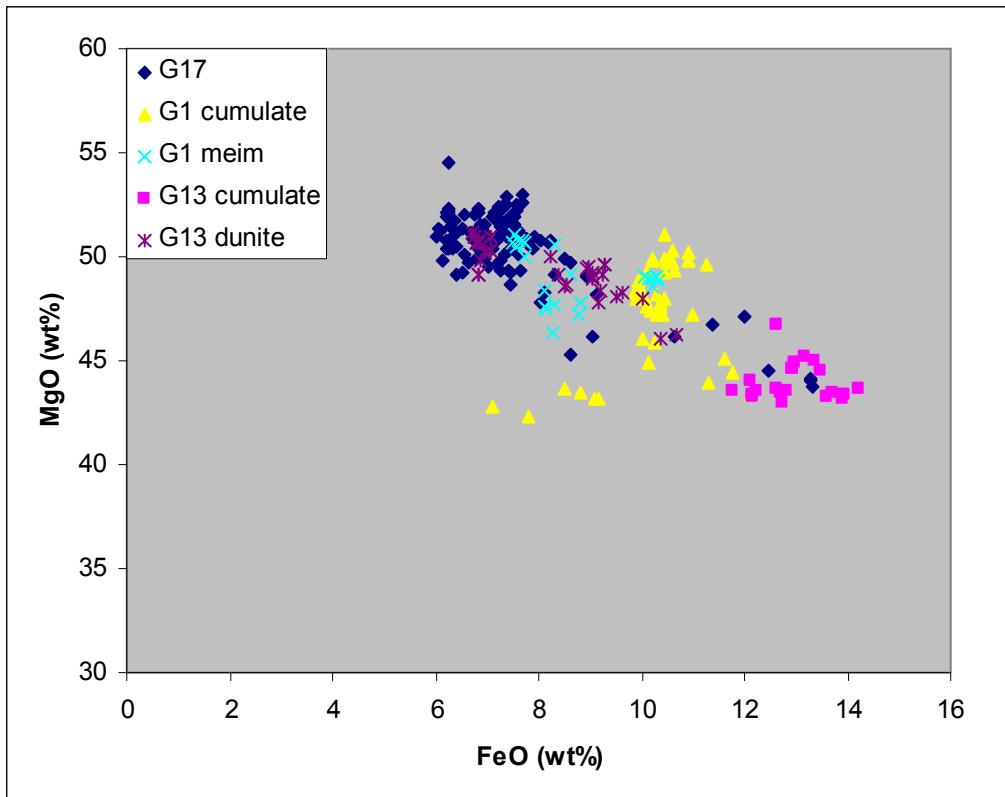
14 sections were selected from drill core G17 for EMP analysis, the entire data set is shown in Appendices 4 to 8. The compositional characteristics of olivine are illustrated in Figures 8 – 1, 2 & 3. Sample G17-45 has two different types of olivine that show two different chemistries and as such is not included in the average analysis for this drill core.

The average MgO wt % is 50.85, while FeO wt % has an average of 7.12 over the whole drill core. 0.28 wt % is the average CaO content, while 0.39 wt % is the average for NiO. The forsterite content of olivine from drill core G17 is very consistent, with an average value of 92.59. Sample G17-45 has two different olivine chemistries, the first is consistent with the averages for all other sample from G17, the second olivine type has a MgO wt % of 45.19, a FeO wt % of 12.34, while the CaO and NiO values are consistent with other samples. As a result of the different MgO and FeO contents the forsterite value for sample G17-45 is significantly lower than all others from the drill core with an average of 86.51.

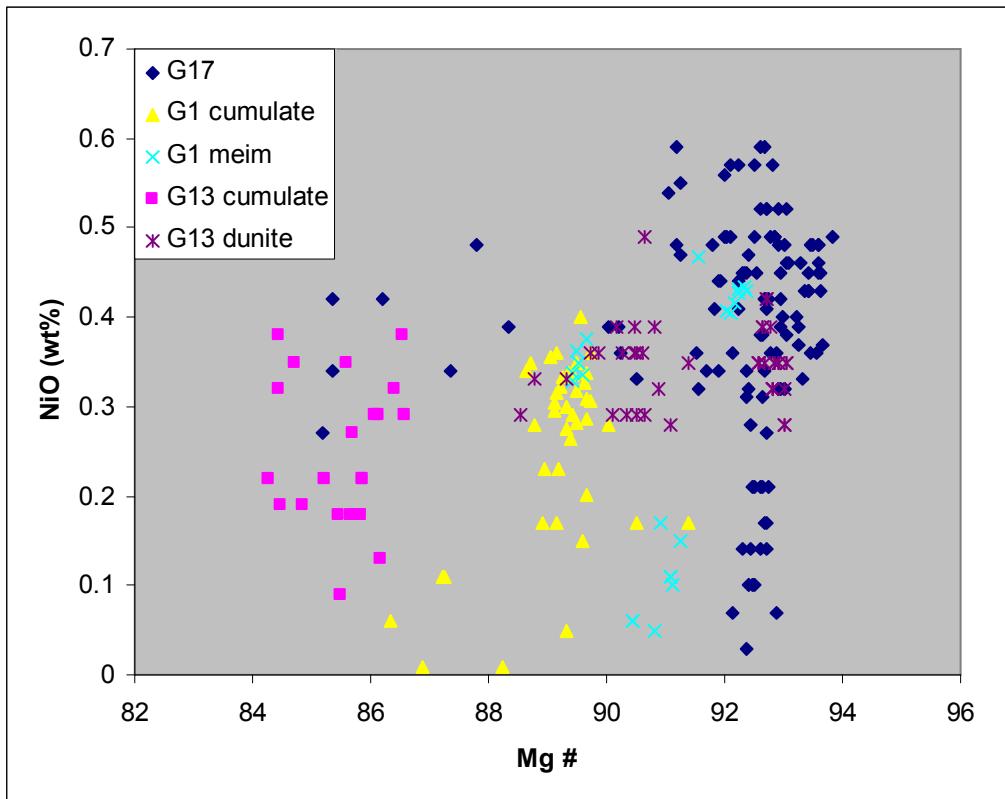
Seven samples were selected from drill core G13 for analysis. These can be divided into restitic dunites and olivine cumulates. The restitic dunites have an average MgO content of 49.65 wt% and a FeO content of 7.98 wt% and concentrations of CaO and NiO are

0.33 and 0.35 wt% respectively, very similar to the compositional characteristics of olivines from drill core G17. The values for the olivine cumulates are slightly different. The MgO content averages 44.04 wt%, while FeO averages 12.99 wt%. The concentrations of CaO and NiO are slightly lower than those in the restitic dunites, with concentrations of 0.21 and 0.24 wt% respectively.

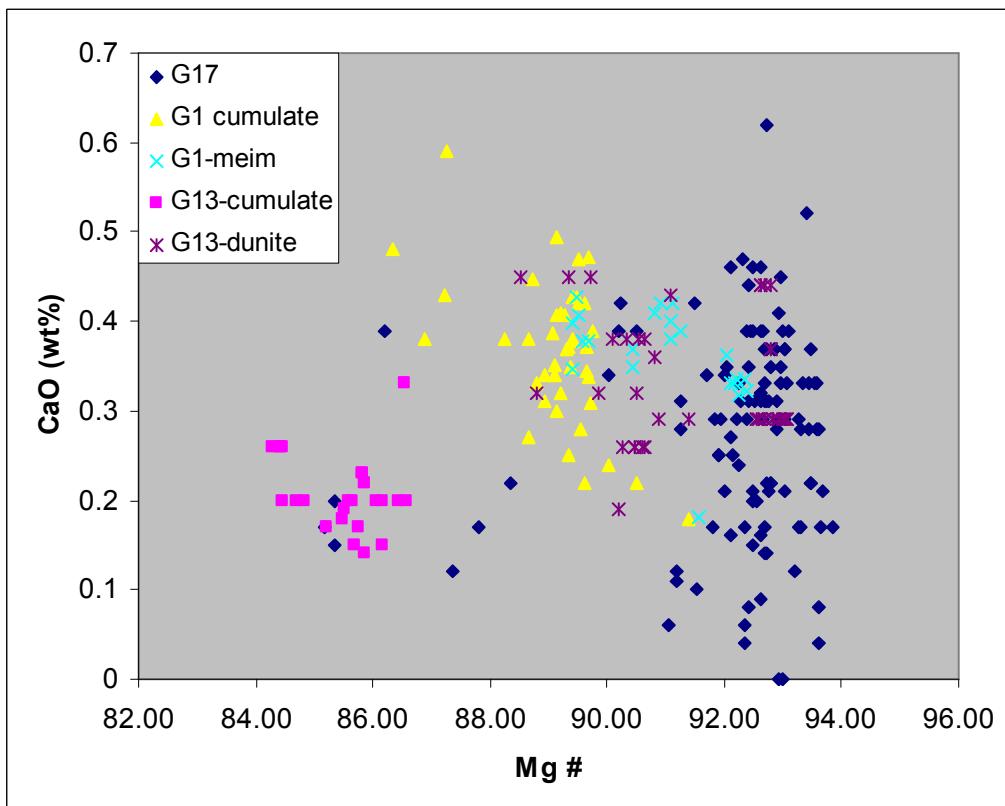
Nine samples were analysed from drill core G1, these can be separated into olivine cumulates and meimechites. The olivine cumulates have an average olivine composition of MgO 47.36 wt%, FeO 10.36 wt% with concentrations of CaO and NiO of 0.37 and 0.25 wt%, respectively. The average forsterite content for the olivine cumulates is 89.61. The meimechite or volcanic sequences have olivine with an average MgO content of 50.75 wt% and FeO content of 8.26 wt%, while concentrations of CaO and NiO are 0.32 wt% and 0.32 wt%, respectively. The average forsterite content for the meimechites is 91.36.



**Figure 8-1** MgO vs. FeO diagram for olivines from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia. A clear trend starting from restitic dunites of drill core G17, via dunites from core G13, and olivine cumulates from core G1 to olivine cumulates from core G13 becomes obvious.



**Figure 8-2** Mg# vs NiO diagram for olivines from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia.



**Figure 8-3** Mg# vs CaO diagram for olivines from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia

A continuous trend, starting from the restitic dunites from drill core G17 via those from core G13 to olivines from olivine cumulates from drill core G1 and those from olivine-cumulates from core G13 becomes obvious in Figure 8 - 1. The meimechites occupy a position between the dunites from core G17 and the olivine cumulates from core G1. A similar trend can be depicted from Figure 8 - 2, with respect to Mg# values, taken as a fractionation trend, where the restitic dunites display the highest Ni contents.

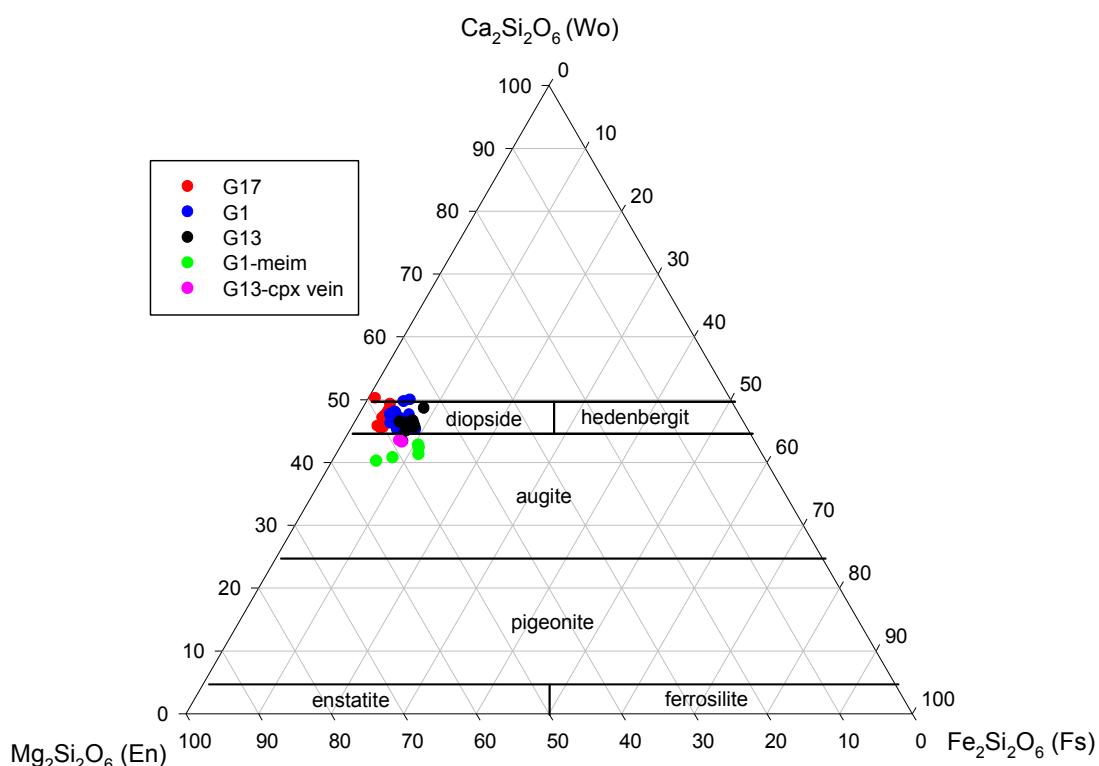
## **8.2. *Clinopyroxene***

On the basis of microprobe analyses, the clinopyroxenes from drill core G17, occurring as accessory mineral phases in the interstitial space of restitic dunites, can be classified as diopsides (Fig. 8 - 4). They show average concentrations of CaO of 20.39 wt%, while SiO<sub>2</sub> averages 54.20 wt%. The concentrations of MgO and FeO have an average of 17.69 and 2.18 wt%, respectively, corresponding to Mg# values between 93.1 and 89.75. Additionally the average concentrations of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, TiO<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 1.57, 1.29 and 1.37 wt%. No clinopyroxene had been found in the restitic dunites of drill core G13.

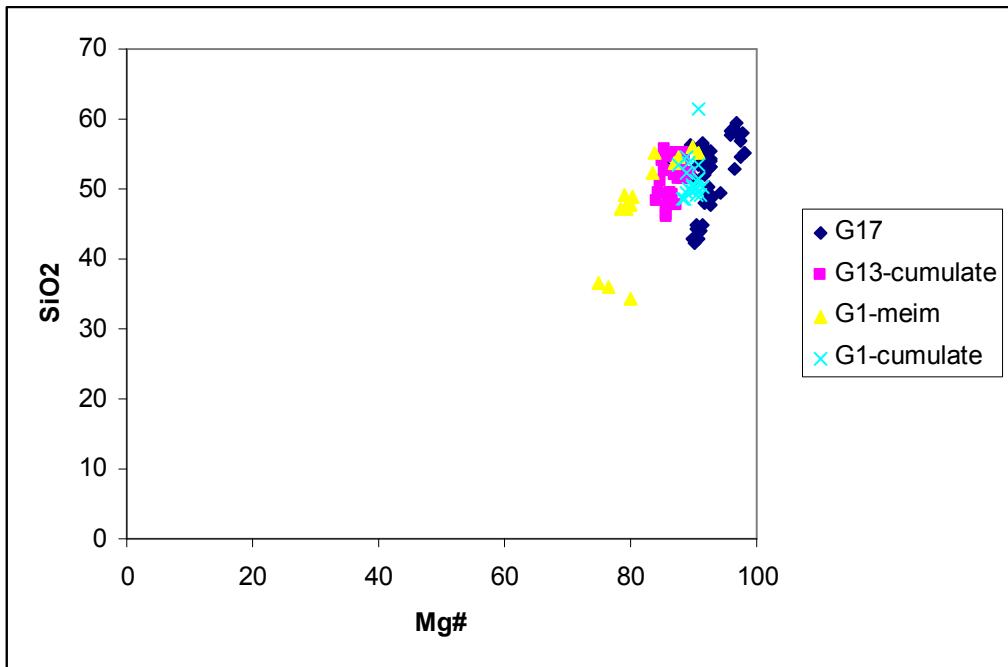
Clinopyroxene from the cumulate section of drill core G13 can also be classified as diopsides. (Fig. 8 - 4), have an average CaO concentration of 22.93 wt%, while the SiO<sub>2</sub> concentration averages 52.19 wt%. The concentrations of MgO and FeO have an average of 15.29 and 4.09 wt%, respectively, corresponding to Mg# values ranging from 88.1 to 84.2. Additionally the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, TiO and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 1.91, 1.99 and 0.40 wt%.

The clinopyroxene from the cumulate section of drill core G1 are classified as diopsides, showing an average CaO concentration of 22.52 wt%, while the SiO<sub>2</sub> concentration averages 51.40 wt%. The concentrations of MgO and FeO have an average of 16.22 and 3.26 wt%, respectively, corresponding to Mg# values from 89.4 to 84.1. Additionally the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, TiO and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 2.13, 2.13 and 0.40 wt%.

Clinopyroxene from the volcanic section (i.e. meimechites) of drill core G1 can be classified as augite (Fig 8 - 4), having an average CaO concentration of 22.6 wt%, while the SiO<sub>2</sub> concentration averages 51.18 wt%. The concentrations of MgO and FeO have an average of 14.83 and 5.37 wt%, respectively, which corresponds to an Mg# ranging from 91.5 to 87.6. Additionally the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, TiO and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 2.22, 2.31 and 0.48 wt% respectively.

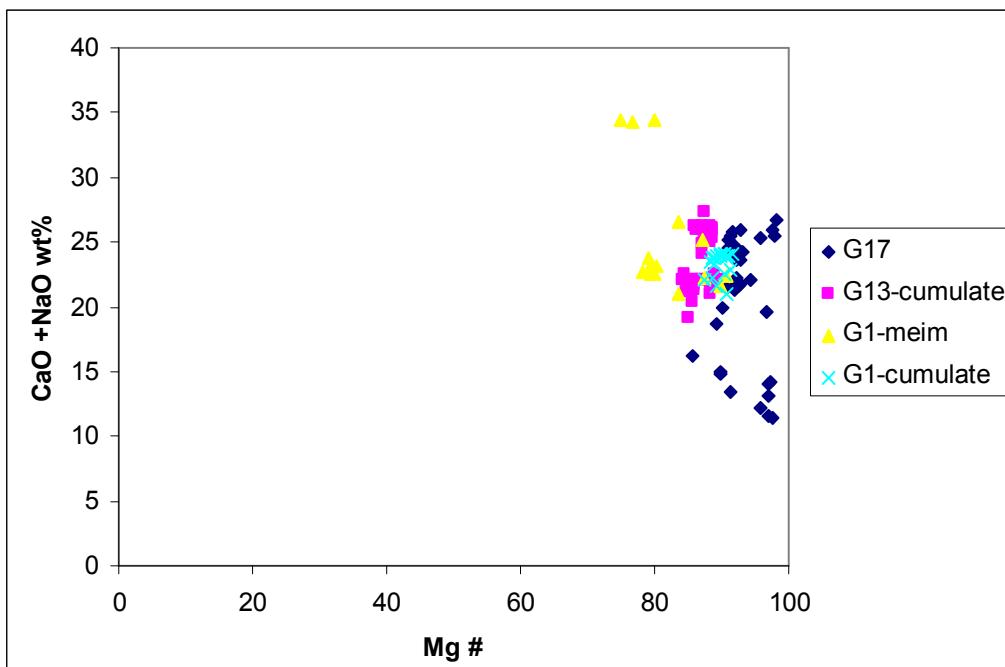


**Figure 8-4** Ternary diagram (En – Wo – Fs) for pyroxene showing analysis of pyroxenes from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia. The classification fields are after Morimoto (1988).



**Figure 8-5** Variation diagram Mg# vs. SiO<sub>2</sub> wt% of clinopyroxenes from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia

The clinopyroxene compositions are also illustrated in Figures 8 - 5 & 6, where  $\text{SiO}_2$  and  $\text{CaO} + \text{Na}_2\text{O}$  were plotted against Mg# numbers as a fractionation index. A weak compositional trend is indicated starting with diopsides from G17 with the highest Mg# numbers to olivine cumulates from G1 and further to cumulates from G13. The augites from the meimechites occupy a position between restitic dunites across the olivine cumulates.



### **8.3. Spinel**

The majority of the spinels can classified as Cr - rich magnetites, subordinately into Cr-containing magnetites, Ti - magnetites to Ti - containing magnetites, and accessory chromites (i.e. > 40 wt% Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>). Compositional characteristics and variations are illustrated in Figures 8 – 7, 8, 9 &10, the microprobe data are shown in the Appendix 6: Spinel analysis.

Spinels from drill core G17 have an average Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentration of 28.78 wt%, with a minimum and maximum of 0.04 and 41.32 wt% respectively. Concentrations of FeO average 47.10 wt% and range from a maximum of 98.54 to a minimum of 28.08 wt%. TiO<sub>2</sub> concentrations average 3.95 wt% and have a minimum of 0.07 and a maximum of 7.62 wt%. Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentrations average 9.00 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 0.07 wt% the maximum concentration is 19.19 wt%. Concentrations of MgO have an average of 9.13 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 1.26 wt% and the maximum is 22.13 wt%.

Some of the larger spinels are zoned, with a slight variation in Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> between core and rim (i.e. Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> wt % in the core is 30.82 and 33.09 in the rim, respectively).

The dunites from drill core G13 have an average Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentration of 32.85 wt%, with a minimum and maximum of 0.09 and 54.42 wt%, respectively. Concentrations of FeO average 49.41 wt% and range from a maximum of 92.97 to a minimum of 28.08 wt%. TiO<sub>2</sub> concentrations average 4.73 wt% and have a minimum of 0.14 and a maximum of 9.34 wt%. Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentrations average 3.48 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 0.04 wt% the maximum concentration is 9.34 wt%. Concentrations of

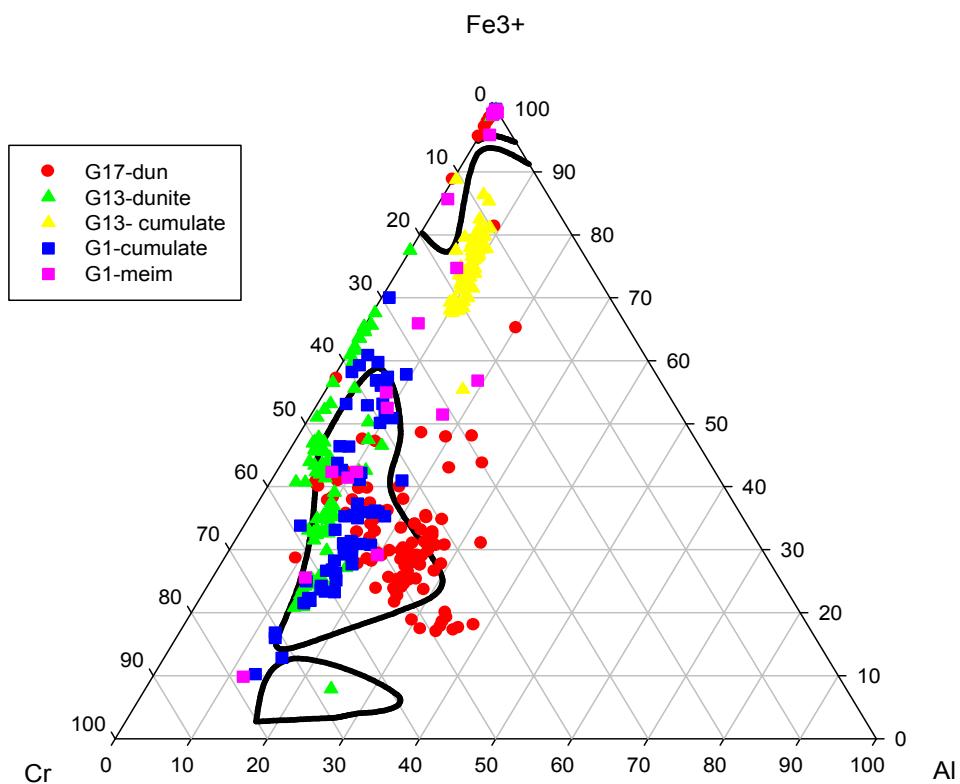
MgO have an average of 6.87 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 1.26 wt% and the maximum is 22.13 wt%.

Spinel from within the cumulate section of G13 have an average Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentration of 6.94 wt%, with a minimum and maximum of 4.65 and 9.36 wt% respectively. Concentrations of FeO average 67.38 wt% and range from a maximum of 82.22 to a minimum of 50.49 wt%. TiO<sub>2</sub> concentrations average 13.53 wt% and have a minimum of 3.15 and a maximum of 28.02 wt%. Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentrations average 2.68 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 0.17 wt% the maximum concentration is 3.27 wt%. Concentrations of MgO have an average of 5.59 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 1.93 wt% and the maximum is 11.49 wt%.

Spinel from within the cumulate section of G1 have an average Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentration of 28.64 wt%, with a minimum and maximum of 1.78 and 43.82 wt% respectively. Concentrations of FeO average 47.97 wt% and range from a maximum of 72.53 to a minimum of 25.22 wt%. TiO<sub>2</sub> concentrations average 6.48 wt% and have a minimum of 2.65 and a maximum of 20.64 wt%. Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentrations average 4.79 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 0.42 wt% the maximum concentration is 12.22 wt%. Concentrations of MgO have an average of 6.03 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 1.18 and the maximum is 17.83 wt%.

Spinel from within the meimechite section of drill core G1 have an average Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentration of 14.47 wt%, with a minimum and maximum of 0.02 and 54.03 respectively. Concentrations of FeO average 68.87 wt% and range from a maximum of 98.43 to a minimum of 27.27 wt%. TiO<sub>2</sub> concentrations average 6.42 and have a

minimum of 0.14 and a maximum of 12.87 wt%. Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentrations average 2.63 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 0.03 wt% the maximum concentration is 8.31 wt%. Concentrations of MgO have an average of 3.44 wt%, while the minimum concentration is 0.22 and the maximum is 11.34 wt%.



**Figure 8-7** Ternary diagram Cr - Fe<sup>3+</sup> - Al for spinels from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia. The discrimination fields for typical Alaskan-type complexes are from Barnes & Roeder (2001)

In the ternary Fe<sup>3+</sup>- Cr - Al plot (Fig 8 - 7) several groups of spinels can be distinguished:

1. The spinels from drill core G17, showing the highest Al-contents, can be divided into two subgroups: there is a cluster of samples with a higher Cr content. The higher Cr content is associated with the size of the spinel, with small grains having a lower concentration and correspondingly larger grains with higher Cr concentrations. The

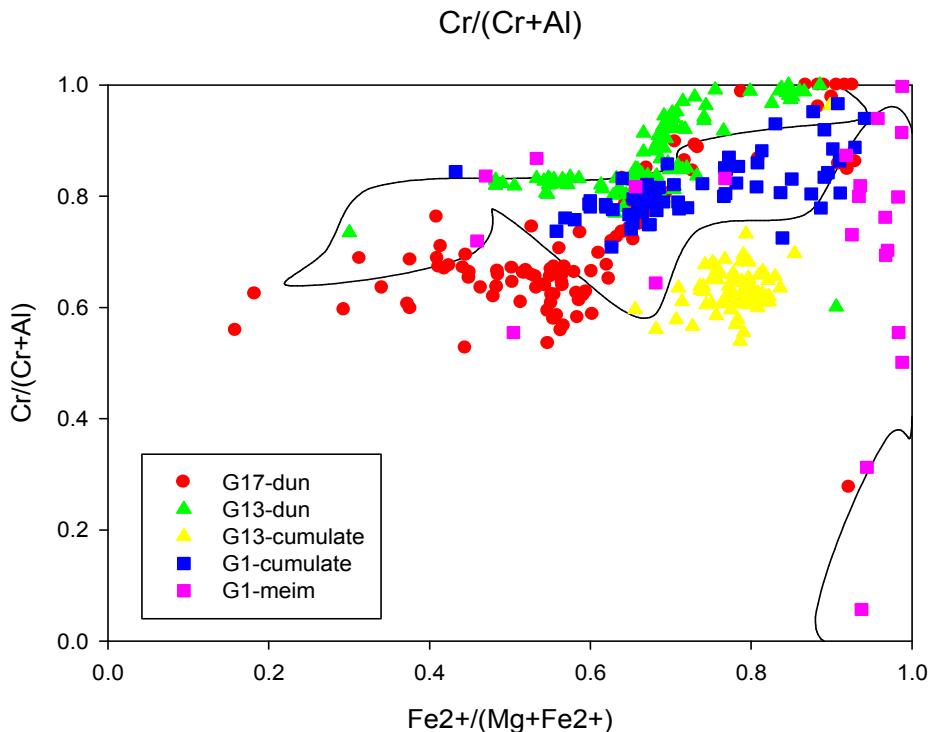
second sub-group from drill core G17 with lower Cr concentrations in most cases these correspond to very small inclusions ( $\sim 20 \mu\text{m}$ ).

2. The dunite samples from drill core G13 have considerably less Al than those from G17. Two distinct sub-groups can be identified, those with lower Cr and very low Al concentrations, which are interstitial spinels and lie within the altered material, and a second sub-group with higher Cr and Al concentrations, which are inclusions within olivine or very large ( $200 \mu\text{m}$ ) spinel grains. Within this sub-group there are also Cr-spinels, with  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$  concentration of up to 44 wt%. The two sub-groups are not clearly separated but indicate a trend of depletion of both Cr and Al that could be interpreted as related to alteration, marked by a gradual decrease in Cr and Al and a corresponding increase in  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ .

3. The spinels from the G1 cumulates plot within the field of Alaskan Ultramafic Complexes from the database of (Barnes and Roeder, 2001). It is also possible to identify two sub-groups within the G1 cumulates, the first is characterised by lower Cr and Al concentrations and represent spinels that occur interstitially or as intercumulate phase. The second sub-group is characterised by slightly higher Al and higher Cr concentrations. These represent spinels occurring as inclusions within olivine. Some of the spinels from the G1 cumulate are Cr-spinels, with  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$  concentrations of up to 43 wt%.

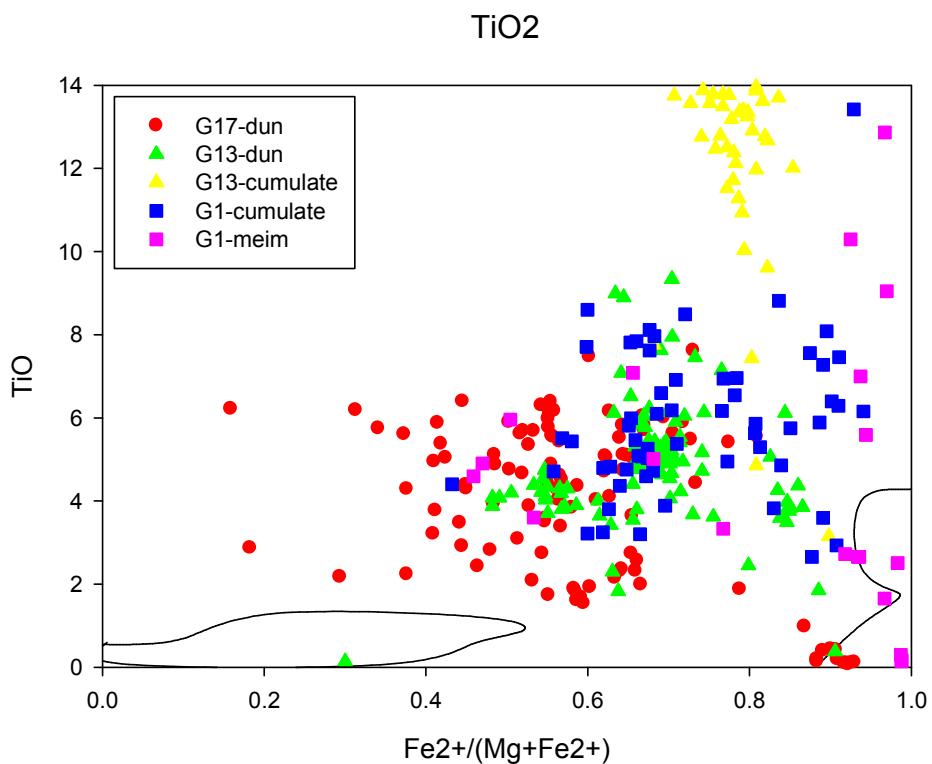
The meimechites from G1 plot in a very similar manner to the G1 cumulates. There are a group of relatively Cr depleted spinels, which again represent interstitial or matrix spinels. A second group is also identified, relatively enriched in Cr and representing inclusions within olivine. From the meimechite samples abundant magnetite is present, occurring in the matrix (i.e. plotting close to the  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  corner in Fig. ).

4. The spinels from the cumulates from G13 deviate significantly from all the others. The spinels which occur as inclusion are significantly larger than in other drill cores and the interstitial spinels are more abundant and larger than in other sections. They have by far the highest Ti concentrations and are most likely a mixture of Cr- magnetite and ilmenite exsolution.



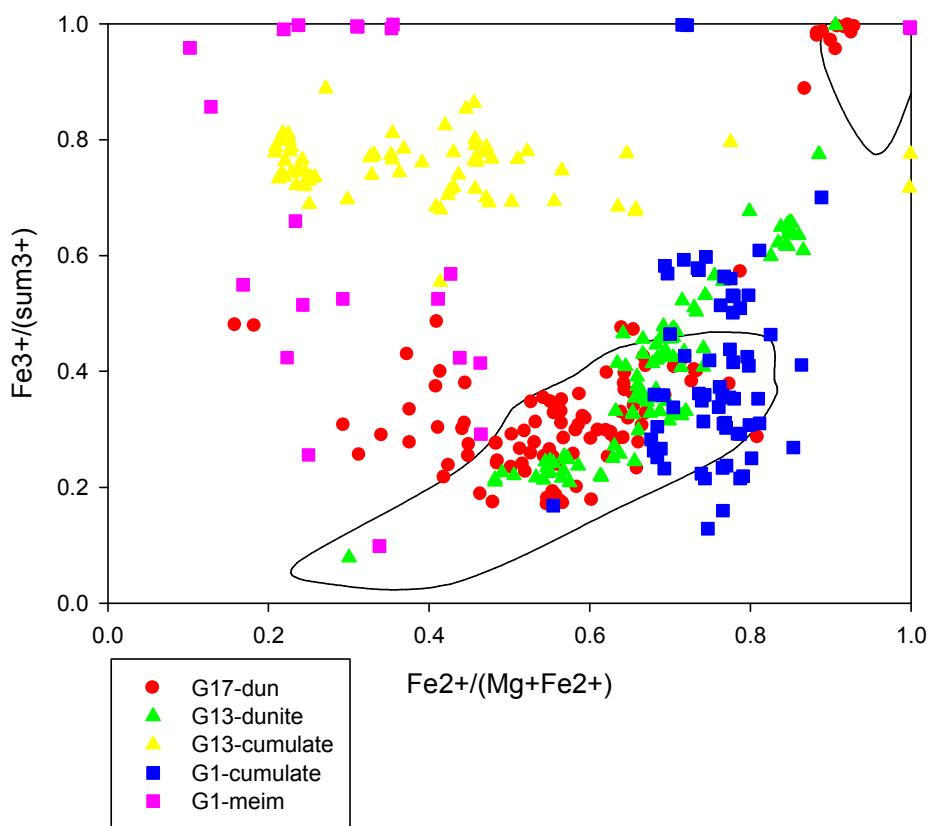
**Figure 8-8** Variation diagram of  $\text{Fe}^{2+} / (\text{Mg}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$  vs  $\text{Cr} / (\text{Cr} + \text{Al})$  for spinels from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia. Alaskan Ultramafic fields from the database of (Barnes and Roeder, 2001).

In the variation diagram  $\text{Fe}^{2+} / (\text{Mg}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$  vs  $\text{Cr} / (\text{Cr} + \text{Al})$  (Fig 8 - 8) most of the plotted spinel compositions come to lie within the field of typical Alaskan-type Ultramafic Complexes. The alteration trend, mirrored by the spinels from G13 dunites, is becoming obvious again. A second trend is indicated by the spinels from G17 restitic dunites and those from G1 olivine cumulates. The spinels from olivine cumulate from core G13 deviate clearly from all other spinel compositions.



**Figure 8-9** Variation diagram of  $\text{Fe}^{2+} / (\text{Mg} + \text{Fe}^{2+})$  vs TiO for spinels of the Guli Massif, northern Siberia. Alaskan-type Ultramafic fields from the database of (Barnes and Roeder, 2001).

In the variation diagram  $\text{Fe}^{2+}/(\text{Mg}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$  vs TiO (Fig 8 - 9) it is becoming obvious that all spinels are enriched in Ti compared to those from typical Alaskan-type Ultramafic Complexes (Barnes and Roeder, 2001). It is also clearly obvious that the spinels from the G13 cumulates are considerably more enriched in Ti than all other samples.



**Figure 8-10** Variation diagram  $\text{Fe}^{2+}/(\text{Mg}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$  vs  $\text{Fe}^{3+}/(\text{sum}^{3+})$  for spinels from the Guli Massif, northern Siberia. Alaskan Ultramafic fields from the database of (Barnes and Roeder, 2001).

In the variation diagram  $\text{Fe}^{2+}/(\text{Mg}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$  vs  $\text{Fe}^{3+}/(\text{sum}^{3+})$  (Fig 8 - 10) the deviation of the spinels from the G13 olivine cumulates and the meimechites from those from typical Alaskan-type Complexes is clearly shown.

## **8.4. *Phlogopite***

Phlogopite was observed in all drill cores, with the exception of the cumulates from G13. Within the dunites of G17, it appears rarely as an accessory phase, while in the olivine cumulates of G1 it forms part of the intercumulus. In the meimechites it comprises a part of the matrix. Microprobe analysis can be found in Appendix 7: Phlogopite analysis.

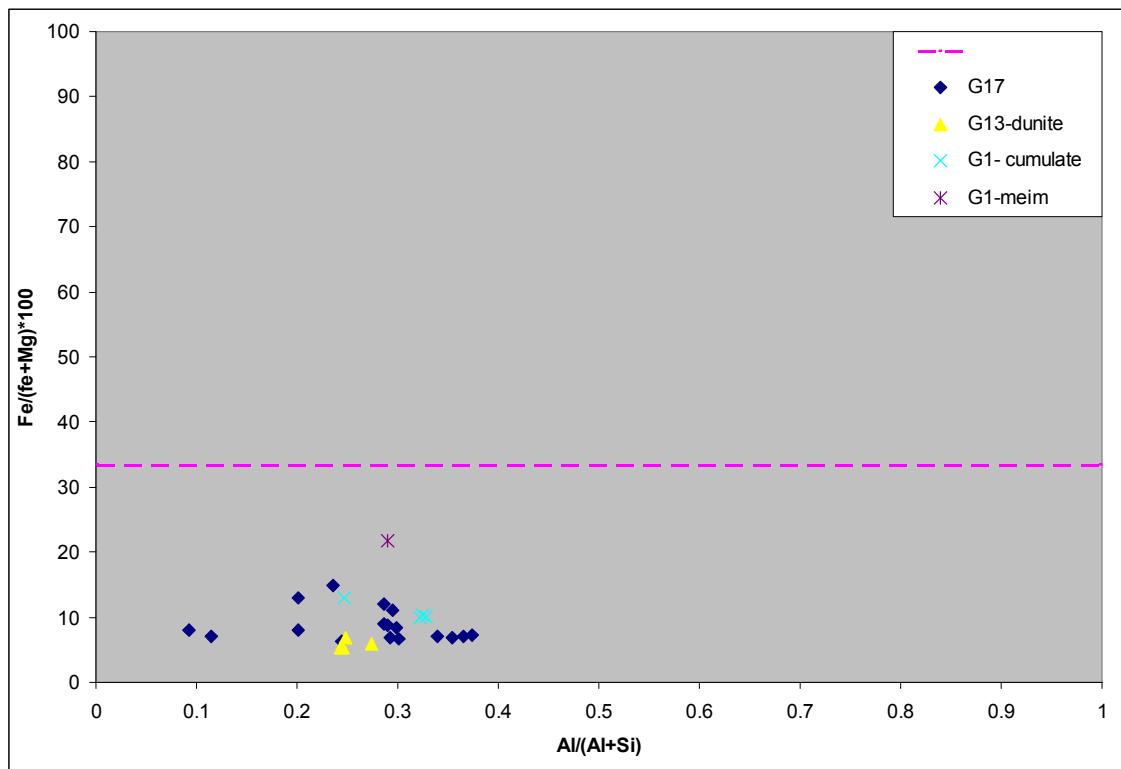
In drill core G17 (dunite) the average Mg# of phlogopite is 91.12. While K<sub>2</sub>O averages 7.53 wt% the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> is 12.59 wt%. The average concentration of TiO<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 1.98 and 1.26 wt% respectively.

Within the dunite section of drill core G13 the average Mg# of phlogopite is 94.1. While the K<sub>2</sub>O averages 8.45 wt% the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> is 12.25 wt%. The average concentration of TiO<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 1.89 and 1.00 wt% respectively.

In drill core G1 phlogopite occurs as part of the intercumulus of the olivine cumulates. It has an average Mg# of 89.18. While K<sub>2</sub>O averages 4.46 wt% the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> is 14.34 wt%. The average concentration of TiO<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 5.03 and 1.43 wt% respectively.

Within the meimechites phlogopite has Mg # of 78.17. While K<sub>2</sub>O averages 5.76 wt% the average concentration of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> is 10.84 wt%. The average concentration of TiO<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 3.14 and 0.63 wt% respectively.

All brown micas measured, can be classified as phlogopite according to the classification scheme of (Guidotti, 1984). See Fig 8 – 11.



**Figure 8-11** Classification of the phlogopite – biotite series after (Guidotti, 1984)

## **8.5. Perovskite**

Pervoskite occurs as an accessory phase in drill core G17. It occurs very rarely in drill core G13. It was also observed in drill core G1 in one sample of the meimechites. Only one sample from drill core G17 (sample 35) had elevated REE concentrations, all other perovskite (in all drill cores) had no elevated REEs. REE depleted perovskite has an average concentration of TiO<sub>2</sub> of 61.4 wt% and a CaO concentration of 38.07 wt%. Average concentrations of FeO and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 0.24 and 0.13 wt% respectively. The REE enriched perovskite has an average concentration of 56.85 wt% TiO<sub>2</sub> and 35.33 wt% CaO. While the average concentrations of FeO and Na<sub>2</sub>O are 0.56 and 0.79 wt% respectively. The REE concentrations average 0.87 wt% for La<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, 2.46 wt% of Ce<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, 1.16 wt% for NdO<sub>3</sub>, 0.15 wt% for Sm<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, 0.35 wt% Gd<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and 0.38 wt% for Nb<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>. Microprobe analysis of perovskite can be found in Appendix 8-Perovskite analysis.

## **9. Geochemistry**

### **9.1. Major and Trace Elements**

Dunites from the central part of the Guli Dunite Massif (drill core G17) have concentrations of MgO that range from 37.93 wt% in the most altered (i.e. serpentinised) samples to 49.77 wt% in the fresh dunite. The FeO concentrations vary between 6.75 wt% in the unaltered material and 11.64 wt% the altered material. The concentration of CaO ranges from 0.36 wt% to 1.22 wt%. The concentrations of TiO<sub>2</sub> range from 0.04 wt% to 0.18 wt% with an average of 0.06 wt% over the whole drill core. The concentrations of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> are between 0.08 and 0.13 wt% with an average of 0.10 wt%. The Cr concentrations range from 571 ppm to 2490 ppm, with an average of 810 ppm over the whole drill core. The concentration of Ni varies from 3660 ppm to 5599 ppm with an average over the whole drill core of 4264 ppm. Selected major and trace element concentrations over the entire drill core are shown in Figure 9 - 3; the analytical data are given in Table 9 - 2 & 3.

In the peripheral portion (i.e. drill core G13) of the Guli Dunite Massif, the concentrations of MgO vary from 19.24 wt % to 46.97 wt%, on average 38.54 wt%. The FeO concentrations range between 8.53 wt% and 23.47 wt% with an average of 12.28 wt%. The concentration of CaO ranges from 0.22 wt% to 2.60 wt% with an average of 1.52 wt%. The concentration of TiO<sub>2</sub> range from 0.15 to 6.42 wt% while having an average of 0.48 wt%. The concentrations of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> are between 0.12 and 0.83 wt% and average 0.28 wt%. The concentrations of Cr and Ni are 430 ppm to 8123 ppm, average 4236 ppm and 469 ppm to 3944 ppm, average 2722 ppm, respectively (Table 9 - 1 & 3). Drill core G13 also contains a sample of clinopyroxenite vein material the major elements from this sample are not included in the averages given here.

The samples from the drill core G1 contain both cumulate dunites and meimechites, the MgO concentrations vary from 24.29 wt% to 43.12 wt%. FeO concentrations were measured from 10.94 to 14.25 wt%. CaO concentrations ranging from 1.04 wt% to 7.60 wt% were measured. Concentrations of TiO<sub>2</sub> range from 0.37 to 3.24 wt% and averaged 0.48 wt%. Concentrations of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> were measured from 0.15 to 4.57 wt% and averaged 0.28 wt% over the whole core. While the concentrations of Cr and Ni is from 1568 ppm to 4178 ppm and 1161 ppm and 2271 ppm, respectively. The results of the major element determinations after correction for loss on ignition (LOI) are shown in Table 9 - 1, 2 & 3. Harker variation diagrams were plotted for all drill cores and are shown in Figure 9-1. In the AFM diagrams shown in Figure 9 - 3 all the samples typically plot towards the Mg corner as expected for ultramafic rocks. The sample from G13, which plots in the direction to the Fe corner, is a clinopyroxenite dyke cutting through the dunites. A trend is becoming evident starting with samples from the central part (drill core G17) to the peripheral portion of the dunite complex (G13)

**Table 9-1** Table of XRF results corrected after LOI

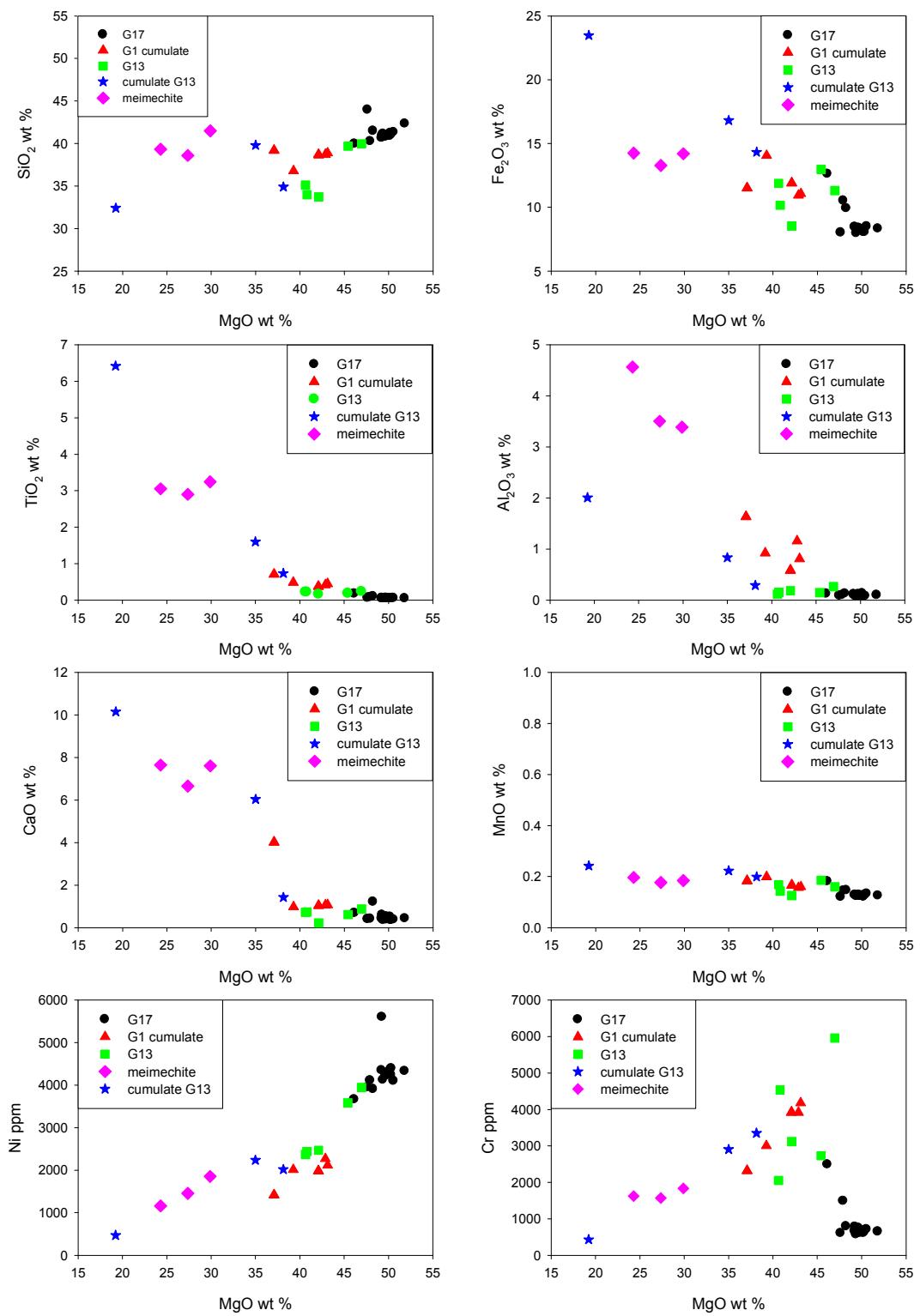
Sample	Detection Limit*	G1-12	G1-14	G1-14	G1-2	G1-20	G1-26	G1-26	G1-6	G1-8	G13-10 vein	G13-16	G13-17	G13-21	G13-4	G17-2
SiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.01	39.34	39.18	39.21	38.60	38.71	38.63	38.72	36.79	38.88	32.42	35.11	33.98	33.73	34.90	32.15
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.01	4.57	1.63	1.63	3.50	1.16	0.59	0.58	0.92	0.81	2.00	0.12	0.15	0.18	0.29	0.18
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.01	14.25	11.52	11.52	13.27	10.94	11.90	11.91	14.07	11.07	23.47	11.88	10.16	8.53	14.32	11.64
MnO (%)	0.01	0.197	0.183	0.184	0.177	0.157	0.167	0.166	0.199	0.160	0.242	0.168	0.143	0.126	0.199	0.168
MgO (%)	0.01	24.29	37.08	37.09	27.37	42.87	42.11	42.08	39.27	43.12	19.24	40.63	40.80	42.12	38.15	37.93
CaO (%)	0.01	7.65	4.02	4.02	6.65	1.07	1.04	1.04	0.98	1.08	10.15	0.72	0.74	0.22	1.42	0.45
Na <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.02	1.22	0.92	0.93	0.75	0.14	0.17	0.20	0.15	0.18	0.28	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.07	0.05
K <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.01	1.33	0.79	0.79	1.46	0.43	0.18	0.18	0.35	0.31	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.01
TiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.01	3.05	0.71	0.71	2.90	0.42	0.37	0.37	0.48	0.45	6.42	0.22	0.22	0.15	0.73	0.08
P2O <sub>5</sub> (%)	0.01	0.46	0.24	0.24	0.41	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.02
LOI (%)	2.13	2.52	2.52	3.43	2.92	3.77	3.77	5.86	2.86	4.19	10.24	12.56	12.99	8.93	16.41	100.05
Sum (%)	99.12	99.28	99.31	99.15	99.69	99.66	99.78	99.75	99.71	98.94	99.88	99.69	99.29	99.75		
Ba (PPM)	20	490	268	243	439	69	55	33	45	32	76	15	14	16	26	0
Ce (PPM)	20-30	112	26	24	88	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	22
Co (PPM)	15	96	103	97	100	127	144	141	154	125	100	124	116	105	137	132
Cr (PPM)	15	1623	2320	2318	1569	3916	3926	3920	3003	4179	431	2054	4535	8123	3351	2145
Cu (PPM)	15	149	61	64	130	29	14	10	19	26	678	17	19	12	21	4
Ga (PPM)	10-15	13	6	6	14	10	8	8	8	10	14	8	5	6	8	6
Hf (PPM)	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
La (PPM)	20-30	27	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0
Nb (PPM)	20-30	69	0	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0
Nd (PPM)	20-30	62	0	0	44	0	0	0	0	0	15	19	0	0	0	0
Ni (PPM)	15	1162	1415	1417	1455	2271	1980	1982	2013	2115	469	2370	2437	2488	2016	2155
Pb (PPM)	15	8	0	0	0	8	0	5	6	7	26	0	0	8	8	0
Rb (PPM)	5-10	25	14	12	24	6	4	4	6	4	1	4	2	1	4	4
Sc (PPM)	20	24	8	8	24	12	0	9	0	11	80	0	0	0	14	0
Sr (PPM)	15-20	964	194	195	549	88	77	79	97	73	136	19	18	8	35	8
Th (PPM)	20	9	12	6	10	3	4	4	7	7	0	5	9	7	7	7
U (PPM)	20	0	9	0	0	9	5	11	7	0	7	0	0	13	0	6
V (PPM)	15	282	95	83	275	47	46	42	56	55	722	24	33	20	77	6
W (PPM)	20-30	7	0	3	0	2	15	0	6	0	3	0	0	0	1	1
Y (PPM)	15-20	16	4	7	15	3	2	2	3	3	4	0	0	1	1	2
Zn (PPM)	15	101	80	80	94	71	84	85	87	77	146	82	76	64	90	64
Zr (PPM)	15-20	298	56	39	254	41	43	46	36	116	0	0	0	0	26	14

**Table 9-2** Table of XRF results corrected after LOI

Sample	G17/16	G17/18	G17/19	G17/25	G17/29	G17/33	G17/35	G17/42	G17/43	G17/45	G17/4
MgO (%)	41.67	41.13	46.19	50.29	47.92	49.77	47.62	50.54	49.38	48.24	40.36
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	7.04	6.75	7.79	8.32	10.53	8.27	8.03	8.50	7.97	9.92	6.92
SiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	34.25	33.54	37.99	41.05	40.27	40.89	43.97	41.33	41.12	41.49	33.54
MnO (%)	0.11	0.10	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.15	0.11
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.13	0.10
TiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.22	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.08	0.12	0.09
CaO (%)	0.32	0.42	0.37	0.40	0.41	0.39	0.40	0.38	0.36	1.22	0.49
Na <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03
K <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (%)	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02
LOI	16.00	18.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.00
Sum (%)	99.60	100.14	99.69	100.43	99.67	99.66	100.39	101.14	99.17	101.38	99.71
Cr ppm	749.75	657.74	628.24	632.06	1490.50	603.72	605.14	714.43	571.91	791.09	783.16
Ni ppm	4257.05	4306.00	4248.98	4241.00	4109.00	4290.43	3949.01	4101.00	4123.56	3906.50	5599.87
Sr ppm	0.00	1.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.76	12.40
Zn ppm	64.54	65.48	63.65	60.93	73.99	68.14	60.10	59.12	70.89	77.31	352.10
Y ppm	2.03	1.90	2.14	2.34	2.49	1.94	1.72	1.68	2.46	2.53	2.11
Rh ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rb ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Zr ppm	3.86	3.45	9.47	3.21	4.20	5.45	5.19	3.16	4.11	4.28	6.75
Cu ppm	79.82	86.21	60.88	29.04	51.88	101.25	49.65	33.86	30.65	38.92	100.89

**Table 9-3** Table of XRF results corrected after LOI

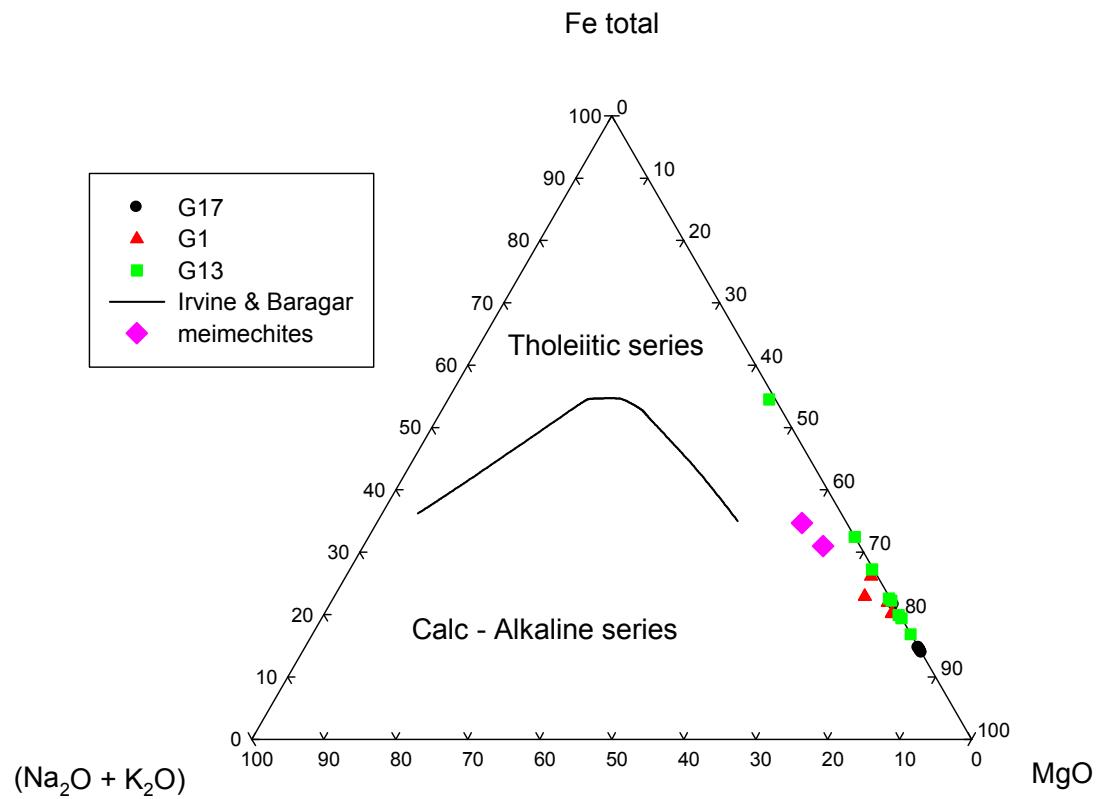
Sample	G17/7	G17/22	G17/24	G17/40	G17/44	avG17/47	avG17/49	G13/6	G13/20	G13/24	G1/25
MgO (%)	41.77	51.83	39.24	49.73	50.19	50.30	50.20	35.00	46.97	45.42	29.90
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	7.18	8.32	10.74	8.24	8.08	8.05	8.17	16.81	11.30	12.97	14.19
SiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	34.50	42.34	33.99	40.96	41.22	41.13	41.16	39.79	39.96	39.68	41.48
MnO (%)	0.11	0.13	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.22	0.16	0.19	0.18
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.13	0.83	0.27	0.14	3.39
TiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.04	0.05	0.15	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	1.60	0.23	0.18	3.24
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.08	0.10	0.31	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.42	0.87	0.40	0.27
CaO (%)	0.37	0.44	0.58	0.52	0.39	0.36	0.36	6.04	0.88	0.61	7.60
Na <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.33
K <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	1.13
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (%)	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.41
LOI	15.00	0.00	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sum (%)	99.16	103.31	100.29	99.87	100.27	100.21	100.30	100.75	100.68	99.63	102.13
Cr ppm	666.64	651.87	2490.92	636.51	642.24	677.22	604.71	2901.18	5959.52	2730.45	1831.38
Ni ppm	4348.60	4330.43	3660.86	4217.79	4314.72	4395.39	4357.00	2236.47	3944.88	3582.48	1851.80
Sr ppm	0.00	0.00	4.31	105.13	10.78	0.00	0.00	105.13	10.78	3.75	554.71
Zn ppm	62.77	72.14	86.84	102.73	80.85	57.47	62.55	102.73	80.85	86.16	92.76
Y ppm	1.68	2.28	2.00	5.93	1.85	1.71	2.34	5.93	1.85	2.48	19.72
Rh ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rb ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.89
Zr ppm	2.57	3.48	4.71	40.80	5.84	4.65	3.14	40.80	5.84	6.05	245.04
Cu ppm	56.65	60.40	43.11	106.90	71.68	35.00	38.09	106.90	71.68	112.72	193.15



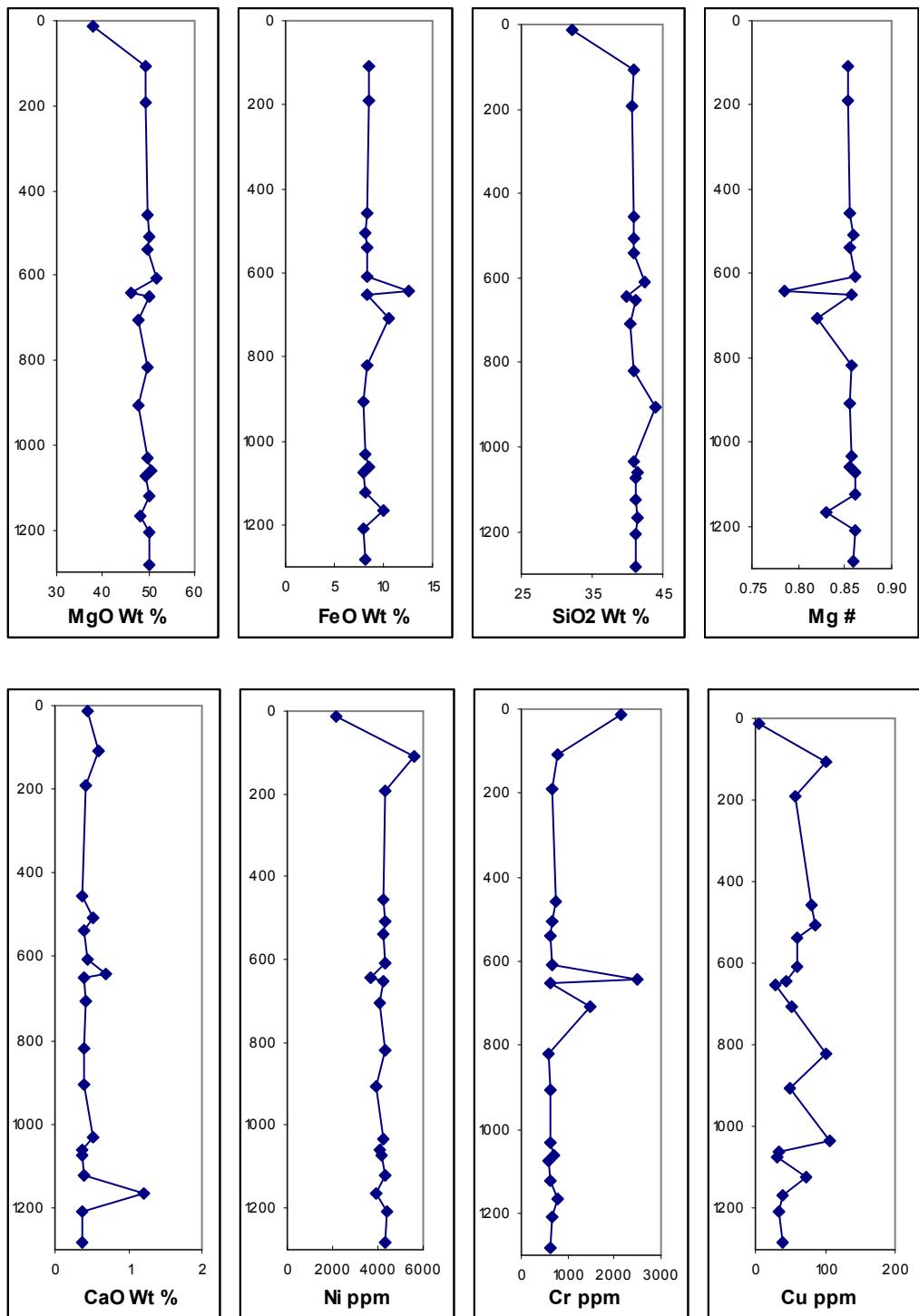
**Figure 9-1** Variation diagrams plotted against MgO wt% for drill cores G17, G13 and G1

In this study, due to the ultramafic composition of the samples, MgO wt % was used rather than SiO<sub>2</sub> wt % as a “fractionation index” in the Harker variation diagrams. In general, Harker variation diagrams may indicate genetic relationships between rocks within one common igneous rock suite, as well as genetic links between several different rock suites. In Figure 9 - 1, silica, iron, titanium, aluminium, calcium, manganese, nickel and chromium were plotted against magnesium. The outlier in all these plots is from the drill core G13 and represents a sample of clinopyroxenite dyke. There is a weak positive trend from samples of the central to those from the peripheral parts of the dunite complex in terms of SiO<sub>2</sub>. A negative trend is indicated with respect to TiO wt% vs. MgO, where the dunite samples cluster at TiO<sub>2</sub> contents between ~0.3 wt % and 1 wt %, and an obvious Ti-enrichment can be observed with samples from the Ol-cumulates to those from the meimechites. The same trends can be observed with respect to aluminium and CaO concentrations Fig 9 – 1. The significant higher CaO concentrations in Ol-cumulates and meimechites are also attributed to carbonate veining and a higher concentration of carbonate in the matrix. There is little or no change in manganese concentration over the three drill cores. There is a positive trend in the Ni plot, the highest concentrations occurring in the dunite core and becoming more depleted to the periphery of the complex.

The Cr vs. MgO diagram displays a very interesting trend: dunites from the Guli core complex gather at rather low Cr-concentrations of around 700ppm and show a Cr-increase (i.e. up to 4000ppm) with corresponding decrease of MgO towards the Ol-cumulates. Furthermore, there is a distinct negative trend from the Ol-cumulates to the meimechites.



**Figure 9-2** AFM diagram after (Wilson et al., 1989) showing the boundary between the calc – alkaline and the tholeiitic field after Irvine and Baragar (1971); drill core G17, G13 & G1



**Figure 9-3** Drill core G17, plots versus depth for major and trace elements

The plots of drill core G17 versus depth show (Fig 9 – 3) that there is almost no variation in the bulk chemistry with depth. MgO, FeO, SiO<sub>2</sub>, CaO as well as Ni and Cr are very consistent in the central part of the Guli Dunite Massif over a depth of more

than 1000m. Two levels are easily identified 1165.9 m and 642m as being different. These levels have lower Mg# and have interstitial carbonate, which skews the CaO figure. The variation at higher levels is associated with serpentinisation. The inverse relationship between Mg and Fe and Ni and Cr is clearly identifiable. In the plot CaO wt % versus depth samples with interstitial carbonate have noticeable positive peaks. The Cu plot shows the very low concentration of Cu in the dunites, which confirms the very rare occurrence of Cu-Ni-sulfides, as stressed in the petrography section (See section 7: Petrography). Small positive peaks of local Cu-enrichment are interpreted as the nugget effect in this analysis.

## **9.2.      *Rare Earth Elements***

Rare Earth Element (REE) concentrations from selected samples are given in Table 9 – 4 & 5 and the chondrite normalized plots are show in Figures 9 - 4, 5 & 6. In the chondrite normalized plots it is possible to notice some similarities between the various REE patterns.

The patterns from drill core G17 all show similarly shaped REE patterns, defined by rather flat patterns, but a slight enrichment in LREE. The LREE concentrations for G17 are between, 1.2 and 7.2 times chondrite, while the HREE are between 0.1 and 0.6 times chondrite.

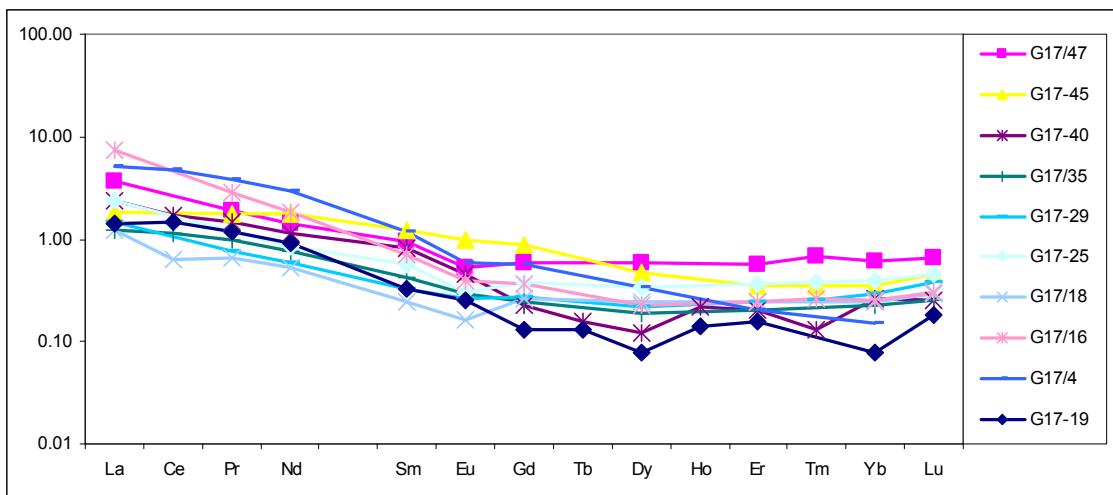
In drill core G13 two different types of patterns are becoming obvious. The patterns from the deeper sections of the drill core show patterns similar to those of drill core G17, again defined by a flat shape with a slight enrichment in LREE (1.6 to 3.4 times chondrite) and depletion in HREE (0.16 to 0.2 times chondrite). These are samples of dunite, similar to those from the central portion of the Guli dunite core complex (i.e. drill core G17). The samples from the top of the drill core are characterized by much higher REE concentrations, LREE between 4.4 and 16.7 times chondrite and HREE between 0.7 and 1.4 times chondrite. These patterns are from Ol - cumulates. The sample of clinopyroxenite dyke has the highest concentrations of REE of all samples from drill core G13. The pattern is similar to the enriched Ol- cumulate, with LREE concentrations 37 times chondrite and HREE 2.4 times chondrite. As shown in Fig 9 - 5.

sample	G17/7	G17/12	G17/16	G17/18	G17/22	G17/25	G17/29	G17/33	G17/35	G17/37	G17/40	G17/43	G17/44	G17/45	G17/47	G17/49
Y	0.29	0.10	0.32	0.25	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.35	0.38	0.21	1.23	2.31	1.10	0.20	0.20
Zr	1.20	1.48	1.84	0.41	1.04	2.37	2.10	0.01	0.76	4.17	4.23	0.06	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.01
Nb	0.30	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.10	0.05	0.10	0.13	0.08	0.08	0.31	0.31	0.27	0.43	0.50	0.03
Mo	5.05	1.76	5.10	15.43	3.61	7.16	3.92	2.62	1.30	1.92	6.89	3.03	7.20	4.66	10.57	2.04
Ba	0.13	0.15	1.25	0.19	0.03	0.56	0.35	0.05	0.29	0.08	0.56	0.05	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.05
La	0.17	0.32	0.26	0.05	0.11	0.07	0.02	0.02	0.09	0.19	1.06	0.09	0.03	0.16	0.10	0.01
Ce	0.04	0.19	0.04	0.11	0.39	0.27	0.07	0.34	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.16	0.10	0.01
Pr	0.11	0.17	0.57	0.15	0.02	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.04	0.08	0.80	0.37	0.03
Nd	0.09	0.03	0.07	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.18	0.08
Sm	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.00	0.12	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Eu	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.02
Gd	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.04	0.07	0.05	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.17	0.03
Tb	0.11	0.00	0.02	0.08	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Dy	0.07	0.01	0.05	0.05	0.01	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.11	0.09
Ho	0.12	0.00	0.02	0.08	0.03	0.00	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02
Er	0.06	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.06	0.06	0.03
Tm	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01
Yb	0.09	0.01	0.04	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.07	0.04
Lu	0.05	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.08	0.05	0.01	0.09	0.01	0.01
Hf	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.11	0.01	0.01
Ta	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.23	0.19	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.12	0.05	0.08	0.14	0.10	0.03	0.03
W	0.01	0.02	0.29	0.14	0.23	0.19	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.12	0.05	0.08	0.14	0.10	0.03	0.03
Th	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.29	0.14	0.23	0.19	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.12	0.05	0.08	0.14	0.10	0.03

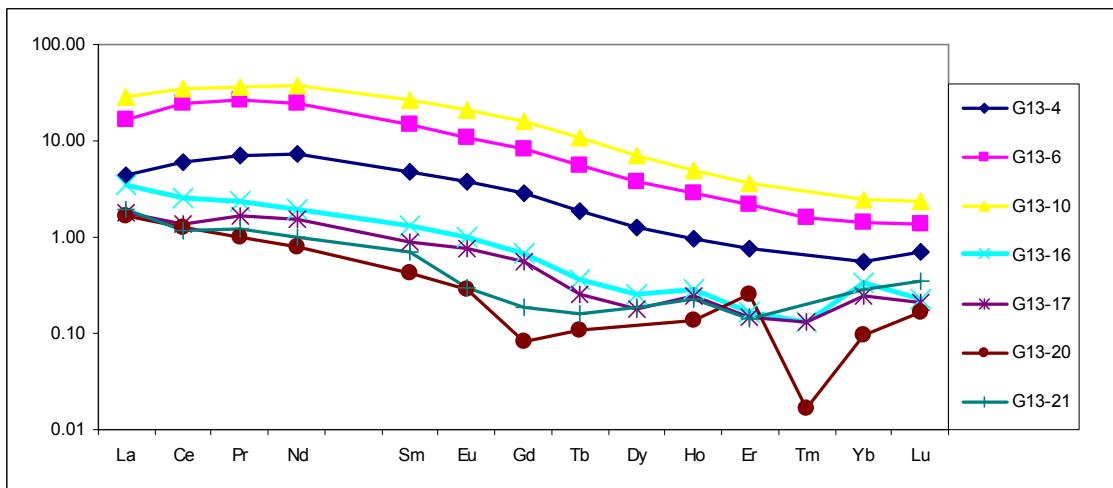
Table 9-4 Table of trace element results of samples from drill core G17

**Table 9-5** Table of Trace element results of samples from drill core G13, G1 & M1

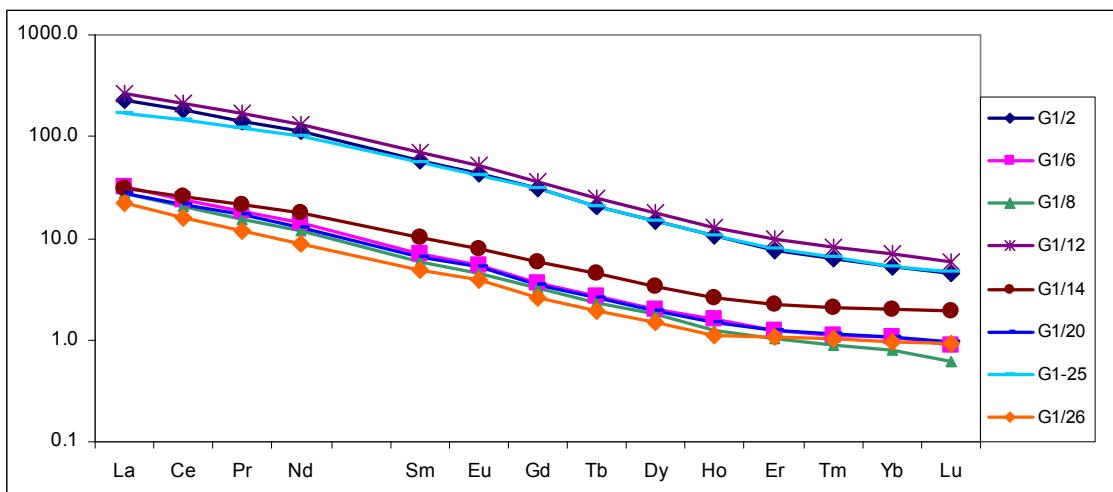
sample	G13-4	G13-6	G13/10	G13/16	G13/17	G13/20	G13/21	M1-1	G1/2	G1/6	G1/8	G1/12	G1/14	G1/20	G1/25	G1/26	
Y	1.30	3.47	6.98	4.27	5.56	0.27	0.21	9.76	17.19	3.07	2.51	22.27	4.54	2.45	14.41	1.91	
Zr	8.89	22.60	83.38	0.22	0.06	2.52		119.87	239.82	55.32	48.87	301.25	50.17	38.61	170.39	42.97	
Nb	0.20	0.10	11.51	0.22	1.11	1.22	0.59	0.16	28.27	58.64	12.87	11.57	81.12	10.15	8.19	37.23	7.63
Mo	0.66	0.21								0.32	0.61	0.27	0.72	0.55		0.23	
Ba	20.01	1.34	30.59	14.58	21.02	6.48	4.01	127.12	447.95	40.69	37.95	524.52	281.10	97.01	333.40	46.45	
La	1.05	3.94	6.82	0.82	0.43	0.34	0.39	31.80	53.47	7.66	6.48	62.11	7.03	6.52	39.99	5.05	
Ce	3.76	14.96	21.14	1.55	0.86	0.66	0.64	70.12	110.62	14.96	12.51	129.22	15.00	13.17	88.71	9.18	
Pr	0.67	2.42	3.43	0.22	0.16	0.08	0.09	8.65	13.29	1.72	1.41	15.55	1.93	1.57	11.11	1.04	
Nd	3.34	11.30	17.10	0.89	0.70	0.32	0.33	34.72	51.62	6.38	5.27	60.30	7.71	5.86	46.05	3.95	
Sm	0.71	2.17	3.93	0.20	0.13	0.06	0.06	5.98	8.68	1.03	0.87	10.38	1.46	0.99		0.69	
Eu	0.21	0.61	1.15	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.01	1.64	2.43	0.30	0.25	2.92	0.43	0.29	8.37	0.21	
Gd	0.56	1.64	3.15	0.14	0.11	0.02	0.02	4.34	6.08	0.72	0.63	7.16	1.13	0.69	2.35	0.50	
Tb	0.07	0.20	0.39	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.53	0.73	0.09	0.08	0.87	0.15	0.09	6.16	0.06	
Dy	0.30	0.92	1.76	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.02	2.55	3.55	0.49	0.42	4.38	0.80	0.46	0.74	0.35	
Ho	0.05	0.16	0.27	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.42	0.57	0.09	0.07	0.68	0.14	0.08	3.60	0.06	
Er	0.13	0.36	0.60	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.97	1.28	0.21	0.17	1.60	0.37	0.20	0.57	0.16	
Tm	0.01	0.04	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.15	0.03	0.02	0.20	0.05	0.03	1.32	0.02	
Yb	0.09	0.22	0.39	0.05	0.04	0.02	0.03	0.63	0.84	0.17	0.12	1.10	0.31	0.17	0.16	0.14	
Lu	0.02	0.03	0.06	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.09	0.11	0.02	0.02	0.15	0.05	0.02	0.83	0.02	
Hf	0.33	1.13	3.14	0.16	0.24	0.09	0.09	3.64	5.28	1.10	0.94	6.35	1.15	0.73	0.11	0.85	
Ta	0.05	0.11	0.82	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.01	2.11	3.33	0.57	0.56	4.17	0.50	0.38	4.73	0.31	
W	2.54	0.55	84.22	90.99	10.27	1.16	52.64	0.83	4.94	1.00	0.49	1.11	1.35	2.68	0.68		
Th	0.11	0.08	0.70	0.24	0.11	0.16	0.12	3.29	4.12	0.85	0.79	4.43	0.51	0.64	0.74	0.93	



**Figure 9-4** Chondrite normalised REE concentrations of drill core G17 (selected samples)



**Figure 9-5** Chondrite normalised REE concentrations of drill core G13



**Figure 9-6** Chondrite normalised REE concentrations of drill core G1

Samples from drill core G1 also show two different types of patterns: the olivine cumulates show patterns rather similar to those from the Ol-cumulates from G13 with LREE concentrations ranging from 20 to 32 times chondrite and HREE concentrations between 0.9 and 2.1 times chondrite. They differ from the Ol-cumulates from core G13 (from the periphery of the dunite core complex) by more pronounced LREE enrichment, which gives the REE pattern a straight negative shape (Fig 9 – 6). The highest REE concentrations are represented by the meimechitic volcanics, revealing LREE concentrations of 169 to 263 times chondrite and HREE concentrations of 4.5 and 6.1 chondrite. The shape of these REE patterns is almost identical to those of the Ol-cumulates (Fig 9 – 6).

### **9.3. *Platinum Group Elements***

Platinum group element concentrations were measured by ICP-MS using the method described in Section 6: Methods and the results are shown in Table 9 – 6. Plots of the primitive mantle normalised platinum group element concentrations are shown in Figures 9 - 7, 8, 9 & 10.

In general the PGE concentrations are very low from 0.01 to 8 times primitive mantle. The PGE patterns from the dunites of drill core G17 (i.e. central portion of the Guli dunite core complex) are characterised by a positive ruthenium anomaly and a negative anomaly for platinum and palladium. Concentrations of Ir vary from 0.02 to 1.33 times primitive mantle. Ru concentrations range from 0.14 to 1.26 times primitive mantle. Rh between 0.05 and 0.79, Pt from 0.01 to 0.20 times primitive mantle. While the concentrations of Pd and Re are 0.01 to 0.16 and 0.01 to 3.05 times primitive mantle, respectively. The Os concentrations vary from 0.01 to 7.4 times primitive mantle, which is most likely due to analytical uncertainties due to very low Os-concentrations. In summary, as expected, the PGE patterns of the dunites of the central portion of the core complex show negatively shape (Fig 9 – 7).

The shape of the PGE patterns of samples from core G13 is similar, but the PGE concentrations are higher. The primitive mantle normalised concentrations for the dunites from drill core G13 range from, Os: 0.13 to 2.84, Ir: 0.13 to 0.59, Ru: 0.15 to 4.15, Rh: 0.41 to 2.32, Pt: 0.07 to 1.2, Pd: 0.06 to 1.1 and Re: 0.19 to 1.0 times primitive mantle (Figure 9- 8). One pattern (sample G13-10) is distinctly different, displaying a so-called positive pattern, defined by depletion of IPGE and significant enrichment of PPGE. This sample represents a clinopyroxenite dyke.

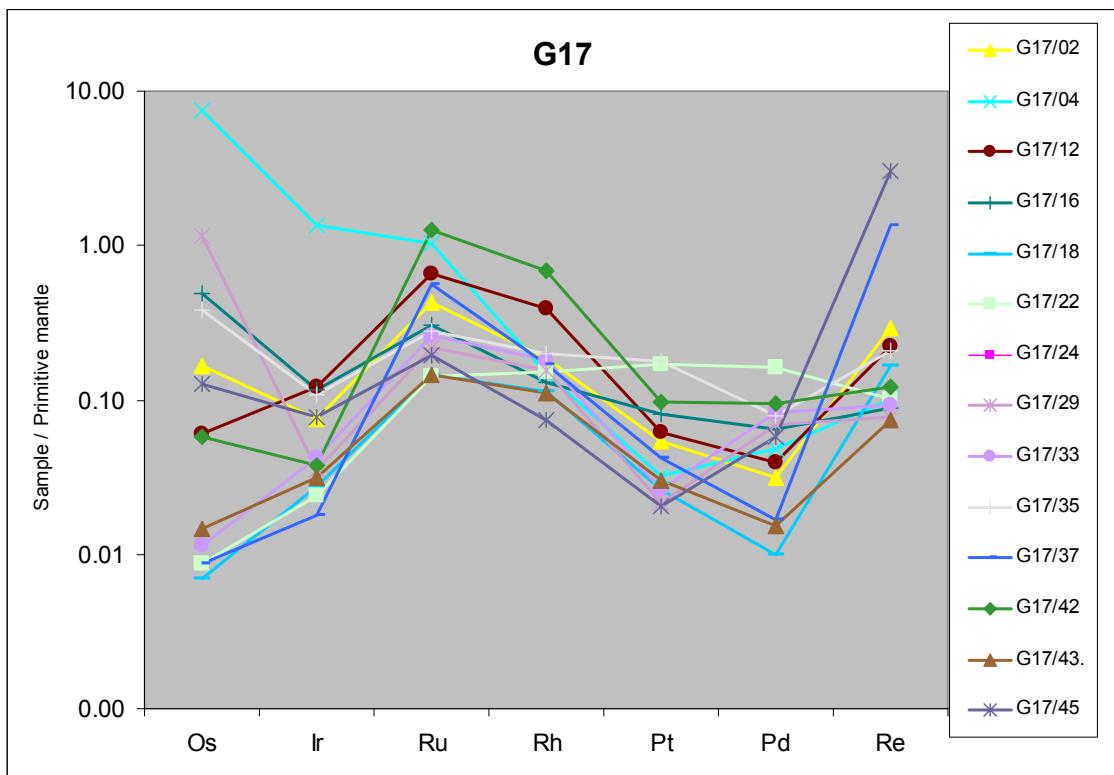
The primitive mantle normalised platinum group element concentrations from drill core G1 again show two distinctly different rock types. The first is the dunite cumulate,

which shows similar patterns to those from drill core G17 and G13, defined by enrichment of IPGE and depletion in platinum and palladium. In contrast the other rock type, represented by the meimechites, shows rather flat patterns and are characterised by concentrations of IPGE similar to those of the cumulates, while the concentration of PPGE is significantly more enriched, giving the patterns a slight positive shape. Concentrations for drill core G1 range from Os: 0.38 to 1.15, Ir: 0.24 to 0.79, Ru: 0.46 to 1.57, Rh: 0.41 to 0.59, Pt: 0.09 to 1.58, Pd 0.11 to 1.18 and Re 0.75 to 3.04 times primitive mantle. These results are shown if Figure 9 - 9.

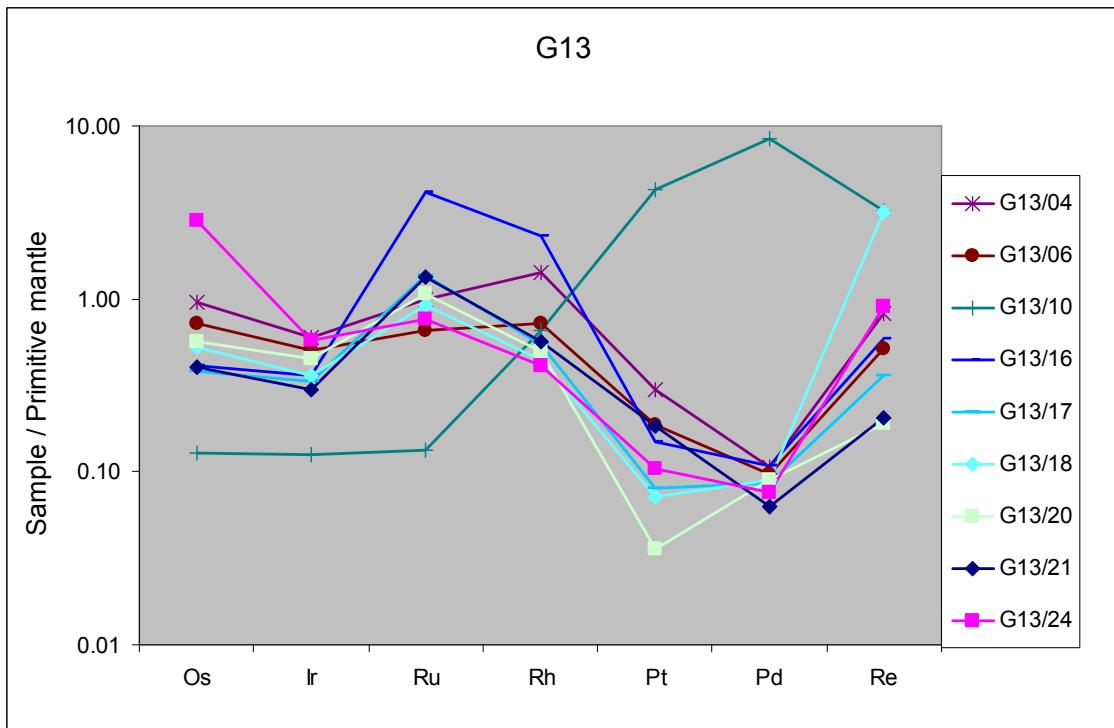
The PGE patterns from disseminated chromites are typically negatively shaped with enrichment of IPGE and depletion of PPGE Fig 9 – 10. The ranges in concentrations for the surficial samples are Os: 0.32 to 7.14 times primitive mantle, Ir: 0.31 to 4.96 times, Ru: 0.66 to 12.99 times primitive mantle. Rh concentrations range from 0.38 to 3.61 times, while Pt varies from 0.02 to 0.15 times primitive mantle. Pd and Re concentrations range between 0.07 to 0.2 and 0.13 and 0.59 times primitive mantle respectively. It is interesting to note that, despite the higher chromite concentrations, IPGE concentrations are higher, but the levels of PPGE are the same as measured in the drill core without disseminated chromite.

ppb	Os content	Ir content	Ru content	Rh content	Pt content	Pd content	Re content	Ir/Ru
G1-2	1.8	1.18	2.30	0.40	4.45	4.56	0.21	0.513
G1-6	2.7	2.41	6.01	0.43	0.94	0.74	0.49	0.402
G1-8	3.9	2.53	7.69	0.37	1.02	0.66	0.66	0.329
G1-12	2.3	1.54	2.84	0.50	11.22	6.83	0.42	0.541
G1-14	1.5	0.78	2.44	0.38	3.01	2.30	0.19	0.318
G1-20	3.0	1.73	5.70	0.50	1.15	0.82	0.52	0.303
G1/25	1.28	1.06	2.33	0.53	6.39	4.62	0.31	0.453
G1/25b	1.36	0.96	2.75	0.43	6.26	4.54	0.85	0.351
G1-26	3.2	2.49	7.87	0.42	0.67	0.43	0.30	0.317
G17/02	0.57	0.24	2.12	0.17	0.38	0.12	0.08	0.114
G17/04	25.41	4.27	5.18	0.13	0.23	0.19	0.03	0.823
G17/07	0.03	0.08	5.68	0.12	0.09	0.37	0.00	0.014
G17/12	0.20	0.39	3.27	0.35	0.44	0.15	0.06	0.119
G17/16	1.65	0.37	1.52	0.12	0.58	0.25	0.02	0.243
G17/18	15.94	0.11	0.89	0.05	0.76	0.09	0.13	0.119
G17/19	0.05	0.13	0.92	0.12	0.27	0.08	0.03	0.137
G17/22	0.03	0.08	0.70	0.14	1.20	0.63	0.03	0.108
G17/24	4.72	1.51	0.28	0.41	1.17	0.53	0.24	5.349
G17/25	0.04	0.11	0.90	0.05	0.76	0.13	0.14	0.121
G17/29	1.05	0.12	0.93	0.14	0.78	0.13	0.13	0.124
G17/33	0.04	0.14	1.31	0.16	0.18	0.32	0.03	0.104
G17/35	1.30	0.35	1.40	0.18	1.26	0.31	0.06	0.247
G17/37	0.03	0.06	2.82	0.15	0.30	0.06	0.38	0.020
G17/40	0.03	0.12	0.99	0.16	0.64	0.40	0.04	0.116
G17/42	0.19	0.12	6.29	0.62	0.69	0.37	0.03	0.019
G17/43.	0.03	0.14	0.99	0.13	1.42	0.17	0.08	0.140
G17/44	0.03	0.09	6.19	0.71	0.99	0.36	0.03	0.014
G17/45	0.43	0.25	0.97	0.07	0.14	0.22	0.85	0.255
G17/47	0.03	0.14	1.15	0.17	0.30	0.06	0.07	0.120
G17/49	0.04	0.12	1.14	0.18	0.31	0.43	0.03	0.102
G13/04	3.24	1.90	4.93	1.29	2.13	0.41	0.23	0.386
G13/06	2.47	1.62	3.30	0.65	1.32	0.38	0.14	0.491
G13/10	0.44	0.40	0.66	0.59	30.46	32.73	0.91	0.604
G13/16	1.40	1.15	20.73	2.09	1.05	0.42	0.17	0.056
G13/17	1.30	1.07	6.80	0.49	0.57	0.34	0.10	0.157
G13/18	1.78	1.16	4.61	0.40	0.51	0.35	0.88	0.251
G13/20	1.94	1.46	5.33	0.44	0.25	0.35	0.05	0.273
G13/21	1.38	0.95	6.68	0.51	1.31	0.24	0.06	0.143
G13/24	9.64	1.84	3.84	0.37	0.75	0.30	0.26	0.479
G-03-2	13.73	10.28	15.06	0.76	0.28	0.45	0.04	0.682
G-03-3	1.08	1.00	3.29	0.34	0.12	0.26	0.07	0.304
Gu-02	4.64	4.17	8.81	0.50	1.08	0.57	0.12	0.474
Gu-06	24.27	15.87	64.96	3.25	0.55	0.78	0.16	0.244
Gu-07	1.80	1.40	5.03	0.28	0.27	0.56	0.15	0.279
M1-1	0.59	0.76	3.21	0.47	3.65	3.65	0.05	0.236

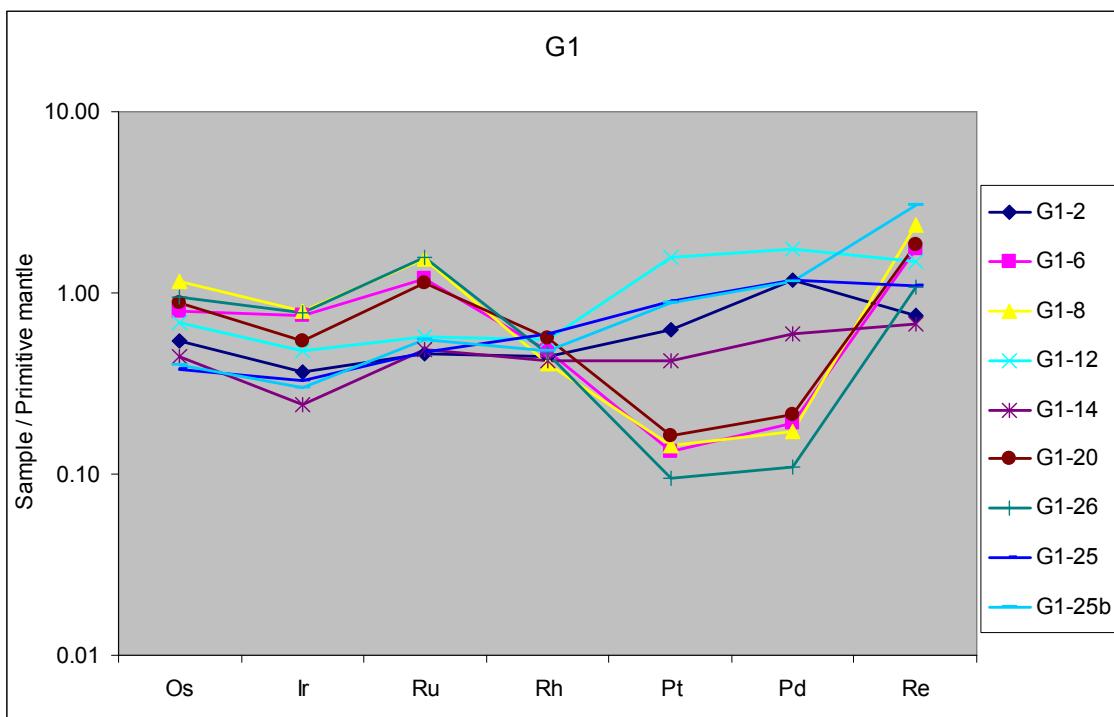
**Table 9-6** Table of Platinum Group Element concentrations (ppb) for drill cores G17, G13, G1 & surficial samples



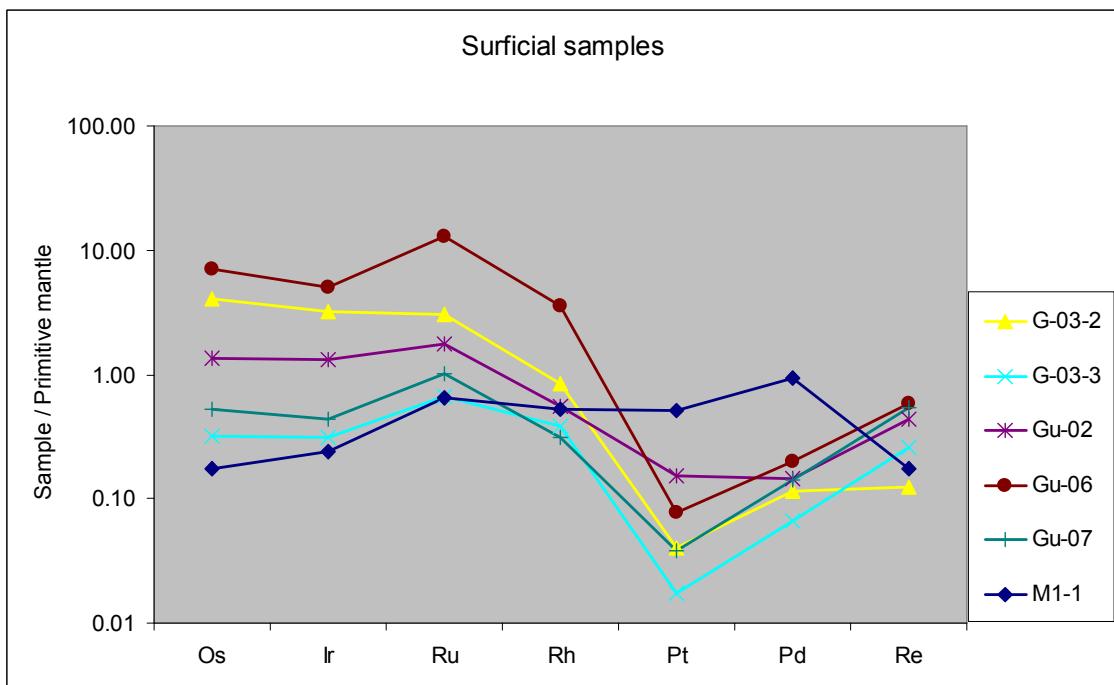
**Figure 9-7** Primitive mantle normalised platinum group element plots (including Re) for drill core G17 (representative samples)



**Figure 9-8** Primitive mantle normalised platinum group element plots (including Re) for drill core G13



**Figure 9-9** Primitive mantle normalised platinum group element plots (including Re) for drill core G1



**Figure 9-10** Primitive mantle normalised platinum group element plots (including Re) from disseminated chromites (surface samples).

## **10. Discussion**

The major aims of this project were: 1. The Guli Massif hosts the largest dunite complex in the world, the formation and the genesis of such giant dunite masses is poorly understood. Therefore this study presents a characterisation of the dunite mass, on the basis of detailed mineralogical, petrographical and geochemical investigations.

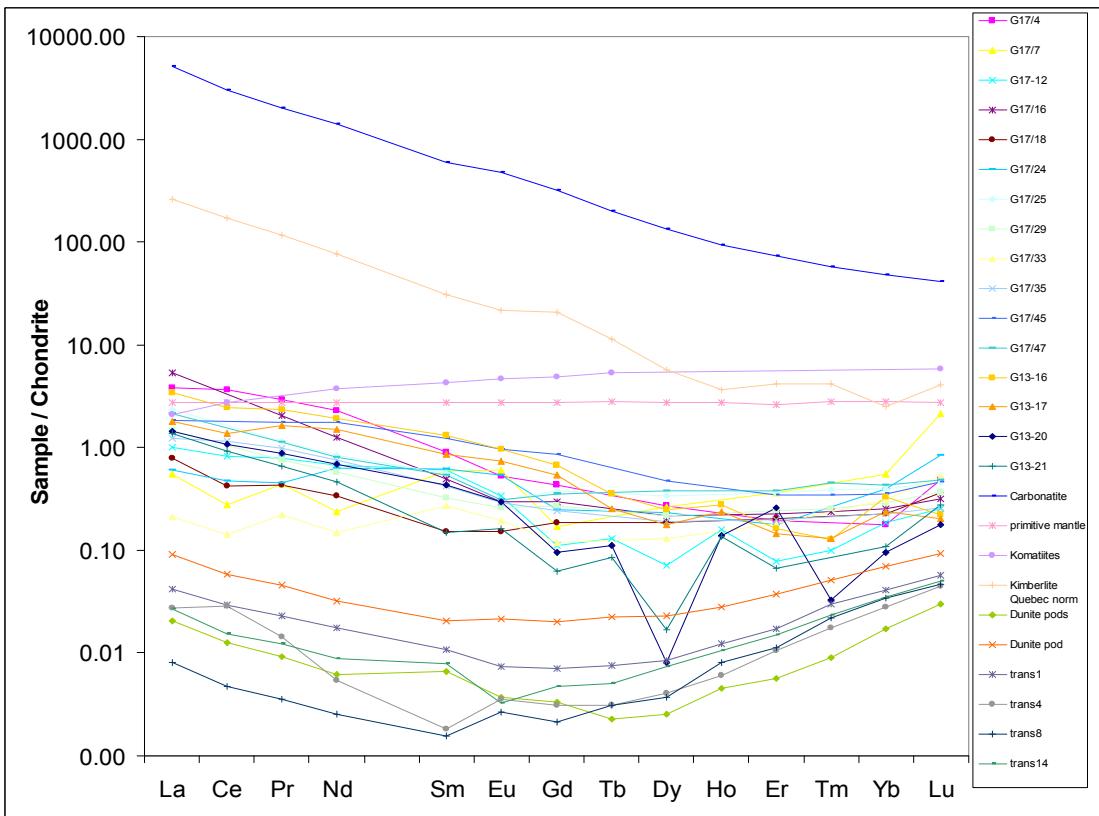
2. Meimechites, the Mesozoic equivalent to komatiites, appear closely associated with the dunite core complex of the Guli Massif. The possible genetic relationship between the Guli dunites, meimechites and various ultramafic rock types forming part of the rock suite of the Guli Massif, was studied.

3. The Guli Massif was / is supposed to host one of the largest concentrations of IPGE in the world. Apart of known IPGE and Au placers, primary IPGE mineralisations in the dunite core complex were unknown. Thus the third aim of this study was to identify possible sources for the placer mineralisations and justify “the claim” of the Guli Massif to host one of the largest IPGE concentrations in the world

### **10.1. *Genesis of the Guli dunite core complex***

The dunite core complex, composed of more than 95% of olivine (Mg# 92 - 93), comprises the majority of the exposed sections of the Guli Massif. This together with textures such as equigranular recrystallised olivines in addition to irregular “patches” of olivine with abundant solid / fluid and melt inclusions (see Section 7: Petrography) clearly indicate that the Guli dunites are mantle rocks. The whole rock major and trace element geochemistry (i.e. MgO FeO, CaO, Cr, Ni,) has shown that the concentrations of these elements are very consistent with depth over more than 600 m, as is show in Fig 9 – 3 Section 9: Geochemistry. Slight variations become obvious within the upper 600 m of investigated drill cores due to the effects of serpentinisation. Major and trace

element concentrations are further compatible with those in other mafic / ultramafic complexes, such as ophiolites, with the exception of Cr (McDonough, 1991). The PGE concentrations are very low generally, with enrichment in Ru and significant depletion in Pt and Pd, displayed by typical negatively shaped normalised PGE patterns (See Fig 9 – 7 & 8, Section 9: Geochemistry). These features clearly indicate that the Guli core dunites can be classified as restitic mantle rocks. However, unusual accessory mineral phases such as, clinopyroxene, phlogopite, perovskite, calcite and apatite occurring in the interstitial space abundantly associated with recrystallised olivine indicate that the restitic mantle dunites had been affected by additional processes. Unusual accessory, interstitial mineral phases together with more abundant veining (see Section 7: Petrography) are becoming evident in the periphery of the Guli dunite core complex. These features indicate that additional processes are more pronounced in the periphery of the core complex, possibly due to the closer vicinity of the carbonatites of the Guli Massif. In the following “these processes” are considered in more detail.



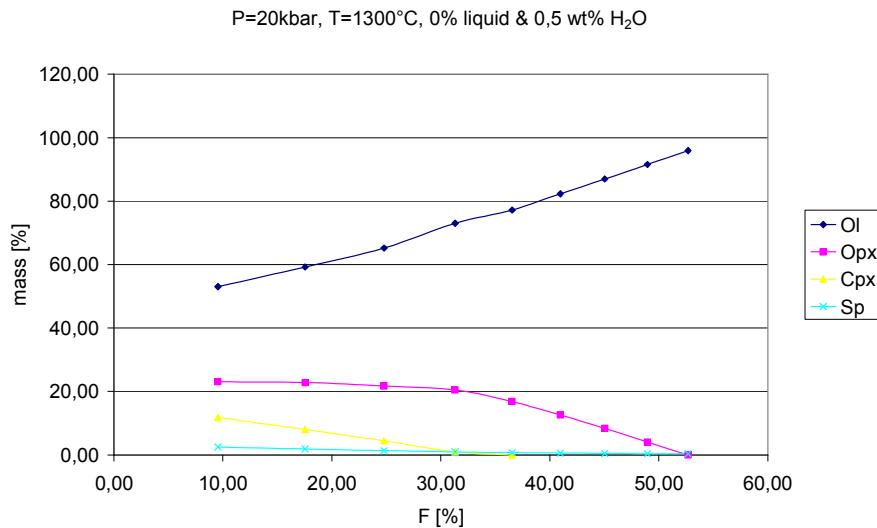
**Figure 10-1** Normalised REE patterns from G17 & G13, in comparison to Carbonatites, komaiitites, primitive mantle, kimberlite (Quebec), transitional dunites and dunite pods from (Zhou et al., 2005).

Fig 10 - 1 illustrates normalised REE distribution patterns of the Guli dunite core complex (G17 + G13) in comparison with those from ophiolites, perioditites, komatiites and carbonatites. The Guli dunite REE patterns are distinct from typical “U” shaped mantle peridotites, by a significant enrichment of LREE. This gives an indication that the Guli restitic core complex has been affected by a metasomatic overprint during its development. Furthermore it becomes obvious that the Guli dunite core complex, apart of having distinct similarities to typical Alaskan and Uralian type complexes (e.g. rock and mineral composition), shows distinctive differences. Unusual accessory mineral phases, PGE patterns, lacking positive Os and Pt anomalies, as well as elevated LREE concentrations define these differences together with the “huge” size of the Guli Massif. In general Alaskan – type complexes are less than 80 km<sup>2</sup>, with most having a size ranging from 12 – 40 km<sup>2</sup> (Johan, 2002). They also show a concentrically

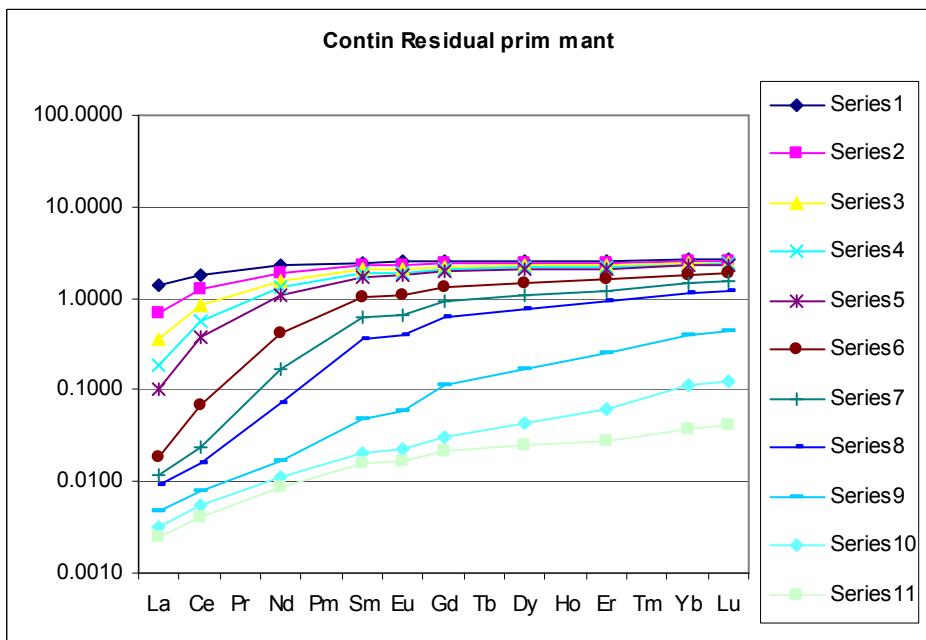
zoned structure with a dunite core, surrounded successively by clinopyroxenite, hornblendite and monzonite-gabbro rims (Johan, 2002) and references within. While the Guli Massif is oval in shape and has a size of 1500 -1600 km<sup>2</sup>. (Kogarko et al., 1995). The dunite portion of the Guli Massif alone (~640 km<sup>2</sup>) (Kogarko et al., 1995) is by far larger than the largest known Alaskan – Uralian type complex. (Tulameen – 80 Km<sup>2</sup>) (Johan, 2002).

The genesis of huge restitic dunite masses has been under debate for a long time. ((Kubo, 2002) and references within). In general there are two possibilities for the formation of a dunite rock: 1. High degrees of partial melting (> 50%) of upper mantle material would leave a highly depleted dunite residue behind. However, these high degrees of partial melting are in most cases not realistic. 2. Precipitation of olivine from a mafic / ultramafic melt over a significant period of time would theoretically result in a dunite cumulate mass. However, keeping olivine on the liquidus over a certain period of time is also not viable, apart of the fact that olivine cumulates differ in mineral composition and texture from residual dunite ((Kubo, 2002) and references within.) In an attempt to explain the genesis of the giant Guli dunites a modelling experiment was carried out (Loidl *et al.* in prep). A lherzolite primitive mantle compostion (McDonough and Sun, 1995) was taken as a starting material and modelled under hydrous conditions using the thermodynamic algorithm of (Ghiorso and Sack, 1995), (Asimow and Ghiorso, 1998) and (Ghiorso, 2001). The results clearly indicate that the residual dunite of the Guli Massif was formed by continuous melting and predominant extraction of melt batches from the melting site. Nine melting episodes are required, equivalent to a total of 52% of partial melting, to obtain a residuum with the characteristics of the Guli dunite (Fig 10 - 2). This result offers a new alternative model explaining the derivation and formation of the huge Guli dunite core complex. The modelling experiment also

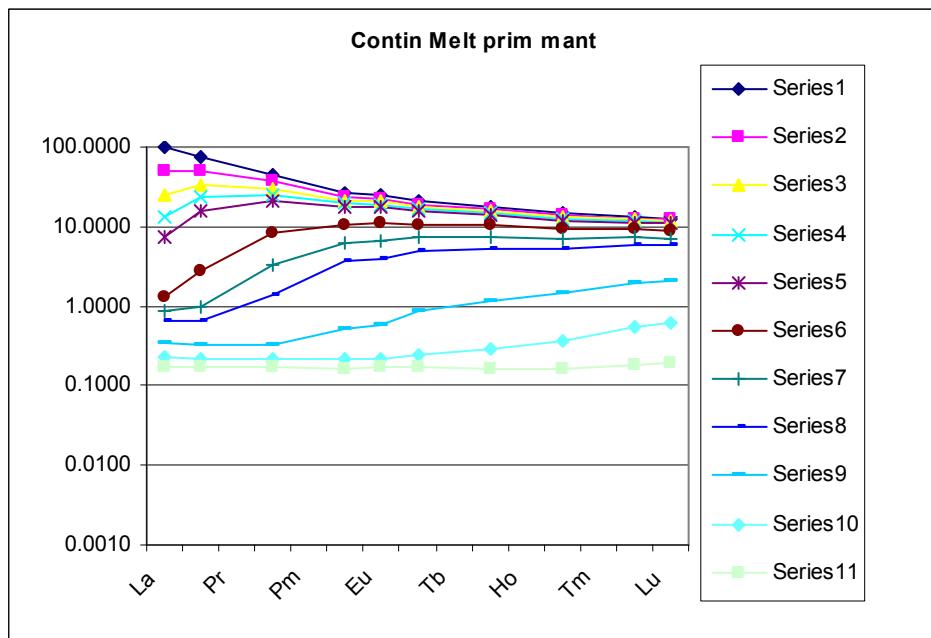
includes predicted REE distribution patterns of each of the nine successive residual and batch melt compositions (Fig 10 – 3 & 4).



**Figure 10-2** Total % of partial melting vs mass % of major minerals in the residual. (Loidl *et al.* in prep)

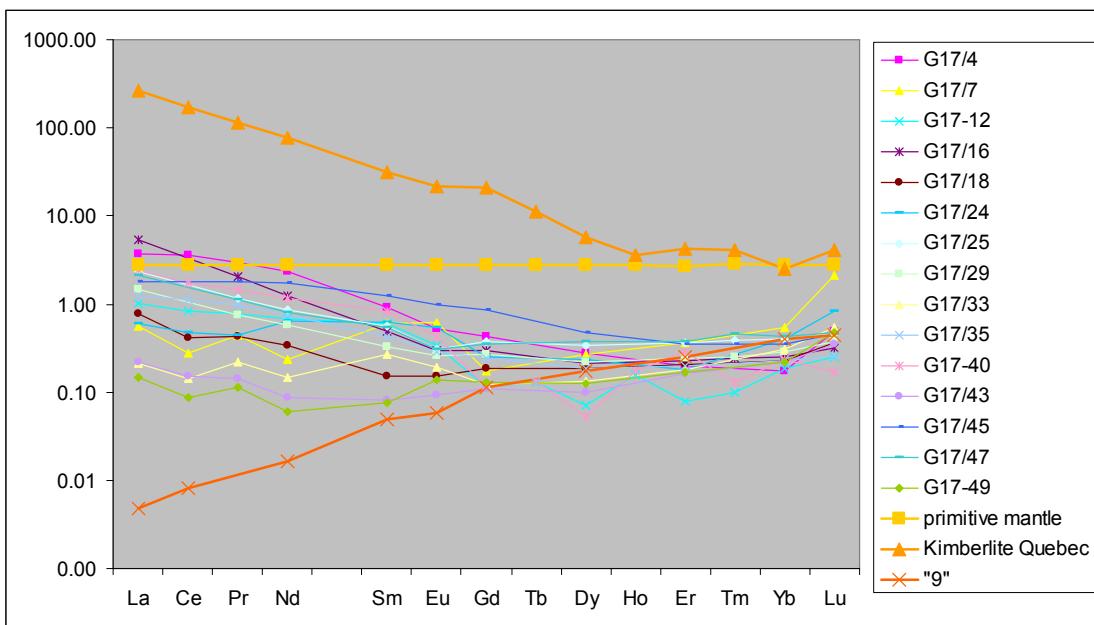


**Figure 10-3** Modelled REE patterns of Residuals after continuous melting episodes. (Loidl *et al.* in prep).



**Figure 10-4** Modelled REE pattern of melt batches after continuous partial melting. (Loidl *et al.* in prep).

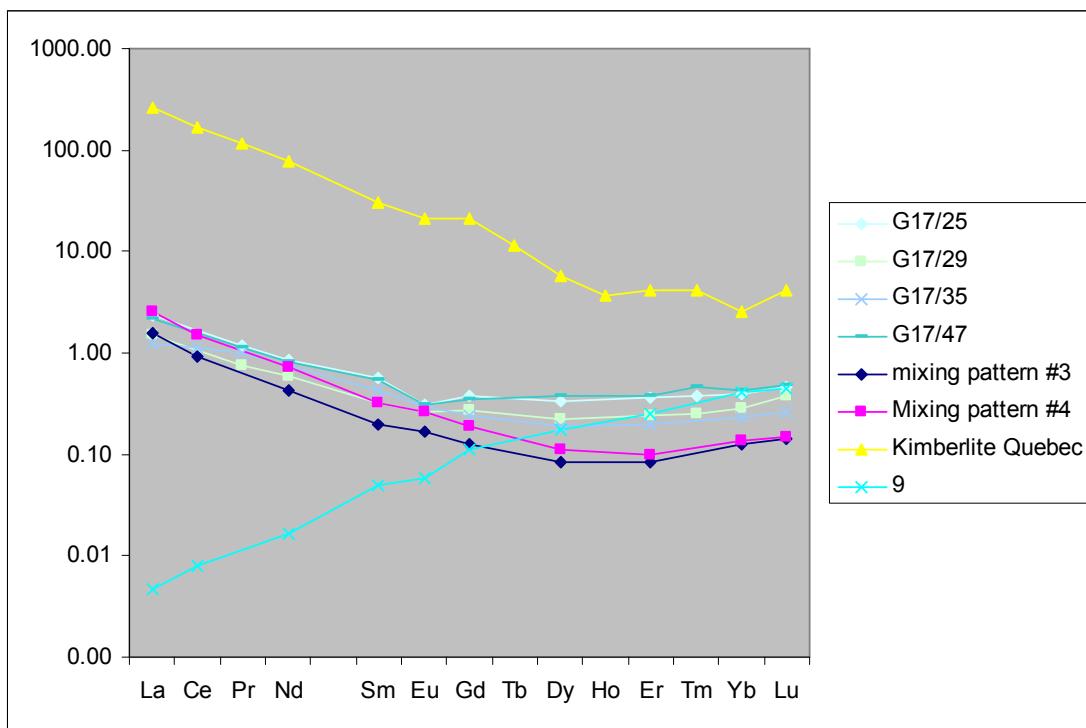
However, a significant deviation becomes obvious, when comparing the REE pattern of the Guli residual dunite with those of the modelled residues. In Fig 10 - 5 the modelled REE pattern of the residual after 8 continuous melting episodes is shown in comparison with those from the Guli residual dunite. The Guli residual dunites, show a significant enrichment in LREE in the range of two to three orders magnitude when compared to the modelling results (Fig 10 - 5), whereas the HREE show an ideal match. Therefore, the most important question emerging within this context is: Where does this LREE enriched component come from? To address this issue, Fig 10 - 5 also shows a representative REE pattern from a kimberlite (data from (Birkett *et al.*, 2004)). The residual Guli dunite REE patterns occupy with respect to the LREE a field between the modelled residual pattern and that of the kimberlite (Fig 10 - 5). This assumes that the residual Guli dunites represent a mixture of a “normal” primitive mantle residue and a LREE enriched material.



**Figure 10-5** showing REE patterns from G17, in comparison to primitive mantle, Kimberlite (Quebec) and modelled pattern of residual after 8 continuous partial melting episodes (“9”).

Therefore, it is suggested that the Guli residual dunites had been contaminated by a LREE enriched component during development. In order to define more clearly and to quantify this LREE enriched component, the modelled residue composition, shown in Fig 10 - 5 (“9”), was taken as a basis and mixed with varying proportion of a LREE enriched material. An addition in the range of 0.03 to 0.05 % of a highly LREE enriched carbonatite resulted in the best match to the REE patterns of the Guli residual, as illustrated in Fig 10 - 6.

Consequently the Guli residual dunites are interpreted to represent the result of eight continuous melting episodes, followed by metasomatism which can be defined by the addition of a LREE enriched carbonatitic material. The contamination is indicated from the modelling results to represent 0.03 to 0.05 % carbonatitic material.



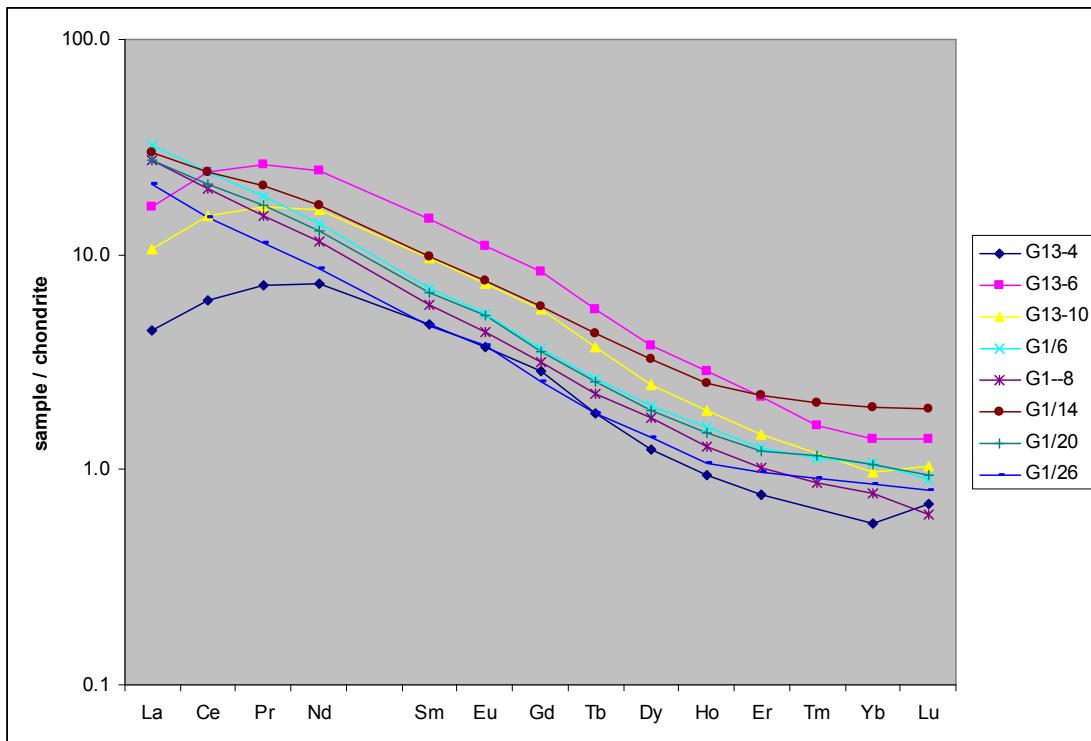
**Figure 10-6** REE patterns of representative Guli residual dunites (G17) compared to modelled mixing patterns (#3, #4). REE pattern of a modelled primitive mantle residue and a kimberlite, taken from Fig 10 – 5, are shown for comparison.

## ***10.2. The development of the Guli Dunite core complex and the relationship to the Meimechites***

In section 10 – 1, the genesis of the Guli dunites as the residuum of continuous partial melting episodes was discussed. This section considers the melt portions produced from the modelled partial melting episodes. The question emerging in this context is: can we find melt equivalents in the rocks of the Guli Massif?

The first possibility is the olivine cumulates, which occur at the periphery of the dunite core complex, possibly forming an incomplete envelop around the dunite core complex, although direct field evidence of contacts between olivine cumulate and residual dunite is lacking. Nevertheless, olivine cumulates appear in direct contact with residual dunites in the investigated drill cores, forming the uppermost section of drill core G13 and appear in an intercalated section together with meimechites at the periphery of the dunite core complex (see Section 7: Petrography & Section 8: Mineral Chemistry). The olivine cumulates can be clearly distinguished from the dunites of the Guli core complex on the basis of their texture, geochemistry, (i.e. significantly higher Cr concentration), and mineral chemistry, (i.e. lower Fo of olivine, lower Mg# of clinopyroxene). Furthermore, two types of olivine cumulates are present in the area of investigation. Olivine cumulates studied in drill core G1, intimately associated with meimechites, are more primitive, e.g. higher Cr, less fractionated, than those from drill core G13 forming the hanging wall of residual dunites of the Guli core complex (see Section 8: Mineral Chemistry and Section 9: Geochemistry). However, no significant difference can be observed with respect to the PGE pattern between the two cumulate types, characterised by predominantly negatively shaped patterns (see Fig 9 – 8 & 9

Geochemistry). Furthermore the PGE patterns of olivine cumulates do not significantly differ from those of the residual dunites.

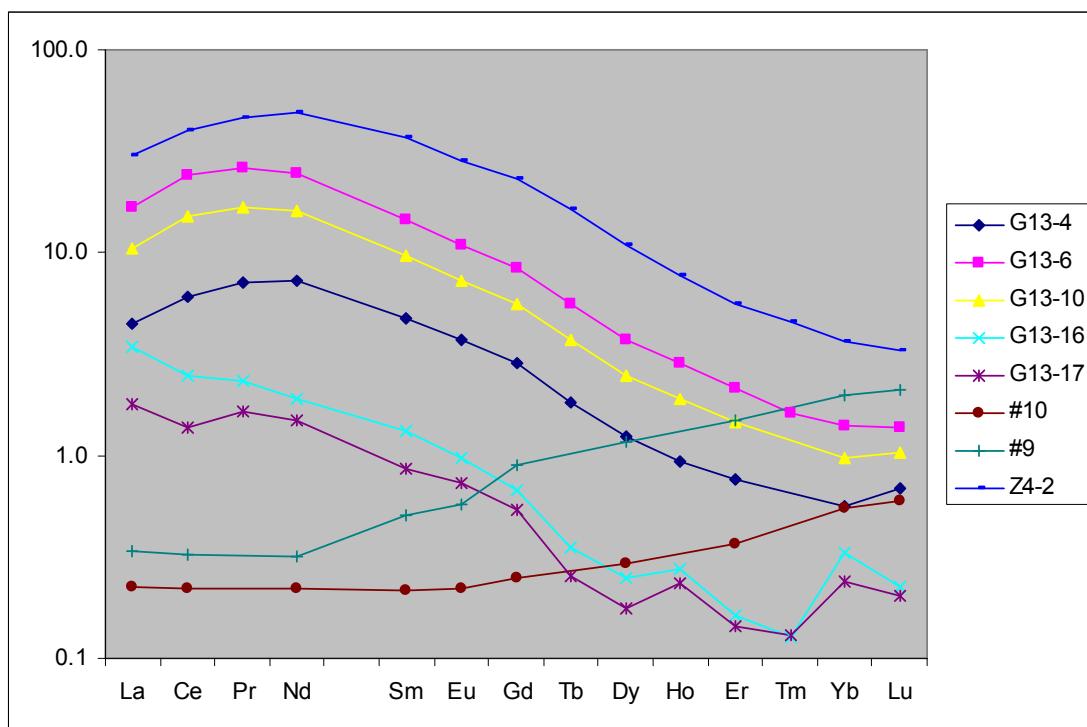


**Figure 10-7** REE patterns of olivine cumulates from the Guli Massif.

The distinction between the two types of cumulates also becomes obvious with respect to the REE patterns, illustrated in Fig 10 - 7. Olivine cumulates from G13 show a La / Yb ratio 8 – 12, whereas the olivine cumulates from G1 are characterised by much high La / Yb ratios ranging between 15 and 35.

In Fig 10 - 8 the REE patterns of olivine cumulates from G13 are compared to modelled melt batches produced after the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> partial melting episode of primitive mantle. A good match with respect to the HREE can be observed, but there is a significant gap of 1.5 - 2 orders of magnitude in the LREE concentrations. This remarkable enrichment in LREE of G13 olivine cumulates compared to modelled melt batches corresponds to that observed in the Guli residual dunites. Therefore, it is suggested that the G13 olivine cumulates indeed represent the result of a batch melt, produced during continuous

partial melting of the mantle source of the Guli Massif. Best match with respect to the HREE is obtained with melt batch 9 to 10, equivalent to a total degree of partial melting of > 40% (Fig 10-8). The remarkable gap in the LREE is explained by the addition of a LREE enriched component during metasomatism. In accordance to the residual material remaining after partial melting of the Guli mantle source, it is assumed that the LREE enriched component derived from a carbonatitic source.

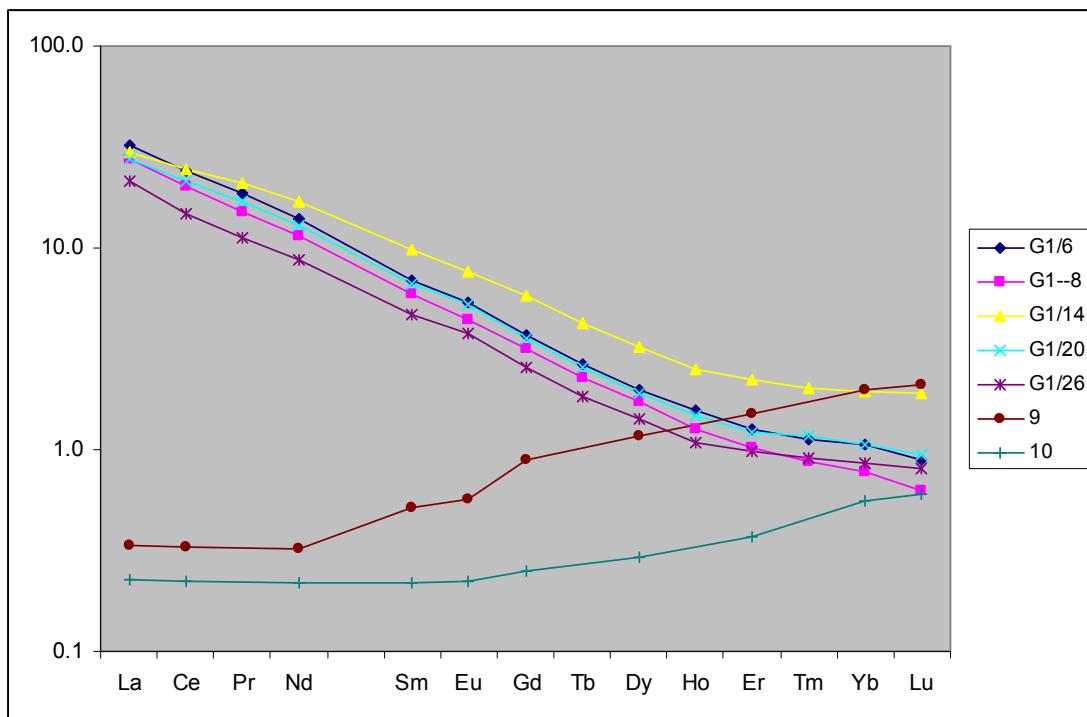


**Figure 10-8** Olivine cumulate REE patterns from the Guli Massif (G13) in comparison to REE patterns of 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> melt batches of the modelling experiment (Loidl *et al.* in prep) Representative REE pattern from the residual dunites (G13) are shown for comparison.

Fig 10 – 9 illustrates the REE patterns of olivine cumulates from G1 in comparison to the same modelled melt batches of Fig 10 - 8. A good match with respect to the HREE becomes also obvious, as well as a significant LREE enrichment of the G1 olivine cumulate, up to 2.5 orders of magnitude. Consequently, the G1 olivine cumulates also are suggested to represent the result of a batch melt, produced during continuous partial melting of the mantle source of the Guli Massif. Major and trace elements as well as

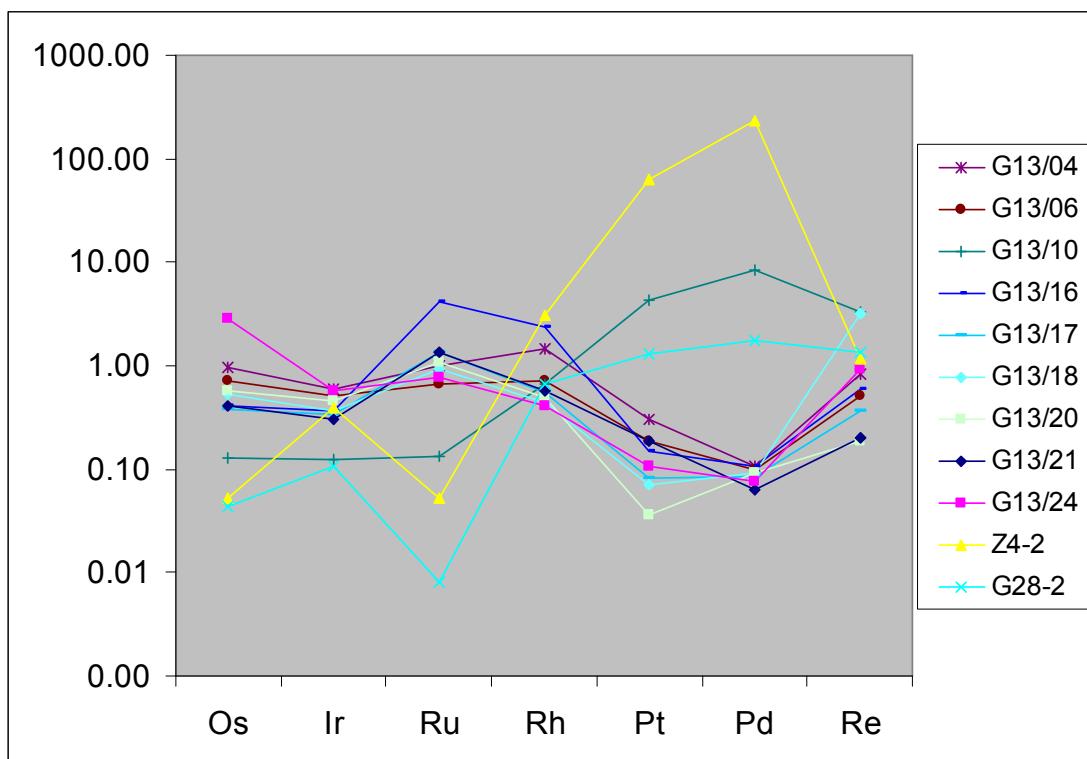
mineral compositions indicate that the G1 olivine cumulates are less fractionated, but had been affected more intensely by metasomatism. It should also be emphasized here that the G1 olivine cumulates are highly enriched in Cr (i.e. up to 4200 ppm, See Appendix 1 - XRF data), particularly when compared to the residual dunites which show Cr concentrations between 600 – 700 ppm (See Appendix 1 – XRF data). This indicates that Cr was removed significantly from the mantle source during partial melting and taken up preferentially by the melt portions represented now by the G1 olivine cumulates. The high Cr concentration is reflected by the occurrence of intercumulate chromite and / or chromite inclusions in olivine, whereas chromite is lacking in the residual dunites (See

Section 7: Petrography).

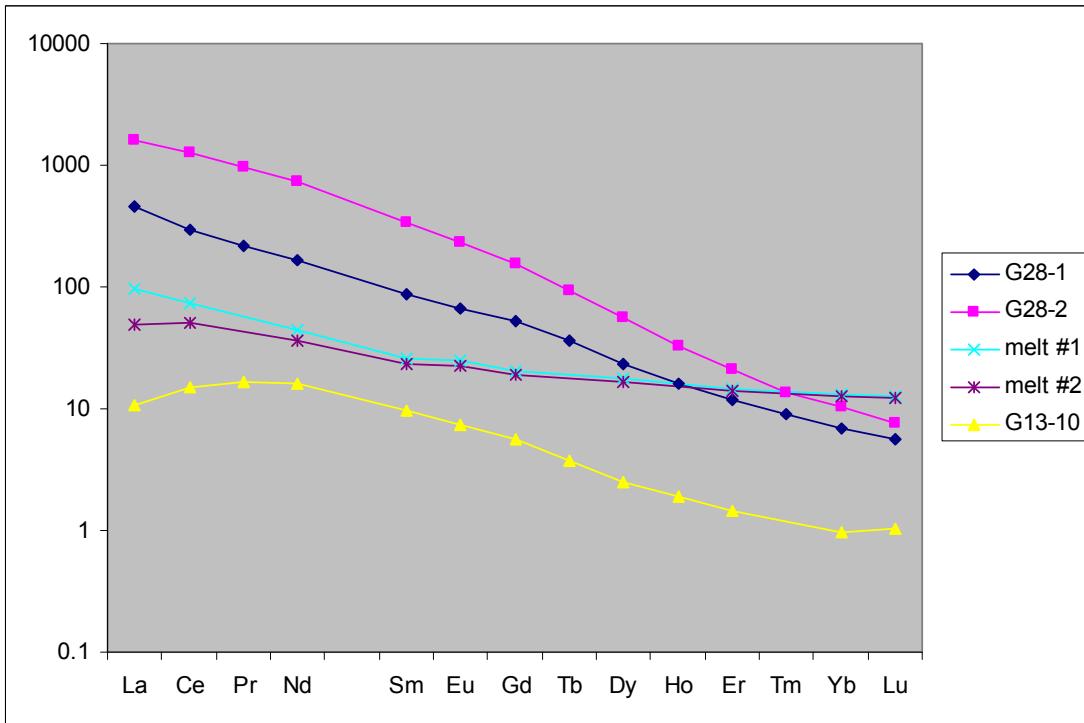


**Figure 10-9** Olivine cumulate REE patterns from the Guli Massif (G1) in comparison to REE patterns of the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> melt batches of the modelling experiment (Loidl *et al.* in prep)

The next possibility in search for melt portions resulting from partial melting of the Guli mantle source is clinopyroxenite. The clinopyroxenites occur as dykes, veins and plugs occasionally within the Guli dunite core complex, becoming more abundant in the periphery of the core complex and are representing the major rock types when approaching the carbonatite intrusion. (Loidl 2005) and (Dvorani, 2007). The clinopyroxenites are characterised by distinct positive PGE patterns, indicating that particularly PPGE had been dominantly removed from the mantle source during early episodes of partial melting (Fig 10 - 10). Clinopyroxenite G28-2 shows the highest PGE concentration of the Guli Massif collected for this project (FWF P16440-N11), with a remarkable PPGE enrichment, as illustrated in Fig 10 – 10.



**Figure 10-10** PGE patterns of clinopyroxenites (G28-2, Z4-2 & G13-10) in comparison with those of olivine cumulates from drill core G13. Data of patterns G28 and Z4 taken from (Loidl 2005)



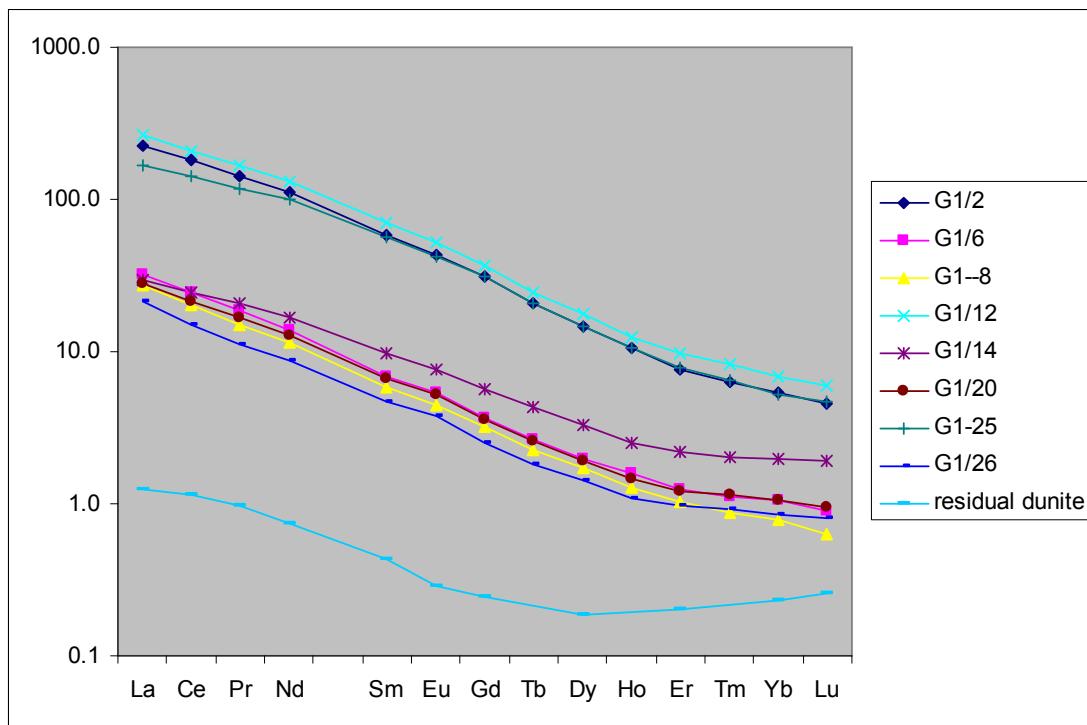
**Figure 10-11** REE patterns of clinopyroxenite (data of G28 were taken from Loidl 2005) in comparison to the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> melt batches of the modelling experiment (Loidl *et al.* in prep).

Fig 10-11 illustrates REE patterns of representative clinopyroxenites from the Guli Massif (G28) compared to early melt batches of the modelling experiment (Loidl *et al.* in prep). An excellent match becomes obvious with respect to the HREE, whereas the Guli clinopyroxenites show an order of magnitude of enrichment in LREE when compared to the first and second modelled melt batches. Therefore it can be concluded that clinopyroxenites of the Guli Massif represent early melt batches removed from the mantle source during partial melting. The melt batches had been metasomatised, i.e. addition of a LREE enriched component, as illustrated in Fig 10 - 11. One REE pattern (G13-10), shown in Fig 10 - 11, is deviating from the other clinopyroxenite REE patterns by lower HREE concentrations and lack of LREE enrichment. This particular clinopyroxenite occurs at the boundary of the dunite residual and the olivine cumulates. In the immediate surrounding both the olivine cumulate and the residual dunite are highly altered. This indicates that the clinopyroxenite has reacted with its surrounding

resulting in a loss of REE. This assumption is supported by the fact that the residual dunite in close vicinity shows the highest REE concentrations of the residual dunites of G13 (See Fig 9 – 5: Geochemistry). Consequently this clinopyroxenite is interpreted to represent a small melt portion which had not escaped from the site of partial melting. Further support for conclusion comes from the unusual accessory mineral phases (i.e. clinopyroxene, phlogopite, calcite, apatite and perovskite) in the residual dunites (see Section 7: Petrography), but display similar mineral paragenesis if compared with the clinopyroxenites. These mineral phases can not be considered as part of the residual dunite paragenesis. Therefore, the accessory minerals, filling interstitial spaces, presumably represent trapped tiny melt portions. The differing clinopyroxene composition (e.g. lower Fe content compared to the clinopyroxenite, mentioned above, see Appendix 5: CPX data) is assumed to be the result of melt droplet / solid residual reaction. This conclusion is supported by the modelling experiment (Loidl et al. in prep) where 95% of melt extraction is calculated, 5 % is supposed to remain with the residue.

The meimechites, probably the most unusual rocks in the area of the Guli Massif, are considered as part of the Siberian Flood Basalt province and not representing an integrated part of the Guli Massif, e.g. (Arndt et al., 1995; Fedorenko and Czamanske, 1997; Kogarko and Ryabchikov, 2000). However, meimechites had been observed in the frame of this study particularly in drill core G1, where they occur in an intercalated section together with olivine cumulates. Therefore, the meimechites are considered as an integrated part of the Guli Massif in this study, the reason for this will be discussed in the following.

A clear genetic relationship between meimechites, G1 olivine cumulates and residual dunites becomes already obvious in the Harker diagrams with particular reference to elements such as Ni, Al, Cr and Fe (see Section 9: Geochemistry).



**Figure 10-12** REE pattern of G1 olivine cumulates and meimechites in comparison with a representative pattern from the residual dunites (G17).

The genetic relationship between G1 olivine cumulates and meimechites becomes even more obvious when looking at the normalized REE patterns (Fig 10 – 12). The REE patterns from the meimechites clearly indicate higher fractionation compared to those of the G1 cumulates. Therefore, it is suggested that G1 olivine cumulates and meimechites developed from the same common parental melt. The REE pattern from the representative residual dunites, as shown for comparison in Fig 10- 12, can be interpreted clearly as the residue of this parental melt. Further support for this conclusion comes from the presence of accessory chromites in the meimechites, which can be interpreted as early fractionation products (i.e. early formed phenocrysts) transported in the liquid / crystal “mash” up to the surface.

The meimechites show flat to slightly positive PGE patterns (See. Fig 9 – 9: Geochemistry), whereas the PGE patterns of G1 olivine cumulates are characterised by a depletion in Pt and Pd. This enrichment in PPGE in the meimechites can be considered as further evidence that the meimechites are more highly fractionated than the G1 olivine cumulates. It can be further suggested that this fractionation of the meimechites took place during ascent of parts of the parental melt to the G1 olivine cumulate.

### **10.3. Primary IPGE concentrations?**

The claims that the Guli Massif hosts the largest concentrations of IPGE in the world are not consistent with the finding of this study. The low IPGE concentrations of the dunite and the almost lack of any PGE mineral from any thin section studied suggests that these claims are exaggerated. In the peripheral area of the dunite core complex a small region of highly disseminated to *schlieren* type chromitites were observed. The PGE concentrations are slightly elevated, when compared to those of the dunite hosts, and the normalized PGE patterns mirror those of the dunite host. This could indicate that some PGE migrated from the core to the periphery, possibly during the metasomatism. This differs significantly from typical Alaskan – Uralian type complexes, which are characterized by abundant occurrences of Ir–Os and Pt–Fe alloys. However, it should be emphasized here that possibly due to the location of and the limited access to drill cores in the area, a “hidden” level of higher PGE concentrations could still exist.

## 11. Conclusions

The Guli Dunite core complex represents a metasomatised restitic residual. This is evident in the recrystallised textures, fluid / melt inclusions and very low PGE concentrations. The presence of unusual accessory phases such as, clinopyroxene, phlogopite, perovskite, calcite and apatite, occurring in interstitial spaces is evidence for a metasomatic overprint. This metasomatic overprint is also evident in the REE patterns, which show a significant increase in LREE, compared to complexes of a similar nature. The modelling data of (Loidl et al. in prep), has shown that the residual dunites of the Guli Massif were formed by continuous melting and predominant segregation of the melt batches from the melting site. Nine episodes of partial melting, equivalent to a total of 52% of partial melting are required to receive a residue matching the dunites of the Guli core complex. The LREE metasomatic component has been characterised as 0.03 to 0.05 % carbonatitic material, which was added to the residuum as was as to the cumulate sequences

The olivine cumulates present in drill cores G13 and G1, represent the result of a batch melt produced during continuous partial melting of the mantle source. This is confirmed with the modelled REE patterns for the later melt batches, where episodes 9 &10, representing > 40% partial melt, show a good fit to the HREE concentrations of the olivine cumulates of both drill core G13 and G1. Geochemical data indicate that the G1 cumulates are less fractionated, but have been affected more intensely by metasomatism.

The clinopyroxenites have been interpreted as representing early melt portions, which have been partially removed from the mantle source. This is evident in the close fit of the HREE of the modelled REE patterns for the first and second melt batches. The LREE enrichment relative to the modelled patterns is the result of the addition of metasomatic LREE - rich material. The positive PGE patterns common only to the clinopyroxenites, gives evidence that the PPGE were preferentially removed from the mantle source during early episodes of partial melting. The presence of accessory mineral phases within dunites, very similar to the mineral paragenesis in clinopyroxenites represents small melt portions, which did not escape the site of partial melting, trapped in the residue they have reacted with it. Clinopyroxenite dykes cutting through the Guli Dunite core complex represent early melt batches which have re-intruded the residual.

The meimechites occur as an intercalated section, together with the olivine cumulates in drill core G1. Geochemical evidence show a clear genetic link between the meimechites, the G1 olivine cumulates and the restitic dunites. Olivine cumulates and meimechites derived from one common melt batch, the residue of which is represented by the dunites of the Guli core complex. REE and PGE patterns of the meimechites clearly indicate that they are more highly fractionated than the G1 olivine cumulates. The presence of high Cr concentrations in the G1 olivine cumulates together with accessory chromite in both the olivine cumulates and the meimechites show that Cr was preferentially removed into the early melt fraction during continuous partial melting of the mantle source of the Guli Massif.

On the basis of the present detailed mineralogical, petrological and geochemical study, it was possible to fit “piece after piece” together, similar to a “puzzle”. In particular, a definite genetic link between the Guli core complex, as the residuum and several melt portions, produced during continuous partial melting, which are represented by olivine cumulates as part of the alkalic suite surrounding the Guli core complex and the remarkable meimechites. However, what is missing in this study and what was the initial intention of this thesis, is a better time constraint of the various processes proposed and detailed in this study. Events beyond the control of this study (e.g. brake down of external analytical equipment and thus loss of a significant amount of already well prepared samples), prevented that meaningful age data becoming available during the time frame of this thesis. However, some results are expected in the near future and will be integrated in an almost completed manuscript and will be published in an international journal.

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## 14. Appendix 1 - XRF data

Sample	G17/16	G17/18	G17/19	G17/25	G17/29	G17/33	G17/35	G17/42	G17/43	G17/45	G17/4
MgO (%)	41.67	41.13	46.19	50.29	47.92	49.77	47.62	50.54	49.38	48.24	40.36
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	7.04	6.75	7.79	8.32	10.53	8.27	8.03	8.50	7.97	9.92	6.92
SiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	34.25	33.54	37.99	41.05	40.27	40.89	43.97	41.33	41.12	41.49	33.54
MnO (%)	0.11	0.10	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.15	0.11
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.13	0.10
TiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.11	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.22	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.08	0.12	0.09
CaO (%)	0.32	0.42	0.37	0.40	0.41	0.39	0.40	0.38	0.36	1.22	0.49
Na <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03
K <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (%)	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02
LOI	16.00	18.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.00
Sum (%)	99.60	100.14	99.69	100.43	99.67	99.66	100.39	101.14	99.17	101.38	99.71
Cr ppm	749.75	657.74	628.24	632.06	1490.50	603.72	605.14	714.43	571.91	791.09	783.16
Ni ppm	4257.05	4306.00	4248.98	4241.00	4109.00	4290.43	3949.01	4101.00	4123.56	3906.50	5599.87
Sr ppm	0.00	1.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.76	12.40
Zn ppm	64.54	65.48	63.65	60.93	73.99	68.14	60.10	59.12	70.89	77.31	352.10
Y ppm	2.03	1.90	2.14	2.34	2.49	1.94	1.72	1.68	2.46	2.53	2.11
Rh ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rb ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Zr ppm	3.86	3.45	9.47	3.21	4.20	5.45	5.19	3.16	4.11	4.28	6.75
Cu ppm	79.82	86.21	60.88	29.04	51.88	101.25	49.65	33.86	30.65	38.92	100.89
Sample	G17/7	G17/22	G17/24	G17/40	G17/44	G17/47	G17/49	G13/6	G13/20	G13/24	G1/25
MgO (%)	41.77	51.83	39.24	49.73	50.19	50.30	50.20	35.00	46.97	45.42	29.90
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	7.18	8.32	10.74	8.24	8.08	8.05	8.17	16.81	11.30	12.97	14.19
SiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	34.50	42.34	33.99	40.96	41.22	41.13	41.16	39.79	39.96	39.68	41.48
MnO (%)	0.11	0.13	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.22	0.16	0.19	0.18
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.13	0.83	0.27	0.14	3.39
TiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.04	0.05	0.15	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	1.60	0.23	0.18	3.24
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.08	0.10	0.31	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.42	0.87	0.40	0.27
CaO (%)	0.37	0.44	0.58	0.52	0.39	0.36	0.36	6.04	0.88	0.61	7.60
Na <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.33
K <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	1.13
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (%)	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.41
LOI	15.00	0.00	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sum (%)	99.16	103.31	100.29	99.87	100.27	100.21	100.30	100.75	100.68	99.63	102.13
Cr ppm	666.64	651.87	2490.92	636.51	642.24	677.22	604.71	2901.18	5959.52	2730.45	1831.38
Ni ppm	4348.60	4330.43	3660.86	4217.79	4314.72	4395.39	4357.00	2236.47	3944.88	3582.48	1851.80
Sr ppm	0.00	0.00	4.31	105.13	10.78	0.00	0.00	105.13	10.78	3.75	554.71
Zn ppm	62.77	72.14	86.84	102.73	80.85	57.47	62.55	102.73	80.85	86.16	92.76
Y ppm	1.68	2.28	2.00	5.93	1.85	1.71	2.34	5.93	1.85	2.48	19.72
Rh ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rb ppm	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.89
Zr ppm	2.57	3.48	4.71	40.80	5.84	4.65	3.14	40.80	5.84	6.05	245.04
Cu ppm	56.65	60.40	43.11	106.90	71.68	35.00	38.09	106.90	71.68	112.72	193.15

Table of XRF analysis from drill core G17 and G13

Sample	G1-12	G1-14	G1-14_2	G1-2	G1-20	G1-26	G1-26_2	G1-6	G1-8	G13-10 vein	G13-16	G13-17	G13-21	G13-4	G17-2	
	Detection Limit*															
SiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.01	39.34	39.18	39.21	38.60	38.71	38.63	38.72	36.79	38.88	32.42	35.11	33.98	33.73	34.90	32.15
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.01	4.57	1.63	3.50	1.16	0.59	0.58	0.92	0.81	2.00	0.12	0.15	0.18	0.29	0.18	
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (%)	0.01	14.25	11.52	11.52	13.27	10.94	11.90	11.91	14.07	11.07	23.47	11.88	10.16	8.53	14.32	11.64
MnO (%)	0.01	0.20	0.18	0.18	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.16	0.24	0.17	0.14	0.13	0.20	0.17	
MgO (%)	0.01	24.29	37.08	37.09	27.37	42.87	42.11	42.08	39.27	43.12	19.24	40.63	40.80	42.12	38.15	37.93
CaO (%)	0.01	7.65	4.02	6.65	1.07	1.04	1.04	0.98	1.08	10.15	0.72	0.74	0.22	1.42	0.45	
Na <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.02	1.22	0.92	0.93	0.75	0.14	0.17	0.20	0.15	0.18	0.28	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.07	0.05
K <sub>2</sub> O (%)	0.01	1.33	0.79	0.79	1.46	0.43	0.18	0.18	0.35	0.31	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.01
TiO <sub>2</sub> (%)	0.01	3.05	0.71	0.71	2.90	0.42	0.37	0.37	0.48	0.45	6.42	0.22	0.22	0.15	0.73	0.08
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (%)	0.01	0.46	0.24	0.24	0.41	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.02
LOI ()		2.13	2.52	2.52	3.43	2.92	3.77	3.77	5.86	2.86	4.19	10.24	12.56	12.99	8.93	16.41
Sum (%)	99.12	99.28	99.31	99.15	99.69	99.66	99.78	99.75	99.71	98.94	99.88	99.69	99.29	99.75	100.05	
Ba (PPM)	20.00	490.30	267.90	243.00	438.50	69.30	55.10	32.90	44.50	31.70	75.90	14.50	13.70	16.10	26.40	0.00
Ce (PPM)	20-30	112.30	25.60	23.70	87.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	23.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	22.30
Co (PPM)	15.00	96.20	102.70	96.50	99.50	127.20	143.60	141.20	153.80	124.50	100.00	123.50	116.30	105.30	137.30	131.70
Cr (PPM)	15.00	1622.80	2319.90	2317.80	1568.70	3915.60	3926.30	3919.90	3003.00	4178.90	430.70	2054.40	4535.20	8123.20	3350.70	2144.60
Cu (PPM)	15.00	149.10	60.50	64.10	130.40	29.00	13.50	10.20	18.90	25.80	678.30	16.70	18.80	12.30	21.00	4.10
Ga (PPM)	10-15	12.50	6.30	6.30	14.30	9.80	7.50	7.80	8.10	10.20	13.50	8.30	4.50	5.70	7.80	5.80
Hf (PPM)	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
La (PPM)	20-30	26.90	0.00	10.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.30	0.00	0.00
Nb (PPM)	20-30	68.60	0.00	61.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Na (PPM)	20-30	62.20	0.00	0.00	44.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.90	18.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ni (PPM)	15.00	1161.80	1414.80	1417.40	1455.20	2271.30	1980.00	1981.60	2012.80	2114.80	469.40	2370.10	2437.30	2467.60	2016.20	2154.80
Pb (PPM)	15.00	7.70	0.00	0.00	7.60	0.00	5.30	5.50	6.60	25.70	0.00	0.00	7.50	8.40	0.00	
Rb (PPM)	5-10	25.20	14.00	11.50	23.60	5.50	4.30	4.20	5.90	3.50	1.20	4.10	1.70	1.40	3.90	3.70
Sc (PPM)	20.00	24.10	8.00	7.50	24.00	12.40	0.00	8.60	0.00	10.60	79.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.80	0.00
Sr (PPM)	15-20	964.20	194.10	194.60	548.80	88.00	77.40	79.30	97.40	73.20	135.80	19.20	17.60	8.30	34.80	8.40
Th (PPM)	20.00	8.90	11.60	6.40	9.60	3.10	4.40	4.00	6.90	7.00	0.10	5.30	9.20	7.20	6.60	6.80
U (PPM)	20.00	0.00	9.30	0.00	9.40	5.20	11.00	0.00	6.90	0.00	0.00	12.50	0.00	5.80	6.20	
V (PPM)	15.00	281.70	95.40	82.50	274.60	47.30	45.70	41.70	55.80	55.40	721.90	24.10	32.50	20.40	77.00	7.30
W (PPM)	20-30	7.30	0.00	3.40	0.00	1.60	0.00	6.40	0.00	2.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.90	0.70	
Y (PPM)	15-20	16.00	3.90	6.70	14.50	2.50	1.90	1.60	3.00	3.20	3.60	0.00	0.00	0.50	1.30	1.50
Zn (PPM)	15.00	100.80	79.60	80.10	94.30	70.80	83.50	84.50	86.60	76.50	145.80	82.00	75.80	64.40	90.10	63.90
Zr (PPM)	15-20	297.90	56.20	38.50	254.00	40.70	41.30	42.50	46.40	36.20	116.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.70	14.10

Table of XRF analysis from drill core G1 and G13

## **15. Appendix 2 - PGE data**

<b>ppb</b>	<b>Os content</b>	<b>Ir content</b>	<b>Ru content</b>	<b>Rh content</b>	<b>Pt content</b>	<b>Pd content</b>	<b>Re content</b>	<b>Ir/Ru</b>
<b>G1-2</b>	1.8	1.18	2.30	0.40	4.45	4.56	0.21	0.513
<b>G1-6</b>	2.7	2.41	6.01	0.43	0.94	0.74	0.49	0.402
<b>G1-8</b>	3.9	2.53	7.69	0.37	1.02	0.66	0.66	0.329
<b>G1-12</b>	2.3	1.54	2.84	0.50	11.22	6.83	0.42	0.541
<b>G1-14</b>	1.5	0.78	2.44	0.38	3.01	2.30	0.19	0.318
<b>G1-20</b>	3.0	1.73	5.70	0.50	1.15	0.82	0.52	0.303
<b>G1/25</b>	1.28	1.06	2.33	0.53	6.39	4.62	0.31	0.453
<b>G1/25b</b>	1.36	0.96	2.75	0.43	6.26	4.54	0.85	0.351
<b>G1-26</b>	3.2	2.49	7.87	0.42	0.67	0.43	0.30	0.317
<b>G17/02</b>	0.57	0.24	2.12	0.17	0.38	0.12	0.08	0.114
<b>G17/04</b>	25.41	4.27	5.18	0.13	0.23	0.19	0.03	0.823
<b>G17/07</b>	0.03	0.08	5.68	0.12	0.09	0.37	0.00	0.014
<b>G17/12</b>	0.20	0.39	3.27	0.35	0.44	0.15	0.06	0.119
<b>G17/16</b>	1.65	0.37	1.52	0.12	0.58	0.25	0.02	0.243
<b>G17/18</b>	15.94	0.11	0.89	0.05	0.76	0.09	0.13	0.119
<b>G17/19</b>	0.05	0.13	0.92	0.12	0.27	0.08	0.03	0.137
<b>G17/22</b>	0.03	0.08	0.70	0.14	1.20	0.63	0.03	0.108
<b>G17/24</b>	4.72	1.51	0.28	0.41	1.17	0.53	0.24	5.349
<b>G17/25</b>	0.04	0.11	0.90	0.05	0.76	0.13	0.14	0.121
<b>G17/29</b>	1.05	0.12	0.93	0.14	0.78	0.13	0.13	0.124
<b>G17/33</b>	0.04	0.14	1.31	0.16	0.18	0.32	0.03	0.104
<b>G17/35</b>	1.30	0.35	1.40	0.18	1.26	0.31	0.06	0.247
<b>G17/37</b>	0.03	0.06	2.82	0.15	0.30	0.06	0.38	0.020
<b>G17/40</b>	0.03	0.12	0.99	0.16	0.64	0.40	0.04	0.116
<b>G17/42</b>	0.19	0.12	6.29	0.62	0.69	0.37	0.03	0.019
<b>G17/43.</b>	0.03	0.14	0.99	0.13	1.42	0.17	0.08	0.140
<b>G17/44</b>	0.03	0.09	6.19	0.71	0.99	0.36	0.03	0.014
<b>G17/45</b>	0.43	0.25	0.97	0.07	0.14	0.22	0.85	0.255
<b>G17/47</b>	0.03	0.14	1.15	0.17	0.30	0.06	0.07	0.120
<b>G17/49</b>	0.04	0.12	1.14	0.18	0.31	0.43	0.03	0.102
<b>G13/04</b>	3.24	1.90	4.93	1.29	2.13	0.41	0.23	0.386
<b>G13/06</b>	2.47	1.62	3.30	0.65	1.32	0.38	0.14	0.491
<b>G13/10</b>	0.44	0.40	0.66	0.59	30.46	32.73	0.91	0.604
<b>G13/16</b>	1.40	1.15	20.73	2.09	1.05	0.42	0.17	0.056
<b>G13/17</b>	1.30	1.07	6.80	0.49	0.57	0.34	0.10	0.157
<b>G13/18</b>	1.78	1.16	4.61	0.40	0.51	0.35	0.88	0.251
<b>G13/20</b>	1.94	1.46	5.33	0.44	0.25	0.35	0.05	0.273
<b>G13/21</b>	1.38	0.95	6.68	0.51	1.31	0.24	0.06	0.143
<b>G13/24</b>	9.64	1.84	3.84	0.37	0.75	0.30	0.26	0.479
<b>G-03-2</b>	13.73	10.28	15.06	0.76	0.28	0.45	0.04	0.682
<b>G-03-3</b>	1.08	1.00	3.29	0.34	0.12	0.26	0.07	0.304
<b>Gu-02</b>	4.64	4.17	8.81	0.50	1.08	0.57	0.12	0.474
<b>Gu-06</b>	24.27	15.87	64.96	3.25	0.55	0.78	0.16	0.244
<b>Gu-07</b>	1.80	1.40	5.03	0.28	0.27	0.56	0.15	0.279
<b>M1-1</b>	0.59	0.76	3.21	0.47	3.65	3.65	0.05	0.236

Table of PGE concentrations in ppb for drill core G17, G13, G1 and surficial samples

Mantle norm	Os content	Ir content	Ru content	Rh content	Pt content	Pd content	Re content
G13/04	0.95	0.59	0.99	1.43	0.30	0.11	0.82
G13/06	0.73	0.51	0.66	0.72	0.19	0.10	0.51
G13/10	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.66	4.29	8.39	3.25
G13/16	0.41	0.36	4.15	2.32	0.15	0.11	0.59
G13/17	0.38	0.33	1.36	0.54	0.08	0.09	0.36
G13/18	0.52	0.36	0.92	0.44	0.07	0.09	3.16
G13/20	0.57	0.45	1.07	0.49	0.04	0.09	0.19
G13/21	0.41	0.30	1.34	0.57	0.19	0.06	0.20
G13/24	2.84	0.57	0.77	0.41	0.11	0.08	0.91
G17/02	0.17	0.08	0.42	0.19	0.05	0.03	0.29
G17/04	7.47	1.33	1.04	0.15	0.03	0.05	0.10
G17/07	0.01	0.03	1.14	0.14	0.01	0.10	0.01
G17/12	0.06	0.12	0.65	0.39	0.06	0.04	0.22
G17/16	0.49	0.12	0.30	0.13	0.08	0.06	0.09
G17/18	0.03	0.18	0.05	0.11	0.02	0.02	0.45
G17/18	0.01	0.03	0.15	0.11	0.03	0.01	0.17
G17/19	0.01	0.04	0.18	0.14	0.04	0.02	0.09
G17/22	0.01	0.02	0.14	0.15	0.17	0.16	0.10
G17/24	0.01	0.03	0.18	0.06	0.11	0.03	0.49
G17/24	0.01	0.08	0.20	0.15	0.13	0.06	0.15
G17/29	0.31	0.04	0.19	0.15	0.11	0.03	0.45
G17/29	1.15	0.04	0.22	0.16	0.02	0.07	0.08
G17/33	0.01	0.04	0.26	0.18	0.03	0.08	0.09
G17/35	0.38	0.11	0.28	0.20	0.18	0.08	0.21
G17/37	0.01	0.02	0.56	0.17	0.04	0.02	1.35
G17/40	0.01	0.04	0.20	0.18	0.09	0.10	0.14
G17/42	0.06	0.04	1.26	0.68	0.10	0.09	0.12
G17/43.	0.01	0.04	0.20	0.15	0.20	0.04	0.28
G17/43.	0.01	0.03	0.15	0.11	0.03	0.02	0.07
G17/44	0.01	0.03	1.24	0.79	0.14	0.09	0.09
G17/45	0.13	0.08	0.19	0.07	0.02	0.06	3.05
G17/45	0.03	0.10	0.27	0.12	0.07	0.06	0.08
G17/47	0.01	0.04	0.23	0.19	0.04	0.02	0.26
G17/49	0.01	0.04	0.23	0.20	0.04	0.11	0.11
G-03-2	4.04	3.21	3.01	0.84	0.04	0.12	0.13
G-03-3	0.32	0.31	0.66	0.38	0.02	0.07	0.26
Gu-02	1.37	1.30	1.76	0.56	0.15	0.15	0.44
Gu-06	7.14	4.96	12.99	3.61	0.08	0.20	0.59
Gu-07	0.53	0.44	1.01	0.31	0.04	0.14	0.53
M1-1	0.17	0.24	0.64	0.52	0.51	0.94	0.18
G1-2	0.541	0.37	0.46	0.44	0.63	1.17	0.75
G1-6	0.784	0.75	1.20	0.48	0.13	0.19	1.74
G1-8	1.148	0.79	1.54	0.41	0.14	0.17	2.37
G1-12	0.681	0.48	0.57	0.56	1.58	1.75	1.49
G1-14	0.444	0.24	0.49	0.42	0.42	0.59	0.67
G1-20	0.879	0.54	1.14	0.56	0.16	0.21	1.84
G1-26	0.942	0.78	1.57	0.46	0.09	0.11	1.07
G1/25	0.38	0.33	0.47	0.59	0.90	1.18	1.10
G1/25b	0.40	0.30	0.55	0.48	0.88	1.16	3.04

Table of mantle normalised PGE concentrations

**16. Appendix 3: REE data**

sample	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Ba	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu	Hf	Ta	W	Th
G17/2	0.04									0.00	0.00				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.86
G17/4	0.41	5.52	0.36		7.29	0.89	2.23	0.01	0.03	0.14	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.18	0.05	0.00	0.05	0.26
G17/7	0.29	1.20			5.05	0.13	0.17	0.04	0.11	0.03	0.03	0.11	0.07	0.12	0.06	0.05	0.09	0.05	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.01
G17/12	0.10	1.48	0.30		1.76	0.15	0.32	0.04	0.17	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.02
G17/16		1.84	0.02		5.10	1.25				0.19	0.57	0.07	0.02	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.29
G17/18	0.32	0.41	0.03		15.43	0.19	0.26	0.04	0.15	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.14
G17/19	0.26	2.16			1.28	0.24	0.64	0.08	0.29	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.99	0.09
G17/22	0.25	1.04	0.01		3.61	0.03	0.05	0.02	0.29	0.09	0.01	0.05	0.09	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.03
G17/24	0.31	1.39			6.20	0.14	0.29	0.04	0.29	0.08	0.02	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.01	0.06	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.23
G17/25	2.37	0.10			7.16	0.56	0.11	0.39	0.35	0.08	0.02	0.07	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.19
G17/29	2.10	0.05			3.92	0.35	0.07	0.27	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.06
G17/33	0.22	0.01			2.62	0.05	0.09	0.02	0.07	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.06
G17/35	0.35	0.76	0.13		1.30	0.29	0.70	0.09	0.34	0.06	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.06
G17/37	0.57	4.17			1.92	0.08	0.19	0.02	0.08	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03
G17/40	0.38	4.23	0.08		6.89	0.56	1.06	0.14	0.52	0.12	0.03	0.04	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.05	0.02	1.23	0.12
G17/42	0.23	1.07			4.39	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.04
G17/43	0.21	0.06			3.03	0.05	0.09	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.05
G17/44	1.23	0.02	0.31		7.20	0.27	0.08	0.03	0.08	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.01	2.69
G17/45	2.31	0.04			4.66	0.43	0.16	0.16	0.80	0.18	0.05	0.17	0.11	0.06	0.01	0.06	0.01	0.06	0.01	0.09	0.01	0.01	0.14
G17/47	1.10	10.57			10.57	0.50	0.10	0.37	0.08	0.02	0.07	0.09	0.06	0.01	0.07	0.01	0.07	0.01	0.07	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.10
G17/49	0.20	0.25	0.01		2.04	0.03	0.05	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.03
G13-4	1.30	8.89	0.20	0.66	20.01	1.05	3.76	0.67	3.34	0.71	0.21	0.56	0.07	0.30	0.05	0.13	0.01	0.09	0.02	0.33	0.05	0.11	
G13/6	3.47	22.60	0.10	1.34	3.94	14.96	2.42	11.30	2.17	0.61	1.64	0.20	0.92	0.16	0.36	0.04	0.22	0.03	1.13	0.11	2.54	0.08	
G13/10	6.98	83.38	11.51	0.21	30.59	6.82	21.14	3.43	17.10	3.93	1.15	3.15	0.39	1.76	0.27	0.60	0.07	0.39	0.06	3.14	0.82	0.55	0.70
G13/16	4.27	0.22	1.11	14.58	0.82	1.55	0.22	0.89	0.20	0.06	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.05	0.01	0.16	0.03	84.22	0.24	
G13/17	5.56	0.06	1.22	21.02	0.43	0.86	0.16	0.70	0.13	0.04	0.11	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.24	0.02	90.99	0.11	
G13/20	0.27	2.52	0.59	6.48	0.34	0.66	0.08	0.32	0.06	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.09	0.01	10.27	0.16	
G13/21	0.21			4.01	0.39	0.64	0.09	0.33	0.06	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01	1.16	0.12	
M1-1	9.76	119.87	28.27	0.16	127.12	31.80	70.12	8.65	34.72	5.98	1.64	4.34	0.53	2.55	0.42	0.97	0.12	0.63	0.09	3.64	2.11	52.64	3.29
G1/2	17.19	239.82	58.64	0.13	447.95	53.47	110.62	13.29	51.62	8.68	2.43	6.08	0.73	3.55	0.57	1.28	0.15	0.84	0.11	5.28	3.33	0.83	4.12
G1/6	3.07	55.32	12.87	0.32	40.69	7.66	14.96	1.72	6.38	1.03	0.30	0.72	0.09	0.49	0.09	0.21	0.03	0.17	0.02	1.10	0.57	4.94	0.85
G1/8	2.51	48.87	11.57	0.61	37.95	6.48	12.51	1.41	5.27	0.87	0.25	0.63	0.08	0.42	0.07	0.17	0.02	0.12	0.02	0.94	0.56	1.00	0.79
G1/12	22.27	301.25	81.12	0.27	524.52	62.11	129.22	15.55	60.30	10.38	2.92	7.16	0.87	4.38	0.68	1.60	0.20	1.10	0.15	6.35	4.17	0.49	4.43
G1/14	4.54	50.17	10.15	0.72	281.10	7.03	15.00	1.93	7.71	1.46	0.43	1.13	0.15	0.80	0.14	0.37	0.05	0.31	0.05	1.15	0.50	1.11	0.51
G1/20	2.45	38.61	8.19	0.55	97.01	6.52	13.17	1.57	5.86	0.99	0.29	0.69	0.09	0.46	0.08	0.20	0.03	0.17	0.02	0.73	0.38	1.35	0.64
G1/25	14.41	170.39	37.23	0.23	333.40	39.99	88.71	11.11	46.05	8.37	2.35	6.16	0.74	3.60	0.57	1.32	0.16	0.83	0.11	4.73	2.68	0.74	0.74
G1/26	1.91	42.97	7.63	0.23	46.45	5.05	9.18	1.04	3.95	0.69	0.21	0.50	0.06	0.35	0.06	0.16	0.02	0.14	0.02	0.85	0.31	0.68	0.93

Table of REE concentrations from drill core G17, G3 and G1 in ppm.

condrite nom	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
G17/2	0.06	0.09	0.08	0.06	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.09
G17/4	3.78	3.62	2.92	2.30	0.91	0.53	0.43	2.19	0.27	1.26	0.20	0.09	0.18	0.08	0.08
G17/7	0.55	0.27	0.44	0.24	0.59	0.61	0.17	3.19	0.27	2.13	0.37	1.96	0.55	2.14	
G17/12	0.62	0.53	0.46	0.38	0.19	0.17	0.07	0.08	0.03	0.09	0.04	0.00	0.05	0.13	
G17/16	5.30	0.00	2.04	1.25	0.49	0.30	0.29	0.00	0.22	0.00	0.23	0.24	0.25	0.25	0.32
G17/18	0.79	0.42	0.43	0.34	0.15	0.19	0.45	0.18	0.37	0.20	0.32	0.23	0.23	0.36	
G17/19	1.01	1.04	0.85	0.64	0.22	0.19	0.04	0.01	0.02	0.12	0.15	0.00	0.07	0.18	
G17/22	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.31	0.06	1.40	0.02	0.00	0.07	0.00
G17/24	0.60	0.47	0.45	0.63	0.62	0.26	0.25	2.44	0.23	1.53	0.18	0.12	0.40	0.18	
G17/25	2.36	0.00	1.16	0.85	0.56	0.30	0.38	0.00	0.34	0.00	0.36	0.38	0.40	0.46	
G17/29	1.48	0.00	0.76	0.58	0.32	0.26	0.27	0.00	0.22	0.00	0.25	0.25	0.29	0.37	
G17/33	0.21	0.14	0.22	0.15	0.27	0.20	0.12	0.43	0.13	0.37	0.18	0.50	0.31	0.53	
G17/35	1.24	1.14	0.98	0.75	0.43	0.29	0.24	0.32	0.19	0.26	0.20	0.20	0.23	0.26	
G17/37	0.34	0.30	0.25	0.16	0.01	0.11	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.08	0.00	0.07	0.21	
G17/40	2.37	1.71	1.47	1.13	0.83	0.46	0.22	0.16	0.12	0.22	0.20	0.15	0.27	0.25	
G17/42	0.04	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	1.20	0.05	0.00	0.00	
G17/43	0.22	0.15	0.14	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.11	0.31	0.10	0.28	0.16	0.29	0.22	0.35	
G17/44	1.14	0.14	0.30	0.19	0.05	0.19	0.12	0.02	0.07	0.17	0.10	0.11	0.21	0.18	
G17/45	1.82	0.00	1.76	1.75	1.23	0.97	0.87	0.00	0.47	0.00	0.35	0.35	0.36	0.46	
G17/47	2.13	0.00	1.12	0.81	0.54	0.31	0.35	0.00	0.38	0.00	0.38	0.45	0.43	0.48	
G17/49	0.15	0.09	0.11	0.06	0.08	0.14	0.13	0.41	0.12	0.32	0.17	0.39	0.22	0.47	
G13-4	4.44	6.10	7.17	7.31	4.74	3.72	2.85	1.84	1.24	0.94	0.77	0.57	0.56	0.69	
G13/6	16.69	24.29	26.07	24.72	14.59	10.91	8.34	5.54	3.75	2.85	2.16	1.61	1.39	1.38	
G13/10	28.89	34.32	36.96	37.42	26.36	20.59	15.98	10.93	7.17	4.95	3.62	2.96	2.42	2.37	
G13/16	3.48	2.51	2.37	1.94	1.33	0.99	0.69	0.36	0.25	0.28	0.16	0.13	0.34	0.23	
G13/17	1.81	1.39	1.68	1.53	0.88	0.75	0.55	0.26	0.18	0.24	0.15	0.13	0.24	0.21	
G13/20	1.45	1.08	0.88	0.70	0.43	0.29	0.10	0.11	0.00	0.14	0.26	0.03	0.10	0.18	
G13/21	1.64	1.04	0.94	0.73	0.43	0.23	0.12	0.12	0.10	0.18	0.10	0.12	0.20	0.31	
M1-1	134.75	113.84	93.11	75.96	40.15	29.33	22.01	14.92	10.42	7.71	5.87	4.83	3.95	3.58	
G1/2	226.55	179.58	143.05	112.96	58.24	43.46	30.87	20.55	14.49	10.47	7.70	6.38	5.29	4.53	
G1/6	32.45	24.29	18.53	13.97	6.93	5.34	3.67	2.65	1.99	1.58	1.25	1.13	1.07	0.90	
G1/8	27.44	20.31	15.21	11.53	5.86	4.40	3.18	2.26	1.73	1.27	1.03	0.87	0.78	0.62	
G1/12	263.18	209.76	167.36	131.94	69.66	52.13	36.35	24.60	17.87	12.54	9.66	8.17	6.93	5.93	
G1/14	29.78	24.36	20.81	16.87	9.83	5.74	4.28	3.25	2.52	2.21	2.03	1.94	1.91		
G1/20	27.62	21.38	16.87	12.82	6.64	5.23	3.53	2.57	1.89	1.48	1.22	1.16	1.06	0.95	
G1/25	169.44	144.01	119.54	100.77	0.00	149.46	11.92	173.62	3.04	65.91	3.46	54.68	0.99	33.86	
G1/26	21.40	14.90	11.23	8.64	4.65	3.77	2.54	1.82	1.41	1.07	0.98	0.91	0.85	0.80	

Table of chondrite normalised REE concentrations

## 17. Appendix 4 Olivine microprobe analysis

Sample	G17/49b4	G17/49b5	G17/49b6	G17/49b7	G17/49b8	G17/49b9	G17/49b12	G17/49b13	G17/49b14
MgO	52.54	51.70	52.43	51.83	52.36	52.22	52.48	52.46	51.39
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.43	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.14	0.29	0.02
FeO	7.23	7.25	7.21	7.14	7.18	7.14	6.45	6.64	7.07
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.08	0.03
MnO	0.13	0.08	0.10	0.16	0.10	0.10	0.05	0.13	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.52	39.94	39.71	40.49	40.91	41.36	39.43	38.27	38.74
CaO	0.14	0.09	0.21	0.14	0.12	0.25	0.02	0.04	0.09
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NiO	0.31	0.31	0.42	0.34	0.31	0.31	0.23	0.38	0.34
Summe	101.35	99.72	100.08	100.10	101.01	101.38	98.83	98.29	97.89
Formula									
Si	0.974	0.960	0.955	0.974	0.984	0.994	0.948	0.920	0.931
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.008	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.006	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.145	0.146	0.145	0.144	0.144	0.144	0.130	0.134	0.142
Mn	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.883	1.853	1.879	1.858	1.877	1.872	1.881	1.880	1.842
Ni	0.006	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.004	0.007	0.007
Ca	0.004	0.002	0.005	0.004	0.003	0.006	0.001	0.001	0.002
TOTAL	3.024	2.976	2.995	2.988	3.017	3.024	2.968	2.952	2.930
Mg #	92.71	92.63	92.75	92.68	92.76	92.78	93.50	93.25	92.68

Sample	G17/49d4	G17/49d5	G17/49d6	G17/49d7	G17/49d8	G17/49d9	G17/49d10	G17/49f1	G17/49f2
MgO	51.41	51.4	51.25	52.63	53.11	53.32	51.46	51.34	45.67
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.09	0	0.05	0	0	0.05	0.18
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.02	0	0.02	0	0.05	0.04	0.04	0
FeO	7.92	8.06	8.38	7.68	7.76	7.56	8.24	8.15	6.8
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.05	0.05	0	0.03	0.03	0	0	0	0
MnO	0.18	0.16	0.13	0.08	0.16	0.1	0.16	0.1	0.1
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.28	40.89	41.2	39.41	39.92	40.05	41.61	41.74	50.67
CaO	0.27	0.32	0.2	0.06	0.05	0.13	0.26	0.27	0.01
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.09
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.07	0	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.42	0.38	0.38	0.34	0.42	0.42	0.5	0.38	0.08
Summe	101.62	101.28	101.7	100.25	101.5	101.63	102.27	102.07	103.6
Formula									
Si	0.993	0.984	0.991	0.948	0.961	0.964	1.001	1.004	1.219
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.005
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.159	0.162	0.169	0.155	0.156	0.152	0.166	0.164	0.137
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.002
Mg	1.844	1.844	1.838	1.888	1.905	1.913	1.846	1.842	1.638
Ni	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.007	0.002
Ca	0.007	0.008	0.005	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.007	0.007	0.000
TOTAL	3.017	3.010	3.016	3.001	3.036	3.043	3.033	3.028	3.003
Fo	91.88	91.77	91.48	92.36	92.28	92.54	91.61	91.73	92.19

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 49

Sample	G17/49b15	G17/49e11	G17/49e13	G17/49e14	G17/49d1	G17/49d2	G17/49d3
MgO	52.08	52.22	52.49	51.10	51.44	51.76	51.66
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0.04
FeO	7.14	7.28	7.35	7.44	8.19	8.39	8.01
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.05	0	0.03
MnO	0.16	0.08	0.10	0.10	0.13	0.16	0.03
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.48	40.15	40.19	38.50	41.06	41.66	40.72
CaO	0.22	0.17	0.16	0.07	0.28	0.27	0.28
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0.06
NiO	0.27	0.42	0.38	0.34	0.5	0.5	0.42
Summe	99.38	100.35	100.67	97.55	101.65	102.74	101.25
Formula							
Si	0.949	0.965	0.966	0.926	0.988	1.002	0.980
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.144	0.146	0.148	0.150	0.165	0.169	0.161
Mn	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.001
Mg	1.867	1.872	1.882	1.832	1.845	1.857	1.853
Ni	0.005	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.010	0.010	0.008
Ca	0.006	0.004	0.004	0.002	0.007	0.007	0.007
TOTAL	2.974	2.998	3.009	2.917	3.018	3.048	3.011
Mg #	92.71	92.67	92.63	92.36	91.68	91.52	91.97

Sample	G17/49f3	G17/49f6	G17/49f7	G17/49f8	G17/49f9	G17/49a3	G17/49a5
MgO	53.07	51.85	51.8	51.94	51.8	53.36	53.41
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.05	0	0	0.14	0.05	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	0	0.02	0	0.02	0
FeO	8.24	8.1	8.27	8.12	8.08	7.87	7.54
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.03	0.03	0	0.05	0.53	0
MnO	0.16	0.13	0.16	0.16	0.1	0.13	0.05
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.05	40.77	41.66	40.93	41.33	40.21	41.22
CaO	0.1	0.17	0.2	0.18	0.06	0.13	0.12
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.5	0.42	0.31	0.46	0.42	0.57	0.38
Summe	103.22	101.52	102.43	101.81	101.98	102.87	102.72
Formula							
Si	0.988	0.981	1.002	0.985	0.994	0.967	0.992
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.010	0.000
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.166	0.163	0.166	0.163	0.163	0.158	0.152
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.001
Mg	1.904	1.860	1.858	1.863	1.858	1.914	1.916
Ni	0.010	0.008	0.006	0.009	0.008	0.011	0.007
Ca	0.003	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.002	0.003	0.003
TOTAL	3.073	3.021	3.042	3.028	3.032	3.068	3.071
Fo	91.84	91.82	91.63	91.79	91.86	92.24	92.62

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 49

Sample	G17/47B/1b	G17/47B/1c	G17/47B/1e	G17/47B/1d	G17/47B/1e	G17/47B/1f	G17/47B/1g	G17/47B/1h
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.89	41.57	37.88	39.36	39.47	39.24	41.06	39.51
MgO	49.2	49.42	50.72	51.26	51.85	52.29	54.46	51.75
FeO	7.14	7.03	7.99	7.93	7.65	7.65	4.45	7.58
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.02	0	0	0	0	0.03	0
NiO	0.2	0.16	0.22	0.2	0.2	0.18	0.14	0.22
Summe	98.45	98.2	96.81	98.85	99.27	99.46	100.24	99.16
Formula								
Si	1.026	1.018	0.928	0.964	0.967	0.961	1.006	0.968
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.146	0.144	0.164	0.162	0.157	0.157	0.091	0.155
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	1.797	1.805	1.852	1.872	1.894	1.910	1.989	1.890
Ni	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.004
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	2.974	2.971	2.948	3.006	3.024	3.034	3.092	3.020
Fo	92.47	92.61	91.88	92.02	92.36	92.42	95.62	92.41

Sample	G17/47B/1i	G17/47B/1j	G17/47B/3a	G17/47B/3c	G17/47B/3d	G17/47B/4a	G17/47B/4b	G17/47B/4c
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.22	39.36	39.05	39.12	38.86	39.36	38.5	37.35
MgO	54.24	51.28	51.52	51.4	50.73	51.26	51.12	51.35
FeO	3.86	7.41	7.34	7.55	7.34	7.72	7.34	8.03
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.14	0.22	0.28	0.22	0.2	0.24	0.26	0.22
Summe	97.49	98.27	98.21	98.29	97.23	98.58	97.22	96.95
Formula								
Si	0.961	0.964	0.957	0.958	0.952	0.964	0.943	0.915
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.079	0.152	0.150	0.155	0.150	0.158	0.150	0.164
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	1.981	1.873	1.882	1.877	1.853	1.872	1.867	1.875
Ni	0.003	0.004	0.006	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.004
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	3.024	2.993	2.994	2.995	2.962	2.999	2.966	2.959
Fo	96.16	92.50	92.60	92.39	92.49	92.21	92.55	91.94

Sample	G17/47a1	G17/47a3	G17/47a4	G17/47a6	G17/47a7	G17/47a8	G17/47a10	G17/47a11	G17/47a13
MgO	49.01	49.19	50.08	50.39	50.78	49.41	49.24	49.35	50.08
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.11
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.02	0.05	0	0	0	0	0.02	0
FeO	7.38	7.26	7.41	7.12	7.17	7.23	7.45	7.43	7.6
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.05	0.07	0	0
MnO	0.15	0.17	0	0.57	0.17	0.17	0.15	0.39	0.15
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.03	40.39	39.86	40.04	40.33	40.3	40.48	40.37	40.24
CaO	0.22	0.37	0.29	0.27	0.21	0.26	0.35	0.29	0.34
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.11	0	0	0.05	0.05	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.37	0.41	0.49	0.57	0.57	0.49	0.49	0.41	0.49
Summe	97.34	97.81	98.2	99.03	99.35	97.91	98.23	98.26	99.01
Formula									
Si	1.002	1.011	0.998	1.002	1.009	1.009	1.013	1.010	1.007
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.154	0.152	0.155	0.149	0.150	0.151	0.156	0.155	0.159
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.000	0.012	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.008	0.003
Mg	1.828	1.835	1.868	1.880	1.894	1.843	1.837	1.841	1.868
Ni	0.007	0.008	0.010	0.011	0.011	0.010	0.010	0.008	0.010
Ca	0.006	0.010	0.008	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.009	0.008	0.009
TOTAL	3.003	3.020	3.040	3.062	3.076	3.025	3.030	3.032	3.060
Fo	92.06	92.19	92.34	92.11	92.50	92.25	92.03	91.83	92.01

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 47

Sample	G17/45a1	G17/45a2	G17/45a5	G17/45a7	G17/45a8	G17/45a11	G17/45a12	G17/45a13	G17/45a14
MgO	44	43.79	44.1	45.27	46.4	45.02	45.8	45.6	44.61
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.09
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.02	0	0	0	0.04	0.02	0.06	0.02
FeO	13.29	13.32	13.28	13.65	12.56	13.21	13.27	13.32	13.09
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0	0	0.03	0.03	0.05	0	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.16	0.26	0.22	0.2	0.24	0.22	0.24	0.2	0.2
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.7	42.47	42.18	42.33	43.13	42.45	42.9	41.93	42.72
CaO	0.15	0.17	0.2	0.22	0.16	0.16	0.22	0.19	0.21
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.42	0.27	0.34	0.27	0.31	0.27	0.38	0.31	0.38
ZnO	0	0	0	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0
Summe	100.75	100.3	100.32	102.01	102.87	101.42	102.83	101.64	101.35

Formula									
Si	1.050	1.045	1.037	1.041	1.061	1.044	1.055	1.031	1.051
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.273	0.274	0.273	0.281	0.258	0.272	0.273	0.274	0.269
Mn	0.003	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.613	1.606	1.617	1.660	1.701	1.651	1.679	1.672	1.636
Ni	0.008	0.005	0.007	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.008	0.006	0.008
Ca	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.004	0.004	0.006	0.005	0.006
TOTAL	2.953	2.940	2.944	2.998	3.036	2.982	3.026	2.994	2.977
Fo	85.36	85.18	85.34	85.35	86.60	85.66	85.80	85.74	85.68

Sample	G17/45e1	G17/45e4	G17/45e5	G17/45e9	G17/45e11	G17/45e15	G17/45e16	G17/45d1	G17/45d3
MgO	46.95	46.41	47.09	47.1	46.74	46.71	47.46	47.77	47.08
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.04	0.06	0	0	0.13	0	0	0
FeO	12.18	12.28	12.09	12.13	12.32	11.89	12.11	12.56	12
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.8	0.59	0.03	0.03	0	0.03	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.18	0.2	0.22	0.2	0.2	0.22	0.18	0.18	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.51	41.43	41.65	42.3	41.8	41.39	41.67	41.68	39.99
CaO	0.19	0.14	0.07	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.07	0.12
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.03	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.08	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.42	0.31	0.27	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.38	0.34	0.34
ZnO	0	0	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0	0
Summe	101.45	101.65	102.08	102.3	101.69	100.82	101.95	102.63	99.72

Formula									
Si	1.021	1.019	1.024	1.040	1.028	1.018	1.025	1.025	0.984
Ti	0.000	0.015	0.011	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.251	0.253	0.249	0.249	0.253	0.245	0.249	0.258	0.247
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.722	1.702	1.727	1.727	1.714	1.713	1.740	1.752	1.726
Ni	0.008	0.006	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.007	0.007
Ca	0.005	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.003
TOTAL	3.011	3.004	3.024	3.033	3.011	2.993	3.029	3.048	2.971
Fo	87.13	86.89	87.21	87.19	86.94	87.30	87.32	86.99	87.34

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 45

Sample	G17/45e1	G17/45e4	G17/45e5	G17/45e9	G17/45e11	G17/45e15	G17/45e16	G17/45d1	G17/45d3
MgO	46.95	46.41	47.09	47.1	46.74	46.71	47.46	47.77	47.08
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.04	0.06	0	0	0.13	0	0	0
FeO	12.18	12.28	12.09	12.13	12.32	11.89	12.11	12.56	12
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.8	0.59	0.03	0.03	0	0.03	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.18	0.2	0.22	0.2	0.2	0.22	0.18	0.18	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.51	41.43	41.65	42.3	41.8	41.39	41.67	41.68	39.99
CaO	0.19	0.14	0.07	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.07	0.12
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.03	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.08	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.42	0.31	0.27	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.38	0.34	0.34
ZnO	0	0	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0	0
Summe	101.45	101.65	102.08	102.3	101.69	100.82	101.95	102.63	99.72

Formula									
Si	1.021	1.019	1.024	1.040	1.028	1.018	1.025	1.025	0.984
Ti	0.000	0.015	0.011	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.251	0.253	0.249	0.249	0.253	0.245	0.249	0.258	0.247
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.722	1.702	1.727	1.727	1.714	1.713	1.740	1.752	1.726
Ni	0.008	0.006	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.007	0.007
Ca	0.005	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.003
TOTAL	3.011	3.004	3.024	3.033	3.011	2.993	3.029	3.048	2.971
Fo	87.13	86.89	87.21	87.19	86.94	87.30	87.32	86.99	87.34

Sample	G17/45d8	G17/45d12	G17/45c1	G17/45c2	G17/45c4	G17/45c5	G17/45c7	G17/45c8	G17/45b1
MgO	46.86	43.95	44.36	44.12	44.56	44.97	44.47	45.32	47.04
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.04	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0.02	0.02	0	0
FeO	11.74	12.85	12.88	13.05	12.57	12.59	12.71	12.79	12.02
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0	0.05	0.08	0	0	0	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.22	0.18	0.2	0.22	0.22	0.18	0.22	0.22	0.2
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.57	41.85	40.75	40.81	40.52	41.57	40.56	41	38.48
CaO	0.11	0.1	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.12	0.12	0.1	0.21
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.24
NiO	0.27	0.31	0.38	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.46	0.27	0.38
ZnO	0.04	0.07	0	0.04	0	0	0.04	0	0
Summe	98.84	99.35	98.74	98.72	98.25	99.76	98.6	99.77	98.6

Formula									
Si	0.973	1.029	1.002	1.004	0.997	1.022	0.998	1.008	0.976
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.241	0.264	0.265	0.268	0.259	0.259	0.261	0.263	0.255
Mn	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.004
Mg	1.718	1.612	1.627	1.618	1.634	1.649	1.631	1.662	1.779
Ni	0.005	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.009	0.005	0.008
Ca	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.006
TOTAL	2.946	2.919	2.910	2.905	2.902	2.944	2.907	2.948	3.029
Fo	87.47	85.74	85.81	85.56	86.13	86.26	85.98	86.13	87.28

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 45

Sample	G17/45b5	G17/45b12	G17/45b13	G17/45b14	G17/45b15	G17/45f1	G17/45f2	G17/45f3	G17/45f4
MgO	47.2	46.98	46.75	46.66	46.79	48.9	49.46	49.4	48.71
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.97	0.09	0.09	0	0.04	0.09	0.13	0.04
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.04	0	0	0	0.02	0.02
FeO	12.3	11.16	10.96	11.09	11.16	8.41	8.48	8.49	8.62
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0.08	0.03	0.05	0	0.03	0	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.22	0.18	0.22	0.18	0.16	0.18	0.2	0.14	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	38.07	38.4	38.76	37.18	38.83	38.86	38.74	38.5	38.58
CaO	0.17	0.24	0.16	0.19	0.21	0.24	0.15	0.15	0.22
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.08	0	0.16	0.08	0	0.07	0	0.15	0
NiO	0.42	0.42	0.38	0.38	0.46	0.27	0.42	0.15	0.31
ZnO	0	0.04	0	0.07	0.04	0	0.07	0	0
Summe	98.49	98.47	97.51	96.01	97.65	97	97.61	97.16	96.69

Formula									
Si	0.966	0.974	0.983	0.943	0.985	0.986	0.983	0.977	0.979
Ti	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.029	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.003	0.004	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.261	0.237	0.233	0.235	0.237	0.178	0.180	0.180	0.183
Mn	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.785	1.777	1.768	1.765	1.770	1.850	1.871	1.868	1.842
Ni	0.009	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.006	0.009	0.003	0.006
Ca	0.005	0.007	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.007	0.004	0.004	0.006
TOTAL	3.031	3.037	3.004	2.965	3.010	3.032	3.053	3.040	3.022
Fo	87.05	88.07	88.17	88.07	88.05	91.03	91.04	91.07	90.82

Sample	G17/45f5	G17/45f6	G17/45c2	G17/45c3	G17/45c4	G17/45c5	G17/45c6	G17/45a1	G17/45a2
MgO	49.74	49.44	46.94	45.72	46.52	46.58	47.07	44.75	44.81
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0.06	0	0.09	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.02	0	0.04	0	0.02	0	0
FeO	8.61	8.43	11.27	11.41	11.63	11.55	11.79	12.24	11.88
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.03	0.03	0	0.03	0	0.03	0	0.06
MnO	0.1	0.12	0.21	0.23	0.21	0.21	0.23	0.18	0.25
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.91	39.27	40.1	40.98	40.95	41.35	41.36	42.26	42.15
CaO	0.06	0.17	0.28	0.22	0.28	0.17	0.44	0.44	0.17
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.15	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.54	0.35	0.42	0.39	0.45	0.27	0.39	0.36	0.33
ZnO	0.04	0							
Summe	99.19	97.88	99.27	99.01	100.11	100.23	101.33	100.23	99.65

Formula									
Si	1.013	0.996	1.001	1.023	1.023	1.033	1.033	1.055	1.053
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.183	0.179	0.235	0.238	0.243	0.241	0.246	0.256	0.248
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.005
Mg	1.881	1.870	1.747	1.702	1.732	1.734	1.752	1.666	1.668
Ni	0.011	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.005	0.008	0.007	0.007
Ca	0.002	0.005	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.005	0.012	0.012	0.005
TOTAL	3.093	3.060	3.005	2.984	3.020	3.025	3.057	3.000	2.986
Fo	91.06	91.16	87.93	87.50	87.51	87.59	87.47	86.53	86.82

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 45

Sample	G17/45a3	G17/45e8	G17/45f1	G17/45f2	G17/45f3	G17/45h3	G17/45g1	G17/45g3	G17/45g5
MgO	45.87	47.19	49.3	49.18	49.22	45.89	46.92	46.97	46.64
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.03	0	0.06	0.06	0	0.09	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.02	0	0.02	0.02	0.02	0	0	0
FeO	12.45	11.89	8.73	8.31	8.49	10	11.97	11.63	11.26
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0	0	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.06
MnO	0.21	0.14	0.18	0.16	0.18	0.16	0.2	0.21	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.71	41.97	42.63	42.2	42.35	42.1	43.86	43.2	43.12
CaO	0.22	0.17	0.22	0.11	0.22	0.22	0.11	0.39	0.28
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.02	0	0.02	0	0	0.01	0	0.02
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.36	0.33	0.36	0.48	0.45	0.36	0.36	0.42	0.48
ZnO									
Summe	101.85	101.76	101.42	100.57	101.02	98.78	103.55	102.88	102.02

Formula									
Si	1.067	1.048	1.065	1.054	1.058	1.051	1.095	1.079	1.077
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.260	0.248	0.182	0.174	0.177	0.209	0.250	0.243	0.235
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.708	1.757	1.835	1.831	1.832	1.708	1.747	1.749	1.736
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.010	0.009	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.010
Ca	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.003	0.006	0.006	0.003	0.010	0.007
TOTAL	3.052	3.068	3.099	3.077	3.089	2.986	3.109	3.095	3.070
Fo	86.59	87.49	90.79	91.19	91.01	88.95	87.30	87.61	87.92

Sample	G17/45g8	G17/45i2	G17/45i3	G17/45e2	G17/45e5	G17/45b1	G17/45b5	
MgO	46.87	46.39	46.17	46.8	46.69	44.51	42.25	45.4
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.46	0	0	0	0.09	0.09	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0.02	0	0	0.02	0	0.02
FeO	11.38	10.79	10.65	11.24	11.36	12.47	12.49	12.32
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.06	0	0	0.03	0.06	0.06	0	0.03
MnO	0.2	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.2	0.23	0.14	0.21
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.46	43.13	42.15	42.88	42.18	43.24	42.77	42.03
CaO	0.17	0.11	0.22	0.22	0.17	0.39	0.33	0.28
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.02	0	0	0.03	0	0.01	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0.07
NiO	0.36	0.45	0.39	0.39	0.48	0.42	0.45	0.39
ZnO								
Summe	103.01	101.17	99.81	101.77	101.26	101.43	98.44	100.75

Formula								
Si	1.085	1.077	1.053	1.071	1.053	1.080	1.068	1.050
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.014	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.238	0.225	0.222	0.235	0.237	0.260	0.261	0.257
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.003	0.004
Mg	1.745	1.727	1.719	1.742	1.738	1.657	1.573	1.690
Ni	0.007	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.008	0.009	0.008
Ca	0.005	0.003	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.010	0.009	0.007
TOTAL	3.099	3.046	3.012	3.066	3.051	3.025	2.922	3.018
Fo	87.83	88.26	88.34	87.93	87.80	86.20	85.64	86.59

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 45

Sample	G17/44d1	G17/44d2	G17/44d7	G17/44d9	G17/44d10	G17/44d12	G17/44d13	G17/44d14	G17/44d15
MgO	52.55	50.93	50.34	51.43	49.18	50.73	52.46	52.43	51.88
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.07	0	0	0.07	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02	0.03	0.05
FeO	4.59	6	6.33	3.86	6.03	6.21	6.45	6.42	6.23
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.02	0.02	0	0	0.04	0	0.07	0.04
MnO	0.13	0.13	0.11	0.15	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.13
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.58	42.72	42.41	42.79	41.97	42.56	43.42	43.65	42.56
CaO	0	0.21	0.17	0.04	0.33	0.37	0.25	0.25	0.29
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.2	0.37	0.46	0.23	0.37	0.48	0.37	0.34	0.4
Summe	101.12	100.38	99.84	98.57	97.99	100.5	103.08	103.3	101.6

Formula									
Si	1.027	1.007	0.999	1.008	0.989	1.003	1.023	1.029	1.003
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.090	0.118	0.125	0.076	0.119	0.122	0.127	0.127	0.123
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.846	1.789	1.769	1.807	1.728	1.782	1.843	1.842	1.823
Ni	0.004	0.007	0.009	0.004	0.007	0.009	0.007	0.006	0.008
Ca	0.000	0.005	0.004	0.001	0.008	0.009	0.006	0.006	0.007
TOTAL	2.972	2.930	2.908	2.902	2.853	2.929	3.009	3.014	2.968
Fo	95.20	93.67	93.30	95.81	93.45	93.47	93.44	93.47	93.56

Sample	G17/44b1	G17/44b2	G17/44b5	G17/44b6	G17/44b7	G17/44b8	G17/44b9	G17/44a2	G17/44a3
MgO	53.63	51.29	52.43	58.11	52.72	51.97	52.33	51.82	51.91
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.04	0.26	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	0	0	0.03	0	0	0	0
FeO	3.83	6.1	5.39	4.44	6.19	6.27	6.39	6.33	6.33
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.02	0.04	0	0.02	0	0.02	0.02	0.04
MnO	0.13	0.13	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.06	0.17	0.08	0.15
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.92	42.33	43.01	43.19	43.55	43.09	43.02	42.55	44.02
CaO	0.04	0.04	0.29	0.04	0.12	0.21	0.21	0.37	0.33
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.14	0.43	0.43	0.23	0.34	0.4	0.37	0.51	0.43
Summe	99.72	100.34	101.7	106.15	103.1	102.01	102.55	101.94	103.22

Formula									
Si	0.988	0.998	1.014	1.018	1.026	1.015	1.014	1.003	1.037
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.007	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.075	0.120	0.106	0.087	0.122	0.124	0.126	0.125	0.125
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.003	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.884	1.802	1.842	2.042	1.852	1.826	1.838	1.821	1.824
Ni	0.003	0.008	0.008	0.004	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.010	0.008
Ca	0.001	0.001	0.007	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.005	0.009	0.008
TOTAL	2.954	2.932	2.980	3.155	3.013	2.979	2.995	2.976	3.006
Fo	96.02	93.62	94.44	95.77	93.70	93.60	93.43	93.51	93.45

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 44

Sample	G17/44a4	G17/44a5	G17/44a6	G17/44c1	std	G17/44c6	G17/44c7	G17/44c8	G17/44c11
MgO	50.66	51.72	50.51	53.02	51.02	53.95	50.38	52.09	51.27
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.15	0	0	0	0	0.26	0	0.29	0.04
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.03	0.02	0.02	0	0	0.02	0.02	0.02
FeO	6.35	6.39	6.39	6.59	6.1	6.77	6.25	6.2	6.35
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0.02	0	0.02	0.02	0	0.04	0.02	0
MnO	0.15	0.15	0.11	0.13	0.06	0.13	0.15	0.15	0.08
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.82	43.49	43.68	42.74	42.13	43.86	43.02	42.47	42.29
CaO	0.21	0.25	0.29	0.29	0.04	0.29	0.33	0.08	0.33
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.46	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.43	0.4	0.43	0.46	0.43
Summe	101.82	102.42	101.38	103.18	99.8	105.66	100.62	101.78	100.82

Formula									
Si	1.033	1.025	1.029	1.007	0.993	1.034	1.014	1.001	0.997
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.008	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.125	0.126	0.126	0.130	0.120	0.133	0.123	0.122	0.125
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002
Mg	1.780	1.817	1.775	1.863	1.792	1.895	1.770	1.830	1.801
Ni	0.009	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.008
Ca	0.005	0.006	0.007	0.007	0.001	0.007	0.008	0.002	0.008
TOTAL	2.959	2.985	2.947	3.017	2.916	3.087	2.928	2.976	2.943
Fo	93.28	93.38	93.27	93.36	93.66	93.31	93.35	93.60	93.43

Sample	G17/44c12	G17/44e1	G17/44e2	G17/44e3	G17/44e4	G17/44e9	G17/44e10	G17/44e11	G17/44e12
MgO	51.38	52.53	52.35	52.85	53.1	53.29	54.3	53.48	53.87
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.03	0	0.03	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.02	0
FeO	6.54	6.71	6.85	6.6	6.57	6.54	6.62	6.79	6.6
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0	0	0.04	0.02	0	0.02	0	0
MnO	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.08	0.11	0.11	0.13	0.08	0.11
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.89	42.63	42.88	42.84	42.94	43.02	43.15	42.78	43.28
CaO	0.12	0.29	0.21	0.17	0.29	0.12	0.29	0.25	0.21
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0.02	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.4	0.34	0.46	0.4	0.37	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.46
Summe	100.52	102.66	102.88	103.01	103.43	103.56	104.96	103.85	104.53

Formula									
Si	0.987	1.005	1.011	1.010	1.012	1.014	1.017	1.008	1.020
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.129	0.132	0.135	0.130	0.129	0.129	0.130	0.134	0.130
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.002
Mg	1.805	1.846	1.839	1.857	1.866	1.872	1.908	1.879	1.893
Ni	0.008	0.006	0.009	0.008	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.009
Ca	0.003	0.007	0.005	0.004	0.007	0.003	0.007	0.006	0.005
TOTAL	2.935	2.999	3.001	3.011	3.024	3.029	3.074	3.037	3.059
Fo	93.21	93.19	93.04	93.38	93.41	93.46	93.48	93.28	93.47

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 44

Sample	G17/44f2	G17/44f3	G17/44f4	G17/44f5	G17/44g2	G17/44g3	G17/44g4
MgO	52.67	54.67	53.69	53.21	50.74	49.62	48.6
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.04	0.04	0	1.53	0.99	1.26
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0	0
FeO	6.32	4.32	6.16	6.64	6.56	6.74	6.57
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0.02	0.07	0.05	0	0
MnO	0.15	0.17	0.13	0.15	0.16	0.19	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.58	43.78	43.42	42.57	41.08	41.21	40.56
CaO	0.17	0.08	0.29	0.46	0.04	0.35	0.26
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	1.19	0.82	0.24	0
NiO	0.43	0.17	0.46	0.43	0.44	0.47	0.56
Summe	102.37	103.26	104.25	104.74	101.44	99.81	97.95

Formula							
Si	1.003	1.032	1.023	1.003	1.025	1.028	1.012
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.045	0.029	0.037
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.125	0.085	0.121	0.131	0.137	0.141	0.137
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.850	1.921	1.886	1.869	1.887	1.845	1.807
Ni	0.008	0.003	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.011
Ca	0.004	0.002	0.007	0.012	0.001	0.009	0.007
TOTAL	2.995	3.048	3.052	3.028	3.108	3.066	3.014
Fo	93.55	95.59	93.83	93.32	93.08	92.73	92.81

Sample	G17/44g5	G17/44GA10	G17/44gA4	G17/44gA10	G17/44gA11	G17/44gA12
MgO	49.96	50.11	49.34	47.6	47.99	46.89
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	1.25	0	1.42
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0.04	0	0.02	0.02
FeO	6.39	6.54	6.01	6.93	7	6.82
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.02	0.02	0	0.02	0.02
MnO	0.12	0.19	0.16	0.12	0.12	0.09
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.49	40.79	39.25	41.1	41.52	41.77
CaO	0.09	0.35	0.26	0.44	0.4	0.26
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.1	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.14	0	1.58	0	0.44	0
NiO	0.47	0.47	0.44	0.34	0.38	0.38
Summe	97.7	98.47	97.1	97.78	97.99	97.67

Formula						
Si	1.010	1.018	0.979	1.025	1.036	1.042
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.037	0.000	0.042
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.133	0.136	0.125	0.145	0.146	0.142
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002
Mg	1.858	1.864	1.835	1.770	1.785	1.744
Ni	0.009	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.008	0.008
Ca	0.002	0.009	0.007	0.012	0.011	0.007
TOTAL	3.016	3.041	2.960	2.998	2.988	2.987
Fo	93.19	92.99	93.44	92.33	92.32	92.36

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 44

Sample	G17/43a2	G17/43a3	G17/43a5	G17/43a8	G17/43a13	g17/43a16	g17/43b8	g17/43b10	g17/43b11
MgO	49.35	49.32	50.32	49.35	53.21	50.68	51.22	48.75	48.68
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.14	0	0.21	0	0.03	0.02	0
FeO	7.27	7.64	6.89	7.39	7.16	7.76	7.51	7.72	7.47
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0	0.05	0	0.02	0	0.02	0.05	0.07
MnO	0.15	0.1	0.15	0.13	0.05	0.2	0.18	0.23	0.15
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.29	42.06	41.89	41.71	41.41	42.54	42.83	43.12	43.15
CaO	0.29	0.25	0.14	0.34	0.14	0.14	0.18	0.23	0.29
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.44	0.44	0.52	0.4	0.32	0.4	0.48	0.32	0.44
ZnO	0.01	0	0	0.01	0	0	0.01	0	0
Summe	99.82	99.81	100.1	99.34	102.52	101.72	102.46	100.44	100.25

Formula									
Si	1.027	1.021	1.017	1.013	1.005	1.033	1.040	1.047	1.048
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.148	0.155	0.140	0.150	0.145	0.158	0.152	0.157	0.152
Mn	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.003
Mg	1.786	1.785	1.821	1.786	1.926	1.834	1.854	1.765	1.762
Ni	0.009	0.009	0.010	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.009	0.006	0.009
Ca	0.008	0.007	0.004	0.009	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.008
TOTAL	2.980	2.979	2.999	2.968	3.092	3.041	3.065	2.987	2.982
Fo	92.22	91.91	92.72	92.12	92.94	91.90	92.23	91.62	91.93

Sample	g17/43b12	g17/43b13	g17/43b16	g17/43d13	g17/43d16	g17/43d18	g17/43d20	g17/43d24	g17/43d25
MgO	49.33	48.29	48.74	50.68	51.05	50.45	50.21	52.85	50.4
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.02	0.05	0	0.23	0.02	0	0.02	0.03
FeO	7.88	7.76	7.55	7.74	7.92	7.62	7.6	4.58	7.88
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.05	0	0	0.05	0	0.02
MnO	0.08	0.2	0.08	0.1	0.13	0.08	0.15	0.13	0.15
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.73	42.75	43.63	41.41	41.08	41.71	40.52	40.5	40.98
CaO	0.18	0.29	0.26	0.27	0.18	0.21	0.2	0	0.17
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.44	0.36	0.48	0.4	0.48	0.44	0.44	0.4	0.48
ZnO	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0
Summe	100.71	99.69	100.81	100.65	101.09	100.53	99.17	98.48	100.11

Formula									
Si	1.038	1.038	1.059	1.005	0.997	1.013	0.984	0.983	0.995
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.160	0.158	0.153	0.157	0.161	0.155	0.154	0.093	0.160
Mn	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.786	1.748	1.764	1.834	1.848	1.826	1.817	1.913	1.824
Ni	0.009	0.007	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.009	0.008	0.009
Ca	0.005	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.000	0.004
TOTAL	2.999	2.963	2.996	3.015	3.027	3.010	2.973	3.000	2.997
Fo	91.70	91.53	91.93	92.01	91.87	92.11	92.03	95.24	91.79

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 43

Sample	g17/43d26	g17/43d27	g17/43d28	g17/43d29	g17/43d30	g17/43d32	g17/43d35	g17/43d37	G17/43e2
MgO	49.78	52.33	52.3	50.12	50.46	50.69	50.65	49.95	54.54
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0	0.03	0.36	0.78	0.03
FeO	7.91	4.13	5.03	7.8	7.86	7.75	8.19	8.52	6.26
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0.05	0	0	0.02	0.05	0
MnO	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.15	0.05	0.1	0.15	0.1	0.12
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.54	41.72	41.12	40.01	40.02	40.63	40.5	39.63	38.5
CaO	0.26	0.01	0.03	0.2	0.1	0.21	0.1	0.12	0.17
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.55	0.44	0.28	0.4	0.52	0.56	0.32	0.59	0.49
ZnO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	
Summe	100.31	98.75	98.88	98.75	99.01	99.97	100.29	99.75	100.11

Formula									
Si	1.009	1.013	0.998	0.971	0.972	0.987	0.983	0.962	0.939
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.007	0.015	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.161	0.084	0.102	0.158	0.160	0.157	0.166	0.173	0.128
Mn	0.004	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.002
Mg	1.802	1.894	1.893	1.814	1.827	1.835	1.833	1.808	1.982
Ni	0.011	0.009	0.005	0.008	0.010	0.011	0.006	0.012	0.010
Ca	0.007	0.000	0.001	0.005	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.003	0.004
TOTAL	2.994	3.002	3.002	2.961	2.972	2.998	3.002	2.976	3.066
Fo	91.62	95.66	94.78	91.83	91.92	92.01	91.54	91.17	93.84

Sample	G17/43e5	G17/43d2	G17/43d3	G17/43d5	G17/43d6	G17/43d7	G17/43d8	G17/43d9	G17/43d10
MgO	52.67	51.67	50.97	51.24	50.87	50.59	50.92	50.79	50.92
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.15	0	0	0.08	0	0	0.23	0	0.23
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.02	0	0.03	0.05	0	0.02	0	0
FeO	7.25	7.64	7.36	7.56	7.34	7.58	7.46	7.47	7.44
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.09	0.07	0.07	0	0.02
MnO	0.08	0.13	0.13	0.1	0.12	0.08	0.12	0.15	0.15
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.42	41.38	40.61	41.9	41.15	42	42.82	41.22	41.7
CaO	0.26	0.22	0.29	0.25	0.27	0.16	0.14	0.24	0.26
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.09	0	0.05	0.32	0.83	0	0	0.14	0
NiO	0.49	0.53	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.53	0.49	0.41
ZnO									
Summe	102.43	101.59	99.86	101.93	101.17	100.93	102.31	100.5	101.14

Formula									
Si	1.010	1.009	0.990	1.021	1.003	1.024	1.044	1.005	1.017
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.007
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.148	0.156	0.150	0.154	0.150	0.155	0.152	0.152	0.152
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.914	1.878	1.852	1.862	1.849	1.839	1.851	1.846	1.851
Ni	0.010	0.010	0.009	0.009	0.009	0.009	0.010	0.010	0.008
Ca	0.007	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.004	0.004	0.006	0.007
TOTAL	3.095	3.062	3.012	3.058	3.023	3.033	3.071	3.022	3.044
Fo	92.76	92.22	92.38	92.26	92.40	92.17	92.29	92.24	92.28

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 43

Sample	G17/43c2	G17/43c8	G17/43c9	G17/43c10	G17/43c12	G17/43c14	G17/43c15	G17/43c17	G17/43c19	G17/43c21
MgO	50.91	50.73	50.81	50.29	50.44	50.71	51.08	50.22	53.23	50.68
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.68	0	0.46	0	0.38	0.15	0	0.15	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.02	0	0.02	0	0	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
FeO	7.39	7.17	7.68	7.41	7.35	7.61	7.42	7.47	4.3	7.57
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0	0.02	0	0.02	0	0	0.04	0.02	0
MnO	0.1	0.17	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.08	0.17	0.1	0.13
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.74	40.96	41.87	41.7	42.66	42.93	42.94	42.19	43.35	42.7
CaO	0.16	0.2	0.11	0.24	0.15	0.17	0.16	0.2	0	0.25
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.05	0	0	0.14	0.04	0
NiO	0.49	0.49	0.57	0.41	0.53	0.45	0.49	0.53	0.33	0.53
ZnO										
Summe	101.53	99.74	101.64	100.21	101.7	102.16	102.19	101.13	101.39	101.88

Formula										
Si	1.018	0.999	1.021	1.017	1.040	1.047	1.047	1.029	1.057	1.041
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.020	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.011	0.004	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.151	0.146	0.157	0.151	0.150	0.155	0.151	0.152	0.088	0.154
Mn	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.850	1.844	1.847	1.828	1.833	1.843	1.856	1.825	1.935	1.842
Ni	0.010	0.010	0.011	0.008	0.010	0.009	0.010	0.010	0.006	0.010
Ca	0.004	0.005	0.003	0.006	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.000	0.007
TOTAL	3.055	3.007	3.054	3.013	3.051	3.065	3.070	3.031	3.088	3.057
Fo	92.38	92.49	92.07	92.24	92.33	92.11	92.39	92.14	95.57	92.15

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 - 43

Sample	G17/42e2	G17/42e3	G17/42e4	G17/42e9	G17/42e12	G17/42e13	G17/42e16	G17/42f3	G17/42f4
MgO	51.35	52.16	55.37	53.02	51.54	52.93	53.02	52.28	52.41
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0	0.17	0	0.11	0.06	0.17	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.02	0	0.02	0	0
FeO	6.9	6.88	3.91	6.63	6.87	7.04	7.33	7.85	7.47
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0.05	0.02	0.05	0	0	0.05	0.02
MnO	0.12	0.15	0.17	0.12	0.1	0.04	0.1	0.19	0.17
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.4	40.8	42.04	41.16	40.68	39.84	40.32	41.99	41.93
CaO	0.28	0.39	0	0.24	0.35	0.31	0.39	0.39	0.35
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.06	0	0	0	0	0	0.06	0.06
NiO	0.36	0.44	0.14	0.33	0.39	0.33	0.47	0.47	0.39
Summe	100.43	100.98	101.7	101.71	100	100.6	101.71	103.45	102.81

Formula									
Si	1.000	0.986	1.016	0.995	0.983	0.963	0.974	1.015	1.013
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.003	0.002	0.005	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.139	0.139	0.079	0.134	0.139	0.142	0.148	0.159	0.151
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.850	1.879	1.995	1.910	1.857	1.907	1.910	1.883	1.888
Ni	0.007	0.009	0.003	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.009	0.009	0.008
Ca	0.007	0.010	0.000	0.006	0.009	0.008	0.010	0.010	0.009
TOTAL	3.007	3.028	3.097	3.059	2.998	3.030	3.056	3.085	3.073
Fo	92.88	92.97	96.03	93.33	92.95	93.02	92.71	92.06	92.44

Sample	G17/42f5	G17/42f6	G17/42f7	G17/42f8	G17/42f10	G17/42f15	G17/42f16	G17/42d1	G17/42c4
MgO	52.6	51.08	50.18	50.19	51.94	51.27	51.74	52.79	49.77
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.04	0	0.02	0	0.02
FeO	7.41	7.38	7.29	7.42	7.09	7.69	7.78	4.5	7.26
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.02	0.02	0	0.02
MnO	0.21	0.1	0.19	0.15	0.12	0	0.1	0.16	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.86	40.16	39.04	39.6	40.36	41.92	41.65	42.46	41.95
CaO	0.51	0.35	0.43	0.47	0.35	0.38	0.42	0	0.47
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.06	0	0	0	0.06	0.11	0.11	0	0
NiO	0.5	0.47	0.5	0.44	0.36	0.64	0.5	0.52	0.45
Summe	101.26	99.57	97.65	98.32	100.37	102.03	102.34	100.44	100.08

Formula									
Si	0.963	0.970	0.943	0.957	0.975	1.013	1.006	1.011	0.999
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.150	0.149	0.147	0.150	0.143	0.155	0.157	0.090	0.145
Mn	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.895	1.840	1.808	1.808	1.871	1.847	1.864	1.875	1.767
Ni	0.010	0.009	0.010	0.009	0.007	0.012	0.010	0.010	0.009
Ca	0.013	0.009	0.011	0.012	0.009	0.010	0.011	0.000	0.012
TOTAL	3.038	2.980	2.923	2.940	3.010	3.038	3.051	2.989	2.935
Fo	92.48	92.41	92.28	92.20	92.78	92.24	92.13	95.28	92.30

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 42

Sample	G17/42d2	G17/42d3	G17/42d4	G17/42d5	G17/42d6	G17/42d7	G17/42d8	G17/42c1	G17/42c2
MgO	50.12	50.8	50.65	50.65	51.51	50.79	50.88	51.18	49.92
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.1	0	0	0	0.05	0	0	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.05	0.02	0	0	0.02	0
FeO	6.9	6.97	7.08	7.12	7.08	7.21	7.15	7.29	6.94
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0.02	0.04	0.04	0	0.04	0	0
MnO	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.12	0.14	0.19	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.51	42.23	42.17	42.2	42.43	41.61	42.69	42.62	42.01
CaO	0.29	0.36	0.29	0.29	0.25	0.36	0.36	0.32	0.32
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.05	0.05	0	0	0	0.05	0	0	0
NiO	0.59	0.45	0.48	0.45	0.52	0.52	0.52	0.48	0.38
Summe	99.63	101.12	100.85	100.96	102.02	100.71	101.78	102.1	99.76

Formula									
Si	0.989	1.006	1.004	1.005	1.011	0.991	1.017	1.015	1.001
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.137	0.139	0.141	0.142	0.141	0.144	0.142	0.145	0.138
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.780	1.804	1.799	1.799	1.829	1.804	1.807	1.817	1.773
Ni	0.011	0.009	0.009	0.009	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.009	0.007
Ca	0.007	0.009	0.007	0.007	0.006	0.009	0.009	0.008	0.008
TOTAL	2.928	2.972	2.964	2.966	3.002	2.961	2.989	2.999	2.931
Fo	92.67	92.70	92.58	92.54	92.68	92.51	92.56	92.42	92.63

Sample	G17/42b5	G17/42b7	G17/42b8	G17/42b9	G17/42b10	G17/42b11	G17/42a1	G17/42a6	G17/42a7
MgO	51.34	52.11	50.47	50.98	50.35	51.29	49.57	48.31	52.11
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.1	0	0.1	0	0.05	0	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.03	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	6.97	6.99	7.03	6.81	6.94	6.81	7.17	7.1	6.84
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0.02	0	0.04
MnO	0.16	0.14	0.14	0.1	0.16	0.1	0.17	0.12	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.81	41.03	41.74	41.22	41.2	40.21	42.81	42.12	40.44
CaO	0.22	0.32	0.32	0	0	0.11	0.04	0	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.1	0	0	0	0.1	0.05	0	0	0
NiO	0.52	0.48	0.59	0.45	0.38	0.42	0.45	0.52	0.48
Summe	101.12	101.07	100.4	99.59	99.25	98.99	100.28	98.17	100.1

Formula									
Si	0.996	0.977	0.994	0.982	0.981	0.958	1.020	1.003	0.963
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.139	0.139	0.140	0.136	0.138	0.136	0.143	0.141	0.136
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.823	1.850	1.792	1.810	1.788	1.821	1.760	1.715	1.850
Ni	0.010	0.009	0.011	0.009	0.007	0.008	0.009	0.010	0.009
Ca	0.006	0.008	0.008	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.001	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	2.977	2.987	2.951	2.939	2.921	2.928	2.937	2.872	2.964
Fo	92.77	92.87	92.62	92.93	92.67	92.97	92.33	92.26	93.01

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 42

Sample	G17/40c6	G17/40c7	G17/40c8	G17/40c9	G17/40c10	G17/40c11	G17/40d1	G17/40d2	G17/40d3
MgO	52.85	53.1	52.81	53.23	53.06	53.07	53.2	52.67	52.54
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.06	0	0	0.06	0.06	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0.04	0	0.02	0
FeO	7.56	7.63	7.39	7.44	7.53	7.22	7.55	7.56	7.36
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.08	0	0	0	0	0	0.08	0.04	0.04
MnO	0.02	0.02	0	0	0.07	0	0	0.04	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.7	42.3	41.58	41.66	42.11	41.56	39.78	40.58	38.94
CaO	0.23	0.23	0.31	0.46	0.62	0.23	0.62	0.23	0.62
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0.03	0.01	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.21	0.14	0.17	0.07	0.17
Summe	102.58	103.46	102.23	103	103.6	102.26	101.49	101.28	99.68

Formula									
Si	0.988	1.003	0.986	0.987	0.998	0.985	0.943	0.962	0.923
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.150	0.151	0.146	0.147	0.149	0.143	0.150	0.150	0.146
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Mg	1.867	1.876	1.866	1.881	1.875	1.875	1.880	1.861	1.857
Ni	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.003
Ca	0.006	0.006	0.008	0.012	0.016	0.006	0.016	0.006	0.016
TOTAL	3.016	3.040	3.009	3.032	3.043	3.013	2.994	2.984	2.945
Fo	92.55	92.52	92.72	92.73	92.56	92.91	92.63	92.51	92.72

Sample	G17/40d4	G17/40d5	6	G17/40d7	G17/40d8	G17/40d10	G17/40d11	G17/40e3	G17/40e4
MgO	51.85	52.05	52.65	52.9	52.48	51.91	52.26	53.24	53.48
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.06	0	0.06	0	0	0	0	0.06	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.02	0	0.04	0	0	0.02	0	0.02
FeO	7.46	7.61	7.37	7.37	7.58	7.44	7.58	7.74	7.55
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0	0	0.04	0.04	0	0.08	0.04	0
MnO	0.04	0.02	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.04	0	0	0.04
SiO <sub>2</sub>	38.94	38.65	39.93	39.8	40.01	39.32	38.58	40.29	39.75
CaO	0.39	0.31	0.46	0.31	0.39	0.31	0.31	0.39	0.31
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0.02	0	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.01	0.02
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.22
NiO	0.21	0.07	0	0.14	0.21	0.1	0.14	0.17	0.21
Summe	99.05	98.75	100.54	100.65	100.76	99.12	98.97	101.94	101.6

Formula									
Si	0.923	0.916	0.946	0.943	0.948	0.932	0.914	0.955	0.942
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Al	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.148	0.151	0.146	0.146	0.150	0.147	0.150	0.153	0.150
Mn	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001
Mg	1.832	1.839	1.860	1.869	1.854	1.834	1.847	1.881	1.890
Ni	0.004	0.001	0.000	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.004
Ca	0.010	0.008	0.012	0.008	0.010	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.008
TOTAL	2.921	2.916	2.968	2.971	2.968	2.924	2.924	3.005	2.995
Fo	92.50	92.40	92.66	92.72	92.47	92.52	92.48	92.46	92.63

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 40

Sample	G17/40e7	G17/40e9	G17/40e10	G17/40e11	G17/40b1	G17/40b2	G17/40b3	G17/40b4	G17/40b5
MgO	54.77	54.55	54.15	53	51.53	50.79	33.42	51.98	53.2
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0	0.06	0	0	9.87	0.06	0.17
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0	0.24	0	0.16
FeO	7.58	7.63	7.36	7.67	7.37	7.54	10.49	7.6	7.67
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0.08	0.04	0	0	0	0.11	0
MnO	0.04	0	0.02	0	0	0.02	0	0.04	0.04
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.5	39.88	38.94	38.82	41.56	42.4	37.75	41.27	42.34
CaO	0.23	0.15	0.39	0.46	0.39	0.46	0.08	0.46	0.31
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.02	0.01	0.01	3.97	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.97	0	0
NiO	0.14	0.1	0.21	0.21	0.14	0.07	0.24	0.17	0.17
Summe	102.3	102.41	101.15	100.28	101	101.29	97.03	101.69	104.06

Formula									
Si	0.936	0.945	0.923	0.920	0.985	1.005	0.895	0.978	1.004
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Al	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.276	0.002	0.005
Cr	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.003
Fe(ii)	0.150	0.151	0.146	0.152	0.146	0.149	0.208	0.151	0.152
Mn	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.935	1.928	1.913	1.873	1.821	1.795	1.181	1.837	1.880
Ni	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.001	0.005	0.003	0.003
Ca	0.006	0.004	0.010	0.012	0.010	0.012	0.002	0.012	0.008
TOTAL	3.032	3.032	2.998	2.963	2.965	2.963	2.570	2.985	3.055
Fo	92.76	92.73	92.90	92.49	92.57	92.29	85.03	92.38	92.48

Sample	G17/40b6	G17/40b7	G17/40b9	G17/40b10	G17/40b11	G17/40b12	G17/40a2	G17/40a3	G17/40a4
MgO	53.07	53.16	53.11	52.68	52.85	52.16	52.82	50.12	52.29
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.12	0.06	0.06	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.14	0	0	0.06	0.04	0.06	0	0
FeO	7.56	7.7	7.54	7.41	7.63	7.24	7.36	7.35	7.36
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.08	0	0	0	0.04
MnO	0.07	0.04	0.07	0	0.07	0.04	0.04	0	0.04
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.1	41.42	42.18	41.13	40.62	41.56	41.83	41.77	41.21
CaO	0.39	0.23	0.31	0.46	0.31	0.39	0.46	0.08	0.46
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.07	0	0.07
NiO	0.1	0.17	0.03	0.21	0.17	0.24	0.17	0.1	0.17
Summe	103.29	102.92	103.3	101.95	101.92	101.73	102.87	99.42	101.65

Formula									
Si	0.998	0.982	1.000	0.975	0.963	0.985	0.991	0.990	0.977
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.150	0.153	0.149	0.147	0.151	0.143	0.146	0.146	0.146
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001
Mg	1.875	1.878	1.877	1.861	1.867	1.843	1.866	1.771	1.848
Ni	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.004	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.003
Ca	0.010	0.006	0.008	0.012	0.008	0.010	0.012	0.002	0.012
TOTAL	3.036	3.027	3.037	3.001	3.000	2.989	3.022	2.911	2.987
Fo	92.54	92.45	92.56	92.69	92.44	92.74	92.71	92.40	92.65

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 40

Sample	G17/40a6	G17/40a8	G17/40a9	G17/40a10	G17/40a11
MgO	52.95	52.4	52.36	52.19	51.55
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0.06	0	0.06
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	7.72	7.46	7.29	7.39	6.94
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0.04	0
MnO	0.02	0.07	0	0.02	0.09
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.69	41.68	40.32	41.21	41.02
CaO	0.39	0.31	0.31	0.46	0.31
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.07	0
NiO	0.21	0.14	0.21	0.17	0.07
Summe	102.99	102.12	100.55	101.55	100.04

Formula					
Si	0.988	0.988	0.956	0.977	0.972
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.002
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.153	0.148	0.144	0.146	0.138
Mn	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002
Mg	1.871	1.852	1.850	1.844	1.822
Ni	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.001
Ca	0.010	0.008	0.008	0.012	0.008
TOTAL	3.026	3.001	2.964	2.983	2.944
Fo	92.42	92.54	92.76	92.62	92.89

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 40

Sample	G17/39a1	G17/39a2	G17/39a3	G17/39a4	G17/39b1	G17/39b2	G17/39b3	G17/39b4	G17/39b5
MgO	49.66	49.48	49.5	49.85	49.66	49.67	49.99	50.4	49.18
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.03	0	0.06	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.02	0.04	0	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.02
FeO	6.66	6.63	6.63	6.56	6.42	6.63	6.48	6.21	6.15
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0.03	0	0.03	0.07	0	0.03	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.16	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.13	0.09	0.13	0.11	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.89	43.24	42.74	42.35	42.71	42.84	43.01	42.84	42.9
CaO	0.28	0.39	0.22	0.39	0.28	0.33	0.33	0.28	0.22
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.03	0	0.01	0.01	0	0.01	0.03	0.02
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.06	0	0	0	0	0.06
NiO	0.36	0.45	0.39	0.48	0.33	0.42	0.45	0.45	0.36
Summe	100.04	100.37	99.61	99.97	99.61	100	100.47	100.39	99.08

Formula									
Si	1.034	1.043	1.031	1.021	1.030	1.033	1.037	1.033	1.035
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.134	0.134	0.134	0.132	0.129	0.134	0.131	0.125	0.124
Mn	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.786	1.779	1.780	1.792	1.786	1.786	1.797	1.812	1.768
Ni	0.007	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.006	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.007
Ca	0.007	0.010	0.006	0.010	0.007	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.006
TOTAL	2.972	2.978	2.960	2.971	2.963	2.972	2.987	2.990	2.943
Fo	92.85	92.92	92.90	92.99	93.11	92.95	93.09	93.43	93.30

Sample	G17/39b6	G17/39c3	G17/39c4	G17/39c5	G17/39c6	G17/39d1	G17/39d2	G17/39d3	G17/39d4
MgO	52	52.01	51.37	51.26	51.93	51.22	51.38	52.15	52.01
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0	0.03	0	0.06	0.03	0.03	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.04	0.02	0	0	0.04
FeO	6.26	6.13	6.34	6.24	6.21	6.18	6.09	6.26	6.04
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0.03	0.07	0	0	0	0
MnO	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.09	0.14	0.05	0.11	0.14	0.13
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.97	40.28	40.73	40.23	40.84	39.62	40.34	40.43	40.5
CaO	0.28	0.17	0.28	0.33	0.28	0.22	0.22	0.33	0.22
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0.06	0	0.06	0
NiO	0.42	0.39	0.36	0.42	0.45	0.36	0.33	0.36	0.39
Summe	99.06	99.17	99.21	98.63	99.96	97.8	98.5	99.76	99.33

Formula									
Si	0.964	0.971	0.982	0.970	0.985	0.956	0.973	0.975	0.977
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.126	0.124	0.128	0.126	0.125	0.125	0.123	0.126	0.122
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.870	1.870	1.847	1.843	1.867	1.842	1.847	1.875	1.870
Ni	0.008	0.008	0.007	0.008	0.009	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.008
Ca	0.007	0.004	0.007	0.009	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.009	0.006
TOTAL	2.978	2.981	2.974	2.959	2.998	2.938	2.958	2.996	2.985
Fo	93.55	93.67	93.40	93.52	93.58	93.61	93.66	93.56	93.76

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 39

Sample	G17/39d5	G17/39d6	G17/39d7	G17/39e2	G17/39e3	G17/39e4	G17/39e5	G17/39?1	G17/39f2
MgO	52.2	52.26	51.36	51.01	52.02	52.36	51.49	52.01	51.3
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.09	0.06	0	0	0	0	0	0.06	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	0.02	0.04	0	0	0	0.02	0
FeO	6.27	6.27	6.17	6.38	6.58	6.47	6.29	6.45	6.05
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0	0.1	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.03	0	0.03
MnO	0.09	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.11	0.13	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.83	40.79	40.33	41.52	41.05	41.38	41.1	41.39	41.65
CaO	0.28	0.33	0.22	0.28	0.17	0.22	0.22	0.17	0.17
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.02	0	0	0.01	0.01	0	0.02	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.48	0.48	0.36	0.33	0.39	0.42	0.48	0.48	0.45
Summe	100.29	100.32	98.69	99.72	100.38	101.07	99.72	100.73	99.82

Formula									
Si	0.985	0.984	0.973	1.001	0.990	0.998	0.991	0.998	1.005
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.126	0.126	0.124	0.129	0.133	0.130	0.127	0.130	0.122
Mn	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.877	1.879	1.847	1.834	1.870	1.883	1.851	1.870	1.844
Ni	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.006	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.009
Ca	0.007	0.009	0.006	0.007	0.004	0.006	0.006	0.004	0.004
TOTAL	3.010	3.011	2.961	2.982	3.008	3.029	2.987	3.017	2.988
Fo	93.60	93.59	93.56	93.32	93.25	93.39	93.48	93.37	93.64

Sample	G17/39f3	G17/39f5	G17/39f6	G17/39f7	G17/39f8	G17/39f9	G17/39g1	G17/39g2	G17/39g3
MgO	52.25	51.26	51.76	50.14	53.74	53.25	53.13	53.42	52.9
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.09	0	0	0.13	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.53	0	0.08	0.06	0.17	0	0	0.02	0.02
FeO	5.71	6.36	6.38	6.28	6.23	6.42	6.5	6.41	6.34
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.1	0.03	0	0.07	0	0.03	0	0.03	0
MnO	0.09	0.14	0.07	0.05	0.09	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.11
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.72	41.07	40.62	40.91	41.99	42.07	41.41	41.17	40.46
CaO	0.17	0.28	0.22	0.28	0.17	0.17	0.33	0.17	0.28
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.02	0	0.01	0	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.13	0	0.06	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.42	0.33	0.36	0.42	0.39	0.48	0.39	0.42	0.48
Summe	100.99	99.49	99.62	98.31	102.84	102.58	102.05	101.79	100.6

Formula									
Si	1.006	0.991	0.980	0.987	1.013	1.015	0.999	0.993	0.976
Ti	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.010	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.115	0.128	0.129	0.127	0.126	0.129	0.131	0.129	0.128
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002
Mg	1.879	1.843	1.861	1.803	1.932	1.915	1.910	1.921	1.902
Ni	0.008	0.006	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.009
Ca	0.004	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.004	0.004	0.009	0.004	0.007
TOTAL	3.026	2.979	2.985	2.937	3.088	3.076	3.063	3.059	3.025
Fo	94.14	93.36	93.47	93.39	93.81	93.54	93.45	93.57	93.60

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 39

Sample	G17/38b	G17/38b8	G17/38b15	G17/38b16	G17/38b17	G17/38b18	G17/38b19	G17/38b20	G17/38b21
MgO	51.66	51.49	50.83	51.93	51.89	51.72	52.22	51.73	51.19
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.12	0.12	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.04	0.02	0	0.02	0	0.02	0	0.38
FeO	7.2	7.25	7.75	7.7	7.46	7.44	7.35	7.36	7.25
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.08	0	0.04	0	0.04	0	0	0	0
MnO	0.04	0	0	0	0.09	0	0	0	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.56	41.31	41.74	41.53	41.5	41.65	41.79	41.22	41.17
CaO	0.39	0.31	0.46	0.15	0.39	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.39
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.02	0.03	0.01	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.15	0	0.08	0.15	0	0.07	0	0	0.15
NiO	0.14	0.17	0.07	0.1	0.14	0.17	0.07	0.21	0.21
Summe	101.27	100.58	100.99	101.56	101.55	101.39	101.89	100.95	100.74

Formula									
Si	0.999	0.993	1.003	0.998	0.997	1.001	1.004	0.990	0.989
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.007
Fe(ii)	0.145	0.146	0.156	0.155	0.150	0.149	0.148	0.148	0.146
Mn	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	1.851	1.844	1.821	1.860	1.859	1.853	1.871	1.853	1.834
Ni	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.004	0.004
Ca	0.010	0.008	0.012	0.004	0.010	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.010
TOTAL	3.010	2.995	2.994	3.019	3.022	3.014	3.036	3.007	2.990
Fo	92.71	92.68	92.12	92.32	92.45	92.53	92.68	92.61	92.64

Sample	G17/38b22	G17/38b21	G17/38b22	G17/38b25	G17/38c1	G17/38c2	G17/38c3	G17/38c5	G17/38c6
MgO	49.72	49.8	52.17	52.62	53.31	54.26	53.95	54.03	51.01
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.06	0	0	0.12	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.06	0.02	0	0	0	0.04	0.04
FeO	7.27	7.06	7.58	7.53	8.01	7.87	7.93	7.82	7.27
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0	0.04	0	0
MnO	0.02	0	0.02	0	0.07	0.02	0.04	0.04	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.82	40.99	40.77	41.31	40.97	40.81	41	41.3	42.94
CaO	0.23	0.31	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.08	0.23	0.23	0.31
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0.08	0	0
NiO	0.17	0.17	0.14	0.1	0.07	0.1	0.17	0.14	0.1
Summe	98.37	98.37	101.15	101.97	102.94	103.14	103.44	103.6	101.67

Formula									
Si	0.981	0.985	0.980	0.993	0.984	0.981	0.985	0.992	1.032
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.146	0.142	0.152	0.151	0.161	0.158	0.159	0.157	0.146
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Mg	1.781	1.784	1.869	1.885	1.910	1.944	1.933	1.935	1.827
Ni	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002
Ca	0.006	0.008	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.002	0.006	0.006	0.008
TOTAL	2.919	2.923	3.015	3.041	3.071	3.087	3.088	3.095	3.016
Fo	92.40	92.63	92.45	92.57	92.16	92.46	92.35	92.46	92.60

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 38

Sample	G17/38c8	G17/38c9	G17/38c10	G17/38c11	G17/38d1	G17/38d2	G17/38d3	G17/38d4
MgO	49.52	49.14	51.78	51.96	51.97	51.15	51.53	51.76
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.11	0	0.12	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0
FeO	7.01	7.03	7.46	7.55	7.56	7.6	7.54	7.67
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.08	0	0	0.04	0.04	0.04	0
MnO	0.04	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.07
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.82	42.01	41.46	41.26	41.84	41.19	40.89	41.34
CaO	0.39	0.46	0.15	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.39	0.46
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.03	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0	0.02
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.14	0.24	0.1	0.28	0.1	0.14	0.03	0.21
Summe	99.06	98.99	101.12	101.42	101.84	100.45	100.46	101.53

Formula								
Si	1.005	1.009	0.996	0.991	1.005	0.990	0.983	0.993
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000
Al	0.003	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.141	0.141	0.150	0.152	0.152	0.153	0.151	0.154
Mn	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.774	1.760	1.855	1.861	1.862	1.832	1.846	1.854
Ni	0.003	0.005	0.002	0.005	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.004
Ca	0.010	0.012	0.004	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.012
TOTAL	2.936	2.929	3.011	3.019	3.030	2.987	2.992	3.019
Fo	92.60	92.55	92.49	92.43	92.44	92.29	92.38	92.26

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 38

Sample	G17/35a5	G17/35a8	G17/35a9	G17/35a10	G17/35a11	G17/35a12	G17/35a13	G17/35a14	G17/35a15
MgO	50.75	51.09	52.09	51.63	51.16	52.05	50.36	50.46	51.05
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0	0.05	0	0.05	0	0	0	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0	0.08
FeO	7.44	6.99	6.66	6.86	7.32	6.75	6.82	6.87	7
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0.05	0	0.05	0.05	0	0
MnO	0.14	0.09	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.27	0.14	0.18	0.18
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.18	40.51	41.36	41.57	41.06	40.87	40.92	40.37	40.19
CaO	0.22	0.22	0.07	0.22	0.44	0.45	0.22	0.22	0.07
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.1	0.05	0	0	0.05	0.05	0
NiO	0.32	0.49	0.57	0.65	0.32	0.32	0.57	0.32	0.24
Summe	101.14	99.43	101.08	101.26	100.53	100.76	99.13	98.47	98.86

Formula									
Si	1.041	1.000	1.021	1.026	1.014	1.009	1.010	0.996	0.992
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002
Fe(ii)	0.154	0.144	0.137	0.142	0.151	0.139	0.141	0.142	0.144
Mn	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.006	0.003	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.868	1.880	1.917	1.900	1.883	1.915	1.853	1.857	1.879
Ni	0.006	0.010	0.011	0.013	0.006	0.006	0.011	0.006	0.005
Ca	0.006	0.006	0.002	0.006	0.012	0.012	0.006	0.006	0.002
TOTAL	3.080	3.042	3.094	3.092	3.070	3.088	3.025	3.011	3.029
Fo	92.268	92.787	93.176	92.893	92.400	92.964	92.804	92.731	92.686

Sample	G17/35a16	G17/35b1	G17/35b2	G17/35b3	G17/35b4	G17/35a5	G17/35a6	G17/35a8	G17/35a9
MgO	51	50.26	49.56	50.51	50.91	50.75	52.2	51.09	52.09
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.11	0.11	0	0	0	0.05	0	0	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04
FeO	6.9	6.91	6.5	6.79	6.71	7.44	6.63	6.99	6.66
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.05	0	0	0	0	0.05	0	0
MnO	0.09	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.09	0.14	0	0.09	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.28	40.21	40.76	40.76	40.98	42.18	41.73	40.51	41.36
CaO	0.37	0.37	0.07	0.07	0.37	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.07
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.05	0	0	0	0	0.14	0	0.1
NiO	0.49	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.32	0.32	0.41	0.49	0.57
Summe	99.24	98.52	97.44	98.68	99.39	101.14	101.42	99.43	101.08

Formula									
Si	0.994	0.993	1.006	1.006	1.012	1.012	1.001	0.972	0.992
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.142	0.143	0.134	0.140	0.138	0.149	0.133	0.140	0.134
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.877	1.850	1.824	1.859	1.873	1.815	1.867	1.827	1.863
Ni	0.010	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.006	0.006	0.008	0.009	0.011
Ca	0.010	0.010	0.002	0.002	0.010	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.002
TOTAL	3.038	3.010	2.977	3.018	3.041	2.993	3.016	2.957	3.006
Fo	92.860	92.704	93.009	92.853	93.029	92.27	93.35	92.79	93.18

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 35

Sample	G17/35a10	G17/35a11	G17/35a12	G17/35a13	G17/35a14	G17/35a15
MgO	51.63	51.16	52.05	50.36	50.46	51.05
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.05	0	0	0	0.05
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0	0	0.08
FeO	6.86	7.32	6.75	6.82	6.87	7
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.05	0	0.05	0.05	0	0
MnO	0.18	0.18	0.27	0.14	0.18	0.18
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.57	41.06	40.87	40.92	40.37	40.19
CaO	0.22	0.44	0.45	0.22	0.22	0.07
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.05	0	0	0.05	0.05	0
NiO	0.65	0.32	0.32	0.57	0.32	0.24
Summe	101.26	100.53	100.76	99.13	98.47	98.86

Formula						
Si	0.997	0.985	0.980	0.982	0.968	0.964
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002
Fe(ii)	0.138	0.147	0.135	0.137	0.138	0.140
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.846	1.830	1.861	1.801	1.805	1.826
Ni	0.013	0.006	0.006	0.011	0.006	0.005
Ca	0.006	0.011	0.012	0.006	0.006	0.002
TOTAL	3.005	2.984	3.001	2.940	2.926	2.943
Fo	92.89	92.40	92.96	92.80	92.73	92.69

Sample	G17/35a16	G17/35b1	G17/35b2	G17/35b3	G17/35b4
MgO	51	50.26	49.56	50.51	50.91
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.11	0.11	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	6.9	6.91	6.5	6.79	6.71
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.05	0	0	0
MnO	0.09	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.09
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.28	40.21	40.76	40.76	40.98
CaO	0.37	0.37	0.07	0.07	0.37
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.05	0	0	0
NiO	0.49	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.32
Summe	99.24	98.52	97.44	98.68	99.39

Formula					
Si	0.966	0.965	0.978	0.978	0.983
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.138	0.139	0.130	0.136	0.135
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002
Mg	1.824	1.797	1.772	1.806	1.821
Ni	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.006
Ca	0.010	0.010	0.002	0.002	0.010
TOTAL	2.952	2.925	2.893	2.933	2.956
Fo	92.86	92.70	93.01	92.85	93.03

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 35

Sample	G17/33test	G17/33/1b	G17/33/1d	G17/33/1f	G17/33/1h	G17/33/1i	G17/33/4c
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.8	41.73	41.66	41.75	42.09	39.86	41.06
MgO	51.98	52.29	51.56	51.89	51.07	52.67	52.75
FeO	7.77	7.66	7.73	7.77	7.48	7.92	7.25
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0.42
NiO	0.26	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.2	0.22	0.22
Summe	101.81	101.96	101.33	101.65	100.84	100.67	101.7

Formula							
Si	0.996	0.995	0.993	0.995	1.003	0.950	0.979
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.008
Fe(ii)	0.155	0.153	0.154	0.155	0.149	0.158	0.145
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	1.847	1.858	1.832	1.844	1.815	1.872	1.875
Ni	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.004
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	3.004	3.011	2.988	2.999	2.971	2.984	3.010
Fo	92.26	92.41	92.24	92.25	92.41	92.22	92.84

Sample	G17/33/4e	G17/33/4f	G17/33/3a	G17/33/3b	G17/33/3c	G17/33/3e	G17/33/3
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.55	40.28	25.82	42.47	41.97	42.48	43
MgO	53.28	52.75	41.89	49.21	49.9	49.39	49.02
FeO	7.77	7.96	20.5	7.29	6.92	7.22	7.18
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	1.78	0	0.1	0.1	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	11.95	0	0.02	0.02	0
NiO	0.22	0.16	0.3	0.2	0.26	0.22	0.24
Summe	101.84	101.15	102.24	99.17	99.17	99.43	99.44

Formula							
Si	0.967	0.960	0.615	1.012	1.000	1.013	1.025
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.050	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.225	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.155	0.159	0.409	0.145	0.138	0.144	0.143
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	1.893	1.875	1.489	1.749	1.773	1.755	1.742
Ni	0.004	0.003	0.006	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.005
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	3.020	2.997	2.794	2.910	2.920	2.919	2.915
Fo	92.44	92.20	78.46	92.33	92.78	92.42	92.41

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 33

Sample	G17/29f1	G17/29f3	G17/29f7	G17/29f8	G17/29f9	G17/29f10	G17/29b1	G17/29b5	G17/29b7
MgO	47.07	46.98	48.28	47.83	47.79	49.98	49.05	49.78	49.56
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.11	0.05	0	0.05	0.05	0	0	0.11
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0	0	0	0	0.05	0.03	0	0.04
FeO	8.32	8.35	8.12	8.02	7.92	7.98	8.92	8.89	8.78
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0	0.05	0.02	0
MnO	0.15	0.19	0.12	0.15	0.19	0.1	0.25	0.17	0.17
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.53	41.47	42.16	41.66	40.8	41.49	41.63	41.33	41.77
CaO	0.35	0.35	0.31	0.28	0.31	0.24	0.39	0.27	0.39
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.06	0	0	0.06	0.06
NiO	0.33	0.33	0.55	0.47	0.33	0.28	0.33	0.3	0.28
Summe	97.8	97.8	99.61	98.43	97.47	100.18	100.65	100.82	101.16

Formula									
Si	1.034	1.033	1.050	1.037	1.016	1.033	1.037	1.029	1.040
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.003	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.003
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.173	0.174	0.169	0.167	0.165	0.166	0.186	0.185	0.183
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.005	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.747	1.744	1.792	1.776	1.774	1.855	1.821	1.848	1.840
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.011	0.009	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.006
Ca	0.009	0.009	0.008	0.007	0.008	0.006	0.010	0.007	0.010
TOTAL	2.975	2.974	3.035	3.000	2.976	3.071	3.067	3.079	3.086
Fo	90.83	90.75	91.26	91.26	91.31	91.69	90.51	90.74	90.80

Sample	G17/29a2	G17/29a3	G17/29a6	G17/29a7	G17/29a8	G17/29a9	G17/29e16	G17/29e17	G17/29e18
MgO	49.21	48.21	51.83	52.31	51.29	51.61	44.58	44.66	45.27
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.05	0	0	0.06	0.17	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.03	0.04	0	0.05	0	0.11	0.38	0.06
FeO	8.81	9.12	8.89	9.19	8.95	9.06	8.19	8.3	8.61
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0	0.05	0	0.02	0.02	0.11	0.11	0.04
MnO	0.17	0.21	0.29	0.17	0	0.29	0.2	0.16	0.12
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.82	42.14	40.67	40.01	40.71	41.23	43.7	43.48	43.86
CaO	0.27	0.39	0.27	0.31	0.35	0.39	0.42	0.25	0.42
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.01	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.41	0.39	0.47	0.47	0.44	0.33	0.44	0.41	0.36
Summe	100.79	100.54	102.51	102.46	101.87	103.1	97.76	97.76	98.75

Formula									
Si	1.041	1.049	0.975	0.960	0.976	0.989	1.082	1.077	1.086
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.007	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.183	0.190	0.178	0.184	0.179	0.182	0.170	0.172	0.178
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.006	0.003	0.000	0.006	0.004	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.827	1.790	1.853	1.870	1.834	1.845	1.646	1.649	1.671
Ni	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.008	0.006	0.009	0.008	0.007
Ca	0.007	0.010	0.007	0.008	0.009	0.010	0.011	0.007	0.011
TOTAL	3.071	3.054	3.030	3.035	3.010	3.043	2.926	2.925	2.958
Fo	90.71	90.21	90.96	90.88	91.09	90.77	90.45	90.39	90.24

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 29

Sample	G17/29e19	G17/29e20	G17/29c15	G17/29c16	G17/29c17	G17/29c18	G17/29c19	G17/29d20
MgO	45	45.11	46.18	50.49	51.49	51.72	51.04	51.23
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.03	0	0.03	0.13	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.19	0	0.02	0	0.02	0.11	0.06	0.02
FeO	8.46	8.61	9.04	7.75	7.8	7.67	7.76	7.6
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0	0.04	0	0	0.04	0	0.11
MnO	0.18	0.18	0.08	0.14	0.1	0.12	0.12	0.18
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.65	44.07	44.04	39.59	40.51	39.41	40.12	39.35
CaO	0.25	0.5	0.34	0.25	0.25	0.17	0.17	0.25
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0	0	0.01	0.01	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.09	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.49	0.36	0.39	0.41	0.36	0.34	0.44	0.36
Summe	97.28	98.83	100.16	98.73	100.57	99.71	99.71	99.1
								101.05

Formula								
Si	1.056	1.091	1.091	0.980	1.003	0.976	0.994	0.974
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002
Al	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.004	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.175	0.178	0.187	0.160	0.162	0.159	0.161	0.157
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.004
Mg	1.661	1.665	1.705	1.864	1.901	1.909	1.884	1.891
Ni	0.010	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.009	0.007
Ca	0.007	0.013	0.009	0.007	0.007	0.005	0.005	0.007
TOTAL	2.917	2.959	3.003	3.023	3.083	3.065	3.055	3.043
Fo	90.28	90.15	90.03	91.94	92.08	92.21	92.03	92.15
								91.82

Sample	G17/29d21	G17/29d22	G17/29d23	G17/29d24	G17/29d25	G17/29b20	G17/29b21	G17/29b22	G17/29b23
MgO	51.54	51.34	50.74	51.56	51.29	50.97	51.21	52.41	51.3
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.06	0.03	0.06	0.1	0.03	0	0.06	0	0.03
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.04	0	0.04	0.04	0.06	0	0.08	0.06
FeO	8.35	8.11	8.37	8.29	8.05	7.92	8.34	7.1	7.4
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.08	0.04	0.04	0	0.08	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.04
MnO	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.14	0.08	0.1	0.18	0.1	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.66	40.8	41.04	39.82	41.04	40.56	40.67	40.56	40.63
CaO	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.17	0.25	0.25	0.34	0.08	0.17
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.09	0
NiO	0.34	0.39	0.34	0.31	0.36	0.34	0.36	0.36	0.31
Summe	100.61	101.2	101.13	100.43	101.22	100.29	101.2	100.82	100.1

Formula									
Si	0.982	1.010	1.016	0.986	1.016	1.004	1.007	1.004	1.006
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.173	0.168	0.173	0.172	0.167	0.164	0.173	0.147	0.153
Mn	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.903	1.895	1.873	1.903	1.894	1.882	1.891	1.935	1.894
Ni	0.007	0.008	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.006
Ca	0.009	0.009	0.009	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.009	0.002	0.005
TOTAL	3.082	3.095	3.085	3.079	3.095	3.068	3.093	3.100	3.070
Fo	91.49	91.77	91.34	91.60	91.83	91.89	91.46	92.84	92.36

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 29

Sample	G17/25b1	G17/25b2	G17/25b6	G17/25a1	G17/25a2	G17/25a3	G17/25a4	G17/25a5	G17/25b9
MgO	49.54	49.69	49.18	51.09	47.25	50.62	50.08	49.76	51.32
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.11	0.11	0	0	0	0	0.11	0.1
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0.08	1.08	0	0.02	0.02	0.04
FeO	6.9	6.88	6.39	5.99	9.12	6.25	6.56	6.12	0.86
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.12	0.03	0	0.09	0
MnO	0.07	0.2	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.09	0.17	0.13	0.18
SiO <sub>2</sub>	44.45	43.72	43.78	44.02	42.55	44.62	43.81	43.48	42.73
CaO	0.52	0.3	0.39	0.39	0.34	0.43	0.39	0.52	0.5
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.02	0	0.01	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.05	0	0	0	0	0	0.05	0	0
NiO	0.4	0.36	0.46	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.43	0.28
Summe	101.97	101.26	100.44	102.1	101	102.54	101.48	100.66	102.01

Formula									
Si	1.052	1.035	1.036	1.042	1.007	1.056	1.037	1.029	1.047
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000
Al	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.003
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.020	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.137	0.136	0.127	0.119	0.181	0.124	0.130	0.121	0.018
Mn	0.001	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.004
Mg	1.749	1.754	1.736	1.803	1.668	1.787	1.768	1.756	1.874
Ni	0.008	0.007	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.008	0.008	0.006
Ca	0.013	0.008	0.010	0.010	0.009	0.011	0.010	0.013	0.013
TOTAL	2.960	2.947	2.923	2.986	2.897	2.990	2.956	2.936	2.965
Fo	92.68	92.60	93.10	93.70	90.10	93.44	92.99	93.42	98.87

Sample	G17/25b10	G17/25a6	G17/25a7	G17/25a8	G17/25a9	G17/25a10	G17/25c3	G17/25c4	G17/25c6
MgO	51.22	50.44	49.19	51.63	51.19	51.11	49.92	50.52	51.19
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0.05	0	0	0.3	0.1	0	0.05	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.02	0.02	0	0.06	0	0
FeO	6.8	6.963	6.53	6.83	6.69	6.69	6.81	6.99	6.71
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0	0.03	0.05	0	0.03	0	0.03	0.03
MnO	0.16	0.2	0.16	0.18	0.14	0.11	0.18	0.11	0.11
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.37	42.52	42.79	42.83	42.34	41.95	43.05	42.47	42.36
CaO	0.29	0.46	0.41	0.41	0.37	0.33	0.37	0.33	0.29
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0.02	0	0.01	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.05	0.05	0	0.05	0	0
NiO	0.52	0.52	0.48	0.45	0.35	0.38	0.52	0.42	0.52
Summe	100.82	100.82	99.59	102.47	101.45	100.71	100.96	100.92	100.21

Formula									
Si	1.038	1.042	1.048	1.049	1.037	1.028	1.055	1.040	1.038
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.009	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.139	0.143	0.134	0.140	0.137	0.137	0.139	0.143	0.137
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.002
Mg	1.871	1.842	1.796	1.886	1.869	1.867	1.823	1.845	1.869
Ni	0.010	0.010	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.007	0.010	0.008	0.010
Ca	0.008	0.012	0.011	0.011	0.010	0.009	0.010	0.009	0.008
TOTAL	3.071	3.054	3.002	3.099	3.072	3.053	3.042	3.050	3.065
Fo	92.92	92.62	92.91	92.92	93.04	93.05	92.72	92.69	93.05

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 25

Sample	G17/16	G17/16	G17/16	G17/16
MgO	51.74	52.44	53.41	52.4
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.87	0.18	0.73	1.99
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0
FeO	6.45	6.71	6.14	6.32
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.02	0.05	0
MnO	0.19	0.16	0.14	0.12
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.26	40.87	39.42	39.5
CaO	0.35	0.44	0.35	0.31
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.38	0.34	0.34	0.38
Summe	103.24	101.16	100.58	101.02
Formula				
Si	0.965	0.980	0.951	0.948
Al	0.079	0.005	0.021	0.056
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Fe	0.126	0.135	0.124	0.127
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.002
Mg	1.805	1.875	1.922	1.875
Ca	0.009	0.011	0.009	0.008
Na	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007
Total	2.995	3.017	3.037	3.024
Fo	93.46	93.30	93.94	93.66

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G17 – sample 16

Sample	G13/24a1	G13/24a2	G13/24a2	G13/24a5	G13/24a6	G13/24a7	G13/24a8	G13/24a9	G13/24a10
MgO	43.65	47.87	47.86	42.91	42.62	42.99	46.03	46.55	46.22
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.07	0	0	0.04	0	0	0.07	0.04	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.02	0.04	0	0.02	0	0.06	0.02	0
FeO	9.64	8.94	9.13	9.97	9.79	9.95	10.37	10.51	10.67
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0	0.07	0	0
MnO	0.18	0.21	0.18	0.21	0.19	0.16	0.16	0.25	0.19
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.89	38.79	39.07	44.93	45.22	45.97	42.66	43.66	42.97
CaO	0.45	0.32	0.32	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.32	0.45	0.45
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0.01	0.01	0.02	0	0.01	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.09
NiO	0.29	0.33	0.33	0.26	0.23	0.36	0.33	0.29	0.29
Summe	96.18	96.52	96.94	98.78	98.54	99.88	100.08	101.77	100.88

Formula									
Si	1.064	0.986	0.993	1.142	1.149	1.168	1.084	1.109	1.092
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.205	0.190	0.194	0.212	0.208	0.211	0.220	0.223	0.227
Mn	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.005	0.004
Mg	1.653	1.813	1.813	1.625	1.614	1.628	1.744	1.763	1.751
Ni	0.006	0.007	0.007	0.005	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.006	0.006
Ca	0.012	0.009	0.009	0.012	0.012	0.012	0.009	0.012	0.012
TOTAL	2.947	3.010	3.020	3.002	2.993	3.031	3.071	3.121	3.092
Fo	88.79	90.31	90.16	88.25	88.39	88.34	88.63	88.52	88.35

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 24

Sample	G13/21g3	G13/21c2		G13/21c4	G13/21c5	G13/21d1	G13/21d2	G13/21d3	G13/21d4
MgO	49.16	49.64	50.91	50.29	49.78	50.8	51.29	50.95	50.87
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.04	0	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0.04
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0	0.02	0.02	0.02	0	0	0.02	0.02
FeO	6.82	6.38	6.87	7.06	6.87	6.85	7.02	7.06	7.1
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0.07	0.04	0	0.04	0	0.04	0.04
MnO	0.08	0.08	0.16	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.1	0.16	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.03	41.06	42.35	41.25	41.62	41.04	41.59	41.54	41.81
CaO	0.29	0.37	0.37	0.29	0.44	0.29	0.37	0.44	0.29
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0	0.01	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.08	0	0.08	0	0.08	0.15	0	0.15
NiO	0.42	0.35	0.28	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.39	0.32
Summe	99.86	98.01	101.04	99.58	99.28	99.59	100.88	100.6	100.78

Formula									
Si	1.030	0.983	1.013	0.987	0.996	0.982	0.995	0.994	1.001
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.136	0.128	0.137	0.141	0.137	0.137	0.140	0.141	0.142
Mn	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.754	1.771	1.816	1.794	1.776	1.812	1.830	1.818	1.815
Ni	0.008	0.007	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.006
Ca	0.007	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.011	0.007	0.009	0.011	0.007
TOTAL	2.938	2.900	2.987	2.942	2.932	2.949	2.984	2.976	2.976
Fo	92.70	93.20	92.81	92.56	92.68	92.83	92.78	92.64	92.61

Sample	G13/21b2	G13/21b3	G13/21b4	G13/21b5	G13/21b6	G13/17c13	G13/21a1	G13/21a2	G13/21a3
MgO	50.29	50.52	50.9	50.53	51.23	48.57	49.41	50.22	50.67
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.08	0	0	0.04	0	0.08	0	0.12	0.04
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	0.07	0	0	0	0.05	0	0
FeO	7.17	7.27	7.27	7.31	7.43	8.51	7.25	6.96	6.85
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.07	0	0	0	0.04	0.11	0	0
MnO	0.12	0.16	0.16	0.12	0.18	0.18	0.14	0.2	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.26	42.54	42.57	42.54	42.92	41.28	43.64	41.82	41.54
CaO	0.29	0.29	0.51	0.37	0.37	0.29	0.37	0.29	0.37
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0.01	0.02	0	0	0	0.01	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.08	0
NiO	0.39	0.28	0.42	0.39	0.53	0.32	0.39	0.35	0.32
Summe	101.63	101.13	101.91	101.32	102.66	99.27	101.36	100.05	99.95

Formula									
Si	1.035	1.018	1.019	1.018	1.027	0.988	1.044	1.001	0.994
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.000
Al	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.003	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.143	0.145	0.145	0.146	0.149	0.170	0.145	0.139	0.137
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.794	1.802	1.816	1.803	1.828	1.733	1.763	1.792	1.808
Ni	0.008	0.005	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.006
Ca	0.007	0.007	0.013	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.009	0.007	0.009
TOTAL	2.993	2.983	3.006	2.988	3.027	2.911	2.975	2.953	2.959
Fo	92.48	92.38	92.43	92.38	92.31	90.88	92.26	92.59	92.80

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 21

Sample	G13/21a4	G13/21a5	G13/21a6
MgO	50.95	50.65	51.19
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.04	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0
FeO	6.77	6.79	6.7
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.07	0
MnO	0.16	0.2	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.49	41.6	41.21
CaO	0.29	0.29	0.29
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0
NiO	0.35	0.32	0.28
Summe	100.02	99.96	99.82

Formula			
Si	0.993	0.996	0.986
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.135	0.136	0.134
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.818	1.807	1.826
Ni	0.007	0.006	0.005
Ca	0.007	0.007	0.007
TOTAL	2.963	2.958	2.962
Fo	92.91	92.81	93.03

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 21

Sample	G13/20a3	G13/20a4	G13/20a6	G13/20a7	G13/20a8	G13/20a14	G13/20a15	G13/20a16	G13/20a17
MgO	48.54	47.96	48.38	48.07	48.24	48.44	48.3	48.25	48.35
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.11	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.06	0.06	0	0.04	0.02	0.06	0.17
FeO	9.65	10.02	9.81	9.84	9.63	9.65	9.52	9.77	9.42
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0.04	0.04	0	0.04	0.04	0	0.04
MnO	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.21	0.14	0.16	0.18	0.14
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.83	41.33	42.3	42.31	41.37	42.83	42.78	42.35	42.84
CaO	0.32	0.45	0.25	0.32	0.45	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.32
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0.01	0.01	0	0.01	0.03	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.39	0.33	0.42	0.33	0.36	0.42	0.36	0.36	0.33
Summe	101.91	100.29	101.45	101.28	100.27	101.88	101.51	101.32	101.62

Formula									
Si	1.029	0.993	1.016	1.016	0.994	1.029	1.027	1.017	1.029
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.003
Fe(ii)	0.194	0.201	0.197	0.198	0.193	0.194	0.191	0.196	0.189
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.738	1.717	1.732	1.721	1.727	1.734	1.729	1.727	1.731
Ni	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.007	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.006
Ca	0.008	0.012	0.006	0.008	0.012	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.008
TOTAL	2.980	2.933	2.965	2.958	2.937	2.977	2.967	2.961	2.970
Fo	89.80	89.33	89.61	89.52	89.73	89.82	89.89	89.63	90.02

Sample	G13/20a18	G13/20a19	G13/20b1	G13/20b2	G13/20b3	G13/20b4	G13/20b5	G13/20b6	G13/20b7
MgO	48.04	48.17	48.46	49.34	48.41	48.69	48.55	48.84	48.37
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.04	0	0.07	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	0	0.04	0	0.06	0.02	0.04	0
FeO	9.58	9.42	9.33	9.66	9.2	9.35	9.42	9.57	9.7
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.07	0.04	0	0	0.04	0.04	0	0.07	0
MnO	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.16	0.19	0.21	0.16	0.25	0.19
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.36	42.46	42.73	41.96	42.35	42.88	42.54	42.92	42.94
CaO	0.38	0.38	0.32	0.26	0.19	0.45	0.38	0.32	0.38
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0.01	0.02	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.36	0.33	0.33	0.2	0.39	0.36	0.26	0.33	0.36
Summe	101.03	101.17	101.4	101.63	100.85	102.04	101.34	102.36	101.94

Formula									
Si	1.017	1.020	1.026	1.008	1.017	1.030	1.022	1.031	1.031
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.192	0.189	0.187	0.194	0.185	0.188	0.189	0.192	0.195
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.005	0.004
Mg	1.720	1.725	1.735	1.767	1.733	1.743	1.738	1.749	1.732
Ni	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.004	0.008	0.007	0.005	0.006	0.007
Ca	0.010	0.010	0.008	0.007	0.005	0.012	0.010	0.008	0.010
TOTAL	2.952	2.954	2.968	2.983	2.954	2.985	2.967	2.993	2.978
Fo	89.74	89.93	90.08	89.96	90.19	90.08	90.03	89.86	89.71

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 20

Sample	G13/20b8	G13/20b9	G13/20b11	G13/20b12	G13/20b13	G13/20b14	G13/20b15	G13/20b16	G13/20c1
MgO	48.91	49.66	49.93	48.61	47.98	48.41	48.05	47.75	49.36
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.04	0	0	0.07	0.29
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.09	0	0.02	0	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.02
FeO	9.62	9.34	9.4	9.46	9.55	9.33	9.5	9.18	9.14
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.07	0	0.04	0	0	0	0.07	0	0.07
MnO	0.18	0.23	0.16	0.21	0.21	0.23	0.16	0.18	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.71	41.88	42.36	42.53	42.81	42.92	42	42.82	42.18
CaO	0.38	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.51	0.32	0.32	0.38	0.26
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.03	0.01	0	0	0.01	0	0	0.01	0.01
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.29	0.42	0.29	0.39	0.33	0.42	0.36	0.29	0.49
Summe	102.34	102.02	102.57	101.61	101.44	101.67	100.5	100.7	101.98

Formula									
Si	1.026	1.006	1.017	1.021	1.028	1.031	1.009	1.028	1.013
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.008
Cr	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.193	0.188	0.189	0.190	0.192	0.187	0.191	0.184	0.184
Mn	0.004	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.751	1.778	1.788	1.740	1.718	1.733	1.720	1.710	1.767
Ni	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.006	0.009
Ca	0.010	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.013	0.008	0.008	0.010	0.007
TOTAL	2.994	2.996	3.013	2.974	2.963	2.973	2.940	2.944	2.993
Fo	89.89	90.24	90.30	89.96	89.76	90.03	89.86	90.09	90.44

Sample	G13/20c2	G13/20c3	G13/20c4	G13/20c6	G13/20c7	G13/20c8	G13/20c9	G13/20c11	G13/20c12
MgO	49.06	49.66	49.2	49.48	48.99	49.1	48.54	49.09	48.87
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.11	0	0.04	0.47	0	0	0.54	0.07	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0.04	0	0.02	0.04	0	0.02
FeO	9.1	9.27	9.2	8.98	9.06	9.25	9.28	8.95	9.1
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MnO	0.16	0.21	0.21	0.14	0.14	0.19	0.12	0.19	0.18
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.86	41.03	41.8	41.17	42.08	41.8	41.77	42.37	42.28
CaO	0.32	0.38	0.32	0.38	0.26	0.26	0.38	0.19	0.32
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0	0.01	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.39	0.29	0.39	0.29	0.36	0.36	0.33	0.33	0.36
Summe	101.05	100.85	101.16	100.96	100.89	100.98	101	101.2	101.13

Formula									
Si	1.005	0.985	1.004	0.989	1.011	1.004	1.003	1.018	1.015
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.013	0.000	0.000	0.015	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.183	0.186	0.185	0.180	0.182	0.186	0.186	0.180	0.183
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.756	1.778	1.761	1.772	1.754	1.758	1.738	1.758	1.750
Ni	0.008	0.006	0.008	0.006	0.007	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.007
Ca	0.008	0.010	0.008	0.010	0.007	0.007	0.010	0.005	0.008
TOTAL	2.967	2.969	2.971	2.973	2.963	2.965	2.962	2.972	2.967
Fo	90.42	90.33	90.31	90.63	90.47	90.26	90.20	90.54	90.37

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 20

Sample	G13/17e1	G13/17e2	G13/17e3	G13/17e	G13/17e6	G13/17e8	G13/17d1	G13/17d2	G13/17d4
MgO	49.66	48.89	50.3	49.44	49.13	50.44	50.35	49.85	49.48
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.08	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.04	0.04
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0	0	0.02	0	0	0.07	0	0.05
FeO	8.56	8.74	8.52	8.33	8.39	8.15	8.11	7.91	8.42
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0	0	0	0
MnO	0.18	0.14	0.2	0.14	0.18	0.1	0.14	0.12	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.69	43.09	42.09	41.92	42.12	42.48	42.59	42.15	42.28
CaO	0.36	0.43	0.29	0.43	0.43	0.36	0.36	0.29	0.36
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.03	0	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.03	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.08	0
NiO	0.25	0.31	0.25	0.31	0.28	0.22	0.28	0.25	0.41
Summe	101.87	101.64	101.72	100.66	100.58	101.76	101.94	100.72	101.2

Formula									
Si	1.022	1.031	1.007	1.003	1.008	1.017	1.019	1.009	1.012
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.171	0.175	0.170	0.167	0.168	0.163	0.162	0.158	0.168
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.003
Mg	1.772	1.744	1.795	1.764	1.753	1.799	1.796	1.778	1.765
Ni	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.008
Ca	0.009	0.011	0.007	0.011	0.011	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.009
TOTAL	2.986	2.971	2.989	2.955	2.949	2.995	2.997	2.961	2.968
Fo	91.01	90.75	91.14	91.23	91.09	91.60	91.58	91.71	91.13

Sample	G13/17d5	G13/17d7	G13/17c2	G13/17c3	G13/17c5	G13/17c6	G13/17c9	G13/17b1	G13/17b3
MgO	49.21	49.38	48.67	49.59	49.41	49.62	49.68	49.96	49.33
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.04	0	0.12	0.08	0.08	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.02	0.1	0	0	0.07	0	0	0
FeO	8.11	8.05	8.53	8.59	8.51	8.72	8.7	8.22	8.57
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0	0	0.04	0	0.11	0.04	0.04	0
MnO	0.18	0.14	0.24	0.14	0.18	0.08	0.06	0.16	0.16
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.36	43.25	42.21	42.54	42.61	42.19	42.4	40.95	43.06
CaO	0.36	0.29	0.36	0.29	0.22	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0	0.01	0.01	0.04
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.08	0.08	0	0.16	0.08	0
NiO	0.34	0.39	0.39	0.35	0.35	0.21	0.39	0.35	0.32
Summe	101.61	101.52	100.51	101.66	101.36	101.41	101.81	100.14	101.77

Formula									
Si	1.038	1.035	1.010	1.018	1.020	1.010	1.015	0.980	1.030
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.162	0.161	0.171	0.172	0.170	0.174	0.174	0.164	0.171
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.003
Mg	1.756	1.762	1.736	1.769	1.763	1.770	1.772	1.782	1.760
Ni	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.004	0.008	0.007	0.006
Ca	0.009	0.007	0.009	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007
TOTAL	2.976	2.976	2.941	2.978	2.969	2.974	2.980	2.947	2.979
Fo	91.36	91.49	90.82	91.01	91.02	90.95	91.00	91.40	90.97

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 17

Sample	G13-7b2	G13-7b4	G13-7b6
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0
MgO	44.61	44.59	44.94
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0
FeO	12.92	12.57	12.96
CaO	0.23	0.27	0.22
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.46	41.08	42.16
MnO	0.2	0.22	0.22
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.13	0.04	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0
NiO	0.18	0.09	0.22
Summe	99.73	98.92	100.72

Formula			
Si	1.014	1.005	1.031
Ti	0.002	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.264	0.257	0.265
Mn	0.004	0.005	0.005
Mg	1.627	1.626	1.639
Ni	0.004	0.002	0.004
Ca	0.006	0.007	0.006
TOTAL	2.921	2.904	2.950
Fo	85.84	86.14	85.87

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 27

No.	9	13	14	15	16	18
MgO	45.34	44.815	44.006	44.921	45.748	45.29
MnO	0.358	0.42	0.368	0.415	0.226	0.354
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.007	0.09	0
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.046	0.045	0.002	0	0.083	0.101
FeO	14.697	14.656	14.795	14.78	14.988	14.699
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.013	0.008	0	0.026	0.036	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	37.358	37.353	36.123	36.527	38.521	37.78
CaO	0.207	0.168	0.173	0.2	0.15	0.162
NiO	0.318	0.246	0.232	0.251	0.282	0.282
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.004	0	0.005	0	0.005
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.022	0	0	0	0	0.016
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.017	0	0	0.004	0.005	0.016
ZnO	0	0.015	0.093	0.006	0.005	0.017
Total	98.376	97.73	95.792	97.142	100.134	98.722
G13-6						

Formula						
Si	0.963	0.962	0.931	0.941	0.992	0.973
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.002
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.317	0.316	0.319	0.318	0.323	0.317
Mn	0.008	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.005	0.008
Mg	1.742	1.721	1.690	1.725	1.757	1.740
Ni	0.007	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.006	0.006
Ca	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.006	0.004	0.004
TOTAL	3.042	3.020	2.957	3.006	3.092	3.050
Fo	84.30	84.12	83.80	84.05	84.28	84.28

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 6

Sample	G13/6c1	G13/6c3	G13/6c4	G13/6c5	G13/6c6	G13/6c7	G13/6c8	G13/6a1	G13/6a2
MgO	43.34	44.03	43.42	43.52	43.93	43.6	43.53	46.8	46.23
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.08	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.06	0.03	0.06	0	0.03	0.03
FeO	12.15	12.1	11.73	12.8	13	11.78	12.22	13.03	13.42
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.03	0.03	0.16	0.06	0	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.03
MnO	0.27	0.23	0.27	0.27	0.33	0.31	0.33	0.23	0.25
SiO <sub>2</sub>	44	43.45	43.34	43.46	43.73	43.61	43.33	42.65	42.76
CaO	0.2	0.2	0.26	0.2	0.26	0.33	0.2	0.2	0.2
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.08	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.29	0.32	0.32	0.35	0.29	0.38	0.29	0.29	0.29
Summe	100.33	100.37	99.51	100.81	101.6	100.1	99.93	103.37	103.21

Formula									
Si	1.077	1.064	1.061	1.064	1.071	1.068	1.061	1.044	1.047
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.249	0.248	0.240	0.262	0.266	0.241	0.250	0.267	0.275
Mn	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.005	0.005
Mg	1.582	1.607	1.585	1.589	1.604	1.592	1.589	1.708	1.688
Ni	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.006
Ca	0.005	0.005	0.007	0.005	0.007	0.009	0.005	0.005	0.005
TOTAL	2.927	2.936	2.908	2.935	2.961	2.925	2.919	3.039	3.027
Fo	86.15	86.42	86.58	85.58	85.45	86.54	86.08	86.28	85.77

Sample	G13/6a2	G13/6a3	G13/6a4	G13/6a5	G13/6a6	G13/6a7	G13/6a8	G13/6a9	G13/6b3
MgO	45.77	43.85	43.83	43.36	43.35	43.63	43.45	43.22	42.85
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0	0.11	0.11	0	0.08	0	0.04
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.06	0.03	0.03	0	0
FeO	13.82	13.9	14.22	13.94	13.9	14.2	13.71	13.89	13.61
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.06	0.06	0	0	0.03	0	0.06	0.03	0
MnO	0.29	0.31	0.35	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.27	0.29	0.25
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.03	42.92	43.6	42.44	42.81	42.12	42.42	42.54	42.5
CaO	0.66	0.2	0.26	0.26	0.2	0.26	0.2	0.26	0.26
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0.01	0	0.02	0.01	0	0.02	0.02
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.29	0.26	0.26	0.32	0.19	0.22	0.35	0.38	0.26
Summe	102.96	101.77	102.53	100.74	100.98	100.78	100.57	100.63	99.79

Formula									
Si	1.029	1.051	1.068	1.039	1.048	1.031	1.039	1.042	1.041
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.283	0.285	0.291	0.285	0.285	0.291	0.281	0.284	0.279
Mn	0.006	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.005
Mg	1.671	1.601	1.600	1.583	1.583	1.593	1.586	1.578	1.564
Ni	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.006	0.004	0.004	0.007	0.007	0.005
Ca	0.017	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.005	0.007	0.005	0.007	0.007
TOTAL	3.014	2.954	2.978	2.930	2.936	2.933	2.927	2.925	2.902
Fo	85.25	84.62	84.28	84.43	84.47	84.28	84.71	84.45	84.64

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 6

No.	35	36	38	41
MgO	48.941	48.582	48.639	47.809
MnO	0.126	0.05	0.195	0.112
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.075	0.029	0.096	0.02
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0	0	0
FeO	10.09	10.03	10.181	10.479
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.024	0	0	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	37.941	37.751	38.012	37.931
CaO	0.283	0.313	0.308	0.317
NiO	0.322	0.365	0.408	0.37
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.02	0.011
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.025	0.038
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.006	0	0.013	0
ZnO	0.123	0.041	0.097	0.041
Total	97.971	97.161	97.994	97.128
	G13-20			

Formula				
Si	0.978	0.973	0.979	0.977
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.217	0.216	0.219	0.226
Mn	0.003	0.001	0.004	0.002
Mg	1.880	1.866	1.868	1.836
Ni	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.008
Ca	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.009
TOTAL	3.095	3.073	3.090	3.059
Fo	89.52	89.57	89.31	88.95

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 20

No.	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
MgO	44.73	44.79	45.152	44.764	45.741	44.455	44.775
MnO	0.26	0.266	0.233	0.255	0.359	0.367	0.145
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.022	0.05	0	0.021	0	0	0
FeO	12.261	12.346	12.583	12.454	12.328	12.131	12.164
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.002	0	0	0	0	0.012	0.008
SiO <sub>2</sub>	36.589	36.915	37.134	37.369	39.124	38.321	36.812
CaO	0.148	0.16	0.159	0.171	0.153	0.171	0.168
NiO	0.303	0.328	0.295	0.253	0.392	0.304	0.245
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.011	0	0.003	0.014	0.002
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.026	0	0.021	0.014	0	0.011
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.008	0	0.001	0	0.01	0	0.007
ZnO	0	0.024	0.066	0	0	0	0.051
Total	94.323	94.905	95.634	95.308	98.124	95.775	94.388
	G13-3						

Formula							
Si	0.943	0.951	0.957	0.963	1.008	0.987	0.948
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.264	0.266	0.271	0.268	0.266	0.261	0.262
Mn	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.008	0.008	0.003
Mg	1.718	1.720	1.734	1.719	1.757	1.708	1.720
Ni	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.005	0.008	0.006	0.005
Ca	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.005
TOTAL	2.941	2.955	2.978	2.966	3.051	2.976	2.943
Fo	86.43	86.36	86.26	86.26	86.53	86.37	86.64

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 3

Sample	G13-3c2	G13-3a4	G13-3b1	G13-3d2	G13-3d3	G13-3d5	G13-3a1	G13-3a3	G13-3a4
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.05
MgO	43.69	43.52	43.3	45	44.59	44.55	43.45	45.21	45.3
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.06	0	0.25	0.13	0.19	0.06	0	0.06
FeO	12.62	13.46	12.17	13.37	12.94	13.46	12.68	13.15	13.81
CaO	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.15	0.2	0.18
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.76	43.42	44.91	41.46	42.05	40.58	42.76	40.88	41.37
MnO	0.22	0.2	0.22	0.27	0.27	0.31	0.25	0.34	0.27
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.13	0	0.04	0.04	0	0.08	0	0.04
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.02	0.02	0	0.07	0	0	0
NiO	0.18	0.13	0.13	0.18	0.18	0.22	0.27	0.18	0.22
Summe	100.61	101.08	100.9	100.77	100.37	99.55	99.7	99.96	101.3

Formula									
Si	1.070	1.062	1.098	1.014	1.029	0.993	1.046	1.000	1.012
Ti	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.007	0.004	0.005	0.002	0.000	0.002
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.258	0.275	0.249	0.273	0.265	0.275	0.259	0.269	0.282
Mn	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.007	0.006
Mg	1.593	1.587	1.579	1.641	1.626	1.624	1.584	1.649	1.652
Ni	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004
Ca	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.005
TOTAL	2.933	2.939	2.938	2.951	2.937	2.914	2.907	2.933	2.963
Fo	85.85	85.03	86.17	85.47	85.75	85.22	85.69	85.66	85.15
G1-13									
Comment	olcore	olivcore	olivrim						
No.	4	7	8						
MgO	48.7	51.334	51.875						
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.046	0.045	0.044						
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.08	0.098	0.03						
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.028	0.013	0.018						
CaO	0.584	0.488	0.511						
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.469	39.705	40.637						
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.012	0.004	0						
FeO	13.372	9.852	10.205						
MnO	0.056	0.036	0.034						
NiO	0.245	0.381	0.349						
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.007	0.004						
Total	102.592	101.963	103.707						
Comment	olcore	olivcore	olivrim						

Formula			
Si	0.964	0.961	0.967
Al	0.001	0.001	0.001
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe	0.273	0.199	0.203
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.773	1.852	1.840
Ca	0.015	0.013	0.013
Cr	0.002	0.002	0.001
Ni	0.005	0.007	0.007
Total	3.034	3.037	3.032
Fo	86.652	90.279	90.060

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G13 – sample 3 & drill G1- sample 13

No.	27	28	30	34	35	36	40
MgO	51.588	53.713	52.316	54.665	55.074	54.342	53.437
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.072	0.06	0.019	0.057	0.056	0.01	0.01
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.131	0.034	0	0.143	0.093	0	0.038
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.06	0	0.019	0.001	0.033	0.016	0
CaO	0.175	0.162	0.154	0.14	0.159	0.149	0.213
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.5	40.984	40.695	41.285	41.353	41.201	40.77
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.065	0.099	0	0.013	0.066	0.011	0
FeO	10.166	6.991	9.601	6.18	5.578	8.453	8.574
MnO	0.027	0.025	0.013	0.02	0.035	0.025	0.037
NiO	0.389	0.388	0.421	0.354	0.372	0.402	0.391
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.004	0.006	0	0	0.017	0.011	0
Total	103.177	102.462	103.238	102.858	102.836	104.62	103.47
Comment	g1-14ol	g1-14ol	ol	ol	olrim	ol	oliv

Formula							
Si	0.969	0.981	0.974	0.988	0.990	0.986	0.976
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Al	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.203	0.140	0.192	0.124	0.112	0.169	0.172
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.841	1.917	1.867	1.951	1.965	1.939	1.907
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.008
Ca	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005
TOTAL	3.032	3.052	3.046	3.078	3.083	3.107	3.069
Fo	90.02	93.17	90.66	94.02	94.59	91.95	91.71

No.	13	14	16	18	19	20	23	25
MgO	48.957	50.91	51.223	51.197	51.017	51.617	51.732	51.014
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.026	0.056	0.05	0.005	0.031	0	0.015	0.035
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.048	0	0.016	0.001	0	0.021	0	0.004
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.076	0.058	0.037	0.031	0.026	0.05	0.078	0.068
CaO	0.784	0.399	0.461	0.461	0.565	0.37	0.313	0.414
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.54	40.557	40.639	39.927	39.946	39.918	40.193	39.72
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.018	0.048	0	0.013	0	0.015	0.008	0.001
FeO	11.355	11.522	11.916	11.397	10.702	10.63	10.098	11.062
MnO	0.033	0.041	0.038	0.033	0.041	0.036	0.032	0.039
NiO	0.282	0.268	0.308	0.336	0.246	0.304	0.319	0.317
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.021	0.007	0.021	0.01
Total	101.119	103.859	104.688	103.401	102.595	102.968	102.809	102.684
Comment	g1-18oliv	g1-18oliv	ol	ol	ol	ol	ol	ol

Formula								
Si	0.971	0.968	0.965	0.959	0.964	0.959	0.964	0.959
Al	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fe	0.233	0.230	0.237	0.229	0.216	0.214	0.203	0.223
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.792	1.812	1.812	1.833	1.834	1.849	1.850	1.836
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ni	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.006	0.006
Total	3.027	3.030	3.034	3.040	3.036	3.040	3.034	3.039
Fo	88.49	88.73	88.46	88.90	89.47	89.64	90.13	89.15

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 14 & 18

G1-13			
Comment	olcore	olivcore	olivrim
No.	4	7	8
MgO	48.7	51.334	51.875
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.046	0.045	0.044
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.08	0.098	0.03
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.028	0.013	0.018
CaO	0.584	0.488	0.511
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.469	39.705	40.637
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.012	0.004	0
FeO	13.372	9.852	10.205
MnO	0.056	0.036	0.034
NiO	0.245	0.381	0.349
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.007	0.004
Total	102.592	101.963	103.707
Comment	olcore	olivcore	olivrim

Formula					
Si	0.964	0.961	0.967		
Al	0.001	0.001	0.001		
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000		
Fe	0.273	0.199	0.203		
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001		
Mg	1.773	1.852	1.840		
Ca	0.015	0.013	0.013		
Cr	0.002	0.002	0.001		
Ni	0.005	0.007	0.007		
Total	3.034	3.037	3.032		
Fo	86.652	90.279	90.060		
Sample	G1-28				
No.	11	12	13	21	22
MgO	49.082	48.974	49.074	48.86	48.92
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.476	39.146	38.983	39.779	39.594
CaO	0.427	0.378	0.379	0.347	0.408
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.008	0.023	0.051	0.005
FeO	10.287	10.144	10.074	10.314	10.21
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0.01	0.013	0.017	0.024
MnO	0.208	0.152	0.184	0.184	0.175
K <sub>2</sub> O		0.003		0.006	0.013
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.026	0.048	0.05	0.074	0.032
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.018	0.005	0.02	0.014	0.007
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>			0.01	0.017	0.004
ZnO	0.118	0.05	0.008	0.099	0.075
NiO	0.362	0.335	0.376	0.338	0.35
Total	100.054	99.253	99.194	100.1	99.817
Comment	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin

Formula					
Si	0.976	0.974	0.971	0.981	0.979
Al	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fe	0.213	0.211	0.210	0.213	0.211
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.808	1.817	1.822	1.797	1.804
Zn	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001
Ca	0.011	0.010	0.010	0.009	0.011
Na	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.008	0.007	0.007
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total	3.024	3.025	3.028	3.017	3.020
Fo	89.48	89.59	89.67	89.41	89.52

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 13 & 28

Sample	G1-2								G1-20
No.	31	32	34	35	36	37	38	39	45
MgO	50.719	50.661	50.535	51.089	50.794	50.754	50.492	49.957	47.981
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.213	40.235	40.056	40.313	40.203	40.224	40.07	40.166	39.359
CaO	0.336	0.332	0.182	0.322	0.335	0.332	0.317	0.362	0.428
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.108	0.129	0.051	0.078	0.108	0.11	0.113	0.068	0.03
FeO	7.496	7.729	8.314	7.529	7.631	7.695	7.569	7.712	10.04
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.055	0.064	0.021	0.054	0.058	0.058	0.056	0.054	0.036
MnO	0.112	0.114	0.448	0.148	0.131	0.077	0.115	0.15	0.183
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.009	0.01	0.001	0.007	0.012	0.008	0.012	0.007	
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.044	0.035	0.052	0.047	0.026	0.06	0.052	0.047	0.065
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.024	0.016	0.013	0.019	0.014	0.008	0.027	0.012	0.004
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>		0.006	0.012	0.011	0.018	0.011	0.012	0.033	0.029
ZnO	0.044	0.076	0.006	0.009	0.051	0.049	0.128	0.013	0.004
NiO	0.433	0.405	0.468	0.43	0.428	0.415	0.431	0.408	0.317
Total	99.593	99.812	100.159	100.056	99.809	99.801	99.394	98.989	98.476
Comment	mat	mat	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	G1-20
Formula									
Si	0.984	0.984	0.980	0.982	0.982	0.983	0.983	0.989	0.985
Al	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.001
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fe	0.153	0.158	0.170	0.153	0.156	0.157	0.155	0.159	0.210
Mn	0.002	0.002	0.009	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.004
Mg	1.850	1.846	1.842	1.855	1.850	1.849	1.847	1.834	1.791
Zn	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.000
Ca	0.009	0.009	0.005	0.008	0.009	0.009	0.008	0.010	0.011
Na	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.001
Ni	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.009	0.008	0.006
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Total	3.014	3.014	3.019	3.016	3.015	3.014	3.014	3.008	3.012
Fo	92.34	92.12	91.55	92.36	92.23	92.16	92.24	92.03	89.49

Sample									
No.	46	47	48	49	54	55	56	63	64
MgO	47.981	48.437	48.502	48.815	47.621	47.435	48.275	47.797	48.208
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.602	39.72	39.514	39.53	39.276	39.349	39.622	39.246	39.387
CaO	0.421	0.372	0.344	0.39	0.351	0.406	0.309	0.406	0.369
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.047	0.032	0.03	0.022	0.001	0.008	0.024	0.014	0.017
FeO	9.912	9.954	9.979	9.948	10.37	10.164	9.85	10.383	10.286
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.027	0.027	0.026	0.02	0.01	0.025	0.024	0.002	0.01
MnO	0.185	0.122	0.172	0.135	0.183	0.176	0.187	0.192	0.241
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.003	0.001	0.005	0.004	0.02	0.009	0.016		0.007
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0.062	0.037	0.058	0.056	0.045	0.042	0.001	0.058
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0.015	0.01		0.028	0.019	0.009	0.02	0.01
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>					0.019			0.013	0.001
ZnO	0.067	0.166	0.112				0.034	0.082	0.022
NiO	0.326	0.337	0.308	0.359	0.296	0.333	0.306	0.316	0.3
Total	98.621	99.245	99.039	99.281	98.231	97.969	98.698	98.472	98.916
G1-20	olivin S	olivin S	olivin L	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin
Formula									
Si	0.989	0.986	0.984	0.981	0.987	0.990	0.988	0.985	0.983
Al	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001
Fe	0.207	0.207	0.208	0.207	0.218	0.214	0.205	0.218	0.215
Mn	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005
Mg	1.787	1.793	1.800	1.807	1.784	1.780	1.795	1.788	1.794
Zn	0.001	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.000
Ca	0.011	0.010	0.009	0.010	0.009	0.011	0.008	0.011	0.010
Na	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.006
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total	3.009	3.012	3.015	3.017	3.012	3.009	3.011	3.015	3.016
Fo	89.61	89.66	89.65	89.74	89.11	89.27	89.73	89.14	89.31

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 2 & 20

No.	9	10	11	12	13	23	24	26	27
MgO	50.563	50.757	50.154	50.432	50.003	49.657	50.106	50.061	49.801
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.033	0.025	0	0.023	0.037	0.037	0.01	0.002	0.004
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.088	0.072	0.045	0	0	0	0.079	0.032	0.069
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.052	0.036	0.058	0.024	0.02	0.008	0.037	0.055	0.063
CaO	0.378	0.376	0.394	0.423	0.415	0.52	0.497	0.339	0.35
SiO <sub>2</sub>	40.115	39.966	40.161	40.014	40.032	40.071	40.145	39.927	39.877
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.017	0.01	0	0.003	0.01	0	0.04	0.008	0.003
FeO	11.454	11.566	12.065	11.814	11.241	11.358	11.575	11.842	11.532
MnO	0.034	0.033	0.032	0.034	0.044	0.031	0.023	0.042	0.044
NiO	0.239	0.23	0.224	0.21	0.279	0.272	0.339	0.302	0.222
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.006	0	0.001	0	0	0.002	0	0	0.008
Total	102.979	103.071	103.134	102.977	102.081	101.956	102.851	102.61	101.973
Comment	olivin	olivin	olivin2	olivin2	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin	olivin

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Formula									
Si	0.966	0.963	0.968	0.965	0.972	0.974	0.969	0.967	0.970
Al	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fe	0.231	0.233	0.243	0.238	0.228	0.231	0.234	0.240	0.235
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.815	1.822	1.802	1.814	1.809	1.799	1.803	1.807	1.806
Ca	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.011	0.011	0.014	0.013	0.009	0.009
Na	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.001
Ni	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.005	0.007	0.006	0.004
Total	3.032	3.036	3.030	3.034	3.028	3.025	3.030	3.032	3.028
Fo	88.72	88.66	88.11	88.38	88.80	88.63	88.53	88.28	88.50

Sample	1	2	3	7	9	11	22	23	28	32	34
MgO	49.358	49.27	31.383	49.799	49.732	50.114	49.681	49.206	49.934	50.161	49.89
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.043	0.025	0.069	0.045	0.037	0.027	0.038	0	0.028	0.008	0.03
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.088	0.052	0.054	0.067	0.015	0.104	0.028	0	0.007	0.079	0.05
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.052	0.058	0.056	0.044	0.048	0.029	0.057	0.02	0.053	0.033	0.063
CaO	0.41	0.35	0.441	0.337	0.371	0.427	0.377	0.473	0.427	0.383	0.42
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.327	39.473	32.964	40.379	39.969	39.979	39.521	39.306	39.636	40.158	40.155
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.027	0	0.035	0.048	0.008	0.017	0.004	0.014	0	0.038	0.008
FeO	10.645	10.455	7.127	10.22	10.588	11.007	10.504	10.097	10.541	10.856	10.434
MnO	0.037	0.044	0.045	0.02	0.049	0.039	0.036	0.043	0.033	0.038	0.031
NiO	0.323	0.338	0.192	0.202	0.275	0.228	0.263	0.287	0.291	0.38	0.281
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.002	0.021	0.043	0.008	0	0.023	0.006	0	0.003	0	0.018
Total	100.312	100.086	72.409	101.169	101.092	101.994	100.515	99.446	100.953	102.134	101.38
Comment	G1-24	olivine	olivine	olivine	olivine	olivin2	olivin	olivin	olivine	olivin	olivine

Formula											
Si	0.970	0.974	1.102	0.983	0.976	0.970	0.971	0.975	0.970	0.973	0.977
Al	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fe	0.220	0.216	0.199	0.208	0.216	0.223	0.216	0.210	0.216	0.220	0.212
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.815	1.813	1.564	1.807	1.811	1.813	1.820	1.820	1.822	1.811	1.810
Ca	0.011	0.009	0.016	0.009	0.010	0.011	0.010	0.013	0.011	0.010	0.011
Na	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.000
K	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Cr	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001
Ni	0.006	0.007	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.006	0.007	0.006
Total	3.028	3.024	2.897	3.016	3.022	3.028	3.027	3.025	3.028	3.027	3.021
Fo	89.21	89.36	88.70	89.68	89.33	89.03	89.40	89.68	89.41	89.17	89.50

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 24 &amp; 26

No.	1	2	4	5	15	17
MgO	50.232	50.299	49.657	49.832	50.805	50.829
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.028	0.026	0.019	0	0.034	0.021
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0.022
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.021	0.027	0.039	0.084	0.054	0.033
CaO	0.494	0.381	0.447	0.388	0.357	0.353
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.132	39.528	38.941	39.462	40.168	40.129
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.016	0.04	0.078	0.021	0.007	0.027
FeO	10.897	10.618	11.26	10.906	11.188	10.935
MnO	0.031	0.037	0.037	0.045	0.032	0.041
NiO	0.361	0.336	0.349	0.356	0.333	0.37
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.004	0.027	0.018	0	0
Total	101.212	101.296	100.854	101.112	102.978	102.76
Comment	olivin L	olivin L	olivin L	olivin S	olivin	olivin

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Formula						
Si	0.959	0.966	0.960	0.967	0.966	0.967
Al	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.001
Fe	0.223	0.217	0.232	0.224	0.225	0.220
Mn	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Mg	1.835	1.832	1.824	1.820	1.822	1.826
Ca	0.013	0.010	0.012	0.010	0.009	0.009
Na	0.001	0.002	0.004	0.001	0.000	0.001
K	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ni	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.006	0.007
Total	3.040	3.035	3.042	3.032	3.032	3.033
Fo	89.15	89.41	88.71	89.06	89.00	89.23

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 21

Sample	G1-20d4	G1-20b4	G1-20c1	G1-20c2	G1-20c3	G1-20d6	G1-20d9	G1-20d10	G1-20d12
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.05	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.16
MgO	46.05	46.54	44.36	43.5	43.14	45.72	47.22	45.88	46.53
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.05	0.05	0.16	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	10	11.72	9.35	8.81	9.07	11.05	10.3	10.27	11.06
CaO	0.31	0.36	0.23	0.22	0.25	0.35	0.34	0.27	0.36
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.5	42.87	47.06	47.5	47.27	44.08	41.34	42.81	43.05
MnO	0.21	0.21	0.12	0.19	0.12	0.21	0.19	0.19	0.21
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.1	0.07	0.1	0.07	0.02	0.05
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.06	0
NiO	0.23	0.11	0.23	0.15	0.05	0.28	0.17	0.34	0.34
Summe	100.4	101.93	101.47	100.63	99.99	101.81	99.65	99.84	101.77

Formula									
Si	1.058	1.043	1.145	1.155	1.150	1.072	1.006	1.041	1.047
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001
Al	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.203	0.238	0.190	0.179	0.184	0.225	0.209	0.209	0.225
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.670	1.688	1.609	1.577	1.564	1.658	1.712	1.664	1.687
Ni	0.005	0.002	0.005	0.003	0.001	0.005	0.003	0.007	0.007
Ca	0.008	0.009	0.006	0.006	0.007	0.009	0.009	0.007	0.009
TOTAL	2.949	2.987	2.959	2.931	2.910	2.976	2.945	2.933	2.981
Fo	88.94	87.43	89.30	89.60	89.33	87.86	88.92	88.66	88.04

Sample	G1-20d14	G1-20e2	G1-20e3	G1-20e4	G1-20e5	G1-20e6
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.05	0.16	0	0
MgO	47.27	43.19	42.76	42.33	41.95	41.5
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.22	0	0	0	0.05	0
FeO	10.79	9.18	7.11	7.81	7.93	8.81
CaO	0.37	0.3	0.18	0.22	0.21	0.26
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.16	47.07	49.43	49.24	48.12	47.67
MnO	0.17	0.19	0.07	0.1	0.12	0.12
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.1	0.05	0	0.07	0.02	0.1
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.04	0	0.06
NiO	0.34	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.23
Summe	101.44	100.17	99.79	100.14	98.57	98.75

Formula						
Si	1.025	1.145	1.202	1.198	1.170	1.159
Ti	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002
Al	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.219	0.187	0.145	0.159	0.161	0.179
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.002
Mg	1.714	1.566	1.551	1.535	1.521	1.505
Ni	0.007	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.005
Ca	0.010	0.008	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.007
TOTAL	2.987	2.914	2.907	2.905	2.866	2.860
Fo	88.49	89.15	91.39	90.51	90.28	89.23

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 201

Sample	G1-19c3	G1-19c4	G1-19b1	G1-19c7	G1-19c5	G1-19c6	G1-19c8	G1-19c9	G1-19c10
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.06	0	0	0.34	0.06	0	0	0
MgO	47.58	46.65	48.32	48.46	46.31	45.72	47.18	47.66	47.67
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	2.06	1.53	0	0	0.12	0	0	0
FeO	8.13	7.99	8.11	7.65	8.27	8.76	8.79	8.66	8.31
CaO	0.42	0.37	0.39	0.33	0.41	0.36	0.35	0.39	0.38
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.6	40.77	41.16	41.38	43.72	45.6	43.65	44.62	42.81
MnO	0.13	0.16	0.13	0.16	0.09	0.11	0.11	0.16	0.02
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0	0.08	0.04	0.04	0	0.04	0.04	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.09	0.09	0.02	0.16	0.14	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.12
NiO	0.1	0.05	0.15	0	0.05	0.11	0.06	0.06	0.11
Summe	100.09	98.2	99.89	98.2	99.37	100.91	100.27	101.68	99.42

Formula									
Si	1.077	1.007	1.016	1.022	1.068	1.114	1.066	1.090	1.046
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.060	0.045	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.002
Fe(ii)	0.168	0.165	0.167	0.158	0.169	0.179	0.180	0.177	0.170
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.000
Mg	1.752	1.717	1.779	1.784	1.687	1.665	1.718	1.736	1.736
Ni	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.002
Ca	0.011	0.010	0.010	0.009	0.011	0.009	0.009	0.010	0.010
TOTAL	3.015	2.965	3.025	2.980	2.941	2.977	2.979	3.020	2.967
Fo	91.13	91.07	91.27	91.71	90.80	90.18	90.43	90.59	91.07

Sample	G1-19c11	G1-19a1	G1-19a3	G1-19b1	G1-19b2	G1-19d1	G1-19d2	G1-19d3
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.06	0.06	0	0.06	0.11	0.06	0.06
MgO	47.54	47.79	45.76	47.78	47.25	50.41	49.13	48.54
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0.06	0.12	0.06
FeO	8.17	8.82	9	9.4	9.54	8.63	8.62	8.62
CaO	0.4	0.37	0.38	0.37	0.37	0.41	0.42	0.42
SiO <sub>2</sub>	43.06	41.98	46.12	44.62	45.01	41.57	41.62	43.81
MnO	0.13	0.18	0.2	0.16	0.07	0.13	0.13	0.09
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.08	0.08	0	0.08	0.04	0	0.04	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.14	0.07	0.19	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.16	0.12
NiO	0.11	0.06	0.06	0	0	0	0.17	0.23
Summe	99.63	99.41	101.77	102.53	102.46	101.41	100.49	101.95

Formula								
Si	1.052	1.026	1.127	1.090	1.100	1.016	1.017	1.070
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.002
Cr	0.003	0.001	0.004	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.002
Fe(ii)	0.167	0.180	0.184	0.192	0.195	0.176	0.176	0.176
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.001	0.003	0.003	0.002
Mg	1.731	1.740	1.667	1.740	1.721	1.836	1.789	1.768
Ni	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.005
Ca	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.011	0.011	0.011
TOTAL	2.970	2.964	2.996	3.039	3.029	3.045	3.006	3.036
Fo	91.08	90.44	89.86	89.91	89.76	91.12	90.92	90.85

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 19

Sample	G1-18e1	G1-18e3	G1-18c1	G1-18c2	G1-18c3	G1-18c4	G1-18c5	G1-18c7	G1-18c9
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.11	0.05	0.1	0	0	0	0	0.05	0.05
MgO	48.14	46.84	43.73	43.32	43.63	43.5	43.34	47.19	51.02
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0.05	0.1	0.1	0	0.05	0	0	0
FeO	10.62	10.35	8.59	8.51	8.5	7.63	8.21	10.42	10.46
CaO	0.42	0.39	0.29	0.21	0.24	0.2	0.29	0.33	0.28
SiO <sub>2</sub>	41.82	43.23	46.66	47.69	48.09	47.77	47.15	42.32	37.01
MnO	0.14	0.21	0.1	0.14	0.12	0.19	0.12	0.21	0.14
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0.02	0.1	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.02	0.07	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0.02	0.06	0	0.04	0.04	0.02	0
NiO	0.28	0.17	0.11	0.23	0.28	0.23	0.17	0.28	0.4
Summe	101.64	101.32	99.8	100.31	100.91	99.66	99.34	100.89	99.37

Formula									
Si	1.015	1.049	1.133	1.158	1.167	1.159	1.144	1.027	0.898
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
Al	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.216	0.210	0.174	0.173	0.173	0.155	0.167	0.211	0.212
Mn	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.002	0.004	0.003
Mg	1.742	1.695	1.582	1.568	1.579	1.574	1.568	1.708	1.846
Ni	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.003	0.005	0.008
Ca	0.011	0.010	0.008	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.008	0.009	0.007
TOTAL	2.994	2.974	2.906	2.916	2.934	2.905	2.894	2.966	2.975
Fo	88.86	88.77	89.97	89.93	90.02	90.84	90.27	88.78	89.56

Sample	G1-18c9	G1-18c13	G1-18b1	G1-18b2	G1-18b7	G1-18b9	G1-18b10	G1-18b11	G1-18a1
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.11	0	0.06	0.06	0	0	0
MgO	47.64	49.86	48.18	44.92	43.34	44.41	42.72	46.41	47.2
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.17	0	0.11	0.06	0.23	0.06	0	0
FeO	10.1	10.22	11.14	10.12	12.1	11.76	11.78	11.32	11
CaO	0.32	0.47	0.38	0.38	0.48	0.38	0.41	0.41	0.38
SiO <sub>2</sub>	42.34	39.51	41.83	44.26	43.46	43.48	42.34	39.66	40.76
MnO	0.19	0.21	0.21	0.14	0.11	0.18	0.24	0.18	0.2
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.05	0.07	0.02	0	0.04	0.08	0.04	0.11
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.02	0.04	0	0.07	0.02	0.02	0	0
NiO	0.23	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.06	0	0.06	0.06	0
Summe	100.82	100.87	102.3	100.29	99.74	100.56	97.71	98.08	99.65

Formula									
Si	1.028	0.959	1.015	1.074	1.073	1.074	1.046	0.979	1.007
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002
Al	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.003	0.002	0.007	0.002	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.205	0.207	0.226	0.205	0.250	0.243	0.243	0.234	0.227
Mn	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.002	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.004
Mg	1.724	1.804	1.743	1.625	1.596	1.635	1.573	1.709	1.738
Ni	0.004	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Ca	0.008	0.012	0.010	0.010	0.013	0.010	0.011	0.011	0.010
TOTAL	2.973	3.000	3.008	2.928	2.938	2.973	2.882	2.938	2.988
Fo	89.19	89.50	88.33	88.64	86.35	86.89	86.37	87.80	88.25

Olivine microprobe analysis from drill core G1 – sample 18

## **18. Appendix 5 – CPX microprobe analysis**

Sample	G17/45c1	G17/45e6	G17/45e10	G17/45h1	G17/45h2	G17/45g9	G17/45i1	G17/45i9	G17/44d3
MgO	16.11	16.72	16.67	15.91	15.94	15.44	15.53	15.92	23.55
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.36	1.09	1.14	1.28	1.03	1.55	1.35	1.31	0.99
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.56	0.49	0.39	0.71	0.56	0.56	0.49	0.54	0.02
FeO	2.78	2.72	2.36	2.43	2.2	2.43	2.15	2.62	1.31
TiO <sub>2</sub>	1.13	1.37	1.3	1.37	1.34	1.14	1.04	1.03	0.38
MnO	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.04	0	0.02
SiO <sub>2</sub>	53.5	54.33	54.3	54.59	55.29	55.05	54.12	54.65	59.32
CaO	24.65	24.12	23.83	23.13	23.04	23.83	23.95	23.52	6.92
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.15
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.49	0.42	0.35	0.49	0.62	0.42	0.35	0.35	6.2
NiO	0.12	0.06	0	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.03	0	0.06
Summe	100.77	101.37	100.39	100.07	100.13	100.55	99.05	99.95	98.92

Formula									
Si	1.927	1.957	1.955	1.966	1.991	1.982	1.949	1.968	2.085
Ti	0.037	0.030	0.031	0.035	0.028	0.042	0.037	0.035	0.010
Al	0.024	0.021	0.017	0.030	0.024	0.024	0.021	0.023	0.041
Cr	0.079	0.077	0.067	0.069	0.063	0.069	0.061	0.075	0.001
Fe(ii)	0.084	0.082	0.071	0.073	0.066	0.073	0.065	0.079	0.038
Mn	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001
Mg	0.865	0.898	0.895	0.854	0.856	0.829	0.834	0.855	1.234
Ca	0.951	0.931	0.919	0.892	0.889	0.919	0.924	0.907	0.261
Na	0.034	0.029	0.024	0.034	0.043	0.029	0.024	0.024	0.422
K	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.007
TOTAL	4.003	4.025	3.982	3.956	3.961	3.970	3.916	3.967	4.099

Wo	49.14	47.95	48.11	48.08	47.90	49.62	50.00	48.64	13.33
En	44.69	46.26	46.83	46.02	46.12	44.74	45.11	45.82	63.11
Fs	4.40	4.28	3.78	4.05	3.65	4.06	3.57	4.23	1.95
Ac	1.77	1.51	1.28	1.84	2.33	1.58	1.32	1.31	
Mg #	91.18	91.64	92.64	92.11	92.81	91.89	92.79	91.55	96.97

Sample	G17/44c2	G17/44e5	G17/43a10	g17/43d17	G17/43c3	G17/43c16	G17/42e7	G17/42f12	G17/42b1
MgO	18.5	18.85	18.86	15.73	15.29	15.96	17.22	17.57	18.71
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	14.34	13.48	12.02	2.96	3.76	2.64	4.51	4.65	0.12
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.82	1.1	0.92	0.7	0.98	0.68	0.69	1.21	0.1
FeO	3.44	3.34	3.84	2.32	2.25	2.29	2.42	2.31	0.7
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.5	2.32	2.16	2.31	2.38	2.03	3.37	3.62	0.15
MnO	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.02	0	0	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	44.81	43.93	41.57	50.17	52.82	53.01	47.83	49	55.06
CaO	13.51	13.62	10.74	21.87	21.1	19.18	25.14	23.46	25.32
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.26	0.25	0.29	0	0	0	0	0.01	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.99	2.39	2.93	0.33	0.65	0.49	0.73	0.79	0.16
NiO	0.17	0.11	0.2	0.12	0.12	0.04	0	0.14	0.03
Summe	99.4	99.45	93.56	96.55	99.42	96.34	101.91	102.76	100.35

Formula									
Si	1.575	1.544	1.556	1.878	1.977	1.984	1.689	1.731	1.985
Ti	0.066	0.061	0.061	0.065	0.067	0.057	0.090	0.096	0.004
Al	0.594	0.558	0.530	0.131	0.166	0.116	0.188	0.194	0.005
Cr	0.023	0.031	0.027	0.021	0.029	0.020	0.019	0.034	0.003
Fe(ii)	0.101	0.098	0.120	0.073	0.070	0.072	0.071	0.068	0.021
Mn	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	0.969	0.988	1.052	0.878	0.853	0.891	0.907	0.925	1.006
Ca	0.509	0.513	0.431	0.877	0.846	0.769	0.951	0.888	0.978
Na	0.067	0.163	0.213	0.024	0.047	0.036	0.050	0.054	0.011
K	0.012	0.011	0.014	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	3.918	3.968	4.005	3.946	4.058	3.945	3.965	3.990	4.013

Wo	30.91	29.12	23.76	47.41	46.58	43.58	48.09	45.90	48.51
En	58.89	56.09	58.07	47.46	46.97	50.46	45.84	47.84	49.89
Fs	6.10	5.54	6.44	3.83	3.86	3.95	3.55	3.46	1.04
Ac			11.73	1.29	2.60	2.01	2.53	2.80	0.55
Mg #	90.56	90.96	89.75	92.36	92.38	92.55	92.69	93.13	97.94

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Sample	G13-3c1	G13-3a5	G13-3a6	G13-3d4	G13-3d6	G13-3a2	G13-3a5	G13-7b5
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.54	0.54	0.58	0.5	0.54	0.44	0.64	0.44
MgO	14.39	13.48	13.51	14.2	14.58	15.22	14.7	14.51
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.32	2.5	2.35	2.59	2.42	1.61	2.29	1.86
FeO	4.35	4.24	4.12	4.68	4.35	3.66	4.68	3.42
CaO	21.08	20.54	20.6	22.1	21.78	21.62	20.9	20.53
SiO <sub>2</sub>	52.45	54.02	55.76	49.36	52.5	53.86	51.07	53.1
MnO	0.09	0.11	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.02	0.11	0.07
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.63	2.32	2.71	2.5	2.1	1.98	2.67	1.98
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.4	0.46	0.4	0.38	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3
NiO	0	0	0.04	0.09	0	0.04	0.13	0.13
Summe	98.25	98.21	100.14	96.49	98.64	98.75	97.59	96.34

SiO <sub>2</sub>	52.450	54.020	55.760	49.360	52.500	53.860	51.070	53.100
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.630	2.320	2.710	2.500	2.100	1.980	2.670	1.980
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.320	2.500	2.350	2.590	2.420	1.610	2.290	1.860
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.400	0.460	0.400	0.380	0.300	0.300	0.400	0.300
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
FeO	4.350	4.240	4.120	4.680	4.350	3.660	4.680	3.420
MnO	0.090	0.110	0.070	0.090	0.070	0.020	0.110	0.070
MgO	14.390	13.480	13.510	14.200	14.580	15.220	14.700	14.510
CaO	21.080	20.540	20.600	22.100	21.780	21.620	20.900	20.530
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.540	0.540	0.580	0.500	0.540	0.440	0.640	0.440
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	98.250	98.210	100.100	96.400	98.640	98.710	97.460	96.210

Si	1.946	2.004	2.069	1.831	1.948	1.998	1.895	1.970
Al	0.054	-0.004	-0.069	0.113	0.052	0.002	0.100	0.030
Al	0.048	0.114	0.172	0.000	0.054	0.069	0.000	0.052
Fe(iii)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.012	0.013	0.012	0.011	0.009	0.009	0.012	0.009
Ti	0.073	0.065	0.076	0.070	0.059	0.055	0.075	0.055
Fe(ii)	0.137	0.133	0.130	0.147	0.137	0.115	0.147	0.108
Mn	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.002
Mg	0.796	0.746	0.747	0.785	0.807	0.842	0.813	0.803
Ca	0.838	0.816	0.819	0.878	0.866	0.859	0.831	0.816
Na	0.039	0.039	0.042	0.036	0.039	0.032	0.046	0.032
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	3.945	3.930	3.999	3.876	3.971	3.982	3.922	3.876

Wo	46.23	46.98	47.07	47.48	46.79	46.49	45.13	46.36
En	43.92	42.91	42.95	42.46	43.59	45.54	44.18	45.60
Fs	7.71	7.88	7.58	8.11	7.52	6.26	8.19	6.24
Ac	2.14	2.24	2.40	1.94	2.10	1.71	2.50	1.80
Fo	85.32	84.82	85.21	84.21	85.49	87.96	84.66	88.18

Table of cpx microprobe analysis drill core G13 sample 3

No.	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
MgO	44.73	44.79	45.152	44.764	45.741	44.455	44.775
MnO	0.26	0.266	0.233	0.255	0.359	0.367	0.145
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.022	0.05	0	0.021	0	0	0
FeO	12.261	12.346	12.583	12.454	12.328	12.131	12.164
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.002	0	0	0	0	0.012	0.008
SiO <sub>2</sub>	36.589	36.915	37.134	37.369	39.124	38.321	36.812
CaO	0.148	0.16	0.159	0.171	0.153	0.171	0.168
NiO	0.303	0.328	0.295	0.253	0.392	0.304	0.245
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.011	0	0.003	0.014	0.002
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.026	0	0.021	0.014	0	0.011
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.008	0	0.001	0	0.01	0	0.007
ZnO	0	0.024	0.066	0	0	0	0.051
Total	94.323	94.905	95.634	95.308	98.124	95.775	94.388
	G13-3						

Formula							
Si	0.943	0.951	0.957	0.963	1.008	0.987	0.948
Ti	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.264	0.266	0.271	0.268	0.266	0.261	0.262
Mn	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.006	0.008	0.008	0.003
Mg	1.718	1.720	1.734	1.719	1.757	1.708	1.720
Ni	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.005	0.008	0.006	0.005
Ca	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.005
TOTAL	2.941	2.955	2.978	2.966	3.051	2.976	2.943
Fo	86.43	86.36	86.26	86.26	86.53	86.37	86.64

No.	9	13	14	15	16	18
MgO	45.34	44.815	44.006	44.921	45.748	45.29
MnO	0.358	0.42	0.368	0.415	0.226	0.354
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0.007	0.09	0
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.046	0.045	0.002	0	0.083	0.101
FeO	14.697	14.656	14.795	14.78	14.988	14.699
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.013	0.008	0	0.026	0.036	0
SiO <sub>2</sub>	37.358	37.353	36.123	36.527	38.521	37.78
CaO	0.207	0.168	0.173	0.2	0.15	0.162
NiO	0.318	0.246	0.232	0.251	0.282	0.282
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.004	0	0.005	0	0.005
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.022	0	0	0	0	0.016
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.017	0	0	0.004	0.005	0.016
ZnO	0	0.015	0.093	0.006	0.005	0.017
Total	98.376	97.73	95.792	97.142	100.134	98.722
	G13-6					

Formula						
Si	0.963	0.962	0.931	0.941	0.992	0.973
Ti	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.002
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Fe(ii)	0.317	0.316	0.319	0.318	0.323	0.317
Mn	0.008	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.005	0.008
Mg	1.742	1.721	1.690	1.725	1.757	1.740
Ni	0.007	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.006	0.006
Ca	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.006	0.004	0.004
TOTAL	3.042	3.020	2.957	3.006	3.092	3.050
Fo	84.30	84.12	83.80	84.05	84.28	84.28

Table of cpx microprobe analysis drill core G13 samples 3 & 6

Nr	39	49	52	3	11	6	13	14	20
Sample	G1-18e2	G1-18c8	G1-18c9	G1-18b8	G1-18a5	G1-20d5	G1-20b7	G1-20b8	G1-20c5
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.34	0.44	0.33	0.43	1.11	0.39	0.61	0.39	0.38
MgO	14.67	16.4	16.04	13.35	14.54	14.97	14.39	15.16	14.44
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.26	0.91	1.29	2.17	1.17	2.14	2.23	2.1	1.8
FeO	5.1	4.15	2.88	3.55	5.1	3.2	3.64	3.42	2.61
CaO	20.65	21.8	22.07	24.8	25.4	21.27	21.41	21.9	14.1
SiO <sub>2</sub>	55.01	54.59	55.11	53.7	52.25	53.82	53.54	54.6	61.52
MnO	0.05	0.1	0.1	0.07	0	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.02
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.57	1.63	1.46	2.42	2.06	2.34	2.59	2.37	2.53
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.02	0.06	0.02	0.01
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.24	0.22	0.56	0.77	0.12	0.820	0.700	0.620	0.880
NiO	0.05	0.11	0	0	0	0.11	0	0.06	0.1
Summe	100.96	100.36	99.87	101.27	101.8	99.13	99.22	100.69	98.39

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SiO <sub>2</sub>	55.01	54.59	55.11	53.70	52.25	53.820	53.540	54.600	61.520
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.57	1.63	1.46	2.42	2.06	2.340	2.590	2.370	2.530
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.26	0.91	1.29	2.17	1.17	2.140	2.230	2.100	1.800
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.24	0.22	0.56	0.77	0.12	0.820	0.700	0.620	0.880
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
FeO	5.10	4.15	2.88	3.55	5.10	3.200	3.640	3.420	2.610
MnO	0.05	0.10	0.10	0.07	0.00	0.050	0.050	0.050	0.020
MgO	14.67	16.40	16.04	13.35	14.54	14.970	14.390	15.160	14.440
CaO	20.65	21.80	22.07	24.80	25.40	21.270	21.410	21.900	14.100
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.34	0.44	0.33	0.43	1.11	0.390	0.610	0.390	0.380
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.020	0.060	0.020	0.010
TOTAL	100.91	100.25	99.87	101.27	101.80	99.020	99.220	100.630	98.290

Formula

Si	1.979	1.964	1.982	1.932	1.879	1.967	1.957	1.996	2.249
Ti	0.070	0.044	0.039	0.065	0.056	0.064	0.071	0.065	0.070
Al	0.096	0.039	0.055	0.092	0.050	0.092	0.096	0.090	0.078
Cr	0.007	0.006	0.016	0.022	0.003	0.024	0.020	0.018	0.025
Fe(ii)	0.153	0.125	0.087	0.107	0.153	0.098	0.111	0.105	0.080
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.001
Mg	0.787	0.879	0.860	0.716	0.780	0.816	0.784	0.826	0.787
Ca	0.796	0.840	0.850	0.956	0.979	0.833	0.839	0.858	0.552
Na	0.024	0.031	0.023	0.030	0.077	0.028	0.043	0.028	0.027
K	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.000
TOTAL	3.913	3.931	3.917	3.922	3.980	3.925	3.926	3.988	3.868

Wo	45.10	44.66	46.60	52.72	49.12	46.86	47.08	47.14	38.13
En	44.58	46.76	47.12	39.49	39.13	45.89	44.04	45.40	54.35
Fs	8.97	6.95	5.02	6.14	7.87	5.70	6.45	5.94	5.66
Ac	1.34	1.63	1.26	1.65	3.88	1.55	2.43	1.52	1.86
Mg#	83.68	87.57	90.85	87.02	83.56	89.29	87.57	88.77	90.80

Table of cpx microprobe analysis drill core G1 samples 18 & 20

Nr	21	28	30	No.	8	14	15	25	28
Sample	G1-20c6	G1-20d1	G1-20d1	MgO	16.817	15.808	16.345	15.956	16.251
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.28	0.33	0.44	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.052	3.293	2.967	2.83	2.441
MgO	16.6	15.21	16.26	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.706	0.767	0.743	0.713	0.64
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.98	0	2.63	TiO <sub>2</sub>	1.88	2.908	2.723	1.907	2.173
FeO	3.69	3.13	2.98	CaO	23.706	22.937	23.28	23.241	23.485
CaO	23.1	18.72	20.56	SiO <sub>2</sub>	50.343	48.542	48.709	48.869	49.311
SiO <sub>2</sub>	52.41	56.19	53.34	Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.392	0.518	0.503	0.493	0.374
MnO	0.05	0.05	0.02	FeO	3.429	3.758	3.744	3.584	3.618
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.42	2.12	1.75	MnO	0.018	0.016	0.002	0.005	0.002
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.02	0.01	0.35	NiO	0.067	0.076	0.079	0.078	0.028
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.84	0.74	1.15	K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.018	0.006
NiO	0.05	0	0.06	Total	99.41	98.623	99.095	97.694	98.329
Summe	101.44	96.5	99.54	Comment	G1-26	cpx	cpx	cpx	cpx

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SiO <sub>2</sub>	52.410	56.190	53.340	SiO <sub>2</sub>	50.343	48.542	48.709	48.869	49.311
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.420	2.120	1.750	TiO <sub>2</sub>	1.880	2.908	2.723	1.907	2.173
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.980	0.000	2.630	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.052	3.293	2.967	2.830	2.441
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.840	0.740	1.150	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.706	0.767	0.743	0.713	0.640
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.876	0.000	0.000	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	5.072	0.000	2.750	0.000	0.000
FeO	0.203	3.130	2.980	FeO	-1.135	3.758	1.269	3.584	3.618
MnO	0.050	0.050	0.020	MnO	0.018	0.016	0.002	0.005	0.002
MgO	16.600	15.210	16.260	MgO	16.817	15.808	16.345	15.956	16.251
CaO	23.100	18.720	20.560	CaO	23.706	22.937	23.280	23.241	23.485
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.280	0.330	0.440	Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.392	0.518	0.503	0.493	0.374
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.020	0.010	0.350	K <sub>2</sub> O	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.018	0.006
TOTAL	101.778	96.500	99.480	TOTAL	99.851	98.547	99.291	97.616	98.301

Formula

Formula

Si	1.916	2.054	1.950	Si	1.872	1.805	1.811	1.817	1.834
Ti	0.067	0.058	0.048	Ti	0.053	0.081	0.076	0.053	0.061
Al	0.085	0.000	0.113	Al	0.090	0.144	0.130	0.124	0.107
Cr	0.024	0.021	0.033	Cr	0.021	0.023	0.022	0.021	0.019
Fe(ii)	0.113	0.096	0.091	Fe(ii)	0.107	0.117	0.116	0.111	0.112
Mn	0.002	0.002	0.001	Mn	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	0.905	0.829	0.886	Mg	0.932	0.876	0.906	0.885	0.901
Ca	0.905	0.733	0.805	Ca	0.944	0.914	0.927	0.926	0.936
Na	0.020	0.023	0.031	Na	0.028	0.037	0.036	0.036	0.027
K	0.001	0.000	0.016	K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
TOTAL	4.037	3.817	3.975	TOTAL	4.047	3.998	4.026	3.974	3.997

Wo	46.50	43.52	44.34	Wo	46.96	47.01	46.72	47.32	47.37
En	46.50	49.21	48.80	En	46.36	45.09	45.64	45.21	45.62
Fs	5.99	5.88	5.15	Fs	5.28	5.98	5.81	5.65	5.65
Ac	1.02	1.39	1.72	Ac	1.41	1.92	1.83	1.82	1.37
Mg#	88.91	89.65	90.68	Mg #	89.74	88.23	88.61	88.81	88.90

Table of cpx microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 20 & 26

	G1-21			G1-24					G1-26
No.	9	10	16	27	30	31	38	39	7
MgO	17.269	17.344	16.876	16.731	16.624	16.105	17.137	16.938	16.698
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.231	1.284	1.786	2.11	2.328	2.383	1.462	1.782	2.267
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.537	0.519	0.654	0.771	0.729	0.667	0.597	0.687	0.598
TiO <sub>2</sub>	1.553	1.588	1.854	2.152	2.267	2.379	1.072	1.773	2.157
CaO	23.611	23.778	23.501	23.631	23.467	23.573	23.691	23.787	23.564
SiO <sub>2</sub>	51.331	51.224	50.605	50.259	49.947	49.784	51.457	50.332	49.94
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.345	0.29	0.406	0.422	0.389	0.53	0.304	0.283	0.399
FeO	3.121	3.274	3.429	3.129	3.073	3.201	3.042	2.804	3.562
MnO	0	0.011	0.011	0	0.017	0.001	0.02	0	0.01
NiO	0.082	0.039	0.028	0.072	0.097	0.046	0.015	0.125	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.007	0.016	0.006	0	0.002	0	0.018	0.004	0
Total	99.087	99.367	99.156	99.277	98.94	98.669	98.815	98.515	99.195
Comment	cpx								

SiO <sub>2</sub>	51.331	51.224	50.605	50.259	49.947	49.784	51.457	50.332	49.940
TiO <sub>2</sub>	1.553	1.588	1.854	2.152	2.267	2.379	1.072	1.773	2.157
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.231	1.284	1.786	2.110	2.328	2.383	1.462	1.782	2.267
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.537	0.519	0.654	0.771	0.729	0.667	0.597	0.687	0.598
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.331	4.516	3.042	3.501	1.791	0.355	3.075	0.613	4.133
FeO	0.124	-0.790	0.692	-0.022	1.462	2.881	0.275	2.252	-0.157
MnO	0.000	0.011	0.011	0.000	0.017	0.001	0.020	0.000	0.010
MgO	17.269	17.344	16.876	16.731	16.624	16.105	17.137	16.938	16.698
CaO	23.611	23.778	23.501	23.631	23.467	23.573	23.691	23.787	23.564
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.345	0.290	0.406	0.422	0.389	0.530	0.304	0.283	0.399
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.007	0.016	0.006	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.018	0.004	0.000
TOTAL	99.339	99.780	99.433	99.556	99.022	98.659	99.108	98.451	99.609

Formula									
Si	1.904	1.900	1.877	1.865	1.854	1.847	1.910	1.868	1.857
Ti	0.043	0.044	0.052	0.060	0.063	0.066	0.030	0.049	0.060
Al	0.054	0.056	0.078	0.092	0.102	0.104	0.064	0.078	0.099
Cr	0.016	0.015	0.019	0.023	0.021	0.020	0.018	0.020	0.018
Fe(ii)	0.097	0.102	0.106	0.097	0.095	0.099	0.094	0.087	0.111
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Mg	0.955	0.959	0.933	0.926	0.920	0.891	0.948	0.937	0.926
Ca	0.938	0.945	0.934	0.939	0.933	0.937	0.942	0.946	0.939
Na	0.025	0.021	0.029	0.030	0.028	0.038	0.022	0.020	0.029
K	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	4.031	4.042	4.028	4.033	4.017	4.003	4.029	4.006	4.039

Wo	46.59	46.64	46.64	47.17	47.22	47.70	46.95	47.54	46.86
En	47.41	47.34	46.61	46.47	46.55	45.35	47.26	47.10	46.21
Fs	4.77	4.99	5.29	4.84	4.81	5.02	4.70	4.34	5.49
Ac	1.23	1.03	1.46	1.52	1.42	1.94	1.09	1.02	1.44
Mg #	90.80	90.43	89.77	90.51	90.61	89.97	90.95	91.50	89.31

Table of cpx microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 21, 24 & 26

Sample	G1-2			G1-20	
No.	30	33	42	57	58
MgO	14.459	13.989	14.678	15.992	15.856
SiO <sub>2</sub>	47.769	47.032	47.736	49.281	49.142
CaO	22.214	22.325	22.253	22.347	22.308
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.023	0.129	0.071	0.923	0.859
FeO	6.66	6.925	6.5	2.751	2.943
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.901	3.24	2.816	2.142	2.29
MnO	0.074	0.084	0.098	0.059	0.041
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.01	0.012
TiO <sub>2</sub>	3.12	3.449	3.152	2.075	2.232
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.313	0.31	0.297	0.494	0.28
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.23	0.235	0.203	0.123	0.173
ZnO	0.034		0.108	0.203	0.01
NiO	0.034	0.018	0.035	0.051	0.056
Total	97.836	97.74	97.952	96.451	96.202
Comment	mat cpx	mat cpx	cpx	cpx	cpx

SiO <sub>2</sub>	47.769	47.032	47.736	49.281	49.142
TiO <sub>2</sub>	3.120	3.449	3.152	2.075	2.232
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.901	3.240	2.816	2.142	2.290
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.023	0.129	0.071	0.923	0.859
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.786	1.336	3.390	2.972	1.349
FeO	4.153	5.723	3.449	0.077	1.729
MnO	0.074	0.084	0.098	0.059	0.041
MgO	14.459	13.989	14.678	15.992	15.856
CaO	22.214	22.325	22.253	22.347	22.308
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.313	0.310	0.297	0.494	0.280
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.005	0.004	0.005	0.010	0.012
TOTAL	97.817	97.621	97.946	96.372	96.098

Formula

Si	1.829	1.801	1.828	1.887	1.882
Ti	0.090	0.099	0.091	0.060	0.064
Al	0.131	0.146	0.127	0.097	0.103
Cr	0.001	0.004	0.002	0.028	0.026
Fe(ii)	0.213	0.222	0.208	0.088	0.094
Mn	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.002	0.001
Mg	0.825	0.799	0.838	0.913	0.905
Ca	0.911	0.916	0.913	0.917	0.915
Na	0.023	0.023	0.022	0.037	0.021
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
TOTAL	4.027	4.013	4.033	4.029	4.013

Wo	46.16	46.72	46.04	46.87	47.27
En	41.81	40.74	42.26	46.68	46.75
Fs	10.85	11.37	10.59	4.57	4.90
Ac	1.18	1.17	1.11	1.88	1.07
Mg #	79.47	78.27	80.10	91.20	90.57

Table of cpx microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 2 & 20

## **19. Appendix 6: Spinel microprobe analysis**

Sample	G17/43a4	G17/43a12	g17/43b4	g17/43b5	g17/43b9	g17/43d14	g17/43d15	g17/43d31	g17/43d33	G17/40c21
MgO	9.78	10.7	10.38	10.32	11.15	7.22	6.9	9.19	6.6	9.69
Al2O3	11.42	14.04	11.12	12.94	11.65	8.76	8.42	9.84	7	10.83
Cr2O3	32.46	32.63	33.39	31.9	34.05	36.31	37.62	29.08	37.46	33.22
FeO	38.19	38.47	38.21	37.61	36.58	41.69	42.17	41.09	43.4	41.2
TiO2	4.43	3.09	5.98	5.77	5.62	2.36	2.57	7.48	1.99	4.52
MnO	0.33	0.28	0.35	0.5	0.42	0.63	0.72	0.47	0.74	0.32
SiO2	0.37	0.04	0	0.15	0.7	0.04	0.04	0.32	0.14	0.04
CaO	0	0	0	0.02	0.05	0	0.01	0	0	
K2O	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	
Na2O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
NiO	0.65	0.54	0.57	0.54	0.54	0.23	0.38	0.69	0.23	0.45
ZnO	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.08	0.05	0.04	0.07	
Summe	97.69	99.83	100.01	99.76	100.78	97.32	98.88	98.21	97.63	100.27

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.105	0.011	0.000	0.041	0.189	0.012	0.012	0.091	0.042	0.011
Ti	0.944	0.638	1.241	1.187	1.142	0.524	0.564	1.604	0.448	0.949
Al	3.814	4.540	3.616	4.172	3.709	3.048	2.896	3.306	2.470	3.564
Cr	7.273	7.078	7.283	6.899	7.272	8.475	8.680	6.553	8.867	7.334
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	9.050	8.826	8.816	8.604	8.263	10.292	10.291	9.794	10.866	9.621
Mn	0.079	0.065	0.082	0.116	0.096	0.158	0.178	0.113	0.188	0.076
Mg	4.132	4.377	4.270	4.209	4.490	3.178	3.002	3.905	2.946	4.034
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.014	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.010	0.008	0.002	0.002	0.004	0.017	0.011	0.008	0.015	0.000
TOTAL	25.408	25.542	25.309	25.236	25.179	25.703	25.636	25.376	25.842	25.590

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.099	0.010	0.000	0.039	0.180	0.011	0.011	0.086	0.039	0.010
Ti	0.892	0.599	1.177	1.129	1.088	0.489	0.528	1.517	0.416	0.890
Al	3.603	4.266	3.429	3.968	3.535	2.846	2.711	3.126	2.294	3.343
Cr	6.870	6.651	6.907	6.561	6.931	7.913	8.126	6.198	8.235	6.879
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	3.545	3.865	3.311	3.135	2.996	4.240	4.085	3.469	4.561	3.977
Fe(ii)	5.003	4.428	5.049	5.048	4.879	5.370	5.549	5.794	5.530	5.046
Mn	0.075	0.061	0.078	0.110	0.092	0.147	0.167	0.107	0.174	0.071
Mg	3.903	4.112	4.049	4.003	4.280	2.967	2.810	3.694	2.736	3.784
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.014	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.010	0.008	0.002	0.002	0.004	0.016	0.010	0.008	0.014	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	g17/43d34	g17/43d36	G17/40c14	G17/40c15	G17/40c16	G17/40c17	G17/40c18	G17/40c19	G17/40c20	G17/40d18
MgO	49.51	7.48	6.34	8.14	7.29	11.01	9.61	8.61	7.64	7.73
Al2O3	0.04	9.37	2.52	5.43	3.77	11.77	11.03	9.93	7.41	5.29
Cr2O3	3.46	37.06	33.08	32.72	32.05	33.77	31.63	34.15	32.76	30.99
FeO	11.35	41.91	51.03	49.64	51.02	38.77	42.68	43.69	47.28	49.1
TiO2	0.21	2.15	5.63	5.82	5.7	5.35	4.06	4.03	5.04	5.11
MnO	0.23	0.7	0.69	0.46	0.55	0.29	0.35	0.38	0.5	0.51
SiO2	37.16	0.04	0.14	0.11	0.14	0.11	0.11	0	0.04	0.07
CaO	0.13	0								
K2O	0	0								
Na2O	0	0								
NiO	0.4	0.3	0.47	0.44	0.47	0.54	0.51	0.45	0.41	0.44
ZnO	0.01	0.06								
Summe	102.5	99.07	99.9	102.76	100.99	101.61	99.98	101.24	101.08	99.24

Formula without iron correction

Si	7.320	0.012	0.043	0.032	0.042	0.030	0.031	0.000	0.012	0.021
Ti	0.031	0.468	1.289	1.257	1.276	1.089	0.860	0.852	1.093	1.150
Al	0.009	3.193	0.904	1.838	1.322	3.755	3.660	3.291	2.518	1.865
Cr	0.539	8.473	7.960	7.430	7.541	7.228	7.041	7.592	7.469	7.331
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	1.869	10.134	12.987	11.922	12.697	8.777	10.049	10.273	11.402	12.285
Mn	0.038	0.171	0.178	0.112	0.139	0.066	0.083	0.090	0.122	0.129
Mg	14.539	3.225	2.877	3.486	3.234	4.444	4.034	3.609	3.285	3.448
Ca	0.027	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.001	0.013	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.375	25.688	26.237	26.077	26.251	25.389	25.759	25.707	25.901	26.231

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	7.207	0.011	0.039	0.029	0.038	0.028	0.029	0.000	0.011	0.019
Ti	0.031	0.437	1.179	1.157	1.167	1.030	0.801	0.796	1.013	1.052
Al	0.009	2.983	0.827	1.692	1.209	3.550	3.410	3.072	2.334	1.707
Cr	0.531	7.916	7.281	6.838	6.894	6.832	6.560	7.088	6.921	6.708
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	0.985	4.205	5.456	5.098	5.488	3.502	4.369	4.249	4.698	5.443
Fe(ii)	0.856	5.263	6.424	5.875	6.121	4.795	4.994	5.342	5.867	5.798
Mn	0.038	0.160	0.163	0.103	0.127	0.063	0.078	0.084	0.113	0.118
Mg	14.316	3.013	2.631	3.208	2.957	4.201	3.759	3.370	3.044	3.155
Ca	0.027	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.001	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G17 samples 43 & 40

Sample	G17/40c22	G17/40c23	G17/40d12	G17/40d13	G17/40d14	G17/40d15	G17/40d16	G17/40d17	G17/40b16	G17/40b17
MgO	11.74	11.31	10.99	8.71	7.48	10.74	8.16	7.36	8.24	8.84
Al2O3	11.53	11.86	11.33	7.37	5.75	10.85	5.69	3.77	7.97	9
Cr2O3	35.05	35.33	30.71	30.37	31.51	31.74	29.91	30.29	33.08	34.35
FeO	36.23	36.5	38.25	44.1	46.1	39.77	47.82	51.44	46.89	45.29
TiO2	5.9	5.69	4.76	4.36	4.74	4.66	5.08	6.04	5.52	6.16
MnO	0.3	0.22	0.27	0.38	0.51	0.29	0.45	0.43	0.37	0.42
SiO2	0.04	0.07	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.04
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.51	0.42	0.6	0.42	0.53	0.48	0.36	0.5	0.5	0.45
ZnO										
Summe	101.3	101.4	97.02	95.82	96.73	98.64	97.58	99.94	102.68	104.55

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.011	0.019	0.031	0.033	0.034	0.031	0.033	0.033	0.031	0.011
Ti	1.194	1.151	1.019	0.990	1.086	0.988	1.154	1.368	1.169	1.263
Al	3.655	3.760	3.801	2.622	2.065	3.603	2.026	1.338	2.645	2.891
Cr	7.454	7.514	6.911	7.248	7.591	7.071	7.144	7.213	7.364	7.402
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	8.150	8.210	9.104	11.132	11.747	9.371	12.080	12.956	11.040	10.323
Mn	0.068	0.050	0.065	0.097	0.132	0.069	0.115	0.110	0.088	0.097
Mg	4.708	4.536	4.664	3.920	3.398	4.512	3.675	3.305	3.459	3.592
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	25.241	25.240	25.594	26.042	26.052	25.644	26.228	26.323	25.796	25.579

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.010	0.018	0.029	0.031	0.031	0.029	0.030	0.030	0.029	0.010
Ti	1.135	1.095	0.956	0.912	1.001	0.924	1.056	1.248	1.088	1.185
Al	3.476	3.575	3.564	2.416	1.902	3.372	1.854	1.220	2.461	2.713
Cr	7.088	7.145	6.480	6.680	6.993	6.617	6.537	6.576	6.851	6.945
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	3.146	3.145	3.986	5.018	5.041	4.104	5.436	5.648	4.455	3.952
Fe(ii)	4.603	4.662	4.551	5.241	5.780	4.666	5.618	6.164	5.816	5.734
Mn	0.065	0.048	0.061	0.090	0.121	0.065	0.105	0.100	0.082	0.091
Mg	4.477	4.313	4.373	3.612	3.130	4.222	3.363	3.013	3.218	3.370
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G17/40e12	G17/40e13	G17/40e14	G17/40e15	G17/40e16	G17/40b13	G17/40b14	G17/40b15	G17/40a17	G17/38b25
MgO	9.6	10	9.56	6.1	5.41	9.29	7.51	4.87	5.97	10.7
Al2O3	10.25	9.94	10.62	3.25	2.81	11.79	6.79	3.86	4.08	15.43
Cr2O3	27.83	28.82	28.07	30.82	33.09	34.62	33.97	33.63	33.25	31.7
FeO	42.34	43.68	44.55	52.28	50.07	39.94	47.46	52.37	51.41	36.03
TiO2	5.43	5.54	4.62	5.89	4.43	3.84	5.82	5.41	5.48	6.39
MnO	0.32	0.35	0.42	0.71	0.66	0.3	0.47	0.86	0.64	0.32
SiO2	0.14	0.11	0.15	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.14	0.18
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.57	0.65	0.65	0.59	0.5	0.36	0.44	0.35	0.3	0.39
ZnO										
Summe	96.48	99.09	98.64	99.75	97.04	100.21	102.53	101.42	101.27	101.14

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.041	0.031	0.043	0.034	0.022	0.019	0.020	0.021	0.042	0.048
Ti	1.193	1.190	1.000	1.353	1.050	0.801	1.246	1.220	1.226	1.269
Al	3.528	3.346	3.603	1.170	1.044	3.856	2.277	1.363	1.430	4.801
Cr	6.426	6.508	6.388	7.441	8.247	7.595	7.642	7.969	7.818	6.617
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	10.341	10.433	10.723	13.350	13.199	9.268	11.292	13.126	12.785	7.955
Mn	0.079	0.085	0.102	0.184	0.176	0.071	0.113	0.218	0.161	0.072
Mg	4.180	4.258	4.102	2.777	2.543	3.843	3.186	2.176	2.647	4.212
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	25.789	25.851	25.961	26.308	26.282	25.454	25.775	26.093	26.109	24.974

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.038	0.029	0.040	0.031	0.020	0.018	0.019	0.019	0.038	0.046
Ti	1.110	1.105	0.925	1.234	0.959	0.756	1.160	1.122	1.127	1.220
Al	3.284	3.106	3.330	1.067	0.953	3.636	2.120	1.254	1.315	4.614
Cr	5.981	6.042	5.905	6.788	7.531	7.161	7.115	7.330	7.186	6.359
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	4.439	4.583	4.835	5.615	5.557	3.655	4.408	5.134	5.169	2.496
Fe(ii)	5.184	5.102	5.077	6.564	6.497	5.084	6.107	6.939	6.584	5.149
Mn	0.074	0.079	0.095	0.168	0.161	0.066	0.105	0.201	0.148	0.069
Mg	3.890	3.953	3.792	2.534	2.322	3.624	2.966	2.002	2.433	4.048
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis drill core G17 sample 40

Sample	G17/40b17	G17/40b18	G17/40b20	G17/40A11	G17/40a13	G17/40a14	G17/40a15	G17/40a16	G17/38c12	G17/38c14
MgO	8.84	6.18	4.03	10.58	7.89	8.19	8.7	6.88	6.87	10.12
Al2O3	9	2.58	3.89	11.36	7.89	9.49	10.69	5.37	7.93	16.39
Cr2O3	34.35	31.86	37.95	34.18	33.77	34.68	33.24	33.03	41.32	35.7
FeO	45.29	52.58	47.04	38.85	46.02	43.42	45.08	49.4	38.86	33.41
TiO2	6.16	7.62	5.55	6.1	5.09	4.1	4.71	6.01	2.32	3.51
MnO	0.42	0.69	0.97	0.32	0.35	0.4	0.37	0.51	0.68	0.37
SiO2	0.04	0.11	0.14	0.07	0.04	0.14	0.04	0.11	0.11	0.15
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.45	0.41	0.35	0.42	0.39	0.3	0.33	0.41	0.3	0.36
ZnO										
Summe	104.55	102.03	99.92	101.88	101.44	100.72	103.16	101.72	98.39	100.01

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.011	0.033	0.042	0.019	0.011	0.040	0.011	0.032	0.038	0.052
Ti	1.263	1.701	1.252	1.239	1.091	0.872	0.973	1.316	0.602	0.910
Al	2.891	0.903	1.375	3.616	2.650	3.161	3.462	1.842	3.222	6.660
Cr	7.402	7.478	9.000	7.300	7.610	7.750	7.221	7.602	11.264	9.732
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	10.323	13.053	11.800	8.775	10.968	10.263	10.358	12.026	11.204	9.633
Mn	0.097	0.173	0.246	0.073	0.084	0.096	0.086	0.126	0.199	0.108
Mg	3.592	2.735	1.802	4.261	3.353	3.451	3.564	2.986	3.532	5.202
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	25.579	26.076	25.518	25.284	25.768	25.633	25.674	25.930	30.060	32.297

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.010	0.030	0.039	0.018	0.011	0.037	0.010	0.030	0.030	0.038
Ti	1.185	1.566	1.178	1.176	1.016	0.816	0.910	1.218	0.480	0.676
Al	2.713	0.831	1.293	3.433	2.468	2.960	3.236	1.705	2.573	4.949
Cr	6.945	6.882	8.465	6.929	7.088	7.256	6.750	7.036	8.993	7.232
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	3.952	5.095	3.807	3.249	4.390	4.077	4.174	4.763	12.902	16.442
Fe(ii)	5.734	6.919	7.290	5.080	5.826	5.532	5.508	6.368	-3.957	-9.283
Mn	0.091	0.160	0.232	0.069	0.079	0.090	0.080	0.116	0.159	0.080
Mg	3.370	2.517	1.695	4.044	3.123	3.232	3.331	2.764	2.820	3.866
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G17/38b25	G17/38b26	G17/38b27	G17/38b28	G17/38b29	G17/38b30	G17/38b31	G17/38b32	G17/25a17	G17/25a18
MgO	10.7	10.55	8.44	8.84	3.87	10.15	9.88	10.5	11.61	7.08
Al2O3	15.43	15.49	16.83	16.71	0.23	18.03	17.91	19.19	12.59	4.7
Cr2O3	31.7	32.62	35.77	34.73	27.14	34.06	34.92	32.93	32.86	27.75
FeO	36.03	35.78	35.25	36.23	60.29	35.65	35.17	35.43	37.93	53.26
TiO2	6.39	6.17	1.93	1.85	1.88	4.03	3.39	3.58	3.94	3.64
MnO	0.32	0.29	0.34	0.51	0.83	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.35	0.4
SiO2	0.18	0.15	0.15	0.07	0.25	0.11	0.18	0.07		
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.39	0.54	0.27	0.18	0.35	0.42	0.3	0.27	0.34	0.71
ZnO										
Summe	101.14	101.59	98.98	99.12	94.84	102.79	102.09	102.31	99.62	97.54

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.048	0.039	0.041	0.019	0.086	0.038	0.062	0.024	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.269	1.222	0.395	0.379	0.488	1.045	0.879	0.928	1.022	0.944
Al	4.801	4.806	5.392	5.361	0.093	7.327	7.278	7.798	5.116	1.910
Cr	6.617	6.790	7.687	7.474	7.398	9.285	9.519	8.977	8.958	7.565
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	7.955	7.877	8.012	8.247	17.383	10.279	10.140	10.215	10.936	15.356
Mn	0.072	0.065	0.078	0.118	0.242	0.099	0.099	0.099	0.102	0.117
Mg	4.212	4.141	3.420	3.588	1.989	5.218	5.079	5.397	5.968	3.639
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.974	24.941	25.025	25.185	27.680	33.290	33.057	33.439	32.102	29.531

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.046	0.038	0.039	0.018	0.075	0.027	0.045	0.017	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.220	1.176	0.378	0.361	0.423	0.753	0.638	0.666	0.764	0.767
Al	4.614	4.625	5.171	5.109	0.081	5.282	5.284	5.597	3.825	1.552
Cr	6.359	6.534	7.372	7.123	6.415	6.694	6.911	6.443	6.697	6.148
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	2.496	2.414	2.622	3.011	8.509	17.860	17.534	18.066	16.152	11.987
Fe(ii)	5.149	5.167	5.062	4.848	6.562	-10.450	-10.172	-10.734	-7.976	0.493
Mn	0.069	0.062	0.075	0.112	0.210	0.072	0.072	0.071	0.076	0.095
Mg	4.048	3.985	3.280	3.419	1.725	3.762	3.687	3.874	4.462	2.958
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G17 samples 40, 38 & 25

Sample	G17/25b11	G17/25a11	G17/25a12	G17/25a13	G17/25a14	G17/25a15	G17/25a16	G17/44d16	G17/44d17	G17/44d18
MgO	12.62	13.43	12.88	12.72	14.12	12.81	10.37	8.48	2	1.47
Al2O3	10.38	11.65	12	7.06	12.58	12.6	7.78	11.8	0	0.03
Cr2O3	31.84	36.06	35.17	33.84	37.93	35.3	33.83	32.88	0.95	0.25
FeO	35.11	33.38	37.63	40.69	32.94	35.99	43.4	41.03	92.88	95.41
TiO2	3.77	5.04	4.3	3.21	5.38	4.39	3.88	5.05	0.4	0.1
MnO	0.25	0.25	0.29	0.37	0.22	0.2	0.25	0.4	0.06	0.04
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.38	0.38	0.25	0.55	0.38	0.51	0.51	0.46	0.51	0.31
ZnO										
Summe	94.35	100.19	102.52	98.44	103.55	101.8	100.02	100.1	96.8	97.61

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.978	1.307	1.115	0.832	1.395	1.139	1.006	1.310	0.104	0.026
Al	4.218	4.734	4.876	2.869	5.112	5.120	3.161	4.795	0.000	0.012
Cr	8.680	9.830	9.587	9.225	10.340	9.623	9.222	8.963	0.259	0.068
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	10.123	9.624	10.850	11.732	9.497	10.377	12.513	11.830	26.780	27.509
Mn	0.073	0.073	0.085	0.108	0.064	0.058	0.073	0.117	0.018	0.012
Mg	6.487	6.904	6.621	6.539	7.258	6.585	5.331	4.359	1.028	0.756
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	30.559	32.472	33.134	31.305	33.667	32.901	31.307	31.374	28.188	28.383

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.768	0.966	0.808	0.638	0.995	0.830	0.771	1.002	0.088	0.022
Al	3.313	3.499	3.532	2.199	3.644	3.735	2.424	3.668	0.000	0.010
Cr	6.817	7.265	6.944	7.072	7.371	7.019	7.070	6.856	0.220	0.058
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	13.736	16.698	17.643	14.934	18.377	17.315	14.937	15.042	9.508	9.882
Fe(ii)	-5.785	-9.584	-9.784	-5.940	-11.606	-9.746	-5.344	-5.992	13.292	13.379
Mn	0.057	0.054	0.061	0.083	0.046	0.043	0.056	0.089	0.015	0.010
Mg	5.095	5.102	4.796	5.013	5.174	4.803	4.087	3.335	0.875	0.639
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G17/25c14	G17/25c16	G17/25c17	G17/25c18	G17/25c19	G17/25d10	G17/25d11	G17/44c16	G17/44c17	G17/44c18
MgO	7.25	13.7	11.09	10.06	9.92	11.8	8.38	2.54	1.55	13.83
Al2O3	8.39	7.62	11.69	13.45	12.28	10.51	9.66	0	0	9.72
Cr2O3	32.44	25.12	30.31	35.53	34.9	32.03	32.91	7.89	0.41	31.58
FeO	48.47	49.47	43.02	39.14	39.29	36	47.51	88.71	97.13	36.68
TiO2	2.74	4.95	5.69	2.74	2.09	3.48	2.63	0.98	0.1	4.29
MnO	0.43	0.42	0.32	0.3	0.4	0.39	0.5	0.21	0.04	0.37
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.46	0.63	0.38	0.51	0.38	0.42	0.34	0.51	0.34	0.53
ZnO										
Summe	100.18	101.91	102.5	101.73	99.26	94.63	101.93	100.84	99.57	97

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.711	1.284	1.476	0.711	0.542	0.903	0.682	0.254	0.026	1.113
Al	3.409	3.096	4.750	5.466	4.990	4.271	3.925	0.000	0.000	3.950
Cr	8.843	6.848	8.262	9.685	9.514	8.731	8.971	2.151	0.112	8.609
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	13.975	14.263	12.404	11.285	11.328	10.380	13.698	25.577	28.005	10.576
Mn	0.126	0.123	0.093	0.088	0.117	0.114	0.146	0.061	0.012	0.108
Mg	3.727	7.042	5.701	5.171	5.099	6.066	4.308	1.306	0.797	7.109
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	30.791	32.656	32.686	32.405	31.590	30.464	31.731	29.349	28.951	31.464

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.554	0.943	1.083	0.526	0.412	0.711	0.516	0.208	0.021	0.849
Al	2.657	2.276	3.488	4.048	3.791	3.365	2.969	0.000	0.000	3.013
Cr	6.893	5.033	6.067	7.173	7.228	6.879	6.786	1.759	0.093	6.566
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	14.114	16.965	17.008	16.601	15.377	13.580	15.593	11.665	10.945	15.182
Fe(ii)	-3.221	-6.482	-7.900	-8.243	-6.771	-5.402	-5.232	9.251	12.271	-7.116
Mn	0.098	0.090	0.069	0.065	0.089	0.090	0.110	0.050	0.010	0.082
Mg	2.905	5.176	4.186	3.830	3.874	4.779	3.258	1.068	0.661	5.423
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G17 samples 25 & 44

Sample	G17/44d19	G17/44d20	G17/44d21	G17/44c13	G17/44c14	G17/44c15	G17/44f8	G17/44b9	G17/44b10	G17/16d5
MgO	1.68	11.46	11.82	1.26	9.83	1.88	1.75	2.17	1.47	10.96
Al2O3	0.03	15.52	14.89	0.03	10.51	0.03	0	0.03	0.07	10.92
Cr2O3	0.27	37.68	38.65	0.28	37.61	2.01	3.11	1.09	0.04	31.42
FeO	95.15	30.92	31.56	93.95	38.19	95.28	93.66	94.7	98.54	33.07
TiO2	0.19	2.82	2.43	0.12	4.29	0.44	0.42	0.14	0.07	4.88
MnO	0.06	0.31	0.23	0.1	0.51	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.3
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.38	0.32	0.28	0.55	0.28	0.62	0.55	0.27	0.51	0.39
ZnO										
Summe	97.76	99.03	99.86	96.29	101.22	100.33	99.56	98.47	100.76	91.94

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.049	0.731	0.630	0.031	1.113	0.114	0.109	0.036	0.018	1.266
Al	0.012	6.307	6.051	0.012	4.271	0.012	0.000	0.012	0.028	4.437
Cr	0.074	10.271	10.536	0.076	10.252	0.548	0.848	0.297	0.011	8.565
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	27.434	8.915	9.100	27.088	11.011	27.472	27.004	27.304	28.411	9.535
Mn	0.018	0.091	0.067	0.029	0.149	0.020	0.020	0.020	0.018	0.088
Mg	0.864	5.891	6.076	0.648	5.053	0.966	0.900	1.115	0.756	5.634
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	28.450	32.206	32.459	27.885	31.849	29.133	28.881	28.786	29.242	29.524

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.042	0.545	0.466	0.027	0.838	0.094	0.091	0.030	0.015	1.029
Al	0.010	4.700	4.474	0.010	3.218	0.010	0.000	0.010	0.023	3.607
Cr	0.062	7.654	7.790	0.066	7.726	0.451	0.704	0.248	0.009	6.962
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	10.011	16.307	16.679	8.916	15.772	11.276	10.817	10.640	11.473	11.975
Fe(ii)	13.132	-9.664	-9.951	14.399	-7.475	11.356	11.624	12.124	11.845	-4.225
Mn	0.015	0.067	0.050	0.025	0.112	0.017	0.017	0.017	0.014	0.071
Mg	0.729	4.390	4.493	0.557	3.808	0.796	0.748	0.930	0.620	4.580
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G17/44g13	G17/44g14	G17/44g15	G17/44g16	G17/44g17	G17/44f7	G17/42a15	G17/42a16	G17/42a17	G17/42a18
MgO	20.64	10.59	14.2	29.29	16.35	10.16	8.32	8.58	12.58	9.22
Al2O3	10.84	10.2	15.36	15.82	15.08	11.39	12.47	12.86	16.58	12.44
Cr2O3	20.48	27.12	34.07	26.65	33.17	34.92	31.38	31.52	27.59	28.71
FeO	38.91	44.3	35.87	30.27	35.4	39.12	43.8	44.92	40.17	43.98
TiO2	6.22	6.3	2.24	2.21	2.18	4.88	1.54	1.68	2.92	1.74
MnO	0.27	0.39	0.25	0.22	0.31	0.56	0.48	0.54	0.27	0.29
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.53	0.67	0.46	0.39	0.32	0.32	0.35	0.35	0.49	0.46
ZnO										
Summe	97.89	99.57	102.45	104.85	102.81	101.35	98.34	100.45	100.6	96.84

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.613	1.634	0.581	0.573	0.565	1.266	0.399	0.436	0.757	0.451
Al	4.405	4.145	6.242	6.429	6.128	4.628	5.067	5.226	6.737	5.055
Cr	5.583	7.393	9.287	7.265	9.042	9.519	8.554	8.592	7.521	7.826
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	11.219	12.773	10.342	8.728	10.207	11.279	12.629	12.952	11.582	12.681
Mn	0.079	0.114	0.073	0.064	0.091	0.164	0.140	0.158	0.079	0.085
Mg	10.610	5.444	7.299	15.056	8.405	5.223	4.277	4.411	6.467	4.740
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	33.508	31.502	33.825	38.115	34.437	32.079	31.066	31.773	33.143	30.837

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.155	1.245	0.412	0.361	0.394	0.947	0.309	0.329	0.548	0.351
Al	3.155	3.158	4.429	4.048	4.271	3.463	3.915	3.947	4.879	3.934
Cr	3.999	5.632	6.590	4.574	6.302	7.122	6.608	6.490	5.446	6.091
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	18.161	15.241	18.589	23.701	19.397	16.118	14.558	15.658	17.656	14.190
Fe(ii)	-10.125	-5.510	-11.251	-18.205	-12.284	-7.679	-4.801	-5.875	-9.269	-4.321
Mn	0.056	0.087	0.052	0.040	0.063	0.122	0.108	0.119	0.057	0.066
Mg	7.599	4.147	5.179	9.481	5.857	3.907	3.304	3.331	4.683	3.689
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G17 samples 44, 42 & 16

Sample	G13/24d22	G13/20a20	G13/20a21	G13/20a22	G13/20a23	G13/20a24	G13/20a25	G13/20a26	G13/20a27	G13/20a28
MgO	3.02	7.31	6.95	7.44	6.6	5.92	7.45	7.13	7.71	6.44
Al2O3	0.2	4.69	4.43	4.61	1.85	0.61	2.01	3.07	4.35	1.73
Cr2O3	21.76	33.8	33.85	34.16	32.41	29.88	31.64	34.2	35.44	33.12
FeO	68.2	48.33	48.93	47.94	55.3	58.26	53.93	52.63	50.27	55.39
TiO2	3.83	6.23	5.4	6.05	5.16	4.23	5.84	5.09	5.31	4.55
MnO	0.59	0.42	0.46	0.4	0.58	0.61	0.53	0.54	0.55	0.6
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.26	0.43	0.53	0.36	0.3	0.46	0.33	0.43	0.43	0.23
ZnO										
Summe	97.86	101.21	100.55	100.96	102.2	99.97	101.73	103.09	104.06	102.06

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.981	1.370	1.206	1.333	1.171	1.009	1.320	1.127	1.144	1.037
Al	0.080	1.617	1.550	1.591	0.658	0.228	0.712	1.065	1.469	0.618
Cr	5.860	7.815	7.947	7.908	7.732	7.489	7.515	7.957	8.027	7.934
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	19.424	11.820	12.150	11.739	13.955	15.445	13.549	12.951	12.042	14.035
Mn	0.170	0.104	0.116	0.099	0.148	0.164	0.135	0.135	0.133	0.154
Mg	1.534	3.187	3.077	3.248	2.969	2.798	3.337	3.128	3.293	2.909
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	28.049	25.914	26.045	25.918	26.634	27.133	26.567	26.362	26.108	26.687

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.840	1.269	1.111	1.234	1.055	0.892	1.192	1.026	1.052	0.933
Al	0.069	1.497	1.429	1.473	0.593	0.202	0.643	0.969	1.350	0.556
Cr	5.014	7.238	7.323	7.323	6.968	6.625	6.789	7.244	7.379	7.135
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	9.239	4.726	5.026	4.736	6.329	7.389	6.184	5.735	5.168	6.444
Fe(ii)	7.382	6.221	6.170	6.134	6.246	6.272	6.056	6.055	5.902	6.178
Mn	0.146	0.096	0.107	0.092	0.134	0.145	0.122	0.123	0.123	0.138
Mg	1.312	2.952	2.835	3.008	2.676	2.475	3.014	2.848	3.027	2.616
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G13/20a29	G13/20b17	G13/20b18	G13/20b19	G13/20b20	G13/20b21	G13/20b22	G13/20b23	G13/20b24	G13/20b25
MgO	7.19	6.93	7.5	7.99	5	6.95	6.36	6.81	6.79	7.31
Al2O3	4.95	2.28	4.42	4.6	0.16	2.59	1.73	1.73	2.83	4.53
Cr2O3	35.99	34.1	35.52	35.93	27.94	33.84	32.03	31.96	33.02	34.75
FeO	46.7	52.82	48.67	46.64	62.11	52.57	56	55.01	53.73	47.49
TiO2	5.46	5.17	4.99	6.52	3.62	5.23	4.67	5.28	5.09	5.78
MnO	0.4	0.62	0.53	0.4	0.54	0.67	0.67	0.49	0.53	0.36
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.5	0.3	0.36	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.39	0.23	0.33	0.53
ZnO										
Summe	101.19	102.22	101.99	102.48	99.57	102.15	101.85	101.51	102.32	100.75

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.244	1.178	1.137	1.486	0.825	1.192	1.064	1.203	1.160	1.317
Al	1.768	0.814	1.578	1.643	0.057	0.925	0.618	0.618	1.011	1.618
Cr	8.622	8.169	8.509	8.607	6.693	8.107	7.673	7.656	7.910	8.325
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	11.833	13.384	12.332	11.818	15.737	13.320	14.189	13.938	13.614	12.033
Mn	0.103	0.159	0.136	0.103	0.139	0.172	0.172	0.126	0.136	0.092
Mg	3.248	3.131	3.388	3.609	2.259	3.140	2.873	3.076	3.067	3.302
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	26.817	26.835	27.081	27.266	25.710	26.855	26.590	26.618	26.898	26.687

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.114	1.054	1.008	1.308	0.770	1.065	0.961	1.085	1.035	1.185
Al	1.582	0.728	1.399	1.446	0.053	0.827	0.558	0.557	0.902	1.455
Cr	7.716	7.306	7.541	7.576	6.248	7.245	6.926	6.903	7.058	7.486
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	6.724	6.761	7.281	7.666	4.257	6.805	6.233	6.295	6.896	6.445
Fe(ii)	3.866	5.209	3.648	2.736	10.433	5.099	6.574	6.273	5.251	4.376
Mn	0.092	0.142	0.121	0.090	0.129	0.154	0.155	0.113	0.121	0.083
Mg	2.907	2.800	3.003	3.177	2.108	2.806	2.593	2.774	2.737	2.970
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 20

Sample	G13/20b26	G13/20b27	G13/20b28	G13/20c16	G13/20c17	G13/20c18	G13/20c19	G13/20c20	G13/20c21	G13/20c22
MgO	6.61	6.51	7.52	8.29	6.13	7.72	7.27	6.94	7.18	6.6
Al2O3	1.61	1.65	4.38	4.76	1.13	4.99	4.43	2.52	2.96	2.28
Cr2O3	33.02	32.91	36.86	35.24	32.06	35.49	34.62	31.53	32.29	32.02
FeO	55.36	55.6	48.07	45.23	54.14	45.6	48.22	53.5	51.71	52.63
TiO2	4.96	4.9	4.41	6.12	4.06	5.85	4.82	5.44	4.9	5.37
MnO	0.56	0.45	0.51	0.33	0.56	0.46	0.69	0.58	0.54	0.53
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.26	0.33	0.23	0.46	0.3	0.46	0.26	0.33	0.4	0.36
ZnO										
Summe	102.38	102.35	101.98	100.43	98.38	100.57	100.31	100.84	99.98	99.79

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.130	1.117	1.005	1.395	0.925	1.333	1.099	1.240	1.117	1.224
Al	0.575	0.589	1.564	1.700	0.404	1.782	1.582	0.900	1.057	0.814
Cr	7.910	7.884	8.830	8.442	7.680	8.502	8.294	7.553	7.735	7.671
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	14.027	14.088	12.180	11.460	13.718	11.554	12.218	13.556	13.102	13.335
Mn	0.144	0.115	0.131	0.085	0.144	0.118	0.177	0.149	0.139	0.136
Mg	2.986	2.941	3.397	3.745	2.769	3.487	3.284	3.135	3.244	2.982
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	26.773	26.734	27.107	26.827	25.640	26.777	26.653	26.533	26.394	26.162

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.013	1.003	0.890	1.248	0.866	1.195	0.989	1.121	1.015	1.123
Al	0.515	0.529	1.385	1.521	0.378	1.597	1.425	0.814	0.961	0.747
Cr	7.091	7.078	7.818	7.553	7.189	7.620	7.468	6.832	7.034	7.037
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	6.628	6.546	7.337	6.744	4.094	6.637	6.371	6.110	5.804	5.288
Fe(ii)	5.947	6.102	3.447	3.509	8.747	3.719	4.630	6.152	6.110	6.945
Mn	0.129	0.104	0.116	0.076	0.135	0.106	0.159	0.135	0.126	0.125
Mg	2.677	2.640	3.008	3.350	2.592	3.126	2.957	2.836	2.949	2.735
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G13/20c23	G13/20c24	G13/20c25	G13/20c26	G13/20c27	G13/20c28	G13/20c29		G13/21g2	G13/21g7
MgO	6.35	7.47	6.54	6.6	6.3	3.91	5.47	10.84	11.08	11.36
Al2O3	1.37	4.12	1.25	1.65	1.09	0.16	0.45	6.46	6.21	6.53
Cr2O3	32.12	34.27	31.85	31.96	32.28	20.99	30.64	43.52	43.23	44.22
FeO	54.28	50.26	55.32	54.34	55.48	69.57	57.16	33.98	33.5	32.33
TiO2	5.21	4.76	4.64	5.42	5.01	2.45	3.68	4.2	4.08	4.08
MnO	0.67	0.64	0.63	0.56	0.61	0.46	0.52	0.36	0.31	0.26
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.36	0.26	0.46	0.36	0.23	0.33	0.23	0.35	0.3	0.25
ZnO										
Summe	100.36	101.78	100.69	100.89	101	97.87	98.15	99.71	98.71	99.03

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.187	1.085	1.057	1.235	1.142	0.558	0.839	0.957	0.930	0.930
Al	0.489	1.471	0.446	0.589	0.389	0.057	0.161	2.307	2.218	2.332
Cr	7.695	8.210	7.630	7.656	7.733	5.028	7.340	10.426	10.356	10.593
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	13.753	12.735	14.017	13.769	14.058	17.628	14.483	8.610	8.488	8.192
Mn	0.172	0.164	0.162	0.144	0.157	0.118	0.133	0.092	0.080	0.067
Mg	2.869	3.375	2.954	2.982	2.846	1.766	2.471	4.897	5.005	5.132
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	26.165	27.040	26.267	26.375	26.324	25.156	25.427	27.289	27.077	27.246

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.089	0.963	0.966	1.124	1.041	0.533	0.792	0.842	0.824	0.819
Al	0.449	1.306	0.408	0.536	0.355	0.055	0.152	2.029	1.966	2.054
Cr	7.058	7.287	6.971	6.967	7.050	4.797	6.928	9.169	9.179	9.331
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	5.296	7.194	5.524	5.763	5.651	2.941	3.592	7.714	7.273	7.624
Fe(ii)	7.319	4.109	7.284	6.766	7.166	13.877	10.078	-0.141	0.251	-0.408
Mn	0.158	0.146	0.148	0.131	0.143	0.113	0.126	0.081	0.071	0.059
Mg	2.631	2.995	2.699	2.713	2.595	1.685	2.332	4.307	4.437	4.521
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 20 & 21

Sample	G13/21g8	G13/21g9	G13/21g10	G13/21g11	G13/21e1	G13/21e7	G13/21e8	G13/21d5	G13/21d6	G13/21d9
MgO	11.23	9.67	10.35	10.05	9.52	9.82	9.9	8.5	10.22	8.53
Al2O3	6.14	6.23	6.03	6.13	6.12	5.78	5.94	6.93	6.89	6.51
Cr2O3	44.36	42.44	44.51	44.37	45.92	42.25	44.07	44.98	42.08	44.37
FeO	32.38	35.04	35.06	36.74	36.66	37.14	36.17	38.75	37.14	38.48
TiO2	3.88	4.03	4.39	4.34	4.3	4.66	4.12	3.65	4.75	4.01
MnO	0.28	0.36	0.3	0.42	0.3	0.34	0.4	0.36	0.34	0.4
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.22	0.32	0.39	0.29	0.39	0.47	0.44	0.32	0.37	0.29
ZnO										
Summe	98.49	98.09	101.03	102.34	103.21	100.46	101.04	103.49	101.79	102.59

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.884	0.918	1.001	0.989	0.980	1.062	0.939	0.832	1.083	0.914
Al	2.193	2.225	2.153	2.189	2.186	2.064	2.121	2.475	2.460	2.325
Cr	10.627	10.167	10.663	10.629	11.001	10.121	10.557	10.775	10.081	10.629
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	8.204	8.878	8.884	9.309	9.289	9.411	9.165	9.818	9.411	9.750
Mn	0.072	0.092	0.077	0.108	0.077	0.087	0.103	0.092	0.087	0.103
Mg	5.073	4.368	4.676	4.540	4.301	4.436	4.472	3.840	4.617	3.853
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	27.053	26.649	27.453	27.765	27.833	27.182	27.357	27.833	27.738	27.574

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.784	0.827	0.875	0.855	0.845	0.938	0.824	0.717	0.937	0.795
Al	1.945	2.004	1.883	1.892	1.885	1.822	1.861	2.134	2.129	2.023
Cr	9.428	9.156	9.322	9.188	9.486	8.937	9.262	9.292	8.722	9.252
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	7.223	6.363	8.049	8.678	8.813	7.491	7.854	8.813	8.626	8.296
Fe(ii)	0.055	1.633	-0.283	-0.631	-0.803	0.818	0.186	-0.347	-0.483	0.191
Mn	0.064	0.083	0.067	0.093	0.066	0.077	0.090	0.080	0.075	0.089
Mg	4.501	3.934	4.088	3.924	3.708	3.917	3.923	3.311	3.995	3.354
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G13/21b8	G13/21a5	G13/21c1	G13/21c2	G13/21c3	G13/21c4	G13/21c5	G13/21h1	G13/21h2	G13/21h3
MgO	10.07	7.29	7.48	7.4	10.26	9.74	9.61	9.57	9.19	9.14
Al2O3	6.67	6.6	6.43	6.39	6.36	6.19	6.23	6.08	6.08	5.85
Cr2O3	41.25	42.47	38.79	42.6	45.34	45.26	43.96	41.74	41.63	40.88
FeO	37.11	40.01	37.84	41.15	35.66	36.79	37.36	36.53	37.62	37.35
TiO2	4.53	1.83	3.42	3.55	4.22	4.31	4.19	3.71	3.85	3.81
MnO	0.44	0.53	0.39	0.42	0.23	0.31	0.34	0.25	0.36	0.31
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.32	0.22	0.39	0.29	0.32	0.39	0.25	0.32	0.27	0.27
ZnO										
Summe	100.39	98.95	94.74	101.8	102.39	102.99	101.94	98.2	99	97.61

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	1.032	0.417	0.779	0.809	0.962	0.982	0.955	0.846	0.877	0.868
Al	2.382	2.357	2.296	2.282	2.271	2.211	2.225	2.171	2.171	2.089
Cr	9.882	10.174	9.293	10.205	10.862	10.843	10.531	9.999	9.973	9.793
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	9.403	10.138	9.588	10.427	9.036	9.322	9.466	9.256	9.532	9.464
Mn	0.113	0.136	0.100	0.108	0.059	0.080	0.087	0.064	0.092	0.080
Mg	4.549	3.293	3.379	3.343	4.635	4.400	4.341	4.323	4.152	4.129
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	27.361	26.515	25.435	27.174	27.824	27.837	27.606	26.659	26.798	26.423

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.906	0.378	0.735	0.715	0.830	0.847	0.830	0.761	0.786	0.789
Al	2.089	2.133	2.167	2.015	1.959	1.906	1.934	1.955	1.945	1.898
Cr	8.668	9.209	8.768	9.013	9.369	9.348	9.156	9.002	8.932	8.895
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	7.862	6.071	3.611	7.475	8.796	8.821	8.359	6.384	6.682	5.869
Fe(ii)	0.386	3.105	5.435	1.734	-1.002	-0.784	-0.129	1.948	1.855	2.727
Mn	0.099	0.123	0.094	0.095	0.051	0.069	0.076	0.058	0.083	0.072
Mg	3.990	2.981	3.188	2.953	3.998	3.794	3.774	3.892	3.718	3.750
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 21

Sample	G13/21h4	G13/21h5	G13/24b21	G13/24c11	G13/24c13	G13/24c14	G13/24c15	G13/24c16	G13/24d17	
MgO	9.09	7.27	8.5	8.73	2.78	6.73	5.94	5.1	14.97	3.28
Al2O3	6.01	5.89	4.56	4.28	0.16	3.71	3.16	1.41	13.18	0.2
Cr2O3	41.08	39.07	27.68	27.33	21.75	24.89	24.08	23.43	54.42	22
FeO	37.48	44.44	49.98	49.54	66.62	54.56	56.55	59.9	17.42	65.65
TiO2	3.86	3.8	8.9	8.99	4.37	7.95	7.46	7.15	0.14	6.12
MnO	0.31	0.57	0.33	0.48	0.59	0.58	0.64	0.78	0.13	0.74
SiO2										
CaO										
K2O										
Na2O										
NiO	0.37	0.34	0.66	0.36	0.36	0.53	0.56	0.49	0	0.39
ZnO										
Summe	98.2	101.38	100.61	99.71	96.63	98.95	98.39	98.26	100.26	98.38

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.880	0.866	2.028	2.049	0.996	1.812	1.700	1.630	0.032	1.395
Al	2.146	2.103	1.628	1.528	0.057	1.325	1.128	0.504	4.707	0.071
Cr	9.841	9.360	6.631	6.547	5.210	5.963	5.769	5.613	13.037	5.270
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	9.497	11.260	12.664	12.552	16.880	13.824	14.329	15.177	4.414	16.634
Mn	0.080	0.146	0.085	0.123	0.151	0.149	0.164	0.200	0.033	0.190
Mg	4.106	3.284	3.840	3.944	1.256	3.040	2.683	2.304	6.763	1.482
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	26.550	27.020	26.876	26.744	24.551	26.113	25.774	25.428	28.985	25.043

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.795	0.769	1.811	1.839	0.974	1.665	1.583	1.538	0.026	1.337
Al	1.940	1.868	1.454	1.372	0.056	1.218	1.051	0.475	3.897	0.068
Cr	8.896	8.314	5.921	5.875	5.093	5.480	5.372	5.298	10.795	5.051
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	6.146	7.153	6.849	6.566	1.436	5.179	4.404	3.593	11.008	2.665
Fe(ii)	2.438	2.849	4.459	4.698	15.065	7.527	8.939	10.732	-7.353	13.277
Mn	0.072	0.130	0.076	0.111	0.148	0.137	0.153	0.189	0.028	0.182
Mg	3.712	2.917	3.429	3.539	1.228	2.794	2.499	2.175	5.599	1.420
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Sample	G13/24d18	G13/24d20	G13/24d21	G13/24d22	3-20 spin-i	3-20 spin-j	3-20 spin-l	spin-int	spin-int-ins	spin-int
MgO	7.01	3.05	5.53	3.02	6.673	5.93	6.197	5.4	50.368	6.769
Al2O3	4.04	0.08	0.69	0.2	4.225	1.836	1.923	1.465	0.033	3.789
Cr2O3	26.06	22.55	27.14	21.76	35.187	31.705	33.693	32.193	0.839	36.969
FeO	52.1	67.52	58.82	68.2	45.602	51.868	51.289	53.114	9.484	46.428
TiO2	9.34	3.8	6.13	3.83	6.135	4.949	5.41	4.723	0.138	4.905
MnO	0.46	0.64	0.52	0.59	0.083	0.209	0.11	0.18	0.103	0.157
SiO2					0.125	0	0.014	0.126	39.272	0
CaO					0	0.014	0.004	0.013	0.152	0.025
K2O					0	0	0.011	0.013	0.004	0
Na2O					0	0.02	0.013	0	0.023	0.044
NiO	0.49	0.29	0.49	0.26	0.436	0.275	0.354	0.346	0.278	0.318
ZnO					0.104	0.145	0.2	0.122	0	0.246
Summe	99.5	97.93	99.32	97.86	98.86	97.207	99.47	97.928	100.71	99.874

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.038	0.000	0.004	0.038	11.900	0.000
Ti	2.129	0.866	1.397	0.873	1.398	1.128	1.233	1.076	0.031	1.118
Al	1.443	0.029	0.246	0.071	1.509	0.656	0.687	0.523	0.012	1.353
Cr	6.243	5.402	6.502	5.213	8.429	7.595	8.072	7.712	0.201	8.856
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	13.201	17.108	14.904	17.281	11.555	13.142	12.996	13.458	2.403	11.764
Mn	0.118	0.164	0.133	0.151	0.021	0.054	0.028	0.046	0.026	0.040
Mg	3.167	1.378	2.498	1.364	3.015	2.679	2.799	2.439	22.754	3.058
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.001	0.004	0.049	0.008
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.023	0.032	0.045	0.027	0.000	0.055
TOTAL	26.300	24.947	25.681	24.953	25.988	25.291	25.865	25.325	37.377	26.253

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.035	0.000	0.004	0.036	7.641	0.000
Ti	1.942	0.833	1.306	0.840	1.291	1.070	1.144	1.020	0.020	1.022
Al	1.317	0.027	0.230	0.069	1.393	0.622	0.637	0.496	0.008	1.237
Cr	5.697	5.197	6.076	5.014	7.785	7.208	7.490	7.309	0.129	8.096
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	5.598	2.430	4.188	2.445	4.896	3.266	4.614	3.349	22.905	5.491
Fe(ii)	6.449	14.029	9.740	14.175	5.775	9.206	7.444	9.405	-21.362	5.263
Mn	0.108	0.158	0.125	0.146	0.020	0.051	0.026	0.044	0.017	0.037
Mg	2.890	1.326	2.335	1.312	2.784	2.542	2.598	2.312	14.610	2.795
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.001	0.004	0.032	0.007
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.021	0.031	0.042	0.026	0.000	0.050
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 samples 21, 24 & 20

Sample	spin-int	spin-int	spin-inc	spin-inc	spin-inc
MgO	6.592	5.66	6.093	6.129	6.251
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.823	1.452	3.94	4.147	3.87
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	35.183	35.48	33.479	34.482	33.972
FeO	47.691	53.4	46.339	45.71	45.392
TiO <sub>2</sub>	5.126	5.173	6.047	5.54	5.906
MnO	0.111	0.206	0	0.024	0.264
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.135	0.016	0.083	0.133	0.11
CaO	0.014	0	0.026	0.009	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.014	0	0.005	0.009	0.025
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0	0.01
NiO	0.373	0.368	0.293	0.302	0.395
ZnO	0.141	0.242	0.17	0.207	0.056
Summe	99.494	102.319	96.811	96.915	96.534

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.041	0.005	0.025	0.040	0.033
Ti	1.168	1.179	1.378	1.263	1.346
Al	1.365	0.519	1.407	1.481	1.382
Cr	8.428	8.500	8.020	8.261	8.138
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	12.084	13.531	11.741	11.582	11.501
Mn	0.028	0.053	0.000	0.006	0.068
Mg	2.978	2.557	2.752	2.769	2.824
Ca	0.005	0.000	0.008	0.003	0.000
Zn	0.032	0.054	0.038	0.046	0.013
TOTAL	26.129	26.396	25.371	25.451	25.305

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.038	0.004	0.024	0.038	0.032
Ti	1.073	1.072	1.304	1.191	1.277
Al	1.254	0.471	1.331	1.397	1.311
Cr	7.742	7.728	7.587	7.790	7.719
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	5.215	5.810	3.458	3.648	3.301
Fe(ii)	5.884	6.492	7.649	7.274	7.607
Mn	0.026	0.048	0.000	0.006	0.064
Mg	2.735	2.325	2.604	2.611	2.678
Ca	0.004	0.000	0.008	0.003	0.000
Zn	0.029	0.049	0.036	0.044	0.012
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 20

Nr	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Sample	G13-6e1	G13-6e2	G13-6e3	G13-6e4	G13-6e5	G13-6e6	G13-6e7	G13-6e8	G13-6e9	G13-6e10
MgO	4.75	7.85	6.78	6.99	6.94	7.65	4.05	11.49	9.22	5.99
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.79	2.65	2.45	2.45	2.25	2.59	2.23	2.64	0.16	2.73
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	6.49	6.88	6.18	6.43	5.74	6.06	5.33	5.82	0.14	6.28
FeO	72.53	67.54	68.36	67.39	69.29	67.23	82.22	50.49	39.54	71.54
TiO <sub>2</sub>	13.62	15.16	14.4	15.1	14.58	15.21	4.86	28.02	51.53	12.79
MnO	0.53	0.45	0.37	0.4	0.37	0.47	0.52	0.96	0.72	0.6
SiO <sub>2</sub>										
CaO										
K <sub>2</sub> O										
Na <sub>2</sub> O										
NiO	0.46	0.52	0.4	0.61	0.55	0.52	0.6	0.29	0.2	0.58
ZnO										
Summe	101.17	101.05	98.94	99.37	99.72	99.73	99.81	99.71	101.51	100.51

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	3.236	3.501	3.435	3.571	3.464	3.566	1.260	5.922	9.892	3.055
Al	1.039	0.959	0.916	0.908	0.838	0.951	0.906	0.874	0.048	1.022
Cr	1.621	1.670	1.549	1.598	1.433	1.493	1.453	1.293	0.028	1.577
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	19.159	17.343	18.128	17.717	18.300	17.523	23.707	11.864	8.438	18.996
Mn	0.142	0.117	0.099	0.107	0.099	0.124	0.152	0.228	0.156	0.161
Mg	2.237	3.594	3.206	3.276	3.268	3.555	2.082	4.813	3.508	2.836
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	27.434	27.184	27.333	27.176	27.401	27.212	29.560	24.994	22.070	27.646

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	2.831	3.091	3.016	3.153	3.034	3.145	1.023	5.686	10.757	2.652
Al	0.909	0.847	0.804	0.802	0.734	0.839	0.736	0.839	0.052	0.887
Cr	1.418	1.475	1.361	1.411	1.255	1.317	1.180	1.241	0.031	1.369
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	8.011	7.496	7.804	7.480	7.944	7.554	12.038	2.546	0.000	8.441
Fe(ii)	8.750	7.815	8.114	8.166	8.085	7.900	7.210	8.845	9.176	8.050
Mn	0.124	0.103	0.087	0.094	0.087	0.109	0.123	0.219	0.169	0.140
Mg	1.957	3.173	2.815	2.893	2.862	3.135	1.690	4.622	3.815	2.462
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Sample	G13-6e11	G13-6b10	G13-6b12	G13-6b13	G13-6b14	G13-6b15	G13-6a9	G13-6a11	G13-6a12	G13-6a13
MgO	5.37	5.94	4.9	6.87	5.68	3.96	5.03	10.47	5.42	11.93
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.82	2.76	2.68	2.74	2.81	2.23	3.06	0.25	2.8	0.22
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	6.54	6.96	7.24	6.26	6.51	5.42	7.47	0.29	7.17	0.42
FeO	70.89	61.61	65.26	63.29	67	71.55	63.61	32.1	63.82	29.73
TiO <sub>2</sub>	14.12	16.98	13.35	16.69	15.85	9.61	15.6	61.36	15.63	60.6
MnO	0.58	0.55	0.95	0.41	0.7	0.83	0.58	0.62	0.65	0.66
SiO <sub>2</sub>										
CaO										
K <sub>2</sub> O										
Na <sub>2</sub> O										
NiO	0.46	0.4	0.55	0.46	0.52	0.4	0.4	0.06	0.32	0.12
ZnO										
Summe	100.78	95.2	94.93	96.72	99.07	94	95.75	105.15	95.81	103.68

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	3.372	4.055	3.188	3.986	3.786	2.295	3.726	14.655	3.733	14.474
Al	1.055	1.033	1.003	1.025	1.052	0.835	1.145	0.094	1.048	0.082
Cr	1.642	1.747	1.818	1.572	1.634	1.361	1.875	0.073	1.800	0.105
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	18.823	16.359	17.329	16.805	17.791	18.999	16.890	8.524	16.946	7.894
Mn	0.156	0.148	0.255	0.110	0.188	0.223	0.156	0.167	0.175	0.177
Mg	2.542	2.812	2.320	3.252	2.689	1.875	2.381	4.957	2.566	5.648
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	27.591	26.155	25.913	26.751	27.139	25.587	26.174	28.468	26.268	28.381

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	2.933	3.721	2.953	3.576	3.348	2.153	3.416	12.355	3.411	12.239
Al	0.918	0.948	0.929	0.920	0.930	0.783	1.050	0.079	0.957	0.070
Cr	1.428	1.603	1.683	1.410	1.445	1.276	1.720	0.061	1.645	0.089
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	8.330	5.273	4.724	6.582	7.403	3.970	5.316	10.045	5.525	9.879
Fe(ii)	8.043	9.738	11.325	8.495	8.330	13.851	10.172	-2.860	9.958	-3.203
Mn	0.136	0.136	0.237	0.099	0.166	0.209	0.143	0.141	0.160	0.150
Mg	2.211	2.580	2.148	2.918	2.378	1.758	2.183	4.179	2.344	4.776
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 6

Nr	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Sample	G13-6a14	G13-6a15	G13-6a16	G13-6b10re	G13-6b13re	G13-6a17	G13-6a18	G13-6a19	G13-6c11	G13-6c12
MgO	5.67	5.84	5.21	6.57	7.53	5.35	8.15	7.31	4.73	5.73
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.97	2.99	3.01	2.82	2.8	2.79	0.06	2.54	3.03	2.77
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	6.82	6.57	5.26	6.49	5.72	6.9	0.07	4.84	5.63	6.8
FeO	62.61	70.42	73.79	70.04	66.99	71.27	40.36	75.38	65.54	63.98
TiO <sub>2</sub>	15.69	13.76	11.28	14.19	13.75	13.4	50.87	7.76	10.94	14.58
MnO	0.5	0.61	0.77	0.53	0.39	0.5	0.66	0.38	0.66	0.74
SiO <sub>2</sub>										
CaO										
K <sub>2</sub> O										
Na <sub>2</sub> O										
NiO	0.4	0.49	0.49	0.43	0.55	0.43	0.12	0.49	0.37	0.43
ZnO										
Summe	94.66	100.68	99.81	101.07	97.73	100.64	100.29	98.7	90.9	95.03

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	3.747	3.286	2.694	3.389	3.284	3.200	12.150	1.853	2.613	3.482
Al	1.111	1.119	1.126	1.055	1.048	1.044	0.022	0.951	1.134	1.037
Cr	1.712	1.649	1.321	1.629	1.436	1.732	0.018	1.215	1.413	1.707
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	16.625	18.699	19.594	18.598	17.788	18.924	10.717	20.016	17.403	16.989
Mn	0.134	0.164	0.207	0.143	0.105	0.134	0.177	0.102	0.177	0.199
Mg	2.684	2.765	2.466	3.110	3.565	2.533	3.858	3.461	2.239	2.713
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	26.015	27.682	27.408	27.924	27.225	27.568	26.942	27.598	24.980	26.126

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	3.457	2.849	2.359	2.913	2.895	2.786	10.823	1.612	2.510	3.199
Al	1.025	0.970	0.986	0.907	0.924	0.909	0.020	0.827	1.089	0.952
Cr	1.580	1.430	1.156	1.400	1.266	1.508	0.016	1.057	1.358	1.568
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	4.956	8.513	7.958	8.994	7.582	8.284	6.989	8.343	2.510	5.209
Fe(ii)	10.381	7.698	9.199	6.990	8.098	8.191	2.557	9.064	14.210	10.397
Mn	0.124	0.142	0.181	0.123	0.092	0.117	0.158	0.089	0.171	0.183
Mg	2.476	2.397	2.160	2.673	3.142	2.205	3.437	3.010	2.151	2.492
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41
Sample	G13-6c13	G13-6c14	G13-6c15	G13-6c16	G13-6c17	G13-6c18	G13-6c19	G13-6c20	G13-6d13	G13-6d14
MgO	5.92	4.45	4.39	5.19	4.68	10.62	5.02	4.96	5.53	5.47
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.82	2.82	2.86	2.99	2.8	0.13	2.79	2.96	2.57	2.63
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	6.75	6.82	6.68	6.83	6.61	0.16	6.97	6.95	6.21	7.15
FeO	67.87	68.97	70.31	71.22	70.89	36.86	72.18	70.72	71.08	73.23
TiO <sub>2</sub>	13.78	12.77	12.67	13.35	11.97	51.32	13.96	12.91	11.52	11.72
MnO	0.69	0.51	0.58	0.47	0.51	0.6	0.52	0.47	0.58	0.9
SiO <sub>2</sub>										
CaO										
K <sub>2</sub> O										
Na <sub>2</sub> O										
NiO	0.52	0.43	0.43	0.49	0.49	0.09	0.52	0.46	0.46	0.49
ZnO										
Summe	98.35	96.77	97.92	100.54	97.95	99.78	101.96	99.43	97.95	101.59

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	3.291	3.050	3.026	3.188	2.859	12.257	3.334	3.083	2.751	2.799
Al	1.055	1.055	1.070	1.119	1.048	0.049	1.044	1.108	0.962	0.984
Cr	1.695	1.712	1.677	1.715	1.659	0.040	1.750	1.745	1.559	1.795
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	18.022	18.314	18.669	18.911	18.823	9.787	19.166	18.778	18.874	19.445
Mn	0.186	0.137	0.156	0.126	0.137	0.161	0.140	0.126	0.156	0.242
Mg	2.803	2.107	2.078	2.457	2.216	5.028	2.377	2.348	2.618	2.590
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	27.051	26.375	26.677	27.517	26.742	27.322	27.810	27.189	26.920	27.855

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	2.920	2.775	2.722	2.781	2.566	10.767	2.877	2.722	2.453	2.412
Al	0.936	0.960	0.963	0.976	0.940	0.043	0.901	0.978	0.857	0.848
Cr	1.503	1.558	1.509	1.496	1.489	0.035	1.510	1.540	1.390	1.547
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	7.218	5.763	6.423	8.179	6.563	7.782	8.769	7.506	6.942	8.857
Fe(ii)	8.771	10.902	10.373	8.315	10.330	0.815	7.771	9.070	9.884	7.897
Mn	0.165	0.125	0.140	0.110	0.123	0.142	0.121	0.112	0.139	0.209
Mg	2.487	1.917	1.870	2.143	1.988	4.416	2.051	2.073	2.334	2.231
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 6

Nr	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	1	2
Sample	G13-6d15	G13-6d16	G13-6d17	G13-6d18	G13-6d7	G13-6g8	G13-6g9	G13-6f5	G13-6	spin-inc
MgO	5.49	6.73	6.26	6.07	5.23	4.92	6.45	4.32	4.84	4.44
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.94	2.39	2.52	2.53	2.93	2.88	2.49	2.83	2.529	2.596
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	5.8	4.65	5.31	7.01	6	6.44	6.54	6.67	7.493	7.382
FeO	72.75	64.92	68.5	69.91	67.88	70.06	68.65	75.54	65.453	65.527
TiO <sub>2</sub>	12.38	13.57	14.11	12.47	12.12	13.87	12.76	7.44	15.419	15.564
MnO	1.08	0.36	0.34	0.39	0.43	0.53	0.87	1.15	0.469	0.611
SiO <sub>2</sub>									0.082	0.019
CaO									0.013	0.038
K <sub>2</sub> O									0.004	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O									0.035	0.008
NiO	0.4	0.49	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.4	0.52	0.46	0.455	0.477
ZnO									0.194	0.089
Summe	100.84	93.11	97.5	98.84	95.05	99.1	98.28	98.41	97.554	97.364

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.026	0.006
Ti	2.957	3.241	3.370	2.978	2.895	3.313	3.048	1.777	3.683	3.717
Al	1.100	0.894	0.943	0.947	1.097	1.078	0.932	1.059	0.946	0.972
Cr	1.456	1.167	1.333	1.760	1.506	1.617	1.642	1.674	1.881	1.853
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	19.317	17.238	18.189	18.563	18.024	18.603	18.229	20.058	17.380	17.399
Mn	0.290	0.097	0.091	0.105	0.116	0.143	0.234	0.309	0.126	0.164
Mg	2.599	3.186	2.964	2.874	2.476	2.329	3.053	2.045	2.291	2.102
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.045	0.021
TOTAL	27.720	25.824	26.890	27.227	26.113	27.082	27.137	26.923	26.379	26.235

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.024	0.006
Ti	2.560	3.012	3.008	2.625	2.660	2.936	2.695	1.584	3.351	3.401
Al	0.953	0.831	0.842	0.835	1.008	0.955	0.824	0.944	0.861	0.889
Cr	1.261	1.085	1.190	1.551	1.384	1.433	1.452	1.493	1.711	1.695
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	8.589	4.520	6.878	7.585	5.179	7.283	7.399	6.949	5.772	5.451
Fe(ii)	8.136	11.500	9.356	8.778	11.386	9.203	8.722	10.932	10.041	10.466
Mn	0.251	0.090	0.082	0.092	0.106	0.126	0.207	0.276	0.115	0.150
Mg	2.250	2.961	2.645	2.533	2.276	2.064	2.700	1.823	2.085	1.923
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.041	0.019
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	3	4	5	6	7	8	21	22	23	24
Sample	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-inc	spin-inc	spin-inc	spin-inc
MgO	1.93	5.106	11.681	5.398	4.721	6.22	4.943	4.691	4.851	4.108
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.169	2.545	0.005	2.408	1.997	2.539	2.703	2.753	2.827	2.709
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	6.59	8.131	0.053	7.736	8.143	7.588	7.77	7.585	7.004	7.03
FeO	81.751	67.16	32.269	67.617	68.615	64.521	67.546	66.786	66.872	67.366
TiO <sub>2</sub>	3.153	13.253	55.64	13.37	10.039	14.436	14.211	15.034	14.784	13.703
MnO	0.5	0.62	0.677	0.458	0.681	0.808	0.363	0.429	0.33	0.41
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.045	0.119	0.174	0.092	0.055	0.086	0.16	0.092	0
CaO	0.043	0.003	0.019	0.046	0.135	0	0.023	0.02	0.011	0.01
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.016	0.032	0	0.008	0.02	0.011	0	0.026	0.015	0.009
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.015	0	0	0	0.051	0	0.034	0.01
NiO	0.465	0.44	0.136	0.377	0.457	0.487	0.341	0.48	0.454	0.442
ZnO	0.142	0.03	0.016	0	0.149	0.232	0	0.086	0.22	0.17
Summe	94.928	97.891	102.673	98.125	95.449	97.523	98.646	98.727	98.17	96.539

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.000	0.014	0.038	0.055	0.029	0.017	0.027	0.051	0.029	0.000
Ti	0.753	3.165	13.289	3.193	2.398	3.448	3.394	3.591	3.531	3.273
Al	0.063	0.952	0.002	0.901	0.747	0.950	1.012	1.030	1.058	1.014
Cr	1.654	2.041	0.013	1.942	2.044	1.905	1.951	1.904	1.758	1.765
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	21.707	17.833	8.568	17.954	18.219	17.132	17.936	17.734	17.757	17.888
Mn	0.134	0.167	0.182	0.123	0.183	0.217	0.098	0.115	0.089	0.110
Mg	0.914	2.417	5.530	2.555	2.235	2.945	2.340	2.221	2.297	1.945
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.033	0.007	0.004	0.000	0.035	0.054	0.000	0.020	0.052	0.040
TOTAL	25.260	26.597	27.626	26.725	25.891	26.669	26.757	26.666	26.570	26.034

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.000	0.013	0.033	0.050	0.027	0.016	0.024	0.046	0.026	0.000
Ti	0.716	2.856	11.545	2.868	2.223	3.103	3.044	3.232	3.189	3.017
Al	0.060	0.859	0.002	0.809	0.693	0.855	0.907	0.927	0.956	0.935
Cr	1.572	1.842	0.012	1.744	1.895	1.714	1.750	1.714	1.588	1.627
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	3.191	6.250	8.400	6.525	4.674	6.405	6.594	6.399	6.190	5.000
Fe(ii)	17.434	9.842	-0.957	9.598	12.214	9.012	9.493	9.562	9.849	11.490
Mn	0.128	0.150	0.158	0.111	0.170	0.196	0.088	0.104	0.080	0.102
Mg	0.868	2.181	4.804	2.295	2.072	2.650	2.099	1.999	2.074	1.793
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.032	0.006	0.003	0.000	0.032	0.049	0.000	0.018	0.047	0.037
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 sample 6

Nr	25	26	27	28	49	50	51	52	53	54
Sample	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-inc	13-3 spin-int	13-3 spin-int	spin-int	spin-int-hell	spin-int	spin-inc
MgO	5.408	5.521	5.699	6.379	6.475	6.268	5.771	6.172	3.471	4.955
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.672	2.56	2.668	2.348	2.862	2.72	2.866	2.976	1.826	3.112
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	6.848	7.001	7.314	6.823	8.941	8.633	9.36	9.284	6.276	8.083
FeO	66.394	66.459	66.015	63.291	60.876	61.507	61.309	61.03	69.3	61.489
TiO <sub>2</sub>	14.765	14.917	15.062	16.196	13.881	14.175	13.494	13.792	12.014	14.131
MnO	0.533	0.67	0.406	0.341	0.439	0.466	0.628	0.424	0.332	0.482
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.18	0.145	0.018	0.034	0.158	0.018	0.058	0.14	0.042	0.067
CaO	0.003	0	0.015	0.455	0.01	0.013	0	0.035	0.013	0.002
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0.026	0	0	0.014	0	0.006	0	0.006
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.013	0.005	0.005	0	0.023	0	0	0	0
NiO	0.399	0.471	0.477	0.353	0.451	0.498	0.405	0.36	0.493	0.495
ZnO	0.072	0	0.208	0.044	0.215	0.066	0.113	0.067	0	0.11
Summe	97.944	98.305	98.518	96.949	94.923	94.984	94.615	94.906	94.264	93.57

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.057	0.046	0.006	0.011	0.050	0.006	0.018	0.044	0.013	0.021
Ti	3.526	3.563	3.597	3.868	3.315	3.386	3.223	3.292	2.869	3.375
Al	1.000	0.958	0.998	0.879	1.071	1.018	1.073	1.114	0.683	1.165
Cr	1.719	1.758	1.836	1.713	2.245	2.167	2.350	2.331	1.576	2.029
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	17.630	17.647	17.529	16.806	16.164	16.332	16.279	16.205	18.401	16.327
Mn	0.143	0.180	0.109	0.092	0.118	0.125	0.169	0.114	0.089	0.130
Mg	2.560	2.614	2.698	3.020	3.065	2.967	2.732	2.922	1.643	2.346
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.017	0.000	0.049	0.010	0.050	0.015	0.026	0.016	0.000	0.026
TOTAL	26.653	26.765	26.823	26.398	26.079	26.017	25.871	26.038	25.275	25.419

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.051	0.041	0.005	0.010	0.046	0.005	0.017	0.041	0.013	0.020
Ti	3.175	3.195	3.219	3.517	3.051	3.123	2.990	3.034	2.725	3.187
Al	0.900	0.859	0.893	0.799	0.986	0.939	0.995	1.027	0.649	1.100
Cr	1.548	1.576	1.643	1.557	2.066	1.999	2.180	2.148	1.496	1.916
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	6.370	6.612	6.735	5.814	5.103	4.961	4.627	5.008	3.230	3.572
Fe(ii)	9.505	9.212	8.949	9.465	9.773	10.105	10.475	9.929	14.243	11.844
Mn	0.129	0.162	0.098	0.083	0.109	0.116	0.157	0.105	0.085	0.122
Mg	2.305	2.344	2.414	2.746	2.821	2.737	2.535	2.693	1.560	2.215
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.015	0.000	0.044	0.009	0.046	0.014	0.025	0.014	0.000	0.024
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	55	67	68	69	70	71
Sample	spin-inc	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int	spin-int
MgO	5.155	5.635	6.231	5.141	5.496	5.444
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.064	2.933	3.062	2.646	3.274	2.79
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	8.584	8.444	8.503	8.98	8.612	8.121
FeO	62.325	61.19	61.192	62.092	62.063	62.778
TiO <sub>2</sub>	14.342	14.387	13.573	13.349	12.51	13.183
MnO	0.566	0.52	0.278	0.427	0.413	0.591
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.122	0.147	0.147	0.217	0.113	0.097
CaO	0.025	0.018	0.045	0.08	0.026	0.083
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.012	0.004	0.018	0	0	0.014
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.001	0.006	0.03	0	0.026
NiO	0.411	0.382	0.428	0.504	0.434	0.394
ZnO	0	0.081	0.137	0.151	0.177	0.134
Summe	95.269	94.401	94.308	94.222	93.606	94.268

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.039	0.047	0.047	0.069	0.036	0.031
Ti	3.425	3.436	3.242	3.188	2.988	3.149
Al	1.147	1.098	1.146	0.990	1.225	1.044
Cr	2.155	2.120	2.135	2.254	2.162	2.039
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	16.549	16.248	16.248	16.487	16.480	16.669
Mn	0.152	0.140	0.075	0.115	0.111	0.159
Mg	2.440	2.668	2.950	2.434	2.602	2.577
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.019	0.032	0.035	0.041	0.031
TOTAL	25.908	25.775	25.874	25.573	25.645	25.699

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.036	0.043	0.043	0.065	0.034	0.029
Ti	3.173	3.200	3.007	2.992	2.796	2.940
Al	1.062	1.022	1.063	0.929	1.147	0.975
Cr	1.996	1.974	1.980	2.116	2.023	1.904
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	4.713	4.407	4.636	3.937	4.105	4.232
Fe(ii)	10.618	10.723	10.436	11.536	11.317	11.335
Mn	0.141	0.130	0.069	0.108	0.104	0.148
Mg	2.261	2.484	2.736	2.284	2.435	2.407
Ca	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.018	0.030	0.033	0.039	0.029
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G13 samples 3 &6

Nr	17	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	14	15
Sample	spin G1-18	pin intG1-2	spin int	spin int	spin int	spin ins	spin ins	spin int	spin ins	spin ins
MgO	3.401	3.809	2.782	6.563	6.829	7.07	6.837	1.739	7.202	7.246
Al2O3	1.695	4.602	4.372	2.796	2.655	6.207	6.414	2.16	6.023	6.044
Cr2O3	13.76	28.618	26.734	23.346	22.679	39.979	38.473	25.457	41.212	40.14
FeO	47.005	52.968	56.571	44.128	42.969	39.119	40.121	54.395	39.105	39.195
TiO2	32.56	8.814	7.562	18.904	20.642	5.041	4.728	13.418	5.091	5.074
MnO	0.126	0.615	0.879	0.585	0.55	0.255	0.242	1.468	0.308	0.399
SiO2	0.011	0.03	0.038	0.018	0.031	0.037	0.068	0.031	0.036	0.037
CaO	0.09	0.002	0.011	0.019	0.014	0.016	0.02	0.004	0.012	0.012
K2O	0.021				0.013	0.001	0.005	0.002	0.006	0.013
Na2O	0	0.022	0.011	0.083	0.071		0.027	0.061	0.001	0.003
NiO	0.148	0.516	0.492	0.345	0.344	0.314	0.344	0.369	0.355	0.35
ZnO		0.456	0.412	0.42	0.397	0.375	0.25	0.794	0.544	0.268
Summe	98.817	101.318	100.606	98.808	98.906	98.925	98.047	101.039	100.402	99.284

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.003	0.009	0.012	0.005	0.009	0.011	0.020	0.009	0.010	0.011
Ti	6.942	1.997	1.760	4.189	4.534	1.105	1.036	2.941	1.116	1.112
Al	0.566	1.634	1.595	0.971	0.914	2.132	2.203	0.742	2.069	2.076
Cr	3.084	6.816	6.541	5.438	5.236	9.211	8.864	5.865	9.495	9.248
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	11.141	13.343	14.640	10.872	10.492	9.533	9.777	13.256	9.530	9.552
Mn	0.030	0.157	0.230	0.146	0.136	0.063	0.060	0.362	0.076	0.098
Mg	1.437	1.711	1.284	2.883	2.973	3.072	2.971	0.756	3.129	3.148
Ca	0.027	0.001	0.004	0.006	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.001	0.004	0.004
Zn	0.000	0.101	0.094	0.091	0.086	0.081	0.054	0.171	0.117	0.058
TOTAL	23.230	25.769	26.160	24.601	24.383	25.213	24.991	24.103	25.546	25.307

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.003	0.008	0.011	0.005	0.009	0.010	0.019	0.009	0.010	0.010
Ti	7.172	1.860	1.615	4.087	4.462	1.052	0.995	2.929	1.048	1.055
Al	0.585	1.522	1.463	0.947	0.899	2.029	2.116	0.739	1.943	1.969
Cr	3.186	6.348	6.001	5.305	5.153	8.768	8.513	5.840	8.921	8.771
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	0.000	4.393	5.284	1.564	1.005	3.078	2.538	0.275	3.874	3.306
Fe(ii)	11.510	8.034	8.147	9.042	9.323	5.997	6.851	12.924	5.079	5.752
Mn	0.031	0.146	0.211	0.142	0.134	0.060	0.057	0.361	0.071	0.093
Mg	1.485	1.593	1.178	2.812	2.926	2.924	2.853	0.752	2.940	2.986
Ca	0.028	0.001	0.003	0.006	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.001	0.004	0.004
Zn	0.000	0.094	0.086	0.089	0.084	0.077	0.052	0.170	0.110	0.055
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	16	17	18	19	20	50	51	52	53	59
Sample	spin int2	spin int	spin int	spin ins	spin int	spin i	spin i	spin i	spin i	spin int
MgO	7.552	4.123	3.978	7.099	4.832	7.303	6.491	4.799	6.467	9.292
Al2O3	3.49	3.017	2.599	6.275	3.296	5.928	5.694	3.041	5.586	5.818
Cr2O3	24.066	27.578	28.966	38.009	28.578	30.331	31.914	30.324	38.188	31.832
FeO	42.264	57.074	57.784	40.54	54.865	44.667	45.374	54.718	39.423	41.316
TiO2	19.314	5.86	5.291	5.256	6.961	7.97	6.91	4.95	6.178	7.704
MnO	0.501	0.458	0.486	0.239	0.462	0.472	0.539	0.433	0.394	0.411
SiO2	0.04	0.039	0.048	0.057	0.027	0.045	0.054	0.071	0.052	0.072
CaO	0.02			0.012	0.014	0.009	0.051	0.004	0.011	0.18
K2O	0.012			0.008			0.009	0.004	0.009	
Na2O	0.014	0.012	0.008	0.037	0.012	0.018	0.011		0.002	0.015
NiO	0.345	0.644	0.653	0.358	0.473	0.42	0.431	0.47	0.333	0.438
ZnO	0.286	0.428	0.218	0.344	0.387	0.454	0.36	0.546	0.326	0.178
Summe	99.445	99.85	100.585	98.745	100.647	98.367	98.506	99.883	97.536	97.935

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.012	0.011	0.014	0.017	0.008	0.013	0.016	0.021	0.015	0.021
Ti	4.234	1.285	1.160	1.152	1.526	1.747	1.515	1.085	1.354	1.689
Al	1.199	1.036	0.893	2.155	1.132	2.036	1.956	1.044	1.919	1.998
Cr	5.545	6.354	6.674	8.757	6.585	6.988	7.353	6.987	8.799	7.334
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	10.300	13.909	14.082	9.879	13.370	10.885	11.058	13.335	9.607	10.069
Mn	0.124	0.113	0.120	0.059	0.114	0.117	0.133	0.107	0.097	0.101
Mg	3.281	1.791	1.728	3.084	2.099	3.173	2.820	2.085	2.810	4.037
Ca	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.016	0.001	0.003	0.056
Zn	0.062	0.092	0.047	0.074	0.083	0.098	0.077	0.117	0.070	0.038
TOTAL	24.761	24.592	24.717	25.182	24.922	25.060	24.943	24.782	24.675	25.344

Si	0.011	0.011	0.014	0.016	0.008	0.013	0.015	0.020	0.015	0.020
Ti	4.103	1.254	1.126	1.098	1.469	1.673	1.457	1.051	1.317	1.599
Al	1.162	1.011	0.867	2.054	1.090	1.950	1.882	1.011	1.866	1.892
Cr	5.374	6.201	6.480	8.346	6.341	6.693	7.075	6.766	8.558	6.945
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	1.967	1.539	1.858	3.004	2.367	2.707	2.421	2.020	1.750	3.394
Fe(ii)	8.016	12.035	11.816	6.412	10.509	7.718	8.219	10.893	7.595	6.141
Mn	0.120	0.110	0.116	0.056	0.110	0.112	0.128	0.104	0.095	0.096
Mg	3.180	1.748	1.678	2.940	2.022	3.039	2.714	2.019	2.733	3.823
Ca	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.004	0.003	0.015	0.001	0.003	0.053
Zn	0.060	0.090	0.046	0.071	0.080	0.094	0.075	0.114	0.068	0.036
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 18 & 2

Nr	60	61	62	65	67	1	3	4	5	6
Sample	spin int	spin ins	spin ins	spin ins	spin int	croint G1-2	croint	croint	croins	croint
MgO	1.947	7.823	4.745	6.48	6.871	3.129	5.056	9.449	9.118	5.041
Al2O3	4.192	5.716	4.022	5.31	5.202	2.873	3.703	7.206	6.955	3.819
Cr2O3	25.958	32.836	28.051	27.92	29.109	21.022	22.739	34.213	32.408	22.751
FeO	57.607	41.447	53.19	47.994	48.082	62.62	56.712	38.452	40.604	57.867
TiO2	7.461	7.846	6.542	8.491	6.596	5.747	6.944	5.516	5.436	6.167
MnO	1.105	0.356	0.636	0.348	0.317	0.101	0.049	0	0	0.011
SiO2	0.218	0.041	0.069	0.054	0.054	0.01	0	0.026	0.071	0.047
CaO	0.03	0.008	0.011	0.015	0.011	0.014	0.005	0.001	0.017	0.01
K2O	0.003	0.01	0.004	0.006	0.008	0.012	0	0	0.021	0
Na2O	0.037	0.035	0.005	0.017	0.018	0.019	0.062	0.022	0	0.025
NiO	0.459	0.369	0.449	0.484	0.419	0.377	0.404	0.291	0.344	0.355
ZnO	0.417	0.145	0.43	0.307	0.338					
Summe	100.161	97.389	98.791	98.219	97.708	95.924	95.674	95.176	94.974	96.093

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.064	0.012	0.020	0.016	0.016	0.003	0.000	0.008	0.021	0.014
Ti	1.635	1.720	1.434	1.861	1.446	1.260	1.522	1.209	1.192	1.352
Al	1.440	1.963	1.381	1.824	1.787	0.987	1.272	2.475	2.389	1.312
Cr	5.981	7.566	6.463	6.433	6.707	4.844	5.239	7.883	7.467	5.242
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	14.039	10.101	12.962	11.696	11.717	15.260	13.821	9.371	9.895	14.102
Mn	0.273	0.088	0.157	0.086	0.078	0.025	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.003
Mg	0.846	3.399	2.062	2.815	2.985	1.359	2.197	4.105	3.962	2.190
Ca	0.009	0.002	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.000	0.005	0.003
Zn	0.090	0.031	0.093	0.066	0.073	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.376	24.882	24.575	24.802	24.812	23.742	24.064	25.051	24.930	24.217

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.063	0.012	0.020	0.015	0.015	0.003	0.000	0.007	0.020	0.014
Ti	1.610	1.659	1.400	1.801	1.399	1.273	1.518	1.158	1.147	1.340
Al	1.418	1.894	1.349	1.765	1.728	0.997	1.268	2.371	2.300	1.300
Cr	5.889	7.298	6.312	6.225	6.487	4.896	5.225	7.552	7.188	5.195
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	0.987	2.268	1.499	2.069	2.095	0.000	0.170	2.685	2.388	0.574
Fe(ii)	12.835	7.475	11.160	9.249	9.239	15.426	13.613	6.293	7.138	13.401
Mn	0.269	0.085	0.153	0.083	0.076	0.025	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.003
Mg	0.833	3.279	2.013	2.724	2.888	1.374	2.191	3.933	3.814	2.171
Ca	0.009	0.002	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.000	0.005	0.003
Zn	0.088	0.030	0.090	0.064	0.070	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	17	18	20	21	22	6	8	10	12	13
Sample	croinscore	croinsrim	croins	croint	croint	G1-24mag	spinint	mag	crospins	crospins
MgO	6.238	4.083	7.67	6.219	2.094	3.359	1.183	1.775	6.582	6.564
Al2O3	4.503	3.396	7.313	2.816	1.508	1.112	0.872	0.421	6.337	4.629
Cr2O3	23.402	22.546	26.511	25.428	25.646	22.128	20.415	18.106	28.15	30.59
FeO	56.798	59.989	47.454	56.859	60.407	64.234	63.507	72.529	44.231	43.065
TiO2	5.376	5.631	3.801	3.888	3.593	3.826	6.155	2.932	4.598	6.101
MnO	0	0.02	0	0	0.046	0	0.134	0.077	0	0
SiO2	0.021	0.026	0.06	0.027	0.034	0.039	0.052	0.031	0.044	0.091
CaO	0.025	0.026	0.016	0.012	0.24	0.023	0.038	0.039	0.009	0.016
K2O	0	0.008	0.005	0.008	0.009	0.012	0.015	0	0.008	0.016
Na2O	0	0.046	0.003	0.017	0.027	0.008	0.057	0.008	0.366	0.028
NiO	0.295	0.352	0.241	0.366	0.344	0.457	0.449	0.512	0.351	0.313
ZnO										
Summe	96.658	96.123	93.074	95.64	93.948	95.198	92.877	96.43	90.676	91.413

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.006	0.008	0.017	0.008	0.010	0.011	0.015	0.009	0.013	0.027
Ti	1.178	1.234	0.833	0.852	0.788	0.839	1.349	0.643	1.008	1.337
Al	1.547	1.166	2.512	0.967	0.518	0.382	0.299	0.145	2.177	1.590
Cr	5.392	5.195	6.108	5.859	5.909	5.098	4.704	4.172	6.486	7.048
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	13.842	14.619	11.564	13.856	14.721	15.654	15.476	17.675	10.779	10.495
Mn	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.011	0.000	0.033	0.019	0.000	0.000
Mg	2.710	1.774	3.332	2.702	0.910	1.459	0.514	0.771	2.860	2.852
Ca	0.008	0.008	0.005	0.004	0.075	0.007	0.012	0.012	0.003	0.005
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.683	24.009	24.373	24.248	22.942	23.451	22.403	23.446	23.325	23.354

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.006	0.008	0.017	0.008	0.010	0.012	0.016	0.009	0.013	0.027
Ti	1.146	1.234	0.820	0.844	0.824	0.858	1.445	0.658	1.037	1.374
Al	1.504	1.166	2.473	0.957	0.542	0.391	0.321	0.148	2.240	1.634
Cr	5.243	5.193	6.015	5.799	6.182	5.218	5.039	4.270	6.674	7.243
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	1.770	0.025	0.978	0.655	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	11.688	14.589	10.409	13.059	15.400	16.020	16.580	18.093	11.091	10.785
Mn	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.035	0.019	0.000	0.000
Mg	2.635	1.773	3.282	2.674	0.952	1.494	0.551	0.789	2.943	2.931
Ca	0.008	0.008	0.005	0.004	0.078	0.007	0.013	0.012	0.003	0.005
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 18, 24 & 26

Nr	15	16	17	18	19	24	25	26	29	33
Sample	crospin	crospi	crospidark	crospidark	chroims	croint	croint	croint3	croint	croint
MgO	2.317	2.369	2.89	3.398	39.051	2.095	1.997	2.396	7.218	1.88
Al2O3	2.495	2.604	0.014	1.432	0	1.77	0.004	3.638	5.216	2.189
Cr2O3	19.885	19.5	1.123	12.263	0	20.301	1.716	19.061	31.73	20.678
FeO	63.777	64.269	45.126	52.441	12.052	66.435	47.089	65.095	40.484	63.702
TiO2	8.084	7.271	47.235	30.185	0.031	6.394	50.052	5.891	8.115	6.293
MnO	0.051	0.036	0.397	0.152	0.045	0.049	0.309	0.064	0	0.097
SiO2	0.048	0	1.486	0.065	38.946	0.055	0.011	0.001	0.048	0.073
CaO	0.018	0.023	0.03	0.025	0.433	0	0.047	0	0.006	0.018
K2O	0	0.016	0.016	0.03	0	0.017	0.023	0	0.005	0.016
Na2O	0	0.05	0	0.028	0.007	0.022	0.004	0.027	0.033	0.005
NiO	0.425	0.428	0.011	0.262	0.327	0.48	0.102	0.403	0.293	0.281
ZnO										
Summe	97.1	96.566	98.328	100.281	90.892	97.618	101.354	96.576	93.148	95.232

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.014	0.000	0.433	0.019	11.350	0.016	0.003	0.000	0.014	0.021
Ti	1.772	1.594	10.354	6.617	0.007	1.402	10.971	1.291	1.779	1.379
Al	0.857	0.894	0.005	0.492	0.000	0.608	0.001	1.250	1.791	0.752
Cr	4.582	4.493	0.259	2.825	0.000	4.677	0.395	4.392	7.311	4.764
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	15.542	15.662	10.997	12.780	2.937	16.190	11.475	15.863	9.866	15.524
Mn	0.013	0.009	0.098	0.038	0.011	0.012	0.076	0.016	0.000	0.024
Mg	1.007	1.029	1.256	1.476	16.967	0.910	0.868	1.041	3.136	0.817
Ca	0.006	0.007	0.009	0.008	0.135	0.000	0.015	0.000	0.002	0.006
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	23.792	23.689	23.411	24.254	31.408	23.815	23.805	23.853	23.899	23.287

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.014	0.000	0.444	0.019	8.673	0.016	0.003	0.000	0.014	0.022
Ti	1.788	1.615	10.615	6.547	0.005	1.412	11.061	1.299	1.786	1.422
Al	0.864	0.906	0.005	0.487	0.000	0.613	0.001	1.257	1.799	0.775
Cr	4.622	4.552	0.265	2.796	0.000	4.714	0.399	4.419	7.342	4.910
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.671	15.094	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	15.678	15.868	11.274	11.975	-12.850	16.316	11.569	15.961	9.908	15.999
Mn	0.013	0.009	0.100	0.037	0.008	0.012	0.077	0.016	0.000	0.025
Mg	1.016	1.043	1.287	1.461	12.965	0.917	0.875	1.047	3.149	0.842
Ca	0.006	0.007	0.010	0.008	0.103	0.000	0.015	0.000	0.002	0.006
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	36	6	7	8	11	12	13
Sample	crospiint	rspint G1-2	crspins	crspins	crspiint	crspins	crspins
MgO	7.38	7.822	7.48	6.574	7.768	7.678	2.312
Al2O3	5.713	6.582	6.599	6.666	5.877	6.911	0.838
Cr2O3	33.099	34.845	35.923	33.634	26.628	35.663	24.749
FeO	40.289	36.856	37.089	41.242	44.72	36.245	63.595
TiO2	5.994	4.798	3.249	3.198	7.809	4.826	2.652
MnO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.001
SiO2	0.039	0.032	0.015	0.06	0	0.054	0.001
CaO	0.044	0	0.016	0.014	0.021	0.016	0
K2O	0	0	0	0	0	0.005	0.009
Na2O	0.032	0	0.017	0	0.084	0.002	0.065
NiO	0.266	0.219	0.229	0.455	0.309	0.239	0.71
ZnO							
Summe	92.856	91.154	90.617	91.843	93.216	91.639	94.932

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.011	0.009	0.004	0.017	0.000	0.016	0.000
Ti	1.314	1.052	0.712	0.701	1.712	1.058	0.581
Al	1.962	2.261	2.267	2.290	2.019	2.374	0.288
Cr	7.626	8.028	8.277	7.749	6.135	8.217	5.702
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	9.818	8.982	9.038	10.051	10.898	8.833	15.498
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	3.206	3.399	3.250	2.856	3.375	3.336	1.005
Ca	0.014	0.000	0.005	0.004	0.007	0.005	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	23.952	23.730	23.553	23.669	24.145	23.838	23.074

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.011	0.009	0.004	0.018	0.000	0.016	0.000
Ti	1.317	1.064	0.726	0.711	1.701	1.065	0.605
Al	1.966	2.286	2.309	2.322	2.006	2.390	0.299
Cr	7.641	8.120	8.434	7.858	6.098	8.273	5.931
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.385	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	9.838	9.084	9.210	10.191	10.448	8.893	16.120
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mg	3.213	3.437	3.312	2.896	3.355	3.359	1.045
Ca	0.014	0.000	0.005	0.004	0.007	0.005	0.000
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 26 & 21

Nr	1	2	5	6	10	25	26	27	28	44
Sample	spin	spin	spin	spincore	binrim G1-11-2 mat sp	2 mat spin	2 mat spin	1-2 mat sp	1-2 mat sp	spin
MgO	0.658	0.509	0.227	11.154	0.221	1.165	1.133	0.811	0.236	1.199
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.465	0.869	0.026	5.002	0.001	4.266	3.611	0.376	0.036	0.143
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	8.691	5.138	0.039	38.063	0.539	25.411	24.324	1.271	0.575	0.097
FeO	72.072	62.65	98.434	32.412	95.587	62.584	63.577	82.581	95.876	92.233
TiO <sub>2</sub>	9.046	24.268	0.143	4.907	0.181	2.654	2.657	12.868	0.297	5.585
MnO	0.495	0.755	0.014	0	0.024	1.986	1.946	1.265	0.087	0.123
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.072	0.134	0.041	0.024	0.321	0.065	0.061	0.042	0.091	0.056
CaO	0.034	0.16	0.053	0.02	0.04	0.007	0.01	0.012	0.051	0.214
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.022	0	0.022	0.015	0.01	0.024	0.019	0.018	0.011
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.088	0.035	0.086	0.006	0.015	0.054	0.041	0.029	0.027	0.011
NiO	0.293	0.04	0.492	0.257	0.253	0.182	0.208	0.274	0.239	0.258
ZnO						3.956	3.565	0.052		
Summe	93.914	94.58	99.555	91.867	97.197	102.867	101.678	100.764	97.789	99.93

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.026	0.044	0.016	0.007	0.125	0.021	0.020	0.014	0.036	0.022
Ti	2.416	5.938	0.041	1.123	0.053	0.636	0.649	3.330	0.087	1.639
Al	1.032	0.333	0.012	1.794	0.000	1.601	1.383	0.152	0.017	0.066
Cr	2.440	1.322	0.012	9.157	0.167	6.398	6.248	0.346	0.177	0.030
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	21.400	17.044	31.693	8.247	31.239	16.667	17.273	23.761	31.277	30.088
Mn	0.149	0.208	0.005	0.000	0.008	0.536	0.535	0.369	0.029	0.041
Mg	0.348	0.247	0.130	5.060	0.129	0.553	0.549	0.416	0.137	0.697
Ca	0.013	0.056	0.022	0.007	0.017	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.021	0.089
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.930	0.855	0.013	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	27.823	25.191	31.931	25.394	31.738	27.344	27.516	28.406	31.780	32.672

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.022	0.042	0.012	0.007	0.095	0.018	0.017	0.012	0.027	0.016
Ti	2.084	5.658	0.031	1.061	0.040	0.558	0.566	2.814	0.066	1.204
Al	0.890	0.317	0.009	1.695	0.000	1.405	1.206	0.129	0.012	0.048
Cr	2.105	1.259	0.009	8.654	0.126	5.616	5.450	0.292	0.134	0.022
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	8.793	3.025	15.896	3.514	15.604	7.827	8.177	9.927	15.668	16.987
Fe(ii)	9.666	13.213	7.925	4.280	8.019	6.802	6.889	10.148	7.951	5.115
Mn	0.128	0.198	0.003	0.000	0.006	0.470	0.467	0.311	0.022	0.030
Mg	0.300	0.235	0.098	4.782	0.097	0.485	0.479	0.351	0.104	0.512
Ca	0.011	0.053	0.016	0.006	0.013	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.016	0.066
Zn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.816	0.746	0.011	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Nr	29	40	41	43	44	38	39	43	45	46
Sample	G1-2 mat s	spin i	titanite	spin int cor	spin int rim	G1-14-spin	spin	spin	spin	spin
MgO	0.318	10.254		1.414	1.286	6.879	11.018	1.752	1.375	0.641
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.043	5.508	0.006	3.3	0.113	7.295	8.051	0.065	0.188	0.041
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.08	54.029	0.011	33.977	2.627	19.675	14.963	0.263	0.017	0.196
FeO	91.732	27.269	0.692	55.329	67.405	56.828	53.534	85.442	90.253	95.885
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.509	3.601	38.875	2.726	24.945	5.012	5.958	10.296	7	1.659
MnO	0.153	0.061		2.27	2.444	0	0	0.316	0.165	0.029
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.251	0.126	29.871	0.052	0.095	0.066	0.092	0.063	0.066	0.122
CaO	0.888	0.004	27.166	0.028	0.044	0.005	0.023	0.144	0.1	0.061
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.026			0.003	0.023	0.012	0.041	0.003	0.004	0.013
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.19	0.001	0.045	0.04	0.029	0.07	0.032	0.043	0.053	0
NiO	0.399	0.284	0.028	0.096	0.169	0.346	0.662	0.116	0.202	0.13
ZnO	0.042	0.124	0.061	4.742	0.341					
Summe	96.861	101.607	99.612	104.387	101.523	96.188	94.374	98.503	99.423	98.777

Formula without iron correction

Si	0.098	0.049	11.653	0.020	0.037	0.026	0.036	0.025	0.026	0.048
Ti	0.736	1.057	11.407	0.800	7.319	1.471	1.748	3.021	2.054	0.487
Al	0.020	2.532	0.003	1.517	0.052	3.354	3.702	0.030	0.086	0.019
Cr	0.025	16.664	0.003	10.479	0.810	6.068	4.615	0.081	0.005	0.060
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(ii)	29.925	8.896	0.226	18.049	21.989	18.538	17.464	27.873	29.442	31.279
Mn	0.051	0.020	0.000	0.750	0.808	0.000	0.000	0.104	0.055	0.010
Mg	0.185	5.964	0.000	0.822	0.748	4.001	6.408	1.019	0.800	0.373
Ca	0.371	0.002	11.354	0.012	0.018	0.002	0.010	0.060	0.042	0.025
Zn	0.012	0.036	0.018	1.366	0.098	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	31.422	35.219	34.664	33.816	31.880	33.460	33.982	32.213	32.510	32.301

Formula after iron correction normalised

Si	0.075	0.033	8.068	0.014	0.028	0.018	0.025	0.018	0.019	0.035
Ti	0.562	0.720	7.898	0.568	5.510	1.055	1.235	2.251	1.516	0.362
Al	0.015	1.726	0.002	1.077	0.039	2.406	2.614	0.022	0.064	0.014
Cr	0.019	11.356	0.002	7.437	0.610	4.353	3.259	0.060	0.004	0.045
V	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe(iii)	15.117	20.387	19.689	18.578	15.819	18.094	18.800	16.317	16.752	16.447
Fe(ii)	7.739	-14.325	-19.533	-5.768	0.735	-4.797	-6.466	4.449	4.983	6.794
Mn	0.039	0.014	0.000	0.532	0.608	0.000	0.000	0.078	0.040	0.007
Mg	0.141	4.064	0.000	0.584	0.563	2.870	4.526	0.759	0.590	0.277
Ca	0.283	0.001	7.861	0.008	0.014	0.001	0.007	0.045	0.031	0.019
Zn	0.009	0.024	0.012	0.969	0.074	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TOTAL	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000	24.000

Table of Spinel microprobe analysis from drill core G1 samples 13 & 2

## 20. Appendix 7: Phlogopite analysis

Nr	14	15	19	20	1	3	27	28	29
	phl	phl	phl	phl	phl	phl	phl	phl	phl
Sample	G17-45-13	G17-45-14	G17-45-18	G17-45-19	G17-35a1	G17-35b1	G17-35b2	G17-35b3	G17-35b4
SiO <sub>2</sub>	38.82	40.16	40.74	41.46	37.75	36.34	35.28	36.52	36.09
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	13.47	13.8	12.86	13.66	12.87	12.88	12.76	12.4	12.48
FeO	5.44	5.12	4.8	5.06	3.4	3.66	3.63	4.06	4.2
CaO	0.07	0.08	0.26	0.22	0.02	0	0	0.01	0
TiO <sub>2</sub>	6.5	5.49	3.69	3.65	2.69	2.74	2.55	3.61	3.12
MnO	0	0	0.03	0	0	0	0.02	0	0.02
MgO	20.38	21.08	21.44	22.25	20.95	20.93	21.14	21.89	21.68
K <sub>2</sub> O	8.45	8.35	9.51	10.29	9.26	9.22	8.91	8.96	8.94
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0.03	0	0.03	0	0.03
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0.03	0	0
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0	0.04	0	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.09
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.07	0
SrO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0.05	0	0.05	0.1	0.05	0.05	0.05
Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.03	0
Nb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0	0.04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Na <sub>2</sub> O	1.94	3.04	1.89	0.95	2.21	1.67	1.72	1.36	1.74
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.03	0	0	0	0	0.03	0	0	0
Summe	95.28	97.16	95.31	97.54	89.27	87.61	86.16	89.05	88.44
Formula									
Si	5.564	5.625	5.822	5.785	5.750	5.656	5.589	5.600	5.585
Al iv	2.275	2.278	2.166	2.215	2.250	2.344	2.383	2.241	2.276
Al vi	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.031	0.060	0.019	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.701	0.578	0.397	0.383	0.308	0.321	0.304	0.416	0.363
Cr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Fe	0.652	0.600	0.574	0.590	0.433	0.476	0.481	0.521	0.544
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.003
Mg	4.354	4.402	4.567	4.628	4.757	4.856	4.992	5.004	5.001
Ni	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000					
Ca	0.011	0.012	0.040	0.033	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
Na	0.539	0.826	0.524	0.257	0.653	0.504	0.528	0.404	0.522
K	1.545	1.492	1.734	1.831	1.799	1.830	1.800	1.753	1.765
Sr	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
OH*	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000
TOTAL	19.640	19.816	19.827	19.753	20.013	20.009	20.080	19.941	20.058

Table of phlogopite analysis from drill core G17

Nr	G1-13	G1-28	G1-20(cum)	G1-21	8	12	18	19	35	13
Beschreibung	24	68	14	G1-20?2	G13/17d3	G13/17d9	G13/17d10	G13/17a1	G17/35e1	
MgO	18.125	22.158	21.947	24.139	22.44	24.57	25.85	25.44	27.2	24.23
Al2O3	10.841	15.765	15.324	15.417	10.86	13.15	11.93	12.07	11.84	14
Cr2O3	0.222	1.011	0.689	1.592	0.26	0.73	0.27	0.55	0.32	0.61
FeO	9.022	4.433	4.453	4.765	5.98	2.78	2.62	3.32	2.78	3.06
TiO2	3.139	6.173	6.106	3.617	4.23	2.46	1.22	1.97	1.9	2.98
MnO	0.034	0.036	0.007	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0.02
SiO2	31.205	37.976	37.555	38.124	38.98	40.99	43.24	42.98	43.3	38.23
CaO	9.986	0.047	0.034	0.239	0	0.07	0	0	0	0
K2O	5.756	5.065	4.891	4.402	3.47	8.79	8.69	7.76	8.58	6.72
Na2O	0.63	0.269	0.371	3.353	1.72	0.93	1.04	0.91	1.13	1.26
NiO	0.067	0.222	0.173	0.244	0.17	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.14	0.21
ZnO	0.014	0.084								
Summe	89.027	93.577	92.096	95.892	88.11	94.5	94.89	95.17	97.19	91.32

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Formula

Si	5.041	5.397	5.422	5.332	5.862	5.805	6.058	6.000	5.942	5.578
Al iv	2.064	2.603	2.578	2.541	1.925	2.195	1.942	1.986	1.915	2.408
Al vi	0.000	0.038	0.030	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.028	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.381	0.660	0.663	0.380	0.478	0.262	0.129	0.207	0.196	0.327
Cr	0.028	0.114	0.079	0.176	0.031	0.082	0.030	0.061	0.035	0.070
Fe	1.219	0.527	0.538	0.557	0.752	0.329	0.307	0.388	0.319	0.373
Mn	0.005	0.004	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.002
Mg	4.365	4.694	4.724	5.032	5.030	5.187	5.399	5.294	5.564	5.270
Ni	0.009	0.025	0.020	0.027	0.021	0.003	0.003	0.008	0.015	0.025
Ca	1.728	0.007	0.005	0.036	0.000	0.011	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Na	0.197	0.074	0.104	0.909	0.502	0.255	0.283	0.246	0.301	0.356
K	1.186	0.918	0.901	0.785	0.666	1.588	1.553	1.382	1.502	1.251
Sr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
OH*	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000
TOTAL	20.223	19.062	19.073	19.777	19.266	19.717	19.731	19.584	19.789	19.660

Nr	35	42	43	45	51	56	61	67	3	23	12
Beschreibung	G17/40d9	G17/40e5	G17/40e6	G17/40e8	G17/40b3	G17/40b8	G17/40a1	G17/40a7	G17/45b2	G17/45e8	G17/45e7
MgO	28.4	24.65	25.07	22.63	33.42	22.66	36.38	36.01	14.81	27.49	28.47
Al2O3	13.51	18.35	18.03	18.09	9.87	16.26	4.36	3.38	10.39	11.52	9.46
Cr2O3	0.33	0.53	0.21	0.16	0.24	0.25	0.3	0.4	0.04	0.29	0.19
FeO	3.79	3.35	3.26	3.16	10.49	3.04	4.99	5.64	2.31	3.26	4.08
TiO2	0.65	0.84	0.88	0.61	0	0.54	0.15	0.11	0.25	0.47	0.16
MnO	0	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0.06	0.02
SiO2	38.55	37.52	38.74	35.63	37.75	37.24	39.71	38.9	48.47	42.11	44.4
CaO	0.08	0	0	0	0.08	0	0	0	0	0	0.34
K2O	6.51	6.93	7.72	8.18	3.97	9.98	2.9	1.53	8.12	7.12	6.48
Na2O	0.52	0.6	0.52	0.67	0.97	0.3	0.22	0.15	1.82	1.59	1.22
NiO	0.07	0.17	0.03	0	0.24	0	0	0	0.11	0.11	0.06
ZnO									0	0	
Summe	92.41	92.94	94.46	89.13	97.03	90.29	89.01	86.12	86.32	94.02	94.88

Formula

Si	5.556	5.358	5.447	5.347	5.338	5.561	5.896	5.946	7.265	5.955	6.198
Al iv	2.295	2.642	2.553	2.653	1.645	2.439	0.763	0.609	0.735	1.920	1.557
Al vi	0.000	0.447	0.434	0.547	0.000	0.423	0.000	0.000	1.101	0.000	0.000
Ti	0.070	0.090	0.093	0.069	0.000	0.061	0.017	0.013	0.028	0.050	0.017
Cr	0.038	0.060	0.023	0.019	0.027	0.030	0.035	0.048	0.005	0.032	0.021
Fe	0.457	0.400	0.383	0.397	1.241	0.380	0.620	0.721	0.290	0.386	0.476
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.002
Mg	6.101	5.247	5.254	5.063	7.045	5.044	8.052	8.205	3.309	5.795	5.925
Ni	0.008	0.020	0.003	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.013	0.013	0.007
Ca	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.051
Na	0.145	0.166	0.142	0.195	0.266	0.087	0.063	0.044	0.529	0.436	0.330
K	1.197	1.262	1.384	1.566	0.716	1.901	0.549	0.298	1.552	1.284	1.154
Sr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
OH*	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000
TOTAL	19.879	19.692	19.718	19.855	20.317	19.927	19.995	19.884	18.827	19.879	19.738

Table of phlogopite microprobe analysis from drill core G17, G13 and G1

## 21. Appendix 8: Perovskite analysis

Sample	G17-35c1	G17-35c2	G17-35c3	G17-35c6	G17-35c7	G17-35c8	G17-35c9	G17-35c10	G17-35c11
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0.11	0.07	0.11	0.07	0	0.04	0.07	0
TiO <sub>2</sub>	56.96	57.21	56.51	55.53	58.11	54.8	56.38	55.67	54.77
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	0.51	0.51	0.77	0.86	0.67	0.61	0.37	0.47	0.77
MnO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MgO	0.03	0	0	0.03	0	0	0	0	0
CaO	36.2	38.3	36.28	36	36.76	35.19	35.49	34.34	33.66
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	1.19	0	1.5	1.5	0.6	0.6	1.21	1.51
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0	0	0.02	0	0.01	0	0	0
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0	0.05	0	0.1	0.05	0.02	0	0.02	0.02
SrO	0.19	0	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.12	0.13	0.13
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.76	0.67	0.9	1.1	1.05	0.91	0.81	1.05	1
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.63	2.25	2.93	2.89	2.89	2.55	2.08	2.89	3.14
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.25	1.07	1.47	1.5	1.39	1.25	0.81	1.5	1.28
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.13	0.27	0.17	0.03	0.1	0.2	0.24	0.13
Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.34	0.24	0.41	0.54	0.54	0.27	0.3	0.47	0.44
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.05	0.14	0	0.05	0.14	0	0.09	0.05
Nb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.36	0.43	0.29	0.55	0.51	0.4	0.36	0.4	0.37
Pr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.18	0	0.14	0.14	0.05	0.09	0	0.18	0.27
Summe	99.45	102.21	100.24	101.1	103.73	96.97	97.56	98.73	97.54

Formula	Si	Al	Ti	Fe	Mn	Mg	Ca	Na	K	P	La	Ce	Nd	Sm	Gd	Y	Nb	Pr	Summe
Si	0.002	0.005	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.013	0.045	0.021	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.003	0.000	
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.011	0.048	0.022	0.002	0.004	0.000	0.003	0.000	
Ti	2.005	1.957	1.986	1.945	1.973	1.984	2.011	1.990	1.986	0.000	0.016	0.050	0.025	0.011	0.006	0.018	0.009	0.016	
Fe	0.020	0.019	0.030	0.034	0.025	0.025	0.015	0.019	0.031	0.000	0.013	0.049	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.049	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Mg	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Ca	1.815	1.867	1.816	1.797	1.778	1.815	1.804	1.749	1.739	0.000	0.016	0.050	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Na	0.000	0.105	0.000	0.135	0.131	0.056	0.055	0.112	0.141	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
P	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.004	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
La	0.013	0.011	0.016	0.019	0.017	0.016	0.014	0.018	0.018	0.000	0.011	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Ce	0.045	0.037	0.050	0.049	0.048	0.045	0.036	0.050	0.055	0.000	0.022	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Nd	0.021	0.017	0.025	0.025	0.022	0.021	0.014	0.025	0.022	0.000	0.011	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Sm	0.000	0.002	0.004	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Gd	0.005	0.004	0.006	0.008	0.008	0.004	0.005	0.007	0.007	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Y	0.000	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.001	0.004	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Nb	0.008	0.009	0.006	0.012	0.010	0.009	0.008	0.009	0.008	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Pr	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.003	0.002	0.000	0.001	0.048	0.022	0.010	0.005	0.018	0.009	0.020	
Summe	3.938	4.037	3.948	4.041	4.022	3.983	3.967	3.993	3.993	0.000	4.016	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	

Table of perovskite microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 35

Sample	G17-35c12	G17-35c13	G17-35c15	G17-35c16	G17-35c17	G17-35c18	G17-35c19	G17-35c20	G17-35c21
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.07	0.11	0.07	0.04	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.15
TiO <sub>2</sub>	56.93	58.25	56.96	57.57	57.25	57.69	54.67	58.12	58.29
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	0.75	0.36	0.47	0.45	0.44	0.58	0.54	0.51	0.6
MnO	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0.02	0
MgO	0	0.13	0	0.06	0	0	0	0	0
CaO	34.74	36.39	35	34.2	35.54	35.46	32.81	35.37	34.99
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.86	0.57	0.57	1.14	0.28	0.62	0.3	0.93	0.62
K <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.01	0	0	0.02	0.02	0	0.01	0
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.02	0	0	0.07	0.02	0.02
SrO	0.14	0.13	0.1	0.2	0.07	0.06	0.15	0.09	0
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.06	0.82	0.82	1.06	0.68	0.68	0.95	0.58	0.72
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.08	2.23	2.66	2.95	1.88	1.96	1.94	1.79	1.66
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1.37	1.2	1.16	1.45	0.82	0.93	0.99	0.9	0.86
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.07	0.1	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.24	0.2	0.17	0.1
Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.34	0.31	0.27	0.2	0.24	0.31
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.09	0.05	0.19	0.05	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.14
Nb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.27	0.27	0.44	0.34	0.43	0.28	0.54	0.4	0.25
Pr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.23	0.19	0	0.14	0	0.09	0.18	0	0
Summe	99.99	101.2	99.1	100.21	98.02	99.04	93.7	99.31	98.71

Formula

Si	0.000	0.003	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.007
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	2.005	2.008	2.009	2.018	2.025	2.023	2.030	2.027	2.039
Fe	0.029	0.014	0.018	0.018	0.017	0.023	0.022	0.020	0.023
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Mg	0.000	0.009	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ca	1.744	1.787	1.759	1.708	1.791	1.772	1.736	1.758	1.744
Na	0.078	0.051	0.052	0.103	0.026	0.056	0.029	0.084	0.056
K	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000
P	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.001	0.001
La	0.018	0.014	0.014	0.018	0.012	0.012	0.017	0.010	0.012
Ce	0.053	0.037	0.046	0.050	0.032	0.033	0.035	0.030	0.028
Nd	0.023	0.020	0.019	0.024	0.014	0.015	0.017	0.015	0.014
Sm	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.002
Gd	0.006	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.003	0.004	0.005
Y	0.002	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003
Nb	0.006	0.006	0.009	0.007	0.009	0.006	0.012	0.008	0.005
Pr	0.004	0.003	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.000
Summe	3.970	3.962	3.948	3.966	3.939	3.957	3.917	3.966	3.940

Table of perovskite microprobe analysis from drill core G17 sample 35

Sample	G17-35c22	G17-33a	G17-33b	G17-33c	G17-33d	G17-33e	G17-33f	G17-33g	G17-33h
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0	0.04	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.03	0.07	0.1	0.14
TiO <sub>2</sub>	58.5	62.47	60.68	61.24	61.19	61.28	63.85	61.73	61.69
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FeO	0.47	0.22	0.14	0.22	0.16	0.18	0.16	0.27	0.27
MnO	0	0	0	0	0.02	0.02	0.05	0	0.07
MgO	0.07	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.03
CaO	34.6	38.47	37.22	37.67	38.24	37.92	38.4	38.19	37.93
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.93	0	0	0	0.3	0.3	0.61	0	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0.01	0.04	0.01	0	0	0
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.05	0.02	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0.02
SrO	0.06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.05
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	2.27	0.04	0.09	0.09	0	0.09	0	0	0.04
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.93	0.04	0	0	0	0	0.08	0.04	0
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.27	0	0	0.07	0	0	0.1	0	0
Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.03
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.09	0.09	0.14	0.19	0	0.05	0.05	0	0.09
Nb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.31	0	0	0	0.03	0	0	0.06	0
Pr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.05	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Summe	99.7	101.39	98.34	99.56	100.05	99.9	103.37	100.39	100.36

Formula

Si	0.000	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.001	0.003	0.004	0.006
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	2.038	2.079	2.081	2.077	2.066	2.072	2.084	2.074	2.074
Fe	0.018	0.008	0.005	0.008	0.006	0.007	0.006	0.010	0.010
Mn	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.003
Mg	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002
Ca	1.718	1.824	1.819	1.820	1.839	1.827	1.786	1.828	1.817
Na	0.084	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.026	0.026	0.051	0.000	0.000
K	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
P	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001
La	0.014	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Ce	0.039	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001
Nd	0.015	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000
Sm	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Gd	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Y	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.005	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.002
Nb	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
Pr	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Summe	3.951	3.917	3.913	3.917	3.944	3.938	3.936	3.919	3.917

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Sample	G17-38a	G17-38b	G17-38c	G17-38d
SiO <sub>2</sub>	0.07	0.1	0.17	0.1
TiO <sub>2</sub>	61.38	59.55	60.46	61.3
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0
FeO	0.27	0.22	0.38	0.36
MnO	0	0.02	0	0
MgO	0	0.03	0.09	0
CaO	38.16	37.7	38.22	38.74
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0	0.3	0	0
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.01	0	0	0
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0	0	0.02	0.02
SrO	0	0	0	0
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0.05	0	0
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.04	0.13	0	0.13
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.08	0.11	0	0.04
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0	0	0.07
Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.09	0.05	0	0
Nb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.03	0.03	0	0
Pr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0
Summe	100.16	98.29	99.34	100.76

Formula

Si	0.003	0.005	0.008	0.004
Al	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Ti	2.070	2.052	2.055	2.058
Fe	0.010	0.008	0.014	0.013
Mn	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Mg	0.000	0.002	0.006	0.000
Ca	1.834	1.851	1.851	1.853
Na	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.000
K	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000
P	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001
La	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000
Ce	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.002
Nd	0.001	0.002	0.000	0.001
Sm	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
Gd	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Y	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000
Nb	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000
Pr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Summe	3.923	3.953	3.936	3.934

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