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Lithologic Descriptions, of Cutting Samples,
Mariano Lake-Lake Valley Drilling Project,
McKinley County, New Mexico, Holes 9 and 10

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INTRODUCTION

In the fall of 1980, the U.S. Geological Survey contracted with Longman Drilling Company of Albuquerque, New Mexico to rotary drill and core twelve holes along a north-south line from Mariano Lake to the vicinity of Lake Valley, New Mexico. This report contains the lithologic descriptions of core and cutting samples from drill hole nos 9 and 10.

The drilling project was funded under a reimbursable interagency agreement between the U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS). The program was designed by representatives of the BIA, USGS, and the Minerals Department of the Navajo Tribe.

PURPOSE

The principal objective of this project was to provide core samples and geophysical logs for petrologic, sedimentologic, geophysical, and geochemical studies of the Upper Jurassic Morrison Formation. Other objectives included the following: stratigraphic and coal studies of Upper Cretaceous rocks; hydrologic and water monitoring of well no. 2; and control for a proposed seismic study of the same geographic area.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The USGS wishes to acknowledge the cooperation of Conoco for permission to drill hole nos. 9 and 10 on their mineral lease.

GENERAL DRILLING PLAN

The locations of all twelve drill holes are shown on figure 1, which is a portion of the Gallup 1° x 2° Quadrangle. The general drilling plan called for most holes to be rotary drilled into the Upper Cretaceous Dakota Sandstone and then cored into or through the Recapture Member of the Morrison Formation. The interval to be cored in each hole was about 600 ft.

Exceptions to the general drilling plan were as follows: Hole no. 2,

rotary drilled, surface to Jurassic Entrada Sandstone; Hole no. 4A, cored 21-218 ft, to test an observed near surface I.P. anomaly; Hole no. 6, deepened after coring by rotary drilling into the Jurassic Entrada Sandstone; Hole no. 7A, cored only the Westwater Canyon Member of the Morrison Formation; Hole no. 8, abandoned in lower part of Westwater Canyon Member of the Morrison Formation; and Hole nos. 9 and 10, abandoned in Upper Cretaceous rocks.

Chip samples were collected at 10-ft or 20-ft intervals throughout each hole and sludge samples collected at 20-ft intervals throughout the cored interval.

The following suite of geophysical logs were included in the general drilling project: natural gamma, self potential, neutron-neutron porosity, resistance, resistivity, temperature, deviation, gamma-gamma density, caliper, magnetic susceptibility, gamma ray spectrometer (KUT), sonic, induced polarization, conductivity, and high-resolution 4-arm digital dipmeter.

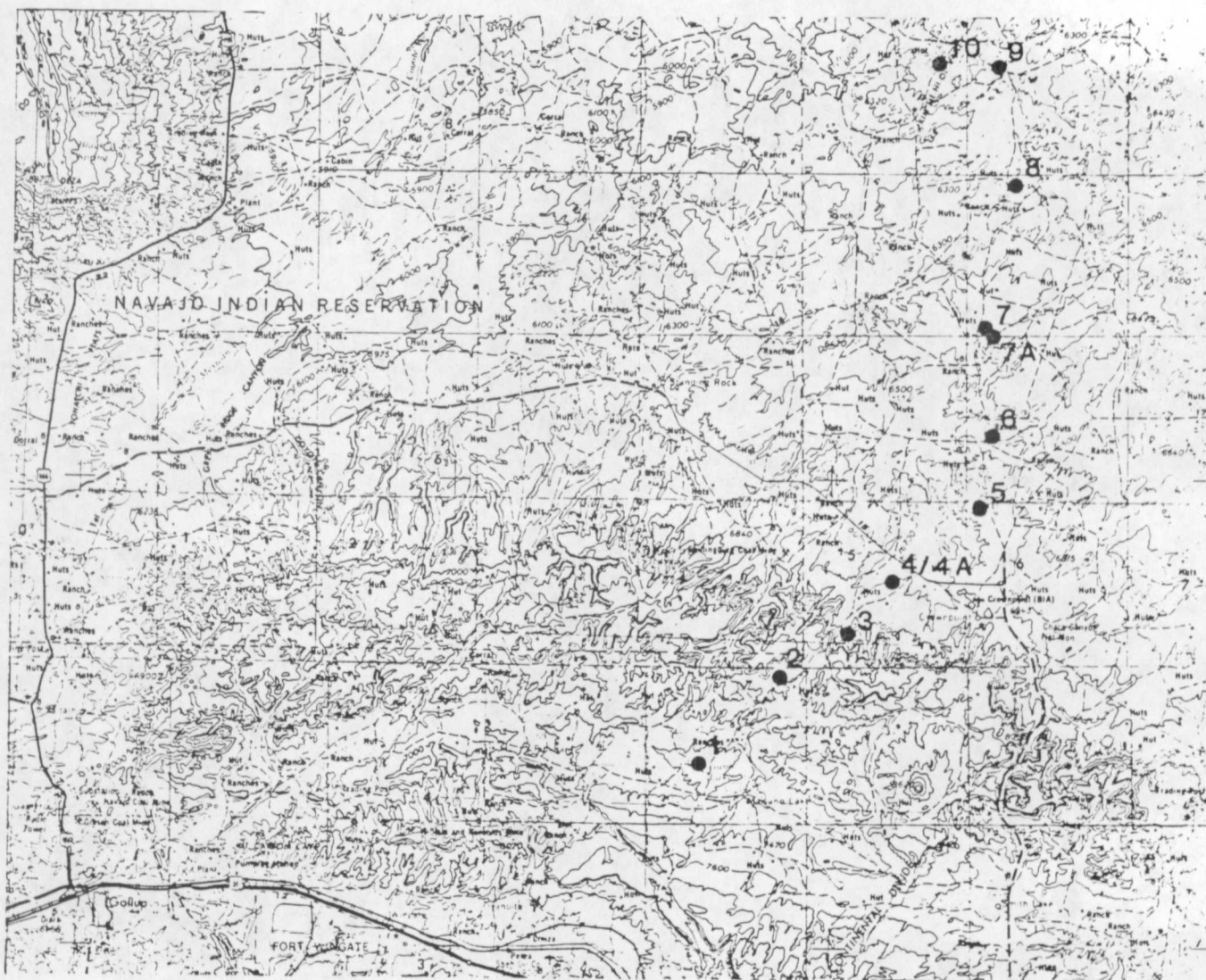


Figure 1. - Location of USGS Drill Holes, Gallup 1° x 2° Quadrangle.

HOLE NUMBERS 9 and 10

The location of these wells are shown on figures 2 and 3.

Cutting samples from rotary drilling were collected and described on 20-ft intervals (tables 1 and 2).

The following suite of geophysical logs were run on these holes and have been published by the U.S. Geological Survey (1981a, b): natural gamma, self potential, resistance, neutron-neutron porosity, resistivity, gamma-gamma density, deviation, and caliper.

Thin coal beds were encountered in hole no. 9 at 442, 715 and 972 ft; and in hole no. 10 at 560, 755 ft, and in the interval 1030-1060 ft.

Both holes were abandoned in Upper Cretaceous rocks after encountering artesian flows estimated from 90-125 gallons per minute of admixed oil and water. The oil producing formation in both holes was the Point Lookout Sandstone (Cretaceous) and was encountered at 1030-1177 ft in hole no. 9, and at 1068-1170 ft in hole no. 10. Equipment was not available to test the formation.

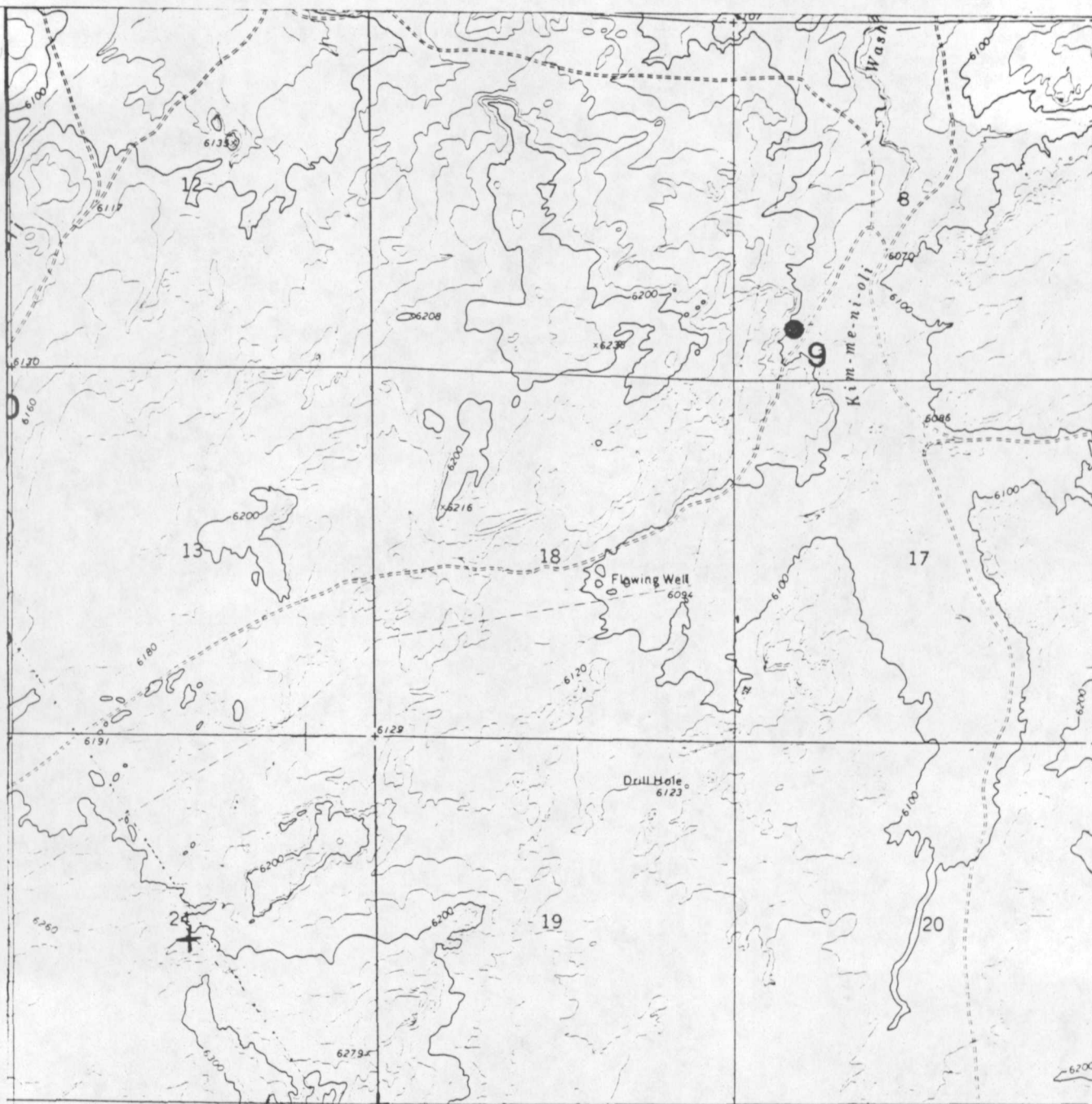


Figure 2.--Location of USGS Drill Hole No. 9, Milk Lake 7 1/2' Quadrangle, T20N, R12W.

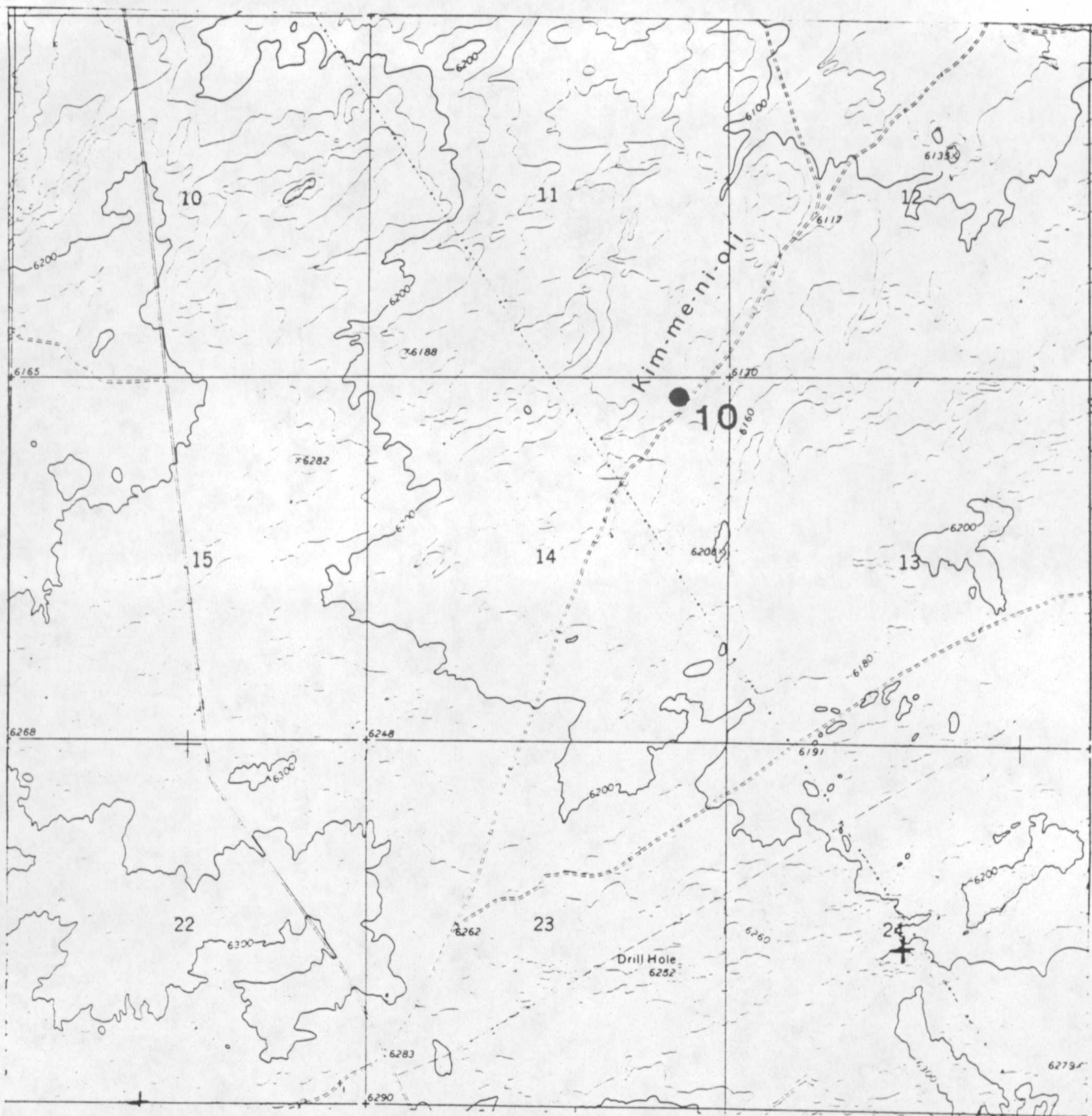


Figure 2.--Location of USGS Drill Hole No. 10, Milk Lake 7 1/2' Quadrangle, T20N, R12W.

DRILL HOLE NO. 9

The vital statistics on this well include:

Spud date: Dec. 10, 1980

Location: T. 20 N., R. 12 W., SW/4 sec. 8

Lat. $35^{\circ}58'30''$, Long. $108^{\circ}08'30''$

Collar Elevation: 6095 ft (topo) Menefee Fm. (Cretaceous)

Total Depth: 1465 ft (depth) Satan Tongue of Mancos Shale (Cretaceous)

Casing: 78 ft of 7 in. surface casing

Status of well: Cemented and abandoned, December 12, 1980.

DRILL HOLE NO. 10

The vital statistics on this well include:

Spud date: December 12, 1980

Location: T. 20 N., R. 13 W., NE/4 sec. 14

Lat. $35^{\circ}58'17''$, Long. $108^{\circ}11'04''$

Collar Elevation: 6130 ft (topo) Menefee Fm. (Cretaceous)

Total Depth: 2326 ft (depth) Gallup Sandstone (Cretaceous)

Casing: 117 ft of 7 in. surface casing

Status of well: Cemented and abandoned, December 18, 1980.

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CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (7.5') Milk Lake
Hole No: 5-9 State: NM Date: 12/14/80
Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hammond, Dubiel
Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 1 of 8

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico

Depth to base of sample (feet) (interval)	Sample Number	Grain size Acc. to	Estimated % of Lithologies								Sandstones							Formation / member	COMMENTS			
			Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	shale color	Cal	Limestone	Grain size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Floccul.	Sandstone Color					
20																				No Sample		
40																				No Sample		
60																				No Sample		
80	80-59-30	75		95	5				TR		UF-LM	M	SA	TR					Red ch	5Y6/1	Allison mb. member Fm Kmf	Limonite-stained quartz
100		75		30		70	N-2				LF	M	SA		TR					N-6	Kmf	
120		75		80		20	N-3 (5G4/1)				F	MW	SA-SR						Red ch	N-6	Kmf	
140		75		60		40	N-7 (5G4/1)				F	W	SA-SR	TR					Red ch	N-6	Kmf	Limonite-stained quartz
160		75		80		20	N-5				F	W	SA-SR							N-6	Kmf	Muddy
180		75		80		20	N-3 (5G4/1)				F	W	SA-SR						Red ch	5GY6/1	Kmf	Hematite-stained gtz, calcareous
200	80-59-200	75		90		10	N-2 (5G4/1)				F	W	SA-SR						Red ch	5GY6/1	Kmf	Limonite-stained gtz, calcareous

CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (r.s.): Milk Lake
Hole No.: 5-9 State: NM Date: 12/14/90
Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hammond, Deibel
Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 2 of 8

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico			Estimated % of Lithologies							Sandstones								Remarks/Remarks		COMMENTS (VERY MUDDY)
Depth to base of sample interval (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst	Shale	Shale Color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Rounded	Filippos	Carbonates	Pyrite	Recess.	Sandstone Color			
220	80-59-220	75		60	10	30	N-5			F-M	M	SR		✓			564/1	Kmfa		
240		75		50		50	N-3			F	P	SA	TR				564/1	Kmfa	Calcareous	
260		75		80		20	N-6			F	M	SA-SR		✓		Blue qtz, red chert	564/1	Kmfa	Very calcareous Limonite-staining	
280		75		70		30	N-5			F	M	SR		✓			564/1	Kmfa	Limonite-staining	
300		75		80		20	N-5			F	M-W	SR		✓		Red chert	104R6/6	Kmfa	Slightly calcareous Limonite-staining	
320		75		95		5	N-6			VF	M-W	SA		✓		Appl. green grains	546/1	Kmfa	Limonite-staining	
340		75		95		5	N-6			F-VF	M	SR		✓		Red chert	564/1	Kmfa	Calcareous Limonite-staining	
360		75		95		5	N-6			F	W	SR		✓		Red chert	564/1	Kmfa	Calcareous	
380		75		90		10	N-6			F-M	P	SR		✓		Red chert	564/1	Kmfa	Slightly calcareous Hematite-staining	
400	80-59-400	75		90		10	N-6			F-M	M	SA		✓		Green grain	564/1	Kmfa	Limonite-staining	

CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (9.5') MILK LAKE
 Hole No: 5-9 State: NM Date: 12/14/80
 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hammond, Dubiel
 Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 3 of 8

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico																			
Depth to 5 cm of Lake (feet)	Sample Number	Grain size 8x6 = 75	Sedimentation										Form thin / notes	Comments					
			Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale color	Red	Limestone	Grain size	Sorting	Roundness			Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Flint	Subsac color
420	80-59-420	75		90		10	5YR4/1	TR		F-VF	W						5GY6/1	Limonite-stained quartz	Kmfa
440		75		95		5	N-3 (5GY6/1)	TR		UF-LM	M						N-7	Calcareous	Kmfa
460		75		80		20	N-3			F	MW						Too muddy	Very muddy	Kmfa
480		75		80		20	N-4			F	W						N-7		Kmfa
500		75		100					TR	F	W						N-7	Limonite-stained quartz	Kmfa
520		75		100						F	W						N-5		Kmfa
540		75		100						F	W						N-5	Limonite-stained grains	Kmfa
560		75		90		10	N-2			F	W						N-5		Kmfa
580		75																Too muddy (100% drilled mud)	Kmfa
600	80-59-600	75		100						F	MW		TR				N-5	Hematite-stained Limonite-stained quartz	Kmfa

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FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (r.s.) Milk Lake
Hole No: S-9 State: NM Date: 12/14/80
Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hammond, Dubiel
Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 4 of 8.

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico
Estimated % of Lithologies

Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico Lake Valley Estimated % of Lithologies										Sandstones							Formation/number	COMMENTS		
Depth to bin of sample interval (feet)	Sample Number (BKC-75)	Grain/size (BKC-75)	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	shale color	Coal	Limestone	Grain size	Sorting	Rounded	Feldspar	Carbonates	Syncl.	Flint	Succinea Color	Kmf		
620	80-59-620	75	95		5	N-4	TR	TR	VF-F	M	SA-SR		✓				N-7	N-7	Kmf	Limonite-stained quartz
640		75	50		50	N-3			VF-F	W	SR						N-7	N-7	Kmf	Very slightly calcareous
660		75	100				TR		VF-F	MW	SR		✓				N-7	N-7	Kmf	Slightly calcareous Hematite-staining
680		75	95		5	N-3	TR	TR	F	W	R-SR		✓				N-7	N-7	Kmf	Slightly calcareous Limonite-staining
700		75	80		20				VF	MW	R-SR								Kmf	Very muddy
720		75	10		90	N-3 to N-2			VF	MW	SR-R		✓				N-7	N-7	Kmf	Slightly calcareous H ₂ S odor
740		75	10		90	N-2 to N-3			VF	MW	SR-R		✓				N-7	N-7	Kmf	H ₂ S odor -
760		75	20		80				VF	MW	SR		✓						Kmf	Very muddy
780		75	5		95	N-3			VF	MW	SR		✓						Kmf	Very slightly calc H ₂ S odor Very muddy
800	80-59-800	75	5		95	N-3			VF	MW	R			TR					Kmf	Slightly calcareous white chips (15?)

CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (T.S.) Milk Lake
 Hole No: 5-9 State: NM Date: 12/15/80
 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hoffman, Mark
 Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 5 of 8

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico
 Estimated % of Lithologies

Depth to Sample Interval (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size (Ø) (8x62.5)	Estimated % of Lithologies						Sandstones						Formation / marker	Comments			
			Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Fieldpar	Carbonat.			Pyrite	Flattens.	Sandstone Color
820	80-59-820	75		90	8	N-4	2			LF	W	SR	TR	Coal flocks		Bk f reddish apple- green grains		Kmfa Allison Barren Mbr, Menacee Fm	Very Calcareous
840		75		40	60	N-4				LF	W	SR	TR			Bk f reddish apple- green grains		Kmfa	Slightly calcareous
860		75		10	90	N-4				LF	W	SR	TR			Bk f reddish apple- green grains		Kmfa	Moderately calcareous
880		75		5	95	N-4				LF	W	SR	TR			Bk f reddish apple- green grains		Kmfa	Slightly Calcareous (sand probably contamination)
900		75		100						UF	W	SR	1-2% frags	Carb frag		Bk f reddish dk gn grains		?	Very friable siltst Very slightly calc
920		75		100						UF	W	SR	1-2% frags	Carb frag		Bk f reddish dk gn grains	N-6	?	Very slightly calc Very friable
940		75		100						UF	W	SR	1-2% frags	Carb frag		Bk f reddish dk gn grains	N-6	?	Very slightly calc Very friable
960		75		90	10	N-4				LM	W	SR	<1% frags	Carb frag		Bk f reddish dk gn grains	N-6	Kmfc(?) Cleary Coal Mbr, Menacee Fm	Slightly calcareous
980		75		100						LF	W	SR	3-4% frags	Carb frag		Bk f reddish cht	N-7	Kmfc(?)	Non-calcareous Very friable sand (drilling mud)
1000	80-59-1000	75		100						LF	W	SR	3-4% frags			Bk f reddish cht	N-7	Kmfc(?)	Non-calcareous Very friable sand (drilling mud)

CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (p.s.) Milk Lake
 Hole No: S-9 State: NM Date: 12/15/80
 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Huffman, Mark
 Lat/long: _____ Sheet 6 of 8

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico
 Estimated % of Lithologies

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico										Sandstones							Formation / member	COMMENTS	
Depth (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size (Avg. 75)	Coagl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Rounded	Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Recess.			Subsac Color
1020	30-59-1020	75		100				TR			LF	W	SR	3%	Carb frags		BLK red silty dk gr. grains	N-6	Very slightly calc
1040		75		40		60	N-4				LVF	W	SR		Carb frags		BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-6	Very slightly calc Trace silt > drilling mud
1060		75		30		70	N-4				UVF	?	?				BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-6	Very slightly calcareous
1080		75		100							LM	W	SR-2-3% SA		Abun Carb mat	TR	BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Slightly calc
1100		75		100							LM	W	SA-2-3% SR		Abun Carb mat	TR	BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Very calcareous Limonite-stained grains
1120		75		100				Coaly frags			LF	W	SR	1-2%	Abun Carb mat		BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Muddy Very friable, fine-grained ss, limonite-stained Very slightly calc
1140		75		100				Coaly frags			UF	W	SR	1-2%	Abun Carb mat		BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Good ss
1160		75		100							UF	W	SR		Abun Carb mat	TR	BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Limonite-stained grains
1180		75		75	25		N-4	Coaly frags			UF	W	SR		Abun Carb mat	TR	BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Very muddy Limonite-stained
1200	50-59-1200	75		90	10		N-4				UF	MW	SR		Abun Carb mat	TR	BLK (carb?) acc red chert	N-5	Limonite-stained

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Location: Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W Quadrangle (7.5') Milk Lake
 Hole No: S-9 State: NM Date: 12/15/80
 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Huffman, Mark
 Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 7 of 8

Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico
 Estimated % of Lithologies

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico										Sandstones										Formation/Member	Comments
Depth to base of interval (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size (mm)	Estimated % of Lithologies						Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Lenses	Rhyolite	Foliation	Sandstone Color	Formation/Member	Comments		
			Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Coal													
1220	80-59-1220	75		100					UF	MW	SR-SA	TR	Abun				5Y4/11	Kp1 Point Lookout Sandstone	Very calcareous Abun. limonite stain		
1240		75		40	60				LM	MW	SR-SA	3-4%	Abun				5Y4/11	Saban Tongue Manacos Shale	Very slightly calc limonite-stained quartz		
1260		75		70	25	5	N-3		LM-UF	M	SR-SA	1-2%	Abun	✓			N-6	Kms	Slightly calcareous limonite- & hematized(?) stained qtz large white qtz		
1280		75		90	5	5	N-3	TR	LM	MW	SR-SA	1-2%	Abun				N-7	Kms	Moderately calc shell (?) frags hematite-stained qtz large white qtz		
1300		75		95	5			✓	UF	MW	SR-SA	1-2%	Abun				N-7	Kms	Moderately calc large (cr) qtz		
1320		75		100					LF	W	SR	1%	Abun	✓			N-7	Kms	Muddy slightly calcareous limonite-stained qtz		
1340		75		20	TR	80	N-3		UF	MW	SR	1%	Abun	✓			N-6	Kms	Very calcareous limonite-stained qtz		
1360		75		95		5	N-3	TR	UF	W	SR	2-3%	Abun				N-6	Kms	Slightly calcareous limonite-stained quartz		
1380		75		95		5	N-3	TR	UF	W	SR	2-3%	Abun				N-6	Kms	Slightly calcareous limonite-stained quartz		
1400	80-59-1400	75		90		10	N-3		UF	W	SR	3%	Abun	✓			N-6	Kms	Shell fragments Large granules of feldspar		

CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: Lake Valley Sec. 8 T. 20N R. 12W

Quadrangle (9.5') Milk Lake

Hole No: S-9

State: NM

Date: 12/15/80

Company: USGS

County: McKinley

Geologist: Huffman, Mark

Lat/Long: _____

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Table 1. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 9, New Mexico
Estimated % of Lithologies

Bore hole depth interval (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size (mm)	Estimated % of Lithologies								Sandstones							Formation / member	Comments
			Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	shale color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Access.	Sandstone Color		
1420	80-59-1420	75		90		10	N-4								lt gr clay frag	N-7	Kms. Mancos shale	Green stringer Moderately calc	
1440		75		95		5	N-4								Red & blue clay frag	N-7	Kms	Slightly calcareous	
1460		75		97		3	N-4	TR	LF	MW	SR	TR	Abun		red clay frag lt gr clay	N-7	Kms	Slightly calcareous Limonite-stained grains	
1465 T.D.																		No Sample	

CHIP SAMPLE 106
FORM

Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (p.s.) Milk Lake
 Hole No: S-10 State: NM Date: 12/16/80
 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Huffman, Dubiel
 Lat/Long: _____ Sheet 1 of 12.

Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico										Estimated % of Lithologies										Sandstones							Formations / remarks	COMMENTS
Depth (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size	85-65	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	siltst. color	Red	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbon.	Prite	Flint.	Sandstone Color										
20	80-S-10-20	68																	QUATERNARY ALLUVIUM	Surficial								
40		66																	↓	Surficial								
60		67					100	NH											↓	90% surficial								
80		69		80	20		NH				UVF	W	SR	—	?		BIK chert (cont) dgn dr	N-6	Kmfa Allison Mbr., Menefee Formation	Limonite-stained quartz grains (quartz)								
100		67		90	10		NH				UVF	W	SR		TR		BIK chert	N-6	Kmfa	Limonite-stained quartz grains; very slightly calc.								
120		73		10	30		NH				UVF	W	SR						Kmfa	Some gn-gy (56Y6/1) siltstone & shale chips								
140		72		5	5	90	NH				LF	W	SR	TR			Red chert	56Y6/1	Kmfa	Gypsum (?) Very slightly calc.								
160		67		90	10		NH		TR		LF-UF	W	SR	TR	✓		BIK chert Tr red chert	N-6	Kmfa									
180		74		80	20		NH				LF	W	SR	TR	TR		Tr BIK f red chert	N-6	Kmfa									
200	80-S-10-200	70		90	10		NH				LF-UF	W	SR	TR	✓		BIK f red chert	N-5	Kmfa	Limonite-stained siltstone (surficial?) slightly calc.								

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Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (r.s.) Milk Lake
Hole No: 5-10 State: NM Date: 12/16/80
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico
Estimated % of Lithologies

Depth to bottom of sample interval	Sample Number	Grain Size	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Lithol.	Limestone	Sandstones							Form. Unit / Member	Comments
										Grain Size	Sorting	Rounded	Feldspar	Lithol.	Pyrite	Flint		
220	80-510-220	65		75	10	15	N-2 N-1	✓		UNF	W	SR	TR	✓		BK red chert	Kmfa Allison Mbr, Menefee Formation	Moderately calcareous
240		67		90		10	N-4	TR		UNF	W	SR	TR	✓		BK chert dk gn sand	Kmfa	Slightly calcareous
260		65		60		40	N-4	✓		LVF	W	SR		✓		Y-gn glgr s BK chert	Kmfa	
280		68		90		10	N-4			LF	W	SR	TR	✓		BK chert	Kmfa	Carb shale fragments
300		68		50	30	20	N-4			LVF	VW	WR		TR		vs null glf-sz BK chert	Kmfa	
320		70		90	5	5	N-4			UNF	VW	WR	TR			BK chert vs null glf-sz	Kmfa	limonite-stained quartz
340		66		100						LF	W	SR	1-2%	✓		Red chert gn grains	Kmfa	
360		65		100						LF	W	SR	1-2%	TR		BK red chert	Kmfa	
380		70		95		5	N-4			LF- UVF	W	SR	1-2%	✓		BK red chert	Kmfa	
400	80-510-400	70		95		5	N-4			LF- UVF	W	SR	1-2%	✓		BK red chert	Kmfa	

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Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (9.s.) Milk Lake
Hole No: S-10 State: NM Date: 12/17/80
Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Huffman
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

Sample Number	Grain Size	Estimated % of Lithologies						Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Foliation	Lamination	Pyrite	Fossils	Sediment Color	Comments	Formation / Member
		Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Stale Color	Coal											
420	80-510-420		95		5	N-4			VF	W	SR	1-2%	NONE		BIX chert	N-6	Non-calcareous	Kmfa Allison Mbr, Mancos Formation
440			10	30	60	N-4 (also some gn-ss clay)			VF	W	SR	TR				N-6	Non-calcareous	Kmfa
460			20	50	30	N-4 (also some gn-ss silt clay)			VF	W	SR	TR			BIX red chert	N-6		Kmfa
480			85	TR	15	N-4 (also some gn-ss silt clay shg)			UVF- LF	W	SR	TR			BIX red chert	N-6		Kmfa
500			85		15	N-2			UVF	W	SR	TR			BIX chert Tr-red chert	N-6		Kmfa
520			90		10	N-4			UVF- LF	W	SR	TR	?		Red f BIX chert	N-6		Kmfa
540			90		10	N-4 (gn-ss silt clayst)	TR		UVF	W	SR	1-2%			Red f BIX chert	N-6		Kmfa
560			85		15	N-4 (also gn-ss silt clayst)			UVF- LF	W	SR	1%	TR		BIX red chert	N-6		Kmfa
580			90		10	N-4 (also gn-ss silt shale)			LF	W	SR	1%	TR		BIX red chert	N-6		Kmfa
600	70-510-600		40		60	N-4			UVF	W	SR				BIX chert	N-6		Kmfa

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Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (7.5') Milk Lake
 Hole No: S-10 State: NM Date: 12/17/80
 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Huffman
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico 83 shaded 10															Sandstones						Formation / Member		Comments
Depth to 25m Sample Interval	Sample Number	Grain Size D80 < 5	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Access.	Subsac Color						
620	80-510-620			5		95	N-4			UVF	W	SR					N-6	Kmfa Allison Mbr, Menefee Formation					
640				25		75	N-4			UVF	W	SR				BIX cht	N-6	Kmfa					
660				80		20	N-4			UVF	W	SR	TR	TR		BIX cht	N-6	Kmfa					
680				95		5	N-4			LF	W	SR	TR	TR		BIX cht, Ferr. cht	N-6	Kmfa					
700				95		5	N-4			LF	W	SR	TR	TR		BIX cht, Ferr. cht	N-6	Kmfa					
720				97				3		LF	M	SA- SA	19%	TR		Red & BIX cht	N-6	Kmfc(?) Cleary Coal Mbr Menefee Fm					
740				95		4	N-4	1		LF	W	SA- SA	17%			Gr. ss siltst, chert, BIX cht	N-6	Kmfc(?)					
760				95		5	N-4			LF	M	SA- SA	1-2%			Gr. ss siltst, chert, BIX cht	N-6	Kmfc(?)					
780				95		4	N-4	1		LF	M	SA- SA	19%			Gr. ss siltst, chert, BIX cht	N-6	Kmfc(?)	Quite a bit of carb shale and coal				
800	80-510-800			97		3	N-4			LF	W	SA- SA	TR	TA		Red & BIX cht	N-6	Kmfc(?)	Small limonite- stained quartz grain				

Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 4, 10, New Mexico

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Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (9.5') Milk Lake
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico																						
Depth to base of sample (feet)	Sample Number	Grain Size Excels	Sediment								Sandstones				Facies	Comments						
			Grain Size Excels	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Bed	Lamination	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundedness	Fieldpar	Grains.			Grains.					
820	80-510-820	65	30	70	80	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	TR	VF	MW	SR	✓	N-6	Kmfc(?) Clayey Cal Mbr Menefee Fm.	Non-calcareous
840		71	70	80	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	74	TR	F	W	SA	✓	N-7	Kmfc(?)	Very slightly calc, limonite-stained quartz
860		73	80	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	74	74	TR	VF-M	W	SA	✓	N-7	Kmfc	Slightly calc, limonite-stained quartz
880		74	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	74	74	74	TR	VF	W	SR	TR	N-6	Kmfc	Calcareous, hematite-stained quartz
900		74	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	TR	F-VF	W	SR	TR	N-6	Kmfc	Slightly calc, limonite-stained quartz
920		74	80	70	80	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	TR	F-M	MW	SA	✓	N-6	Kmfc	Calcareous, limonite-stained quartz
940		76	70	80	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	74	TR	VF-M	MW	SR	1-2% TA	N-6	Kmfc	Slightly calcareous
960		68	70	80	10	30	60	5	35	20	74	74	74	74	TR	F	MW	SR		N-6	Kmfc	Very calcareous limonite-stained quartz
980		70	85	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	TR	F-M	MW	SR	2% TA	N-7	Kmfc	Very calcareous limonite-stained quartz
1000	50-510-1000	70	80	5	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	TR	VF-F	W	SA	✓	N-7	Kmfc	Very calcareous

Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

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Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (9.s.) Milk Lake
Hole No: S-10 State: NM Date: 12/19/80
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico
Estimated % of Lithologies

Sandstones															Formations / markers	COMMENTS				
Depth to 5' of Sample Interval	Sample Number	Grain Size	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	shale color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Rounded	Feldspar	Carbon.	Rhyol.	Appl. gngs	Sandstone Color			
1020	80-510-1020	65		90		10	N-4			VF-F	MW	SA-SR				Appl. gngs	N-7	Kmfc	Cleary Coal Mbr, Mendocino F.	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1040		67		85		15	N-4			VF-F	W	R-SA	TR	✓			N-7	Kmfc		CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1060		70		10		30	N-4	60		VF	W	SR-SA		✓			N-7	Kmfc		SLIGHTLY CALC. HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1080		74		40		50	N-4	10		VF-F	W	SR-SA		✓			N-7	Kmfc		SLIGHTLY CALC. HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1100		70		28		70	N-3	2	TR	F-VF	W	SR-SA		✓	✓	Pyr, H ₂ S, MnO ₂ , Fe	N6	Kmfc		SLIGHTLY CALC. HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1120		75		40		60	N-3	TR		F	W	SA-SR		✓	✓	Pyr, MnO ₂ , Fe	N6	Kp1(?)	POINT LOOK-OUT SS	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-AND HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1140		69		20		80	N-2	TR		F	W	SA-SA		✓		Appl. gngs	N6	Kp1(?)		SLIGHTLY CALCAREOUS
1160		70		50		50	N-3			F	W	SA-SA		✓	✓	Pyr, Appl. gngs	5Y4/1	Kp1		CALCAREOUS HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1180		70		95		5	N-3			UVF-UF	W	SA-SR		✓	✓	Appl. gngs, MnO ₂ , Fe	5Y6/1	Kp1		SLIGHTLY CALC. LIMONITE-STAINED GRAINS
1200	80-510-1200	67		95		5	N-2			UVF-UF	W	SA-SR		✓	✓	Appl. gngs, MnO ₂ , Fe	5Y6/1	Kp1		SLIGHTLY CALC. LIMONITE-STAINED GRAINS

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Location: Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (7.5') Milk Lake
 Hole No: S-10 State: NM Date: 12/19/80
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake - Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico															Sandstones										Form thin / number	COMMENTS
Depth to 5m of Sample Interval	Sample Number	Core / sec 816-26	Long.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbonates	Rhyol.	Flintst.	Sandstone Color									
1220	80-510-1220	69		95		5	N-3	TR		F	W	SR-SA	TR	✓			BLK cht	5GY6/1	Kpl POINT LOOKOUT SANDSTONE	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1240		68		95		5	N-5			F	W	SR	TR	✓			BLK cht	5GY6/1	Kpl	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1260		68		60		40	N-2			VF-F	W	SR	2	✓	✓		Pyr, H ₂ S, BLK cht	5Y6/1	Kpl/Kms Satan Tongue, MANCOS SH	SLIGHTLY CALC						
1280		70		60		40	N-4		TR	F	W	SR	TR		✓			5Y6/1	Kms	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1300		68		70		30	N-3			UF	W	SA	TR		✓		Rock Bkt, BLK cht, appic- on top	5GY6/1	Kms	SLIGHTLY CALC HEMATITE-LIMONITE STAINED QUARTZ						
1320		75		35		65	N-4	TR		F	W	SA-SR	TR	✓			Appic- gnst	5GY6/1	Kms	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1340		70		60		40	N-5			F	W	SR			✓		BLK cht, Rock H ₂ S	5GY6/1	Kms	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1360		70		60		40	N-4			F-VF	W	SR-SA			✓			5GY6/1	?	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1380		70		70		25	N-4	5		F-M	MW	SA-SR	TR	✓			BLK cht	5GY6/1	P.	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ						
1400	80-510-1400	68		50		50	N-5	TR		VF	W	SA-SR					Red cht	5GY6/1	?	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QTZ, MUDDY						

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Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20N R. 13W Quadrangle (9.s.) Milk Lake
Hole No: 5-10 State: NM Date: 12/19/80
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico
Estimated % of Lithologies

Sample Number Depth to 10' interval	Grain Size mm = 6.5	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Lamination	Brain etc	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Rhyolite	Siltstone Color	Formations / member	Comments
1420	50-510-1420	70		40	60	N-2	TR		F	SR- SA	TR	✓	✓	✓	5GY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS
1440		68		70	30	N-3		F- VF	MW	SR- SA		✓	✓	✓	N-6	?	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1460		70		60	40	N-3	TR	VF- F	MW	SA- SR	TR		✓	✓	N-6	?	HEMATITE-STAINED GRAINS SLIGHTLY CALC
1480		70		30	40	N-3	TR	F- VF	MW	SA	TR	✓	✓	✓	N-5	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1500		69		50	20	N-4		VF	W	SA- SR		✓	✓	✓	N-6	?	VERY CALCAREOUS
1520		70		60	40	N-4		VF- F	MW	SA					N-6	?	CALCAREOUS GREEN CLAY (5GY6/1)
1540		69		30	20	N-4	TR	F	W	SR- SA					N-6	?	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
1560		67		60	10	N-5		VF- F	MW	R- SA		✓	✓	✓	N-5	?	VERY CALCAREOUS HEMATITE- \pm LIMONITE- STAINED GRAINS
1580		70		70	30	N-4	TR	VF- F	MW	SA- SR	TR	✓			N-5	?	VERY CALCAREOUS GREEN CLAY CHIPS (5GY6/1)
1600	50-510-1600	65		70	25	N-3		VF	W	SR		✓	✓	✓	5GY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS

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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico										Sandstones										Formations/numbers	COMMENTS
Estimated % of Lithologies										SANDSTONES											
Depth to Btm of Sample Interval	Sample Number	Gravel/ltm 85%:15	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst	Shale	shale color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Rounded	Feldspar	Lithom.	Pyh.	Reacts.	Sandstone Color				
1620	80-S10-1620	70		60		40	N-3			VF	W	SR-SA	TR		✓	Blk, ch, rose, grt	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS APPLE-GN GRAINS		
1640		69		60		40	N-3			VF	W	SR-SA	TR		✓	Blk, ch, rose, grt	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS APPLE-GN GRAINS		
1660		74		60		40	N-5			VF	W	SR		✓		Red ch	SGY8/1	?	SLIGHTLY CALCAREOUS		
1680		65		60		40	N-5			VF	W	SR		✓	✓	Rose, grt, red, ch	SGY6/1	?	SLIGHTLY .CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ		
1700		67		80		20	N-5			VF-F	W	SR-SA		✓		Blk, ch, H ₂ S	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ		
1720		65		50		50	N-4			VF-F	W	SA-R	TR	✓		Blk, ch	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ		
1740		70		80		20	N-3	TR		F-VF	W	SR-SA	TR	✓	✓	Red f, blk, ch, rose, grt	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ		
1760		70		90		10	N-4			VF-F	W	SA-SA	TR			Red f, blk, ch	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ		
1780		74		90		10	N-4	TR		VF-F	W	SR-SA	27% TR			Blk, grt, blk, ch	SGY6/1	?	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ		
1800	80-S10-1800	71		90		10	N-3			VF-F	W	R-SR	TR		✓	Blk, ch	SGY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ		

Location: _____ Sec. 14 T. 20 R. 13W Quadrangle (9.5') Milk Lake
Hole No: 5-10 State: NM Date: 12/19/80
Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hammond, Dubiel
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Marlano Lake - Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico										Sandstones										Comments
Estimated % of Lithologies										Grain Size							Form thin / massive			
Depth to 8m of Sample Interval	Sample Number	Core/Sec	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Stale color	Red	Limestone	Grain size	Sorting	Roundness	Feldspar	Carbonates	Pyrite	Roots.	Sample Color			
1820	80-510-1820	70		90		10	N-4			VF	W	SA-SR	TR	✓		Rose grt	5GY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ	
1840		73		75		25	N-4			VF-F	W	SA-SR	2%	✓			5GY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS	
1860		67		40		60	N-4			VF-F	W	SR				Rose grt, app. - grgr	5GY6/1	?	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ	
1880		70		50		50	N-4			VF-F	W	SR-SA		✓		M. calc. - fine	5GY6/1	?	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED GRAINS	
1900		73		60		40	N-5			F	W	R-SA	1-2%	✓		Red chert	N-6	?	CALCAREOUS HEMATITE-STAINED GRAINS	
1920		70		70		30	N-4	TR		F-VF	W	SA-SR	TR	✓		Red chert	5GY6/1	?	SLIGHTLY CALC GREEN CLAY CHIPS	
1940		73		80		15	N-4	5		F	W	SA-SR	TR	✓		Rose grt, app. - grgr	5GY6/1	?	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ	
1960		70		80		20	N-4	TR		VF-F	W	SA		✓			N-6	?	VERY CALCAREOUS	
1980		69		70		10	N-4	TR		VF-F	W	R-SA	2%	✓		Rose grt	N-6	?	VERY CALCAREOUS	
2000	80-510-2000	72		80		20	N-4			F-VF	W	A-SA	TR	✓		Rose grt, app. - grgr	5GY6/1	?	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED GRAINS	

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 Company: USGS County: McKinley Geologist: Hammond, Dubiel
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico										Sandstones										Formations / member	COMMENTS				
Depth to base of sample interval		Sample Number	Grain Size	Estimated % of Lithologies								Sandstones							Rhyolite	Foliation	Carbonaceous	Foliation	Substruc Color	Foliation	Comments
				Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale color	Coal	Limestone	Grain Size	Sorting	Rounded	Foliation	Carbonaceous	Substruc Color									
2020	80-510-2020	76			70		30	5YR4/1						F	W	SA-SR	TR	✓			Rose stz	N-6	?	VERY CALCAREOUS	
2040		73			40	30	30	5YR4/1	2%				VF-F	VF-F	W	A-SA	TR	✓			Red chrt, app- gnsr	N-6	Kcdi(?) Dilco Coal Mbr Crevasse Canyon Fm	CALCAREOUS GREEN SHALE CHIP	
2060		69			70	20	10	5YR4/1	TR				F-VF	F-VF	W	A-SA		✓				N-6	Kcdi(?)	VERY CALCAREOUS HEMATITE STAIN	
2080		76			70		30	N-3	TR				VF-F	VF-F	W	SA-SR	2%	✓				N-6	Kcdi(?)	CALCAREOUS	
2100		77			60	20	20	5YR4/1					VF-F	VF-F	W	A-SA				App- green grains		5YR5/1	Kcdi(?)	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QTZ	
2120		70			80		20	N-3					F	F	W	A-SR	TR	✓			Red chrt, app- stz	5GY6/1	Kcdi(?)	CALCAREOUS GREEN SHALE CHIPS	
2140		71			80		20	N-3					F	F	W	A-SR	TR	✓	✓			5Y6/1	Kcdi(?)	VERY CALCAREOUS HEMATITE STAIN GREEN SHALE CHIPS	
2160		69			85		15	N-3	TR				F-VF	F-VF	W	SA-SR	TR	✓		App- green grains		5Y6/1	Kcdi(?)	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED GRAINS	
2180		75			90		10	N-4					F	F	W	A-SA	2-3%	✓	✓		App- green grains	5GY6/1	Kcdi(?)	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED GRAINS	
2200	80-510-2200	72			90		10	N-4					F-M	F-M	W	A-SR	1-2%	✓			Blue stz	5GY6/1	Kcdi(?)	VERY CALCAREOUS LIMONITE AND HEMATITE STAINING	

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Location: _____ Sec. _____ T. _____ R. _____ Quadrangle (p.s.) Milk Lake
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Table 2. Descriptions of cuttings samples from Mariano Lake -
 Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico

Lake Valley Drilling Project, Hole No. 10, New Mexico		Estimated % of Lithologies						Sandstones						Formation / Member	COMMENTS					
Depth to 5 cm of Sample Interval	Sample Number	Grab / core Bkt. %	Congl.	Sandst.	Siltst.	Shale	Shale Color	Bed	Lithology	Grain Size	Sorting	Roundedness	Flintfrag.			Carbonac.	Pyrite	Fluores.	Sandstone Color	
2220	80-510-2220	68		85	5	10	N-4			F-M (VF)	MN	A-SA	2-3%					5GY4/1	Kcd(?) Dillo Coal Mbr Grevasse Canyon Fm.	VERY CALCAREOUS HEMATITE-STAINED QUARTZ
2240		74		85		15	N-4	TR		F	W	A-SA	1-2%	✓	✓		Blk chert	5GY4/1	GALLUP SANDSTONE Kg(?)	CALCAREOUS GREEN CLAY CHIPS
2260		72		95		5	N-4			VF-F (M)	MW	A-SA	2-4%	✓	✓		Red chert	5GY4/1	Kg(?)	CALCAREOUS GREEN SHALE CHIPS
2280		70		95		5	N-4			VF-F	W	A-SA	2-4%	✓	✓			5GY4/1	Kg	CALCAREOUS LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
2300		68		85		15	N-4			VF-F	W	SA-SR	TR	✓	✓		Blk chert	5Y4/1	Kg	VERY SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
2320	80-510-2320	72		80		20	N-4	TR		F (M)	W	SR-SA	2-5%	✓	✓			5GY4/1	Kg	SLIGHTLY CALC LIMONITE-STAINED QUARTZ
T.D.																				