

1 The nature of the proximal volcanoclastic materials from the 2021 eruption Fukutoku-

2 Oka-no-Ba in the Izu-Bonin arc.

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27 Fukutoku-Oka-no-Ba is a submarine volcano located at 24°17.1'N/141°28.9'E in the Izu–Bonin–
28 Mariana arc, and is one of the most active volcanoes in Japan. This volcano produced an explosive
29 eruption in August 2021 that generated a large amount of volcanoclastic material, some of which drifted
30 westward to Japan and the coastal area of East Asia as a pumice raft. The pumice clasts that drifted for
31 >1000 km were mostly homogeneous and identical to those produced by past historical eruptions. The
32 clasts have trachytic compositions ($\text{SiO}_2 = 61\text{--}63$ mass% and $\text{Na}_2\text{O}+\text{K}_2\text{O} = 8.6\text{--}10.0$ mass%) and
33 contain augite, plagioclase, olivine (Mg# ~65), and magnetite, along with a small number of mafic
34 enclaves containing diopside and high-Mg olivine (Mg# ~ 92).

35 We undertook a research cruise to investigate the proximal volcanoclastic materials by dredging.
36 The proximal materials include pumice, weakly vesiculated lapilli, and volcanic rocks, which have
37 trachytic composition (SiO_2 contents up to 64.5 mass%). The main minerals in the proximal material
38 are similar to those in the drift pumice, although remnants of mafic magma do not occur in the SiO_2 -
39 rich samples. The compositional variations of the SiO_2 -rich proximal samples are due to plagioclase-
40 dominated fractional crystallization, and the higher- SiO_2 samples yielded lower temperature and
41 pressure among the studied samples.

42 The petrographic and geochemical characteristics of the proximal and drift ejecta from Fukutoku-
43 Oka-no-Ba suggest the magma reservoir was stratified into two parts. The lower part experienced
44 magma mixing with a limited volume of mafic magma, whereas the upper part underwent plagioclase-
45 dominated fractional crystallization. The accumulation of differentiated high- SiO_2 magma in the upper
46 part of the magma reservoir might have increased the pressure in the magma conduit, which then
47 exceeded the critical pressure required for an explosive eruption.

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51 1. Introduction

52 A large volume of pumice clasts was generated by the 2021 eruption of Fukutoku-Oka-no-Ba (FOB)
53 volcano, which is located at 24°17.1'N/141°28.9'E in the Izu–Bonin–Mariana arc (Fig. 1a). This is one
54 of the most active volcanoes in Japan. The pumice clasts drifted and became distributed over a wide
55 area around the islands of Japan and in many places in the East Asia, including Taiwan, Philippines,
56 and Thailand (Yoshida et al., 2022a, b, c). The large amounts of drift pumice filled port areas and
57 hindered vessel navigation, which led to significant economic losses (Maeno et al., 2022; Yoshida et
58 al., 2022a, c; Asami and Takahashi, 2023). The drift pumice is geochemically homogeneous (Yoshida
59 et al., 2022a) and similar to that generated during past eruptions in 1904, 1914, 1986, and 1992 (Tsuya,

1937; Yoshida et al., 1987; Kato, 1988; Nakano and Kawanabe, 1992; Sun et al., 1998), although the color and texture of the pumice are variable (Yoshida et al., 2022a). A notable characteristic of the pumice generated by FOB is the minor but common occurrence of black-colored pumice, which consists mainly of transparent brown glass with magnetite nanocrystals (i.e., nanolites) (Yoshida et al., 2022a). Although recent studies have focused on nanolite precipitation and the mechanism of large eruptions (Scarani et al., 2022), the actual processes that trigger eruptions remain unclear (Dubosq et al., 2022). The biotite-bearing hydrous mineral assemblage of nanolite and higher $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\Sigma\text{Fe}$ ratio of the nanolite-bearing glass than the nanolite-free glass indicate that oxidation due to fluid infiltration induced nanolite-precipitation and subsequent bubble nucleation, which resulted in the explosive eruption (Yoshida et al., 2023).

The 2021 eruption of FOB was large enough to be observed by satellite imaging, and the volcanic column reached a height of ~16 km, corresponding to stratospheric level (Maeno et al., 2022; Yoshida et al., 2022a). Based on Himawari-8 satellite images, Maeno et al. (2022) provided a detailed timeseries of the phreatomagmatic eruption from FOB during 13–15 August 2021. The 2021 FOB eruption column consisted of a vapor-rich plume and a small amount of volcaniclastic materials. The pumice contains virtually no hematite nanolites, which indicates that most of the pumice clasts were ejected into water and subsequently floated due to their buoyancy (Maeno et al., 2022; Yoshida et al., 2023). Whether the pumice floated or sunk depended on its microtexture (Mitchell et al., 2021), and the microtexture of the FOB pumice varies widely due to the presence of nanolites (Yoshida et al., 2022a, 2023). The drift pumice sampled on-land only represents the pumice clasts continued to float over a long transport distance (up to 4000 km). Yoshida et al. (2022b, c) noted that the pumice rafts that drifted longer distances tended to comprise smaller clasts with lesser amounts of black pumice that contained larger vesicles.

To understand the nature of the 2021 eruption and magmatic system of FOB, it is necessary to investigate the full range of erupted volcaniclastic materials, including those that did not float. As such, we undertook a research cruise using the R/V *Yokosuka* to investigate these deposits. A dredge survey was undertaken inside and outside the submarine caldera to collect fresh rock samples, both with and without significant vesiculation. In this paper, we describe the petrographic and geochemical features of these samples. These new and previously reported data constrain the nature of the magmatic system of FOB, which can be used to predict and mitigate hazards from submarine volcanoes in the far-off sea.

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92 2. Materials and Methods

93 2.1. Geological Background and Research Cruise

94 FOB is one of the most southern volcanoes in the Izu–Bonin arc. The volcano is located within a

95 large volcanic complex that extends approximately 15 and 30 km for E–W and N–S direction,
96 respectively (Fig. 1b). The complex comprises the Kita-Fukutoku-Tai volcano, Kita-Fukutoku caldera,
97 and Minami-Ioto volcano (from north to south), and FOB is the central cone of Kita-Fukutoku caldera,
98 which is ~2 km in diameter (Ito et al., 2011). The summit of FOB before the 2021 eruption had an oval
99 shape (elongate NE–SW) and was flat at a depth of ~30 m below sea level (Ito et al., 2011). Seismic
100 and geomagnetic surveys indicate that a low-velocity zone exists to the north of FOB, which can be
101 attributed to the partially molten region of the magma reservoir (Nishizawa et al., 2002; Onodera et
102 al., 2003). The magmatic system of FOB and Kita-Fukutoku caldera are still poorly understood. Based
103 on Nd and Pb isotopic compositions, Sun et al. (1998) suggested that the magma of FOB is distinct
104 from those of the nearby volcanoes of Ioto, but similar to those of the Hiyoshi Volcanic Complex in
105 the northern part of the Mariana arc.

106 The 2021 FOB eruption occurred in the morning of 13 August 2021 and continued to the morning
107 of 16 August (Japan Meteorological Agency, 2021). Underwater sound and infrasound remote
108 observations indicate that the eruption started at 5:55 AM (in Japan Standard Time; Maeno et al., 2022;
109 Metz, 2022).

110 We undertook a geological survey and sampling around FOB during six dredging operations using
111 the R/V *Yokosuka* during cruise YK22-15 from 14 to 27 August 2022. A double-towing dredging
112 system was used (Supplementary Fig. 1). Figure 1b shows the locations of the dredging operations.
113 Given that the cruise was carried out just 1 yr after the explosive eruption, we remained at least two
114 nautical miles (~3.7 km) from the volcanic vent for safety reasons (green circle in Fig. 1b). We consider
115 that the samples collected by the dredges represent the geology of the volcano, although there remains
116 uncertainty as to whether the dredged samples are representative of their specific locations.

117 Three dredges (YK22-15 D03, D05, and D08) targeted the western side of the volcanic vent along
118 the western slope of the caldera. YK22-15 D08 was a continued dredging operation of YK22-15 D03,
119 because the D03 line was cancelled due to stacking of the dredger. YK22-15 D06 targeted the eastern
120 slope of the outer rim of the crater and YK22-15 D07 targeted the outer slope of the topographic high
121 from the rim of the crater. YK22-15 D04 targeted the southern slope of Kita-Fukutoku-Tai. Detailed
122 locations of the dredges are described in the Supplementary Material.

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124 2.2. Analytical Methods

125 Mineral and volcanic glass compositions were determined using a field emission gun electron
126 microprobe (EMP) analyzer equipped with five wavelength-dispersive X-ray detectors (JEOL: JXA-
127 8500F) at Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC; Yokosuka, Japan).
128 Natural and synthetic standards were used to calibrate the quantitative analyses following the
129 procedure of Yoshida et al. (2022a). The analytical conditions were 15 kV and 10 nA for the
130 accelerating voltage and beam current, respectively, except for analyses of olivine. For some olivine

131 grains, we used an accelerating voltage of 20 kV and beam current of 25 nA. The beam diameter was
132 set to 3 μm for minerals and 5 μm for glass. $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\Sigma\text{Fe}$ values for clinopyroxene were calculated such
133 that the total cations were four on a six-oxygen basis, whereas $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\Sigma\text{Fe}$ values for magnetite were
134 calculated for $\text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Mg} + \text{Mn} = 1$ on a four-oxygen basis. All Fe in olivine was assumed to be ferrous.
135 Anorthite, albite, and orthoclase contents of plagioclase were calculated as $\text{Ca}/(\text{Ca}+\text{Na}+\text{K})\times 100$,
136 $\text{Na}/(\text{Ca}+\text{Na}+\text{K}) \times 100$, and $\text{K}/(\text{Ca}+\text{Na}+\text{K}) \times 100$, respectively.

137 Cathodoluminescence analysis of silica minerals was conducted using a scanning electron
138 microscope (ThermoScientific: Quanta FEG450) equipped with a cathodoluminescence system
139 (Gatan: MonoCL 4) at JAMSTEC.

140 Raman spectra were obtained with a Raman spectrophotometer (RAMANtouch VIS-HP-MAST;
141 Nanophoton) equipped with a 532 nm semiconductor green laser at JAMSTEC. The laser power on
142 the sample surface was 1-2 mW, and data were acquired in 2×20 s cycles to eliminate accidental
143 cosmic rays. The spectrometer was calibrated to the 520.7 cm^{-1} peak of a Si wafer.

144 Whole-rock major element compositions were determined following the methods of Tani et al.
145 (2005) and Sato et al. (2020), by X-ray fluorescence (XRF) spectrometry (Rigaku ZSX Primus II).
146 Prior to analysis, the samples were crushed to pebble size (5–10 mm) and desalinated using hot water
147 ($\sim 40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$) and by boiling in Milli-Q water. Desalinization was checked using a AgNO_3 solution and
148 corresponding precipitation of AgCl , so that no precipitation occurs. The desalinated samples were
149 then washed with Milli-Q water and acetone in an ultrasonic bath, and powdered in an agate mortar
150 or with a Multi-beads Shocker pulverizer. Finally, a mixture of 0.4 g of sample powder and 4 g of
151 $\text{Li}_2\text{B}_4\text{O}_7$ was fused and made into glass beads for XRF analysis. Accuracy and reproducibility of the
152 major element data are better than $\pm 1\%$ and $\pm 2\%$ (relative standard deviations), respectively.

153 We also analyzed the whole-rock trace element compositions by solution inductively coupled
154 plasma-mass spectrometry (ICP-MS; iCAP Qc; ThermoFisher Scientific). The rock powders were
155 digested in HF, HClO_4 , and HNO_3 . We also analyzed a reference basalt (JB-2; Jochum et al., 2016),
156 which yielded results that are in good agreement with certified values (Table S1).

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158 3. Results

159 3.1. Sample descriptions

160 The recovered rock samples were initially described onboard. The samples include gray to brown
161 pumice, black volcanic rock with variable degrees of vesiculation, and tuff. For convenience, we omit
162 the cruise number (YK22-15) and describe the dredge number with the prefix D and the sample
163 number with the prefix R. For example, D03R01 is the first rock sample from dredge number three.

164 The rock samples are generally fresh and without Mn oxide coatings. The pumice clasts are mostly
165 rounded. In contrast, the black volcanic rock samples are angular to subangular, indicating subsequent

166 reworking was insignificant. The samples collected from the western lines (D03, D05, and D08)
167 contain a considerable amount of pumice and angular volcanic rock clasts that are <10 cm in length
168 (Fig. 2a-b). The most common pumice is gray in color, and is similar to those collected as drift pumice
169 (Yoshida et al., 2022a), while some pumice is dark gray to black (Fig. 2c). Although the drift pumice
170 contains black spots including mafic enclaves and plagioclase-dominated crystal clots with nanolite-
171 bearing glass, such features are rare in the dredged samples. Tuff breccia clasts up to 20 cm in size
172 were also recovered. Several black lapilli clasts with a vitreous luster (i.e., obsidian) were also found
173 (Fig. 2d). Based on the deep-sea camera observations, the seafloor around the D08 position was calm
174 and covered with white volcanic ash (Fig. 1c). The dredge D06 was conducted on the southeastern
175 side of the central vent, and sampled black volcanic rocks with variable degrees of vesiculation that
176 were up to 10 cm in size (Fig. 2e). Smaller pumice clasts were also recovered. During dredge D07 on
177 the northeastern slope of the outer caldera rim, an outcrop of black volcanic rocks was observed by
178 the deep-sea camera (Fig. 1d). The volcanic rock sample D07R01 has a pillow-like structure (Fig. 2f),
179 indicative of the subaqueous extrusion. Dredge D07 also recovered large pumice clasts up to 22 cm in
180 length, which have a well-developed tubular texture (Fig. 2g). This texture is referred to as woody
181 pumice, and is considered to form during a submarine eruption (Kato, 1987).

182 Nine representative samples, including volcanic rock and pumice clasts, were selected for
183 petrographic and geochemical investigations.

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185 3.2. Whole Rock Geochemistry

186 The nine samples have trachytic compositions regardless of their appearance (i.e., glassy volcanic
187 rock/lapilli or pumice; Table 1; Fig. 3a), with higher SiO₂ (63.7–64.4 mass% on an anhydrous basis)
188 and total alkali (Na₂O+K₂O = 10.2–10.4 mass%) contents as compared with the drift pumice (Yoshida
189 et al., 2022a, b), except for one sample (Fig. 3a). The glassy lapilli sample D06R02 was collected from
190 the southeastern slope of the caldera and has a slightly SiO₂-poor composition that overlaps those of
191 the drift pumice. The whole rock major element compositions of the dredged samples and drift pumice
192 define linear trends in Harker diagrams (Figs. 3b–d).

193 Plots of SiO₂ versus selected trace elements are shown in Figures 3e–f. Three drift pumice
194 compositions reported by Yoshida et al. (2022a) are also shown. Zr/Y and La/Sm ratios of the dredged
195 samples are approximately 9.0 and 8.3, respectively, which are higher than those of the drift pumice,
196 except for sample D06R02 (Figs. 3e–f) that has a similar composition as the drift pumice.

197 N-MORB-normalized trace element diagrams show that the studied samples have similar patterns
198 to the drift pumice from the 1986 and 2021 eruptions (Fig. 3g)

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200 3.3. Petrography and Mineral/Volcanic Glass Chemistry

201 Based on the occurrence of microlites that are visible under an optical microscope, the pumice and

202 volcanic rock samples respectively were subdivided into microlite-rich and microlite-free types (Table
203 1; Figs. 4a–b). Regardless of the appearance of the pumice or volcanic rock, and occurrence of
204 microlites, all the samples contain a similar phenocryst mineral assemblage of clinopyroxene (Cpx),
205 plagioclase (Pl), olivine (Ol), and magnetite (Mag) (Fig. 4b), with minor amounts of apatite occurring
206 as inclusions and a groundmass phase (Fig. 4c). In a few samples, pyrrhotite occurs as inclusions in
207 clinopyroxene and plagioclase. The microlite-rich pumice clast D08R11 contains cristobalite (Crs) in
208 relatively large vesicles (Figs. 4e and 5d).

209 The microlite-free glassy samples (D06R02 and D08R04) contain pale brown groundmass glass
210 (Fig. 4a) that is weakly vesiculated. In contrast, the microlite-rich glassy samples (D03R01, D07R01,
211 D07R05, and D06R01) contain dark brown groundmass glass (Fig. 4b) with abundant microlites of
212 plagioclase and magnetite (Fig. 5a–b). Figure 4b shows that the abundance of microlites is nearly zero
213 in the interstitial glass between the phenocryst minerals. Raman microscopy revealed that the dark
214 brown glass in the microlite-rich samples has a Raman peak of magnetite nanolites at $\sim 670\text{ cm}^{-1}$, while
215 this peak was not recognized for the pale brown glass in the microlite-free samples (Fig. 4f).

216 The microlite-free pumice sample (D03R03) is gray and has a strongly vesiculated groundmass that
217 consists of colorless glass. The glass surrounding the plagioclase phenocrysts is colorless and nanolite-
218 free (Fig. 4c), while the plagioclase phenocrysts in the drift pumice is commonly associated with
219 nanolite-bearing brown glass, even though the groundmass glass is generally colorless. Figure 4d
220 shows a plagioclase phenocryst in a gray-type drift pumice from the FOB eruption that was collected
221 in Thailand and described by Yoshida et al. (2022b). The nanolite-rich pumice sample (D08R11) has
222 a dusty and highly vesiculated groundmass (Fig. 4e). Although most vesicles are very small ($< 50\ \mu\text{m}$),
223 we identified large vesicles ($> 100\ \mu\text{m}$) that occasionally contain spherical cristobalite (Fig. 4e).

224 Mafic magma components such as mafic enclaves and Mg-rich olivine (Mg# ~ 90) were not
225 recognized in the dredged samples.

226 Below, we describe the characteristics of respective minerals and volcanic glass. Representative
227 EMP analyses are shown in Tables 2–4.

228 Plagioclase is the most abundant minerals in the studied samples, and is generally euhedral and up
229 to 5mm in length. Plagioclase generally has a Ca-rich core with $\text{An}_{40-49}\text{Ab}_{54-48}\text{Or}_{4-3}$ and a Ca-poor rim
230 with $\text{An}_{30-38}\text{Ab}_{56-62}\text{Or}_{7-4}$ (Figs. 5a and 6a), which is similar to the core-rim compositions reported for
231 the drift pumice from FOB (Yoshida et al., 2022a). Brown-colored melt inclusions are common, some
232 of which contain optically-visible microlites of magnetite.

233 Clinopyroxene in the studied samples has an almost homogeneous augite composition with Mg#
234 ~ 80 (Fig. 6b). Samples D06R01 and D07R05 exhibit significant zonation in Fe-Mg ratios, with
235 D07R05 having cores with Mg# = 93 and rims with Mg# = 78, and D06R02 having cores with Mg#
236 = 72 and rims with Mg# = 80 (Figs. 5b & 6b).

237 Olivine in the studied samples exhibits mostly homogeneous with Fo_{62-65} , where olivine in sample

238 D07R01, D07R05, and D08R11 exhibits increase in Fe contents in the outermost rims (Fig. 5c).

239 Magnetite in the studied samples occurs both as inclusions and a groundmass mineral. The
240 magnetite contains considerable amounts of TiO₂ (up to 11 mass%) and Al₂O₃ (up to 3.2 mass%). The
241 MgO content of magnetite is a useful proxy for temperature (Canil and Lacourse, 2020). The X_{Mg-mag}
242 values (Mg/[Mg + ΣFe]) vary among samples, but are mostly X_{Mg-mag} = 0.06 (Fig. 6c). D07R01 has
243 the lowest X_{Mg-mag} values for fine-grained magnetite in the groundmass (X_{Mg-mag} = 0.044–0.048),
244 whereas the magnetite in Ca-poor rims yielded higher X_{Mg-mag} values of 0.053–0.057 (Fig. 5a). The
245 highest X_{Mg-mag} values were obtained for sample D06R02, which is a microlite-free volcanic rock,
246 with X_{Mg-mag} = 0.063–0.072.

247 The presence of cristobalite in sample D08R11 was confirmed by Raman spectroscopy (Fig. 5d).
248 EMP analysis showed the impurity of Al₂O₃ and Na₂O for 1.0 and 0.6 mass%, respectively (Table 4),
249 corresponding to similar molar amounts (~0.0115 on a two-oxygen basis; Table 4). This is indicative
250 of the incorporation of Al and Na as [AlO₄/Na⁺]⁰ (Schipper et al., 2020). Cathodoluminescence
251 imaging of the cristobalite clearly revealed a radial zoning, which is characteristic of chemical vapor
252 deposition (Schipper et al., 2020). The occurrence of cristobalite in sample D08R11 is similar to that
253 of other deep-sea cristobalite occurrences, such as rhyolite in the Havre, Kermadec Arc (Ikegami et
254 al., 2018), and Kikai Caldera, Japan (Hamada et al., 2023).

255 Glass chemistry was also determined by EMP analysis. For the microlite-rich samples, the sites of
256 EMP analyses were carefully determined using backscattered electron images and the results showing
257 the mineral signature were rejected as mixtures. The glass in the dredged samples has relatively high
258 SiO₂ (>65 mass%) and total alkali (Na₂O+K₂O > 10 mass%) contents. The glassy lapilli sample
259 (D06R02), with a whole-rock composition similar to those of the previously reported drift pumice data
260 (Fig. 6d) also has a similar glass composition as the drift pumice (Maeno et al., 2022; Yoshida et al.,
261 2022a). The microlite-rich pumice sample (D08R11) has a wide range of SiO₂ contents (64–73 mass%)
262 and exhibits a negative correlation between SiO₂ and Na₂O + K₂O (Fig. 6d). The glass compositions
263 for each sample vary with the whole-rock compositions except for sample D08R11. For example,
264 D07R01 and D07R05 have the most SiO₂-rich compositions (Fig. 6e). We did not find melt inclusions
265 with low SiO₂ contents (<60 mass%) like those reported from the drift pumice.

266 The groundmass glass in sample D08R11 is heterogeneous with respect to halogen contents, and
267 has a lower Cl content (<0.2 mass%) as compared with the other samples (0.3–0.4 mass%; Fig. 6e).
268 The groundmass glass of the eastern dredge samples (D07R01, D07R05, and D06R01) has relatively
269 higher Cl contents (up to 0.4 mass%), whereas samples from the western dredges and sample D06R02
270 have Cl contents of ~0.3 mass%.

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273 Since pressure estimation using the available mineral paragenesis is not easy, Yoshida et al. (2022a)
274 used a machine-learning-based clinopyroxene single mineral geobarometer (Petrelli et al., 2020) for
275 the drift pumice from FOB, and obtained a pressure of ~ 250 MPa for the magma reservoir. In the
276 present study, we also used the same clinopyroxene geobarometer (Table 3). Most samples consistently
277 yielded pressures range of 215–279 MPa, except for two samples that yielded higher (D03R01 = 388
278 MPa) and lower (D07R01 = 177 MPa) pressures. The cores of zoned clinopyroxene in samples
279 D07R05 and D06R01 yielded higher pressures of 445 and 371 MPa, respectively.

280 Another pressure indicator is the Cl content of groundmass glass. Figure 6e shows that the western
281 samples (D03R01, D03R03, and D08R04) and sample D06R02 have Cl contents of ~ 0.3 mass%,
282 whereas the eastern samples (D07R01, D07R05, and D06R01) have Cl contents of up to 0.4 mass%.
283 The glass in sample D08R11 has very low Cl contents down to mostly zero. Based on the experimental
284 studies, the maximum Cl solubility in alkaline melts, such as trachyte, exhibits a negative correlation
285 with increasing pressure and is mostly independent of for compositional differences (Signorelli and
286 Carroll, 2002; Balcone-Boissard et al., 2016). A Cl content of 0.4 mass% corresponds to a pressure of
287 < 200 MPa, and thus the higher Cl contents of the eastern samples (except for D06R02) can indicate a
288 lower pressure of their equilibration.

289 Temperature conditions can be determined using the magnetite geothermometer (Canil and
290 Lacourse, 2020) where $X_{\text{Mg-mag}}$ values can be transformed into temperatures. As shown in Figure 6c,
291 the calculated temperatures for most samples are 920–940 °C, where sample D06R02 yielded higher
292 temperatures of 940–960 °C. Rim compositions of the groundmass magnetite in some samples
293 (D08R11, D07R01, F07R05, and F06R01) yielded temperatures of < 900 °C (Fig. 6c). All of these
294 low-temperature samples contain abundant microlites in the groundmass. In sample D07R01,
295 magnetite inclusions in the plagioclase rims yielded $X_{\text{Mg-mag}} \sim 0.06$, corresponding to a temperature of
296 ~ 925 °C whereas those in the groundmass yielded temperatures of 882–896 °C.

297 Other conventional geothermometers were applied to mineral-melt pairs carefully selected after
298 thinsection observations. The olivine-melt geothermometer (Putirka et al., 2007) was applied to a melt
299 inclusion and surrounding olivine in sample D07R05 and yielded a temperature of 940 °C. The olivine-
300 melt pair in sample D03R01 yielded a higher temperature of 962 °C. The clinopyroxene-melt
301 geothermometer (Neave and Putirka, 2017) was applied to a melt inclusion-clinopyroxene pair in
302 sample D03R01 and yielded a temperature of 981 °C and pressure of 90 MPa. According to Perkins
303 and Vielzeuf (1992), olivine and clinopyroxene compositions can exist in equilibrium, and thus
304 olivine-melt and clinopyroxene-melt pairs might reflect similar conditions in the magma reservoir,
305 although the pressure value obtained from clinopyroxene-melt pair (D03R01) is apparently lower than
306 other estimates. The plagioclase-melt geothermometer (Putirka, 2008) was applied to the plagioclase

307 rims ($\text{An}_{31}\text{Ab}_{61}\text{Or}_8$) and groundmass glass in sample D07D01, and yielded a temperature of 908–
308 964 °C under the assumption of 0–2 mass % of H_2O in melt.

309 In summary, the coarse-grained phenocryst minerals consistently yielded temperatures of 920–
310 980 °C, whereas rims of coarse-grained magnetite and fine-grained magnetite recorded lower
311 temperatures down to 882 °C.

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313 5. Discussion

314 5.1. The variation of magma composition

315 Bivariate compositional diagrams of the major elements (Figs. 3b–d) show we linear trends in the
316 low- and high- SiO_2 ranges (61.0–63.5 and 63.5–64.5 mass%, respectively). The reported whole-rock
317 compositions of the drift pumice, including past eruptions, are variable and scattered (Fig. 3a), and
318 plot in the low- SiO_2 range. Selected trace element ratios also exhibit differences between low- and
319 high- SiO_2 samples (Fig. 3e–f). We also show the trace element composition of mafic melt inclusions
320 found in olivine and clinopyroxene (Yoshida et al., 2022a). In the magmatic system of FOB, remnants
321 of primitive mafic magma are limitedly recognized, and include mafic melt inclusions (Maeno et al.,
322 2022; Yoshida et al., 2022a), high-Mg olivine (Kato, 1988; Yoshida et al., 2022a, b), and calcic
323 plagioclase (Yoshida et al., 2022a), most of which occur within or are closely associated with black
324 pumice (Yoshida et al., 2022a, b). The lower Zr/Y and La/Sm ratios of the drift pumice (i.e., low- SiO_2
325 range) as compared with the dredged samples (i.e., high- SiO_2 range) can be explained by the effect of
326 the mafic melt component, although the whole-rock compositions show little change. Relatively
327 scattered compositions in the low- SiO_2 range (Fig. 3a) could reflect heterogeneity in the magma
328 reservoir caused by partial mixing with a small amount of mafic component.

329 In contrast, the compositional trends in the higher- SiO_2 range are characterized by moderate changes
330 in all elements and a CaO decrease with increase in SiO_2 . We modeled the compositional change from
331 the medium- SiO_2 sample (D08R04) to the highest- SiO_2 sample (D07R05) by assuming fractional
332 crystallization of the minerals in sample D08R04 (Tables 2–4). As a result, the difference between
333 samples D08R04 and D07R05 can be best explained by extraction of 5.6% plagioclase, 0.3%
334 clinopyroxene, 0.2% olivine, and 0.5% magnetite (i.e., fractionation path A in Figs. 3b–d).

335 The model calculations indicate that the FOB magma compositions reflect the occurrence of mixing
336 and fractionating domains. The former domain is characterized by low- SiO_2 compositions partly due
337 to the involvement of a small amount of mafic magma. This domain is heterogeneous which may be
338 due to incomplete mixing. In contrast, the SiO_2 -rich samples represent a gradual change due to
339 plagioclase-dominated fractionation. The SiO_2 -rich samples contain high-Cl glass (Fig. 6f), which is
340 an indicative of low pressure, and this fractionating domain might represent the upper most part of the
341 magma reservoir that is not mixing with the deeper part of the reservoir.

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343 5.2. Implications for the FOB Magmatic System

344 We undertook dredge sampling around the area of FOB, including the outer slope of Kita-Fukutoku
345 caldera (Fig. 1b). Although previous studies reported the drift pumice had a trachytic composition with
346 $\text{SiO}_2 < \sim 63$ mass%, our dredged samples included more SiO_2 -rich samples with $\text{SiO}_2 > 64$ mass%.
347 Both the SiO_2 -rich and -poor samples have high total alkali contents of up to 10.5 mass%, and thus
348 we consider that all these samples represent the magma reservoir of FOB.

349 The crustal structure beneath FOB was investigated by acoustic and geomagnetic surveys of
350 Nishizawa et al. (2002) and Onodera et al. (2003). The geomagnetic data indicate a low geomagnetic
351 anomaly in the northwestern region of the volcanic vent of FOB. Onodera et al. (2003) interpreted this
352 anomaly to represent partially molten rocks (i.e., the magma reservoir).

353 The dredge D07 was conducted on the outer slope of Kita-Fukutoku caldera and volcanic rock
354 samples were collected from a seafloor outcrop (Fig. 1d). Although it is unclear whether these samples
355 were generated by the recent volcanic activity of FOB or represent an older volcanic unit of Kita-
356 Fukutoku caldera, a consistent trend including volcanoclastic materials collected from the inside of the
357 caldera indicates that the chemical composition of the D07 samples reflects the endmember
358 characteristics of the current FOB magma reservoir. The samples from D07 have the most SiO_2 -rich
359 compositions and lowest temperatures of ~ 880 °C (Fig. 6c), which can be interpreted to reflect
360 plagioclase-dominated fractional crystallization during cooling.

361 The pumice sample containing cristobalite (D08R11) possibly represents remnant volcanoclastic
362 material deposited within the conduit, which was ejected during the early stage of the eruption.
363 Cristobalite occurring in vacancies in volcanic rocks are common in submarine volcanoes (e.g.,
364 Ikegami et al., 2018; Hamada et al., 2023), as well as in on-land volcanoes (e.g., Schipper et al., 2017).
365 Schipper et al. (2017, 2020) suggested that cristobalite crystallizes by chemical vapor deposition due
366 to the degassing of halogen species (HF and HCl), and provides evidence of shallow and slow cooling
367 typical of a volcanic plug. After the 2021 eruption, FOB exhibited weak degassing activity, which is
368 evident from the bubbles reaching the sea surface above the summit (Fig. 7a). Samples such as
369 D08R11 could have been generated during inter-eruption activity in a blocked volcanic vent.

370 Consequently, our results for the dredged samples can be summarized as follows (Fig. 7b). The
371 magma reservoir of FOB is heterogeneous and consists of two domains. Most of the volcanoclastic
372 materials ejected by the 2021 FOB eruption (i.e., pumice) were derived from the deeper low- SiO_2
373 domain. The deeper domain is characterized by the involvement of a small amount of mafic magma,
374 as is evident from some trace elements (Figs. 3e–f), and the limited occurrence of mafic enclaves
375 (Yoshida et al., 2022a) and nanolite-bearing black pumice (Yoshida et al., 2023). The deeper domain
376 has experienced incomplete mixing due to magma convection (Yoshida et al., 2023), resulting in
377 considerable heterogeneity. The shallower part is characterized by higher- SiO_2 contents and lower

378 pressures of <200 MPa, corresponding to a depth of <8 km assuming a crustal density of 2400 kg/m³.
379 The shallower domain consists of more differentiated magma, indicating the gravity differentiation.
380 The SiO₂-rich less-dense magma may have avoided magma convection and mixing with the deeper
381 domain and does not contain mafic magma components. As a result, the whole-rock and melt
382 compositions became more SiO₂ rich, and plagioclase became more stable at lower temperatures. This
383 SiO₂-rich magma was either ejected with the pumice and sunk immediately after the explosive
384 eruption, or was effusively erupted from a location other than central vent of FOB, such as dredge site
385 D07. The storage of the differentiated high-SiO₂ magma in the upper part of the magma reservoir
386 might have plugged the volcanic conduit and increased the pressure, which ultimately led to the high
387 explosivity of the 2021 eruption.

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389 Summary

390 Proximal samples of volcanoclastic sediments and volcanic rocks of FOB exhibit differences as
391 compared with drift pumice collected from coastal areas of Japan (i.e., >1000 km from the volcano).
392 The proximal rocks include pumice and volcanic rocks, most of which have higher SiO₂ contents
393 (>63.5 mass%) as compared with drift pumice from the 2021 and earlier eruptions (61–63 mass%),
394 although the constituent minerals are the same. Compositional variations of the SiO₂-rich proximal
395 samples resulted from plagioclase-dominated fractional crystallization, and the higher-SiO₂ samples
396 yielded lower temperatures and pressures. The petrographic and chemical characteristics of the
397 proximal and drifted ejecta from FOB suggest the magma reservoir contains two distinct domains.

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399 Supplementary Materials

400 The detailed positions of the dredges, reference standard analysis for the whole-rock trace element
401 composition, and the outline of the dredge procedure are provided in the Supplementary Material.

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570 Figure 1. (a-b) Bathymetric maps. (a) Wide-area map showing the distribution of the Izu-Bonin arc.
571 Bathymetric data are from ETOPO1 (doi:10.7289/V5C8276M). (b) Close-up map around FOB
572 that shows the locations of the dredge sites. Bathymetric data were collected during the YK22-
573 15 cruise. The green circle indicates the two-nautical-mile area of prohibited entry due to safety
574 reasons. (c) Sandy seafloor covered with volcanic ash, which was observed during dredge D08
575 on the western slope of FOB. (d) Outcrop of volcanic rock observed during dredge D07 on the
576 northeastern outer slope of Kita-Fukutoku Caldera.

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578 Figure 2. Photographs of representative hand specimens collected during the cruise. (a) Well-
579 vesiculated pumice, (b) black-colored lapilli, and (c) black-colored pumice collected during
580 dredges D03 and D08 on the western slope of FOB. (d) Lapilli clasts collected during dredge
581 D05 on the northwest of FOB. (e) Weakly vesiculated trachyte clast collected from the
582 southeastern slope of FOB. The white areas are mainly plagioclase. (f) Volcanic rock and (g)
583 well-developed woody pumice collected during dredge D07 on the northeastern outer slope of
584 Kita-Fukutoku caldera.

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586 Figure 3. (a) Total alkalis versus silica diagram showing the compositions of the dredged samples and
587 literature data. (b-d) Plots of major elements versus SiO_2 , which exhibit linear relationships. (e-
588 f) Plots of selected trace element ratios versus SiO_2 . Data for pumice from previous eruptions and
589 melt inclusion in the 2021 drift pumice are also shown. (g) Trace element patterns of dredged
590 samples and drift pumice from the 2021 and 1986 eruptions. Compositions were normalized to
591 N-MORB (Sun & McDonough, 1989). Abbreviations: Y22a, Yoshida et al. (2022a); Y22b,
592 Yoshida et al. (2022b); M22, Maeno et al. (2022); K88, Kato (1988); S98, Sun et al. (1998); Y87,
593 Yoshida et al. (1987).

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595 Figure 4. (a) Photomicrograph of the microlite-free lapilli clast D08R04. The groundmass consists of
596 weakly vesiculated pale brown glass. (b) Microlite-rich lava D07R01 containing magnetite
597 nanolites in the groundmass glass, which was confirmed by Raman spectroscopy. The interstitial
598 glass is generally microlite-free. (c) Cross-polarized light (XPL) and plane-polarized light (PPL)
599 photomicrographs of the pumice clast D03R03 collected from the western slope of FOB. The
600 glass adjacent to the plagioclase phenocryst is colorless and transparent. (d) Photomicrograph of
601 a pumice clast that drifted from FOB to the Gulf of Thailand. The groundmass surrounding the
602 plagioclase phenocryst has a brown color, which is due to magnetite nanolite crystallization. A

603 detailed petrographic description was provided by Yoshida et al. (2022b). (e) Photomicrograph
604 of the weakly vesiculated pumice clast D08R11 that contains phenocrysts of olivine, plagioclase,
605 and magnetite. Spherical cristobalite also occurs in the vesicles. (f) Representative Raman spectra
606 of the colored glass. Although the groundmass glass in D06R02 and D08R04 is pale brown, it
607 does not exhibit a magnetite nanolite peak at 670 cm^{-1} . The brown glass in D07R01 exhibits a
608 nanolite peak in its Raman spectrum.

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610 Figure 5. (a) Backscattered electron (BSE) image of the plagioclase phenocryst in the microlite-rich
611 volcanic rock clast D07R01. The temperatures calculated based on the $X_{\text{Mg-mag}}$ values of
612 magnetite crystals included in the plagioclase rim are also shown. (b) Zoned clinopyroxene in the
613 microlite-rich volcanic rock clast D07R05. The Mg# value of clinopyroxene in the core and rim,
614 and temperatures calculated from magnetite are also shown. (c) Zoned olivine observed in sample
615 D07R01. Representative Mg# values of the core and rim are also shown. (d) Raman spectrum of
616 cristobalite in sample D08R11. A reference spectrum taken from the RRUFF database (Lafuente
617 et al., 2016) is shown for comparison. (e) BSE image of the microlite-rich pumice clast D08R11,
618 showing a mineral aggregate of plagioclase, clinopyroxene, and magnetite. Temperatures
619 calculated for magnetite are also shown. (f) Cathodoluminescence image of the cristobalite in the
620 boxed area of (e), which has a radial texture.

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622 Figure 6. (a-b) Ternary compositional diagram for (a) plagioclase and (b) clinopyroxene in the studied
623 samples. (c) $X_{\text{Mg-mag}}$ values of magnetite in the studied samples and the corresponding
624 temperatures calculated following the method of Canil and Lacourse (2020). (d-f) Glass
625 compositions of the studied samples shown in plots of (d) SiO_2 -total alkalis, (e) SiO_2 -CaO, and
626 (f) halogen contents.

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628 Figure 7. (a) Photographs of the sea surface above the volcanic vent of FOB taken on 22 August 2022.
629 Floating bubbles were observed. Under the sea surface, the wall of the volcanic vent is visible.
630 (b) Schematic diagram of the FOB magmatic system inferred from results of this study. See the
631 main text for details.

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633 Tables

634 Table 1. Whole-rock geochemical compositions of the dredged samples, showing the trace element
635 compositions of selected samples.

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637 Table 2. Representative compositions of plagioclase.

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639 Table 3. Representative compositions of clinopyroxene and olivine.

640 Footnote: Pressures for clinopyroxene were calculated using the method of on Petrelli et al. (2020).

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642 Table 4. Representative compositions of magnetite and silica mineral.

Fig. 1

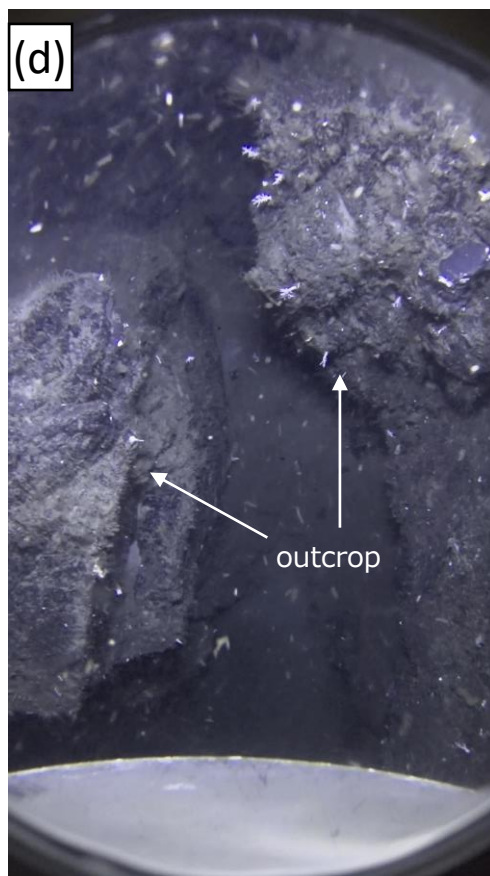
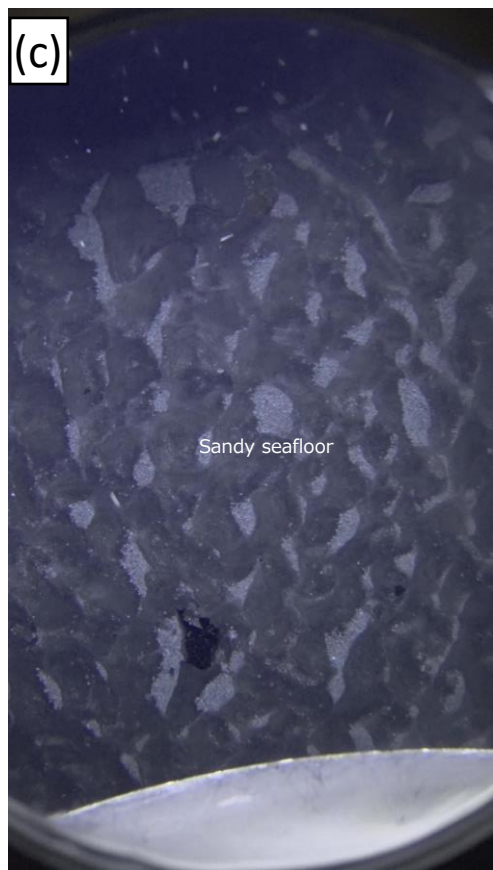
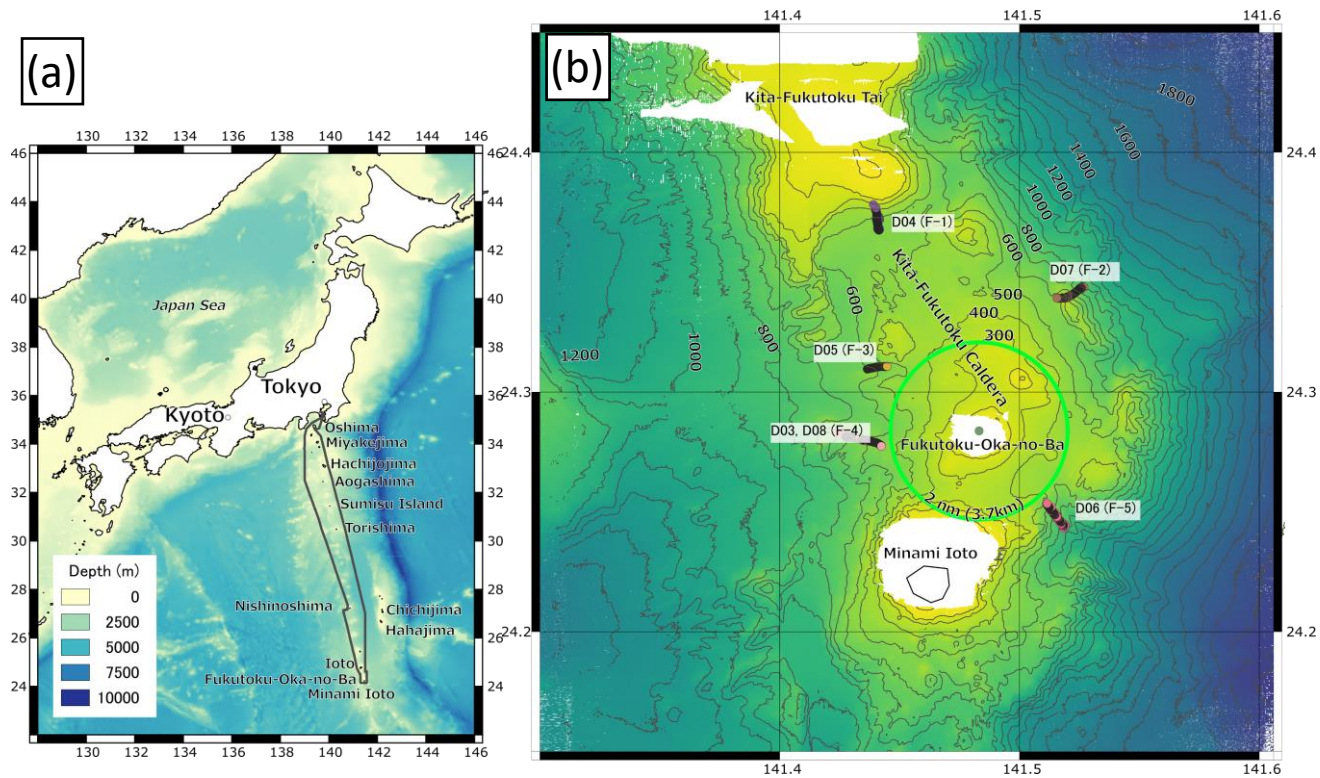


Fig. 2



Fig. 3

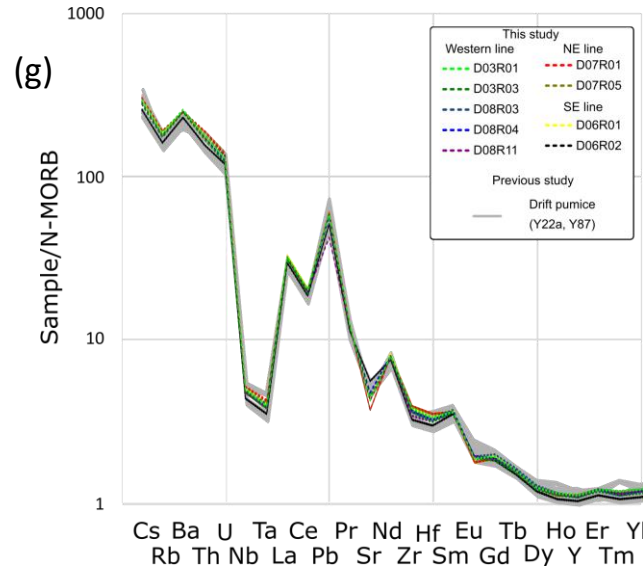
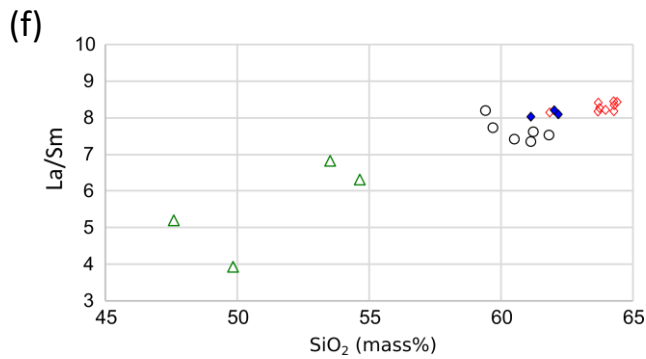
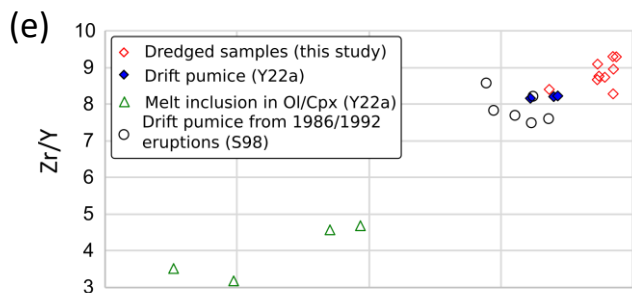
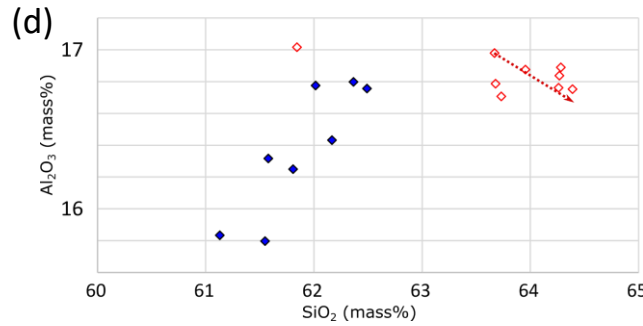
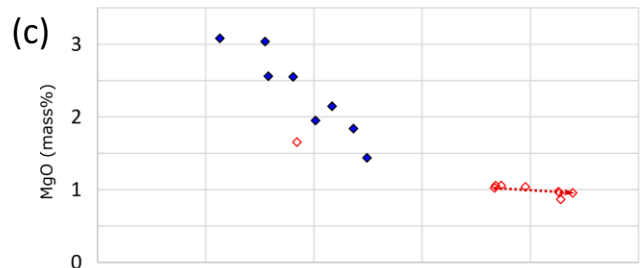
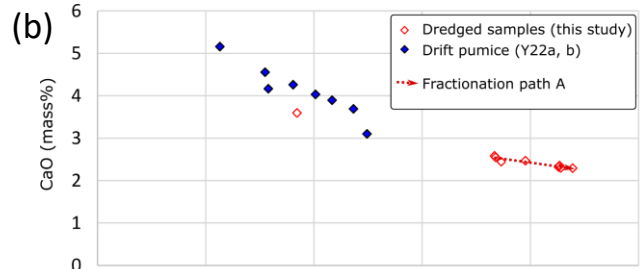
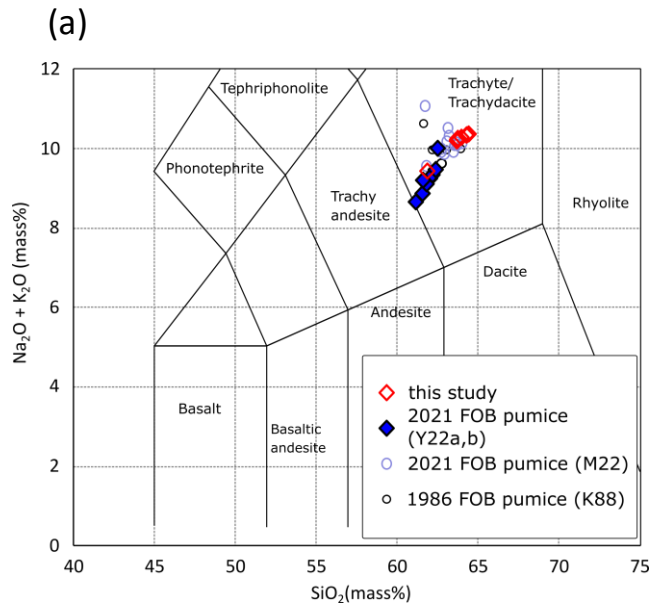


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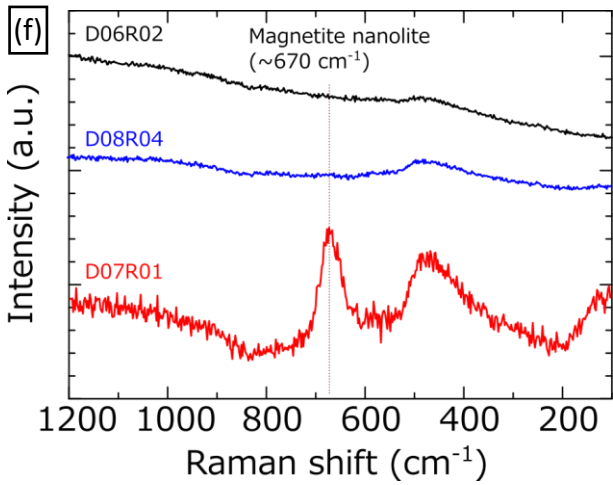
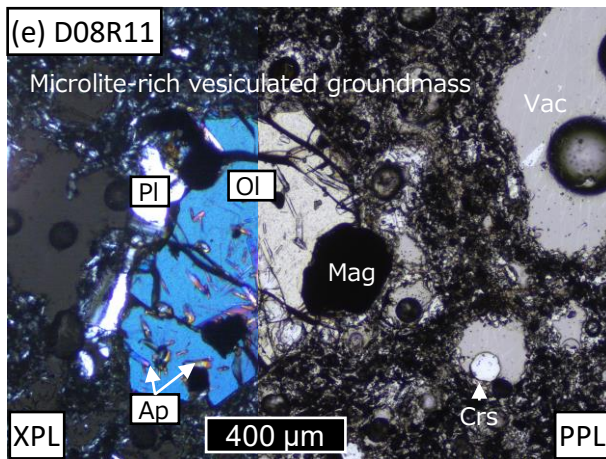
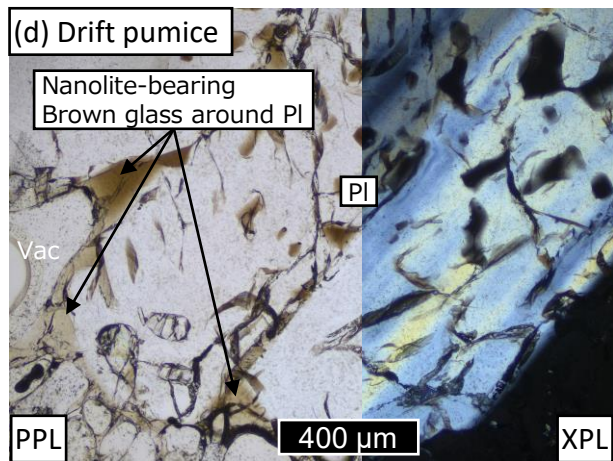
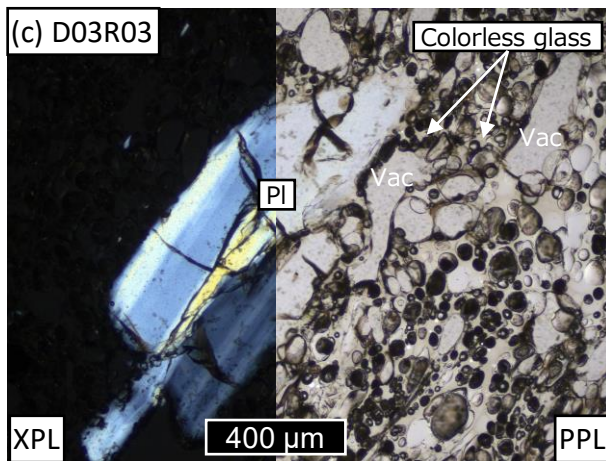
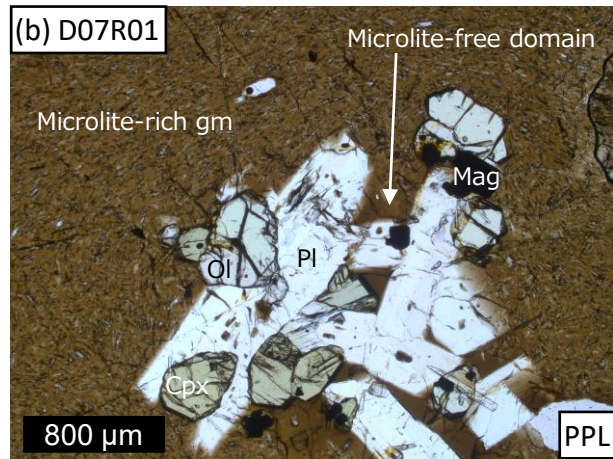
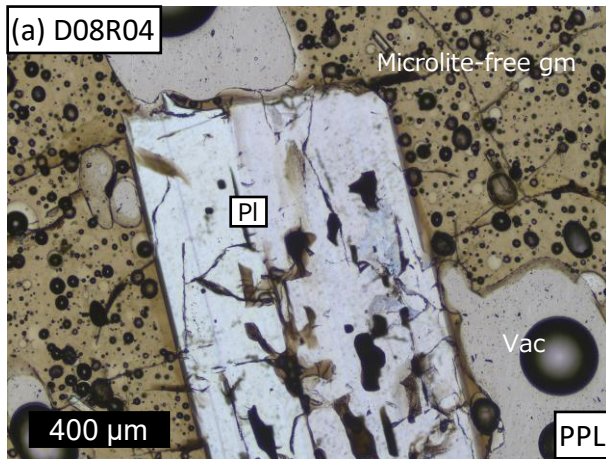


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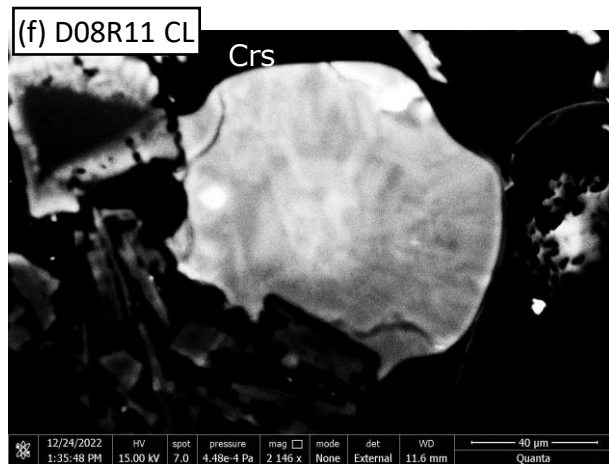
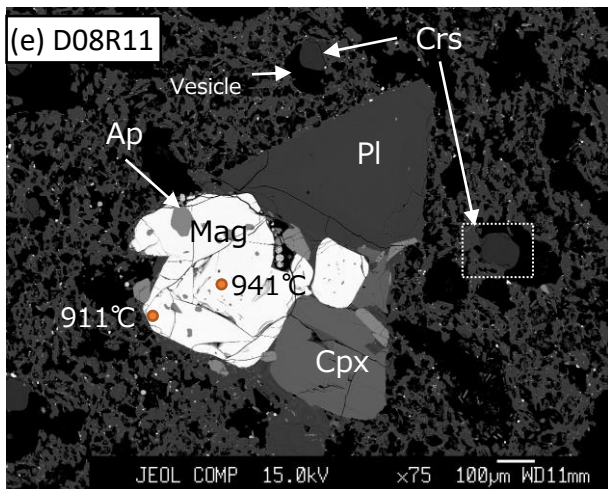
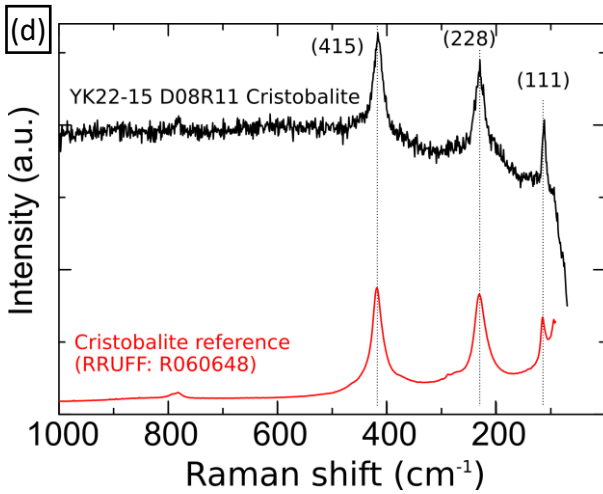
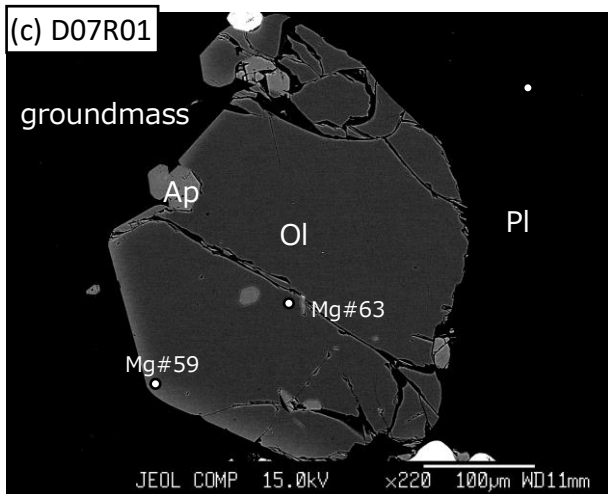
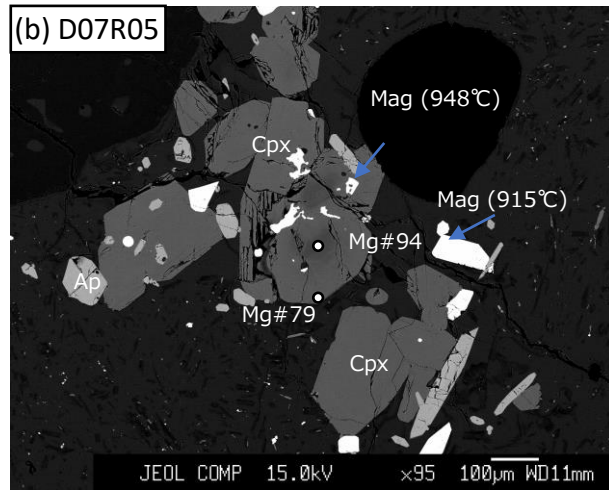
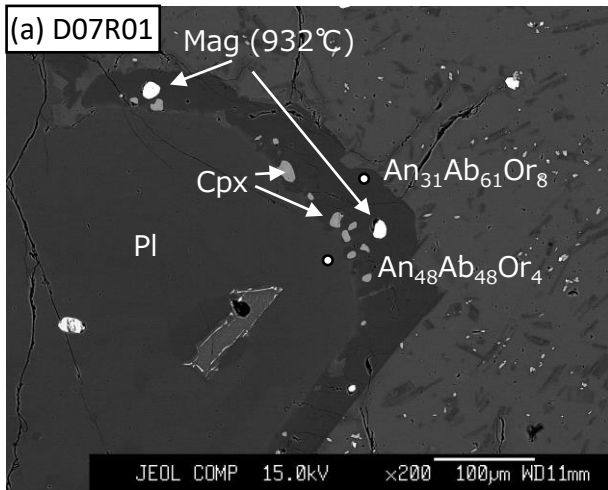


Fig. 6

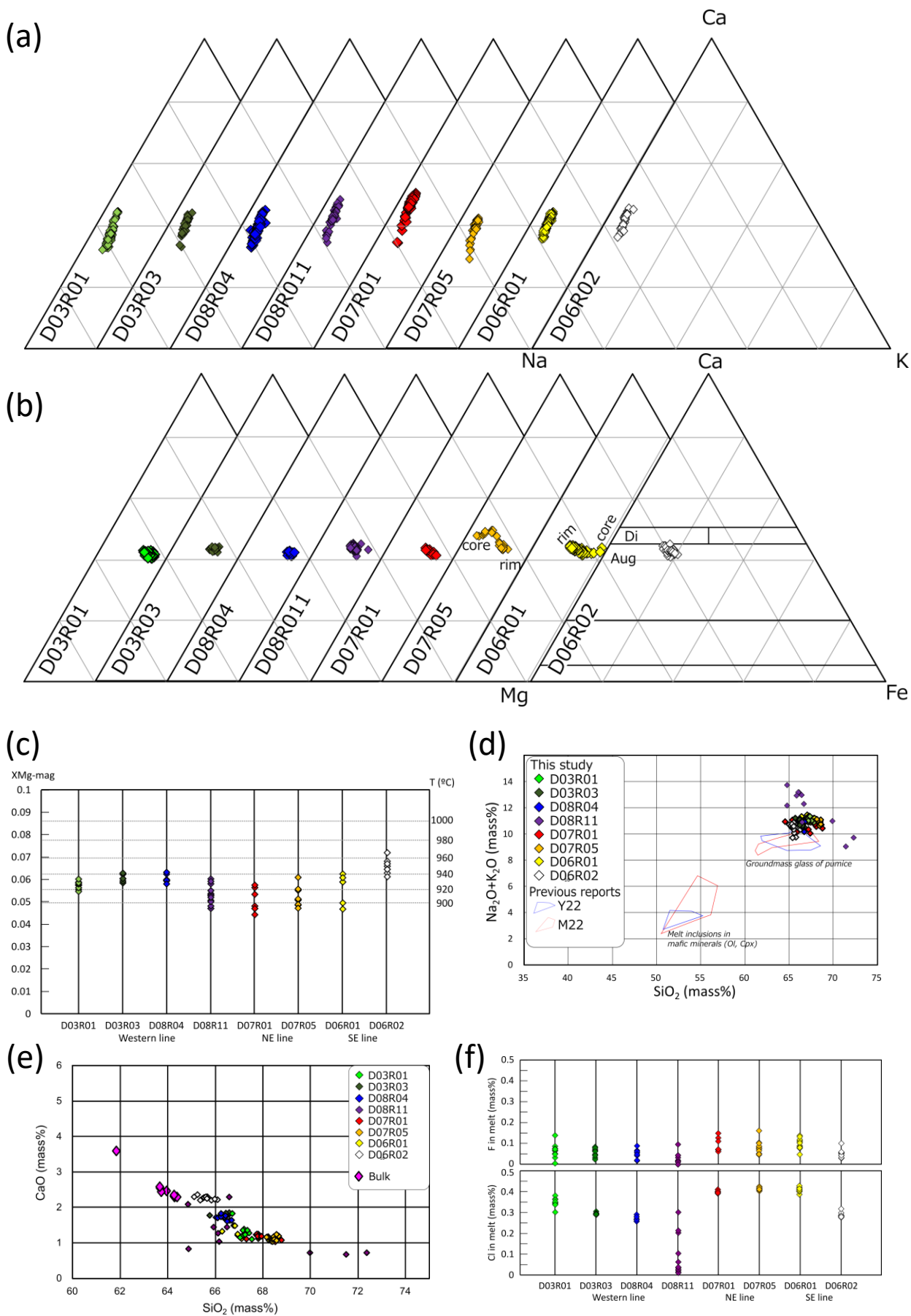
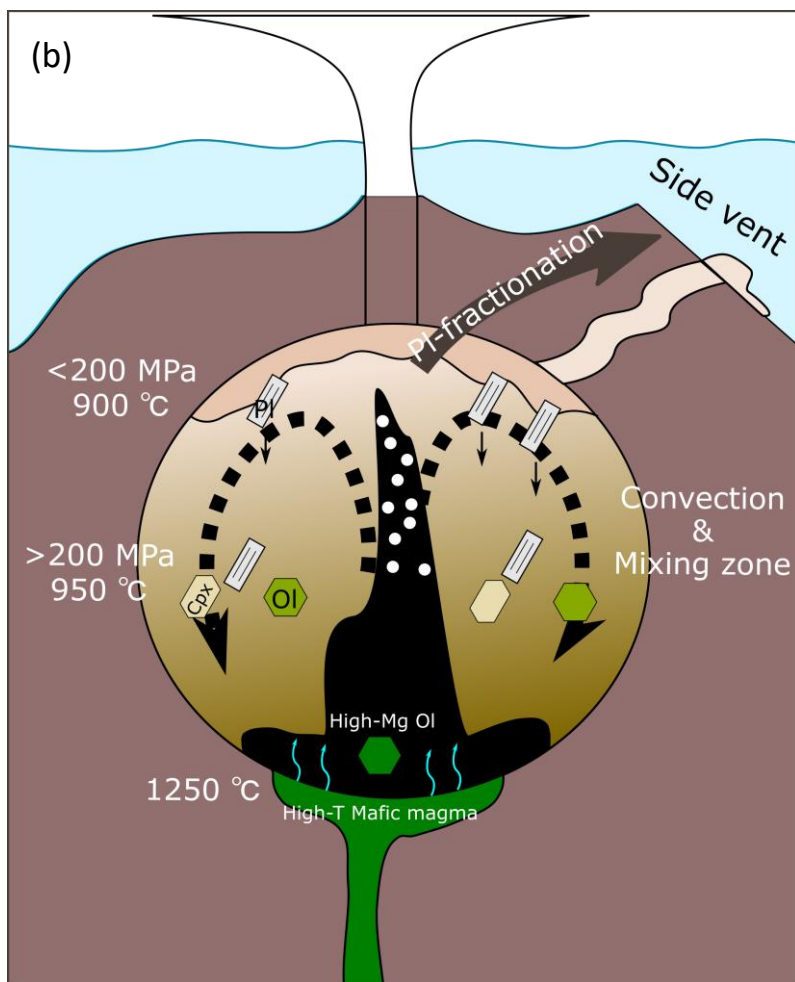
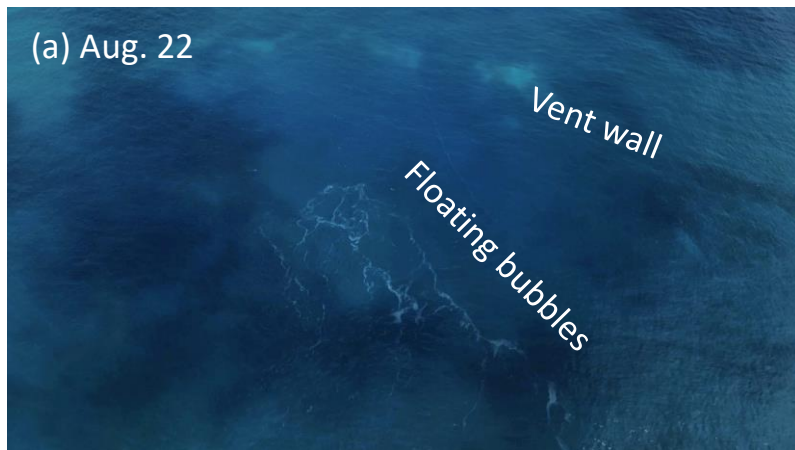


Fig. 7



Sample No.	Western line							
	D03R01	D03R02	D03R03	D03R04	D04R01	D08R03	D08R04	D08R11
type	lapilli	pumice	pumice	pumice	pumice	lapilli	lapilli	pumice
microlite	rich	-	free	-	-	-	free	rich
in mass%								
SiO ₂	63.06	61.33	62.74	61.04	60.43	62.52	62.47	63.02
TiO ₂	0.57	0.59	0.58	0.59	0.65	0.59	0.58	0.57
Al ₂ O ₃	16.57	16.43	16.56	16.17	16.74	16.39	16.66	16.51
Fe ₂ O ₃	4.68	5.30	4.74	5.46	6.03	5.17	4.91	4.60
MnO	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.19	0.17	0.17	0.17
MgO	0.85	1.50	1.02	1.86	1.42	1.04	1.01	0.94
CaO	2.26	3.15	2.42	3.59	3.36	2.40	2.54	2.31
Na ₂ O	5.04	4.94	5.06	4.76	4.82	4.91	4.95	5.05
K ₂ O	5.11	4.65	5.02	4.63	4.56	5.14	5.04	5.09
P ₂ O ₅	0.22	0.24	0.23	0.23	0.28	0.24	0.24	0.22
Total	98.52	98.30	98.53	98.48	98.48	98.57	98.57	98.47
LOI	0.82	1.25	1.60	1.47	1.87	0.44	0.47	1.75
in ppm								
Sc	5.765		4.607			3.48	5.078	2.703
Co	5.105		5.44			5.911	6.039	5.104
Ni	0.604		0.85			0.69	0.573	0.532
Cu	15.668		13.926			17.532	23.696	12.898
Rb	102.895		97.786			101.468	97.946	97.351
Sr	381.091		401.854			385.298	432.896	380.95
Y	31.473		30.462			31.749	30.999	30.792
Zr	282.1		266.22			278.422	268.842	255.013
Nb	11.603		11.139			11.44	11.039	11.041
Cs	2.044		1.963			2.018	1.939	1.944
Ba	1628.653		1557.937			1567.935	1571.212	1560.552
La	80.889		77.939			81.187	79.134	78.154
Ce	151.691		145.449			151.712	148.648	146.606
Pr	16.309		15.722			16.416	16.095	15.904
Nd	58.724		56.303			59.309	57.961	57.213
Sm	9.68		9.476			9.809	9.673	9.545
Eu	1.953		1.909			1.982	1.991	1.961
Gd	7.058		6.818			7.292	7.028	6.928

Tb	1.086	1.047	1.098	1.061	1.061
Dy	5.753	5.632	5.912	5.698	5.698
Ho	1.165	1.122	1.179	1.155	1.153
Er	3.585	3.522	3.654	3.602	3.601
Tm	0.539	0.513	0.541	0.517	0.525
Yb	3.684	3.554	3.724	3.594	3.586
Lu	0.568	0.549	0.575	0.557	0.554
Hf	6.868	6.538	6.959	6.678	6.531
Ta	0.525	0.512	0.533	0.515	0.513
Tl	0.237	0.262	0.232	0.22	0.079
Pb	17.641	17.386	17.578	17.279	12.601
Th	21.248	20.221	21.474	20.853	20.767
U	6.108	5.829	6.219	5.97	6.169

NE line			SE line	
D07R01	D07R05	D07R09	D06R01	D06R02
lava rich	lava rich	woody pumice -	lapilli rich	lapilli free
63.13	63.27	62.33	62.58	60.70
0.55	0.55	0.55	0.59	0.60
16.47	16.46	16.74	16.50	16.70
4.77	4.67	4.67	5.07	5.85
0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.17
0.95	0.94	1.04	1.04	1.62
2.28	2.26	2.68	2.51	3.53
4.84	4.83	4.90	4.92	4.68
5.31	5.35	5.05	5.13	4.58
0.20	0.20	0.21	0.24	0.26
98.67	98.68	98.34	98.73	98.69
1.03	1.02	2.70	0.63	0.69
3.765	3.171		5.942	5.946
5.951	5.678		6.242	9.864
1.315	1.284		0.745	4.824
22.445	19.442		20.727	34.807
107.589	107.074		103.452	89.679
335.262	340.913		393.279	500.262
31.204	31.177		31.28	29.066
290.57	290.074		284.739	244.3
12.01	12.086		11.762	10.175
2.121	2.108		2.039	1.788
1557.2	1558.452		1584.703	1451.749
81.591	81.026		82.04	75.035
152.237	153.946		154.28	139.477
16.384	16.261		16.438	15.138
58.124	58.206		59.568	55.082
9.644	9.598		9.741	9.201
1.839	1.836		1.947	1.963
6.924	6.942		7.104	6.716

1.067	1.065	1.065	1.017
5.753	5.676	5.743	5.456
1.151	1.151	1.16	1.076
3.641	3.673	3.64	3.37
0.531	0.538	0.531	0.488
3.661	3.704	3.618	3.352
0.576	0.574	0.569	0.523
7.19	7.238	6.956	6.081
0.559	0.552	0.542	0.467
0.279	0.287	0.22	0.212
18.213	18.305	17.404	15.525
22.493	22.578	21.507	18.934
6.494	6.522	6.284	5.538

Sample No	D03R01		D03R03		D08R04		D08R11	
Note	core	rim	core	rim	core	rim	core	rim
SiO ₂	56.75	59.50	58.32	59.68	57.83	59.62	56.30	60.19
TiO ₂	0.01	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.00	0.02	0.06	0.00
Al ₂ O ₃	26.37	24.83	26.23	24.52	25.58	24.54	26.79	24.25
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.00	0.13	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.04	0.00
FeO*	0.56	0.61	0.49	0.55	0.48	0.42	0.55	0.54
MnO	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.08
MgO	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.02	0.02
CaO	8.96	7.23	8.82	7.01	8.58	6.89	10.03	7.08
Na ₂ O	5.82	6.72	6.17	6.97	6.14	6.78	5.59	6.74
K ₂ O	0.69	0.97	0.79	1.11	0.75	1.00	0.59	1.17
total								
O	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Si	2.57	2.66	2.60	2.68	2.61	2.68	2.54	2.70
Ti	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Al	1.41	1.31	1.38	1.30	1.36	1.30	1.43	1.28
Cr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fe ³⁺								
Fe ²⁺	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Mn	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mg	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ca	0.44	0.35	0.42	0.34	0.42	0.33	0.49	0.34
Na	0.51	0.58	0.53	0.61	0.54	0.59	0.49	0.59
K	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.03	0.07
An	44	35	42	33	42	34	48	34
Ab	52	59	53	60	54	60	49	59
Or	4	6	4	6	4	6	3	7

D07R01		D07R05		D06R01		D06R02	
core	rim	core	rim	core	rim	core	rim
56.48	60.24	58.32	60.40	57.86	57.99	56.52	58.64
0.05	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.07	0.06	0.04
26.72	24.32	25.45	24.48	26.40	25.11	25.85	24.31
0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.04
0.58	0.60	0.48	0.45	0.48	0.48	0.70	0.62
0.00	0.05	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.09	0.05	0.00
0.04	0.06	0.06	0.01	0.08	0.04	0.02	0.04
9.88	6.33	8.20	6.64	9.09	7.92	9.47	7.52
5.47	6.88	6.35	7.11	5.95	6.56	6.06	6.69
0.53	1.25	0.88	1.35	0.81	0.92	0.78	1.02
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
2.55	2.70	2.63	2.69	2.59	2.63	2.56	2.66
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1.42	1.28	1.35	1.29	1.39	1.34	1.38	1.30
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.02
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.48	0.30	0.40	0.32	0.44	0.38	0.46	0.37
0.48	0.60	0.55	0.61	0.52	0.58	0.53	0.59
0.03	0.07	0.05	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06
48	31	40	31	44	38	44	36
48	61	55	61	52	57	51	58
3	7	5	8	5	5	4	6

D06R02		D03R01	D03R03	D08R04	D07R01		
rim					core	rim	
52.62	52.85	SiO ₂	37.41	37.12	37.64	36.44	36.36
0.41	0.39	TiO ₂	0.05	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.00
1.69	1.33	Al ₂ O ₃	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.02
0.00	0.02	Cr ₂ O ₃	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.87	9.78	FeO*	31.03	30.51	30.31	32.50	34.63
0.65	0.69	MnO	1.57	1.54	1.52	1.68	1.72
15.05	15.11	MgO	31.64	32.53	32.09	30.49	28.87
20.58	20.12	CaO	0.15	0.17	0.18	0.15	0.15
0.43	0.38	Na ₂ O	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01
0.03	0.02	K ₂ O	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.02
100.33	100.69	NiO	0	0	0	0	0.001
		total	101.88	101.91	101.77	101.30	101.77
6	6	O	4	4	4	4	4
1.94	1.95	Si	1.00	0.99	1.00	0.99	0.99
0.01	0.01	Ti	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.07	0.06	Al	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	Cr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.05	0.05	Fe	0.69	0.68	0.68	0.74	0.79
0.23	0.26	Mn	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04
0.02	0.02	Mg	1.26	1.29	1.28	1.24	1.18
0.83	0.83	Ca	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
0.81	0.80	Na	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.03	0.03	K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00						
78	76		64	66	65	63	60
#REF!	#REF!						

R07R05		D06R01	D06R02
core	rim		
36.51	37.15	37.10	37.38
0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00
0.01	0.69	0.01	0.02
0.00	0.02	0.00	0.01
32.52	35.46	31.03	29.18
1.65	1.79	1.41	1.23
30.20	26.52	31.94	33.40
0.15	0.19	0.16	0.17
0.04	0.18	0.00	0.01
0.00	0.16	0.02	0.00
0	0	0	0.002
101.09	102.17	101.67	101.39
4	4	4	4
0.99	1.01	0.99	1.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.74	0.81	0.70	0.65
0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03
1.23	1.08	1.28	1.33
0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
62	57	65	67

Sample No	D03R01	D03R03	D08R04	D08R11	D07R01	D07R05		
Note	in Cpx and gm				in Pl rim gm			
SiO ₂	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.16	0.13	0.09
TiO ₂	10.93	10.53	10.38	11.26	10.95	11.27	12.26	11.90
Al ₂ O ₃	2.81	2.83	2.95	2.61	2.70	2.59	2.07	2.59
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.06	0.00	0.02	0.12	0.00	0.09	0.13	0.06
FeO*	78.09	77.56	78.01	77.77	78.35	75.66	75.54	77.23
MnO	1.05	0.96	1.02	0.94	1.12	0.17	1.10	1.14
MgO	2.81	2.70	2.91	2.68	2.17	2.58	2.08	2.32
CaO	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.11	0.03	0.01
Na ₂ O	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
K ₂ O	0.04	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.10	0.01
total	95.92	94.68	95.44	95.52	95.45	92.64	93.44	95.34
O	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Si	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
Ti	0.29	0.28	0.28	0.30	0.29	0.31	0.34	0.32
Al	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.09	0.11
Cr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fe ³⁺	1.49	1.50	1.50	1.48	1.49	1.46	1.45	1.46
Fe ²⁺	0.82	0.83	0.82	0.83	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.84
Mn	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.03
Mg	0.15	0.14	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.14	0.11	0.12
Ca	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Na	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
XMg-mag	0.060	0.058	0.062	0.058	0.047	0.057	0.047	0.051
TXMg	934	929	940	928	893	926	892	905

D06R01		D06R02	D08R11
core	rim		Crs
0.08	0.07	0.10	98.21
10.49	10.22	9.33	0.143
2.99	2.87	3.19	0.973
0.05	0.06	0.05	0.02
78.10	78.43	77.51	0.066
0.85	0.94	0.84	0.037
2.93	2.31	3.12	0.006
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.014
0.02	0.05	0.00	0.597
0.02	0.04	0.00	0.005
95.52	94.99	94.14	
4	4	4	2
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.99
0.28	0.28	0.25	0.00
0.12	0.12	0.13	0.0115
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1.50	1.50	1.52	0.00
0.82	0.85	0.81	0.00
0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00
0.15	0.12	0.17	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0116
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.063	0.050	0.067	
941	902	953	

Supplementary Material 1

Dredge assembly used during the cruise YK22-15

During the cruise YK22-15, we used a Satsuki type dredger and depressor-towing body. This assembly is employed to protect the opto-electrical composite cable from any damaging during dredging (Fig. S1). The Satsuki type dredger was connected to the depressor-towing body by a lead wire with 200 m length. The position of the dredger was monitored by a transponder attached to the depressor-towing body (Fig. S2a). The Satsuki type dredger has a size of 800 mm × 740 mm × 120 mm (width, height, and length, respectively) and ~240 kg.

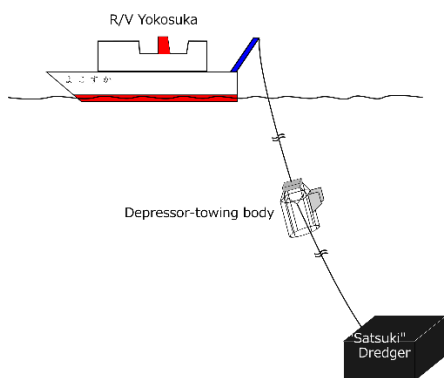


Fig. S1. Schematic image of the dredge assembly.

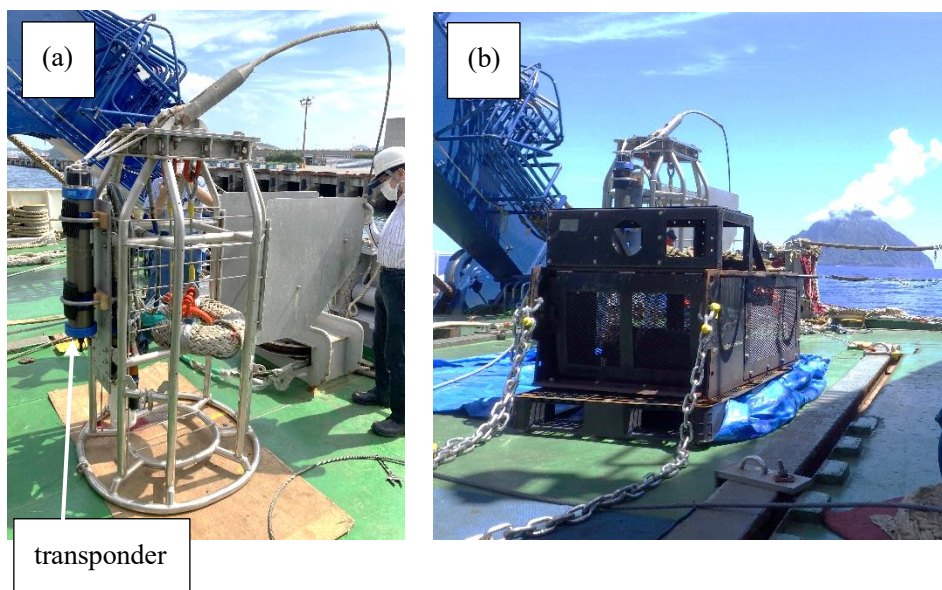


Figure S2. (a) A depressor-towing body equipped with a transponder. (b) Photograph of Satsuki type dredger which is ready for operation.

Table S1. Details of the dredge positions

Dredge number	Hit bottom		Off bottom		Depth (m) ^{*1}		Tension max. (kN)	Survey time (hh:mm)
	Lat. (SOQ ^{*1})	Lon. (SOQ ^{*1})	Lat. (SOQ ^{*1})	Lon. (SOQ ^{*1})	On the bottom	Off the Bottom		
D03	24-16.8737N	141-25.6601E	24-16.8458N	141-25.8852E	446	353	41.6	0:36
D04	24-22.0755N	141-26.4721E	24-22.5723N	141-26.4072E	324	299	13.0	0:59
D05	24-18.5790N	141-26.2145E	24-18.6416N	141-26.6848E	369	182	18.1	1:00
D06	24-14.6284N	141-31.1048E	24-15.1767N	141-30.6928E	649	361	16.6	1:12
D07	24-20.6611N	141-31.6256E	24-20.3546N	141-31.0876E	525	256	28.1	1:17
D08	24-16.8088N	141-26.0734E	24-16.6746N	141-26.5212E	383	294	17.3	1:02

*SOQ = SGK Transponder's position

*SOJ = Ship's position

Table S2. Trace element analysis of secondary standard (JB-2) and the reference value

Sample JB-2, mea: JB-2, reference* ($\mu\text{g/g}$)

Sc	51.728	54.08
Co	34.64	37.57
Ni	12.417	14.77
Cu	209.443	222.1
Rb	5.732	6.4
Sr	175.628	178.2
Y	21.115	23.56
Zr	43.894	48.25
Nb	0.439	0.565
Cs	0.754	0.8
Ba	208.065	218.1
La	2.131	2.281
Ce	6.297	6.552
Pr	1.096	1.129
Nd	6.168	6.392
Sm	2.208	2.266
Eu	0.792	0.836
Gd	3.15	3.123
Tb	0.572	0.5863
Dy	3.915	3.868
Ho	0.854	0.863
Er	2.584	2.537
Tm	0.376	0.393
Yb	2.525	2.529
Lu	0.382	0.3894
Hf	1.49	1.487
Ta	0.032	0.0396
Tl	0.036	0.034
Pb	4.963	5.25
Th	0.252	0.2576
U	0.155	0.1528

*Reference of JB-2 is taken from GeoReM database

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