

A STUDY OF MARINE MIOCENE FAUNAS IN THE "ACHTERHOEK" (NETHERLANDS,  
PROVINCE OF GELDERLAND), PART 2 <sup>1)</sup>

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Summary

The material upon which this study is based belongs to the Reinbek formation, and is present in the collections of the Rijksmuseum van Geologie en Mineralogie, Leiden. Of each sample a counting-list of the molluscs is given; of these the features they have in common are given in general account. Three groups of borings can be distinguished with regards to the species content in the basal layers; especially the graph of Astarte radiata in the basal part of the boring is important. Probably these groups have a correlation with differences in habitat. The different sediments belong to one sedimentation cycle; the gradual decline of the basin caused a gradual change in the species content. A thanatocoenosis that is found in the more western borings at the base, is present in the eastern borings higher in the section. One can recognize formations that are distinguished by other authors on the base of molluscs, but these do not appear to be separated by boundaries in the species content. The soft concretions in situ are linked to a certain thanatocoenosis, but the 50% clay - 50% sand boundary appears to vary. The miocene sea must have extended farther eastwards; there are still some miocene deposits left in places with salt-dome activity. Species typical for the "Hemmoor Stufe" are also found in sediments of the Laag van Ticheloven; the sediments of the former formation are here regarded as a shallow water facies of the Reinbek Stufe. The most important species, which can be used to characterise the thanatocoenosis, are, from the base to the top: Hiatella arctica, Astarte radiata, Spisula spec., and Limopsis aurita.

Samenvatting

Van de getelde monsters van verschillende boringen in de Achterhoek worden complete tellijsten gegeven. Behalve van enkele soorten die in hoge aantallen voorkomen worden ook grafieken van de verdeling over gastropoden en bivalven gegeven. In één boring, waarvan het ene gedeelte verbuisd werd uitgevoerd met de puls, en het andere gedeelte onverbuisd d.m.v. spoelboren, werden tussen de monsters geen verschillen gevonden die veroorzaakt konden zijn door het verschil in boormethode. Tellingen gebaseerd op 500 exemplaren geven goede resultaten bij het vergelijken van verschillende boringen. Routine-tellingen voor het snel vaststellen van de aard van de fauna van nieuw verkregen monsters kunnen worden uitgevoerd door van twee opeenvolgende monsters 100 exemplaren te tellen, waarbij de diameter van het materiaal niet kleiner hoeft te zijn dan 2 mm. Uit de gegevens van de tellijsten werd een basis-overzicht samengesteld. Algemene gegevens betreffende de molluskeninhoud worden vermeld naast de soorten die op bepaalde diepten het hoogste maximum bereiken. Er worden geen biofacies benoemd omdat deze omgrensd moeten worden, waarbij dan grenzen gelegd worden die gebaseerd zijn op slechts één soort. De resultaten worden vergeleken met andere onderzoeken, waarbij blijkt dat vroeger onderscheiden formaties overeen komen met bepaalde thanatocoeno-

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sen, maar deze zijn niet begrensd. De karakterisering door de auteurs van deze formaties wordt voor sommige gevallen becritiseerd. Bij onderling vergelijken van de boringen blijkt dat deze gerangschikt kunnen worden in drie groepen, die gekarakteriseerd worden door de soortensamenstelling in de basale lagen. Het verloop van de grafiek van Astarte radiata is een goede indicator hiervoor. Verschillende bijzonderheden worden bij elke boring vermeld. Het optreden en verdwijnen in de sectie van Haustator eryna en Hinia schroederi wordt besproken, dit zijn de enige "Hemmoor-soorten" die in "Hemmoor-afzettingen" in dit gebied aangetroffen werden bij dit onderzoek. Deze bleken eveneens voor te komen in sedimenten van het Ticheloven type. De condities die in de miocene zee heersten worden behandeld, het moet een tamelijk rustig milieu geweest zijn. De soortensamenstelling varieert in de verschillende boringen t.o.v. de 50% klei - 50% zand grens. Dit in tegenstelling tot het optreden van zachte concreties in situ, die gebonden zijn aan een bepaalde thanatocoenose. De basislagen van de verschillende groepen boringen worden in verband gebracht met verschillen in milieu, waarbij de meer zandige lagen ondieper water vertegenwoordigen dan de lagen met fijner sediment. Er wordt geconcludeerd dat deze verschillende lagen slechts één transgressie vertegenwoordigen, wat ondersteund wordt door een fauna van haaiantanden, zowel van verspoelde als niet verspoelde exemplaren. Na het overstromen van dit gebied, wat snel moet hebben plaats gevonden, trad een geleidelijke daling van de bodem op. Hierdoor wordt de thanatocoenose, die in westelijke boringen aan de basis ligt, in de meer oostelijke boringen (dus meer naar de rand van het bekken) hoger in de sectie gevonden. Boven de afzettingen van het "Hemmoor" en Ticheloven type wordt een gewijzigde haaienfauna gevonden, zodat aangenomen kan worden dat een verbinding met andere zeeën is ontstaan tijdens deze afzetting. Dit blijkt geen invloed te hebben op de molluskenfauna, daar geen nieuwe vormen optreden en de grafieken van de verschillende soorten geen gecorreleerde afwijkingen vertonen. Een onbekend gedeelte ten oosten van het onderzochte gebied moet bedekt geweest zijn met miocene afzettingen, die door erosie nu vrijwel zijn verdwenen, behalve boven sommige zoutpeilers, die in de ondergrond aanwezig zijn. De indeling in stratigrafische eenheden wordt behandeld, er wordt voorgesteld de naam "Hemmoor Stufe" niet meer te gebruiken, daar deze een ondiepwater-facies is van de Reinbek Stufe. De belangrijkste soorten in relatie tot de lithologische eenheden worden genoemd, te weten, beginnende bij de basis: Hiatella arctica, Astarte radiata, Spisula spec. en Limopsis aurita.

#### GENERAL NOTES TO THE COUNTING-LISTS AND GRAPHS

Horizontally on the first line, the total number of the specimens present in the sample are given. More than 500 specimens have never been counted, but in samples with less than 500 specimens all have been counted. On the second line, the percentage represented by one specimen is indicated. The third line mentions the percentage of gastropod and scaphopod specimens in relation to the total number of counted specimens (for the sake of brevity hereafter called: percentage of gastropod specimens). The percentage of the bivalve specimens is not given, but can be found in the graphs. The following two lines give the number of gastropod and scaphopod species together (hereafter called: number of gastropod species), and the number of bivalve species. These data have been included together in one graph.

Below these general figures follows the complete list of molluscan species found in the samples. Of each of the species the percentage of the specimens to the total number of specimens in the sample is given. Some species are always given in open nomenclature, even if the speciesname could be determined, because these species are usually very fragmentary or corroded (e. g. Actaeon, Turbonilla). Sometimes only the name of the genus can be found for specimens of genera that usually can be recognized on specific level, due to bad preservation (e. g. juvenile specimens of Hinia). These specimens are given in open nomenclature. Sometimes only the name of the family can be decided upon (e. g. Turridae), whilst others are in such a poor condition that the only observation that can be made is whether they are remains of bivalves or of gastropods.

Some of the species, those that are present in considerable numbers and that also show interesting features, are given in graphs. These graphs are composed as follows: on the vertical axis the depth from where the sample is derived is indicated; and on the horizontal axis the percentage of the species is given. This method of presentation is, in contrast to the graphs by Jansen (1967). As I want to compare the different borings, and as the depth of the samples is a given factor to which the percentages of the different species are determined, I think this way of presenting the results makes these easier to interpret, as in this way the variation in the occurrence of a species in the section is given. The percentage of the given species is drawn in the middle of the intervals on the vertical axis. These dots are connected by a line representing, more or less, the real increase and decrease of the percentage of that species in that section. When the samples contain less than 200 specimens, the figures become less reliable, as is clearly demonstrated in the graphs of the Aalten boring. In this case, the percentages are connected by a dotted line.

The lithological features of the samples were investigated by Mr. M. van den Bosch (not published), who located the place of the 50% clay - 50% sand boundary. This depth is drawn in in the graphs and must be regarded as a rough approximation, as the lithological changes are slow and gradual. This boundary is regarded as existing just between two samples, while in reality it must be situated either in the overlying, or in the underlying sample. The smaller the intervals, the more correctly the exact place of this boundary can be estimated.

The counting lists are printed in a separate appendix, distributed together with this issue of the "Mededelingen". The graphs are printed on loose sheets (see inner side of back cover).

## GENERAL FEATURES OF THE BORINGS

To get a clearer view of the variations that are present in the various borings, it is useful to give an account of the general features that can be composed from the information of the various borings, and in which the most important species must be included. In the sections there is a certain speciessequence, that is not only due to the change in time, but also to a change in ecological circumstances, the latter obviously being the more important. In these sequences no boundaries can be recognized, consequently these results cannot be fully compared with the results found by Cadée (1968), as he only recognizes boundaries and does not indicate small changes within the mentioned zones.

At the base we find maximum numbers of Hiatella arctica, the number of gastropod species is usually very high in comparison with the number of bivalve species; the gastropod specimens can be more than 50% of the total number of specimens, and the samples are very rich in molluscs. In the overlying layers the content of molluscs is still rather high but less than in the stratum with Hiatella. The gastropod and bivalve species show a decrease, the former decreasing rapidly, the latter more gradual and slower. The same tendency can be observed when the number of gastropod specimens is regarded. In this higher layer the most important species is Astarte radiata. Some of the species of the underlying layer are absent here. Somewhat higher still, Astarte radiata decreases and a high maximum of Spisula spec. is found. The same tendencies as in the underlying layers, with regards to the gastropod and bivalve species as well as specimens, are encountered; these are continued in the overlying layers where Limopsis aurita has its maximum. Here the number of gastropod species, as well as specimens, is very low and the number of bivalve species, as well as specimens, is low, but not descending to such a small number as found for the gastropods. The overlying layers do not contain significant numbers of molluscs.

Each bank with a maximum of a certain species has a specific species content, as can be seen in the counting lists. These other species, however, can usually also be found in the overlying, as well as in the underlying layers. It is hard to distinguish any bio-stratigraphical units; in doing so boundaries are made where they do not occur, as there is not even one species restricted to such a unit. Moreover, it is difficult to define gradual changing sequences. Therefore, I only want to mention those species with a clear, high maximum, without giving these species more importance than other species that have a somewhat lower maximum, because these species would

interfere with a classification based on the first mentioned species. This does not mean that the mentioned species cannot be used for correlating a certain sample to a certain thanatocoenosis.

The maxima of some of these species can be estimated in the field without counting, e. g., that of Limopsis aurita and Astarte radiata. Those of Spisula spec. and Hiatella arctica, however, appear to be hardly recognizable. Of the first, a percentage of about 25 per cent was overlooked in the field, the same was the case with a high percentage of Hiatella. Obviously this is due to the fragmentary state or inconspicuousness of these species.

In the laboratory, routine countings of 100 specimens can be made for a quick orientation of the sample; it is preferable to count two adjacent samples. Material of more than 2 mm diameter can be used in this case, as the results of the countings by Janssen (1966b) are fully comparable with those of my investigations with regards to the larger species. Actually, the optimum of Hiatella arctica can not be found in this way; this zone is determined also by the very low percentages of the afore mentioned important species, and the additional fauna as well.

It should be mentioned here that the clay-sand boundary does not show a constant relation to the species content. When the molluscs in the sample are very corroded or absent, no reliable data concerning the mollusc-content of the sample can be derived from lithological features.

#### COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS INVESTIGATIONS

In this investigation, no use has been made of the connection of some genera or species with a certain habitat, their restriction to a certain geographical area, or with certain ecological conditions. It is not known whether the genetic information of these species has changed with time, causing a change in behaviour. It is well-known that recent species can inhabit totally different niches in different parts of their area.

Until 1966, when Janssen (1966b) published the results of his investigations of a boring in Dingden, the various borings and outcrops were usually not treated in a systematic way; and when percentages were given, they were usually not based on small samples, but on complete collections which were not collected for comparative studies. (e. g. Anderson 1964). Rare species are over-represented in these investigations. Moreover, materials from various layers are usually mixed, because in the field these layers cannot be recognized. For example, Anderson (1964) mentions from the Bislich boring large numbers of Limopsis, Spisula, Hinia bocholensis and Gemmula zimmermanni, which indicate, according my results, that at least a part of the

Dingdener Schichten is present. The subdivision in "Stufen" and "Schichten", as followed until Boekschoten (1969b, c) can be applied to my results with some restrictions. The difference is that boundaries between recognized entities do not exist. In the area I investigated, conditions were rather uniform, as can be seen in my results. For adjacent areas, similar investigations are desired, because differences in composition of the layers occur in various places, for instance in the Hoerstgen boring, in which about 66 m of sandy layers are present. More distant areas show more deviations, as exemplified by the results of Boekschoten (1969b, c).

In the following discussion, the features of the various informations will be dealt with, especially the characters that distinguish the various formations.

#### "Hemmoor Stufe"

Anderson (1961a) states that: so many outcrops are known in this stufe ..... that its existence cannot be doubted. The composition of species in all localities is rather uniform and well characterized, so that it may be recognized with certainty. There is a large content of "southern species". Typical molluscs are Nuculana emarginata, "Cardium" hanseatum, Haustator eryna, Dorsanum boreobaccatum and Hinia schroederi, while Lutetia nitida, Bittium tenuispina and Hinia cimbrica also indicate this Stufe when they are common. Not all of these species need to be present. If only one is present, the sample is still considered to belong to the "Hemmoor Stufe" if the additional fauna supports this. In this way, Janssen (in Van den Bosch, 1968) concluded from the occurrence of Haustator eryna, the absence of large numbers of Astarte radiata and from the additional fauna, the fact that Miste 41E.2-65 must be concluded to have "Hemmoor" age. Later, this was supported by a find of Nuculana emarginata (not published). As Miste 41E. 2-75 and Beuting (Ellewicker Feld) correspond with a part of the section of Miste 41E. 2-65, these must also be placed in this Stufe. To do this, however, based on such little evidence is rather speculative.

In this area, the borings with a speciescontent that resembles that of the "Hemmoor Stufe" are found east of those with a speciescontent resembling that of the Reinbek Stufe. In Miste 41E. 2-65, the change to a speciescontent as is typical for the Laag van Ticheloven is present in the top of the section; the change is gradual, without boundary.

#### Laag van Ticheloven

Janssen (1967) based the Laag van Ticheloven on a boring that is situated only a few meters from Ticheloven 34G. 1-24. Only this formation was supposed

to be present in this boring. Unfortunately, he did not mention in the text of his article whether this formation should be included in the "Hemmoor Stufe", the Reinbek Stufe, or whether it represents a formation of equal level. From his figure 2, however, we can conclude that he intends it to belong in the Reinbek Stufe.

The main feature is the fact that especially Astarte radiata is present in a very high percentage. In his publication there is no further information on the type-boring; the description of this formation was announced but has not yet appeared. Some other Dutch localities where this formation is present at the base of the Miocene are mentioned. All information on the speciescontent of this formation is based on the results from the countings of the boring in Dingden. At the base Astarte radiata shows a maximum number. At about 8,50 m a clear changing of the habitat is supposed to have taken place; however, when comparing the graphs, this boundary appears to be very vague and rather wide, if Limopsis aurita is the species that indicates the other side of this boundary. Only a few species show important increases and decreases in the neighbourhood of this "boundary". Most of the species that are said to have a boundary only show a gradual change during this interval. I cannot conclude that there is a noticeable changing in the habitat in this part of the section; no boundary is present.

In all borings dealt with in this investigation the transition between the Laag van Ticheloven and the Dingdener Schichten is found to be gradual. Two species disappear during the deposition of the Laag van Ticheloven; these are Haustator eryna and Hinia schroederi, both regarded to be typical for the "Hemmoor Stufe". At the end of the "Hemmoor Stufe" the other species typical for this formation must have disappeared; no information is available as to in what level this has occurred, as no systematical countings have been made.

When referring to the graph of Astarte radiata in Ticheloven, it appears that the maximum of this species probably is present, but that the part of the graph lying just below this maximum is not present. Moreover, species such as Spisula spec. and Limopsis aurita are present in the upper samples in high percentages, the last species being typical for the Dingdener Schichten when it is present in high numbers. Taking this boring as the type-boring now appears not to have been a good choice, because of the absence of a part of the section where Astarte radiata shows a high percentage, and the presence of high numbers of Limopsis aurita and Spisula spec. that are both typical for another formation.

## Reinbek Stufe

The only species that are characteristic for this Stufe are Aquilofusus festivus and Streptochetus abruptus, a rather weak basis as already discussed by Boekschoten (1969b, c). In fact, Anderson (1964) is rather brief in characterising this Stufe and he himself appears to question the value of these guide-fossils, as he states that they are not always present. During the Reinbek-period, various species disappeared. In this Stufe four "Hauptfazies" are recognized, two in the north-eastern part and two in the western part of the basin; only the latter are important for our purpose of comparing, as these are based on localities in the neighbourhood; the other ones having deviating faunas.

### a. Bislicher Schichten - Dingdener Feinsand

According to Anderson (1964), this is a sand facies, with a high content of bivalves among which especially Limopsis, Corbula gibba and Spisula "triangulara" (= Spisula spec.) are present. Among the gastropods, Hinia bocholtensis, Archimediella subangulata, Ringicula buccinea, Gemmula zimmermanni and Aporrhais alata are most common. The results of the Dingden boring as given in the graphs of Janssen (1967), can be compared with the features of this layer given by Anderson (1964). The Bislicher Schichten are situated in this boring between 8.50 and 4.00 m, Janssen proposes to name this interval Dingdener Feinsand. It appears from his countings that this layer does not contain the real optimum of Limopsis aurita, that Spisula spec. has his real optimum here and that Corbula gibba shows a maximum in the underlying layer. In agreement with Anderson 1964, Hinia bocholtensis, Ringicula buccinea, and Aporrhais alata show little deviation from the overlying strata. The number of these species cannot be used when characterising the difference between the Bislicher Schichten and the Dingdener Schichten (sensu Anderson). Janssen does not give a graph of Gemmula zimmermanni, but this species is of no use for the same reason. Finally, Archimediella subangulata is not the most frequent in this formation, but in the basal layers of the overlying formation.

This Dingdener Feinsand formation is represented in all the borings investigated. It should be mentioned again that the striking resemblance of the results of Janssen and my own investigations clearly demonstrates that countings of residues larger than 2 mm may be used for a quick orientation of the sample.

### b. Dingdener Schichten - Dingdener Glimmerton

Only in a few borings the overlying layers are present. In these borings, no sharp boundary could be observed, either lithological or in the fauna, as can



also be seen in the graphs by Janssen (1967). In the upper layers of this formation, the molluscs become scarce and therefore the results derived with this method are not very accurate. Since most of the outcrops are situated in this formation, the best way to obtain information about it is to take samples by digging, because in that way more material can be collected. The speciescontent of this formation is the best known, due to the intensive sampling in the outcrops in Dingden, Stemerdink and formerly in De Giffel and Zwiilbroek 34G.3-1. The differences from the underlying formation are treated above.

#### Overlying formations

In our area, these layers are usually regarded to belong to the Upper Miocene. Molluscs are very scarce or even absent. This is not a secondary phenomenon. The calciumcarbonate has not been dissolved, as microfossils are still present. No subdivision can be made with the method of counting molluscs. In other areas where lines of development in the molluscs can be recognized, a subdivision is made, based on the evolution of molluscs.

#### CORRELATION OF THE BORINGS

Some layers contain concretions in situ. These are usually coloured rather light when dry, and contain the same fauna as the not-luted sediment. Although these are not mentioned separately in the original boringlogs because they are usually scarce, the occurrence became interesting when in Miste 41E.3-75 a large amount of these concretions appeared to be present. They are usually found in the layers where *Astarte radiata* is common, as well as in the layers below these. There is no relation with the present depth from which the samples in which they occur are derived, but the relation of these concretions to a certain thanatocoenoses indicates the approximate depth of the sea.

In the area investigated the Miocene layers have a more or less constant thickness. Actually, the layers containing a noticeable amount of molluscs rarely extend over ten, sometimes twelve meters. In the westernmost part of the area little is known about their thickness, because of the fact that the tertiary strata are overlain by huge quaternary deposits. Good borings are badly needed in that part of the area, but until now the depth was to considerable for the drilling equipment at our disposal. To illustrate this declination, compare the depths of Miste, De Haart and Aalten. In the western area, complete and undisturbed section of the Miocene must be present, and for a better understanding of the Miocene deposits we must try to get from there more information. A consequence of the constancy in thickness of

these shell bearing layers is that the margin of the Miocene basin cannot be sought to have been situated in the eastern area, where the Miocene deposits are just absent. This leads to the conclusion in an unknown part east to the area investigated these Miocene deposits must have been eroded.

When comparing the borings, it appears that three different types can be distinguished in relation to the species content in their basal samples:

- a. Borings with a maximum of Astarte radiata in the basal samples.
- b. Borings with a low number of Astarte radiata in the basal samples that increases in the next sample.
- c. Borings of which the percentage of Astarte radiata from the base onwards remains low in a number of succeeding samples.

When locating these borings on a map (figure 1), it appears that the groups represent each a distinct area. Group a is situated in the northern part of the area. Group b is generally located west of the borings of group c, with exception of Stemerding and Renskers. These deviations are due to the presence of salt dome action in the underground, and are discussed in the chapter on the general conditions in the Miocene sea. The borings of group b are best known; those of group c are situated more eastward, in an area where the Miocene layers are usually eroded. It is possible that more northwards or westwards other sections of type a and c can be found.

Not all borings represent long sections, a few consist of only one or a few samples. These are placed in the best-fitting group on account of the additional fauna. In each group the borings are treated from south to north.

- a. Borings with a maximum of Astarte radiata in the basal samples.

#### Rekken, 34G. 2-1

This boring consists of only one sample, derived from a rather long section of 2.5 m. The high Astarte radiata content may be due to a high content of this species in the uppermost part of the section, while in the basal part this may be low. This high percentage is artificial then, as it is influenced by the sampling method. The percentage of gastropod specimens is even 52; the number of gastropod species is rather high in relation to that of the bivalve species. Spisula spec. is present in a low percentage.

#### Ticheloven, 34G. 1-24

This boring is situated a few meters besides the boring Ticheloven 34G. 1-1/34, on which Janssen 1967 based the Laag van Ticheloven. The differences of this boring as compared to De Haart are real, and not due to sampling errors. It seems as if the lower part of the section is not present, the remaining part agreeing very well with De Haart, in spite of the fact that they are

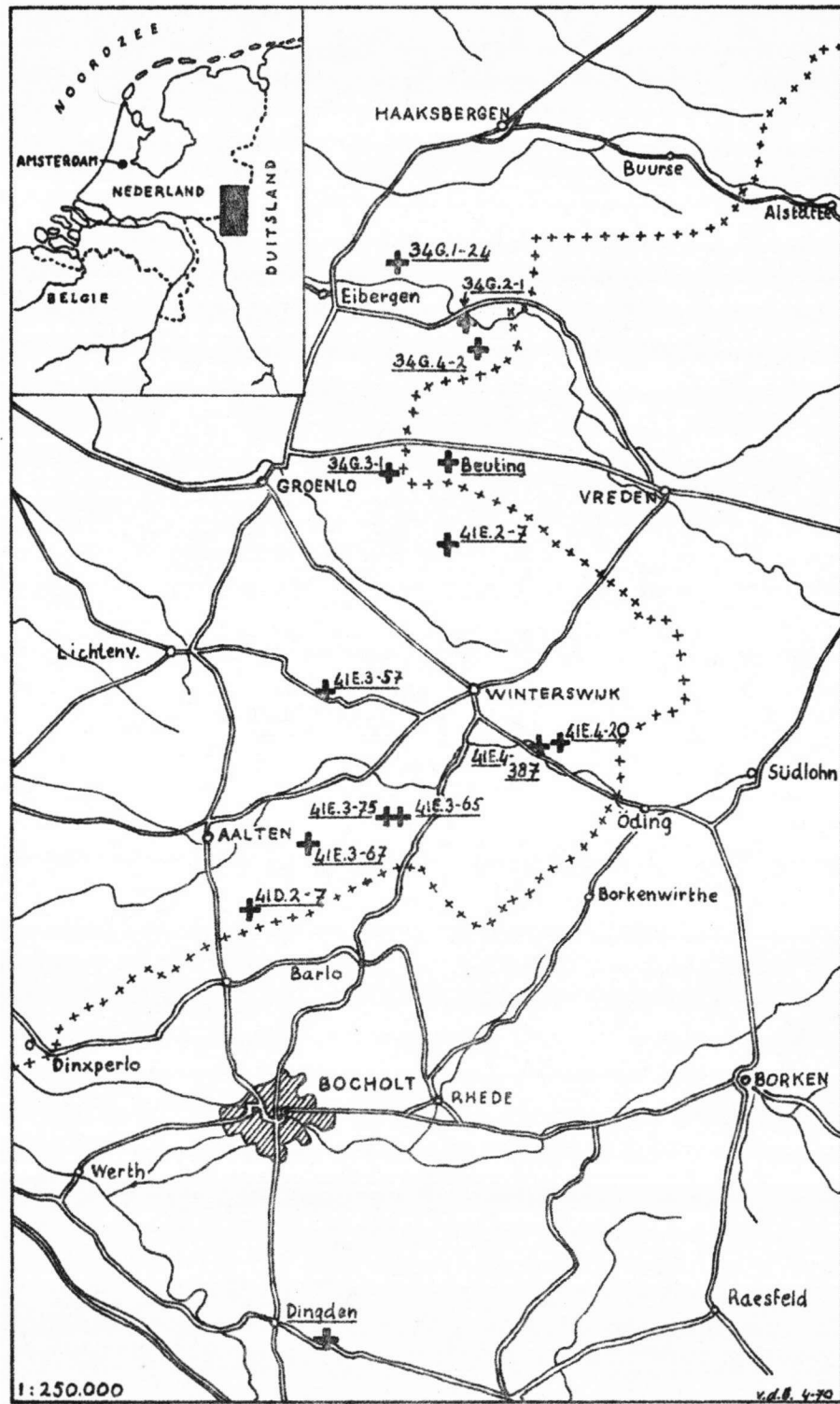


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more than 21 km apart. Real percentages count less in this respect than the sequence and mutual relation of the optima of the different species.

Interesting is the situation of the clay-sand boundary that is here rather at the base of the section, far below the maximum of Spisula spec. The Miocene is absent one sample above the maximum of Spisula.

b. Borings with a low number of Astarte radiata in the basal samples that increases in the next sample.

Aalten, De Vlijt, 41D.2-7

As this boring is situated only 3 km from De Haart, it shows in general the same tendencies in the speciescontent as that boring. The number of countable specimens in the samples is usually low, although the sedimentquantities of the samples are of a normal size. The number of gastropodspecies in relation to that of the bivalve species shows the same tendencies as that in De Haart, although the percentage of the gastropod specimens is due to irregular and unexpected variations.

De Haart, 41E.3-67

In the basal layers the molluscan content is rather high but this decreases higher in the section. This decrease is not gradual as can be seen in sample 13-14 m. Above 11 m depth the number of countable molluscs is so low, that these samples are not counted at all.

Starting again with the lower layers, the percentage of gastropod specimens is rather high, being 45 per cent in the basal sample, rapidly decreasing in the higher samples, with a slight increase in sample 14-15 m. Decrease of the number of gastropod species can also be noted, but the fall of this number above sample 19-20 m is striking, since it is a decrease of 66 per cent. From the next sample, which is somewhat higher, the decrease is rather slow, up to only one species in the uppermost sample. The decrease of the number of bivalve species is more gradual. These are less frequent than the gastropod species in the basal layers, but in the upper sample they are still present with 8 species, whereas this sample only contains  $27\frac{1}{2}$  specimens. .. It is useless to deal with all species encountered in the samples. Fluctuations can be read in the lists, and for the more important species they can be seen in the graphs. Nevertheless I had make here a few remarks about some of the species because in this boring the features of the graphs are typical. E.g. Astarte radiata starts in the basal samples with a low percentage, to reach a maximum in the sample 18-19 m, after which it decreases to be absent in the sample 15-16 m. The graph shows no discontinuities. As another

example, Spisula spec. is present in the basal sample with 4.3 per cent and ascends rapidly upwards to a maximum of 25.4 per cent, just above that of Astarte radiata. The clay-sand boundary is situated just above this maximum. In the sample 13-14 m this species has disappeared. Limopsis aurita, the most important species of the Dingdener Glimmerton, starts with a low percentage and rises slowly to a maximum of 18.3 per cent above that of Spisula spec. In this part of the boring, the graph is irregular, probably because of the small number of countable specimens, but it remains rather high. Other species of interest are Hiatella arctica and Amyclina facki, because these are only present in the lower samples.

Stemerding, 41E.4-387

In general, this boring agrees with that of De Haart, although the section seems stretched. Here to, irregular fluctuations in the percentage of gastropod specimens occur, while also the number of gastropod species shows irregularities, since their number is about as high of the number of bivalve species in the upper samples. The clay-sand boundary is situated just below the maximum of Spisula spec.

Renskers, 41E.4-20

Of this boring a large upper part is eroded. The profile is stretched like that of Stemerding. The results agree remarkably with those of De Haart, even the general features of gastropods and bivalves. The clay-sand boundary is situated in this boring far below the maximum of Spisula spec., even below the maximum of Astarte radiata !!

Maneschijn, 41E.3-57

Of this boring only the two basal samples are counted, of each of them only 100 specimens. The percentage of gastropod specimens is high. For a basal sample the number of bivalve species is rather high as compared to the number of gastropod species. This may be due to the small number of specimens counted, since two valves of a bivalve represent one individual but two valves can represent two species, whereas one shell of a gastropod counts only for one specimen and can only represent, of course, one species.

De Giffel, 41E.2-7

The similarity of the fossilcontent of this boring with that of De Haart is striking, although the distance between them is about 12 km. The upper part of the section is missing. Note that the percentage of gastropod specimens is very high and that the number of species of this group is higher than that of the bivalve species. The clay-sand boundary is situated above the optimum of Spisula spec.

## Rekken, 34G.4-2

This boring only consists of one sample that fits best in this group. *Astarte radiata* and *Spisula spec.* are not encountered, so in this respect it can be supposed to represent the upper part as well of the basal part of De Haart. *Limopsis aurita*, however, is present in a rather low number, while additional fauna-elements as *Hiatella arctica*, *Astarte waeli* etc. indicate that this sample must be correlated with the lower part of De Haart. This is corroborated by the fact that the percentage of gastropod specimens is very high, as the low number of gastropod species in relation to that of the bivalve species is probably due to the small number of the specimens counted.

c. Borings of which the percentage of *Astarte radiata* from the base onwards remains low in a number of succeeding samples.

## Miste, 41E.3-75

When comparing this boring with De Haart there seems to be little resemblance although these borings are only 2200 m apart. At closer view, however, it appears that the two uppermost samples of this boring are fully comparable to the two lowest samples of De Haart, the graphs being more or less a continuation of each other, although the absolute percentages do not fully agree. The percentage of gastropod specimens is high, except in the higher samples, as is the number of gastropod species in relation to that of the bivalve species. Interesting features of Miste are the low number of *Astarte radiata*, *Spisula spec.* and *Limopsis aurita* in the lower samples, whereas the number of *Hiatella arctica* is rather high. The clay-sand boundary is situated in the part of the section where the *Astarte radiata* percentage is not yet important; when comparing this with other borings this appears to be very low in the section. The section is very short. Unfortunately the overlying layers, which must have contained in my opinion a fauna as is found in the basal layers of De Haart, are not present. A line of intermediate borings between this one and De Haart can give more information concerning this question.

## Miste, 41E.3-65

This boring consists of only one sample, which agrees very well with the basal layers of Miste 41E.3-75. Note the high percentage of *Hiatella arctica* and that of the gastropod specimens, whereas the number of bivalve species is low compared with that of the gastropod species.

## Ellewicker Feld, Beuting.

Only one sample was taken when digging a pit. *Hiatella arctica* is present in a high percentage; *Astarte radiata*, *Spisula spec.* and *Limopsis aurita* are

absent. It fits best with the basal samples of Miste 41E.3-75 with respect to the additional fauna. The percentage of the gastropod specimens as well as the number of species of this group are comparatively low, probably due to the small number of specimens available and the rather bad preservation of the material. More information will be obtained from more accurate and more complete sampling.

#### RANGE OF "CHARACTERISTIC" "HEMMOOR" SPECIES IN THE VARIOUS BORINGS

A species can be so scarce in a sample that the possibility to encounter it with this method is very small. This is for instance the case with species that descend from a maximum and are absent in the overlying layers. Thus the upper boundary of a species as it is given in my graphs is more or less approximate.

Typical "Hemmoor" species are, according to Anderson 1964:

*Nuculana emarginata* (Lamarck)  
*Cardium hanseatum* Kautsky  
*Haustator eryna* (Orbigny)  
*Sandbergeria wolffi* Kautsky  
*Dorsanum boreobaccatum* Kautsky  
*Hinia schroederi* (Kautsky)

Only the third and the last species occur in my samples. According to information by Mr. A. W. Janssen two different facies can be distinguished in the "Hemmoor" Stufe, each characterised by the occurrence of certain species. So, species typical when occurring in rather high numbers are:

##### rather fine sediments

*Haustator eryna*  
*Hinia schroederi*

##### rather coarse sediments

*Oliva dufresnei* Basterot  
*Sandbergeria wolffi*  
*Dorsanum boreobaccatum*  
*Nuculana emarginata*

The facies with coarse sediment appears to be absent from the area investigated. The facies with fine sediment is present in some places, but its typical species can also be found in many of the other borings. Their occurrence is discussed below.

Borings of group a.

Neither in Rekken 34G.2-1 nor in Ticheloven were these species present.

Borings of group b.

Both species are absent in the following borings: Aalten, Stemerding and Rekken 34G.4+2.

In De Haart *Haustator eryna* is present in the sample 18-19 m, where the maximum of *Astarte radiata* occurs. *Hinia schroederi* is found in the sample just below this maximum.

In Renskers Hinia schroederi is present in the two basal samples below the maximum of Astarte radiata, whereas Haustator eryna is absent.

In Maneschijn Haustator eryna is present in the basal sample below the maximum of Astarte radiata, whereas Hinia schroederi is absent.

In De Giffel Haustator eryna is present from the base towards sample 10.40 - 11.40 m; Hinia schroederi is only present in the sample 9.30-10.40 m. The two samples mentioned represent the maximum of Astarte radiata.

Borings of group c.

In Miste 41E.3-75 Haustator eryna is present up to sample 2.25-2.75 m, whereas the uppermost sample in which Hinia schroederi is found is 3.25-3.75 m.

In the overlying layers where Astarte radiata climbs up to its maximum these species are absent.

In Miste 41E.3-65 both species are present in the only sample, in Ellewicker Feld, Beuting, they were not encountered.

Conclusion: It appears that both species are present in samples that must be reckoned to the Laag van Ticheloven; the consequence is that this formation must be incorporated in the "Hemmoor Stufe". However, according to the remainder of the speciescontent it can be reckoned to belong to the Reinbek Stufe as well.

#### ECOLOGICAL CONDITIONS IN THE MIOCENE SEA

The conditions in the Miocene sea in the Achterhoek area must have changed slowly, for nowhere in the sequence of strata sudden changes in the speciescontent occur. However, in the sediment sometimes an alternation of small banks of sand and clay can be observed; in general there is a change from layers of sand, with more or less addition of clay at the base, to layers of clay with more or less addition of sand to the top. In the sand as well as in the clay many bivalve shells are found in living position, with the two valves still together, which indicates rather quiet conditions. This is also illustrated by the presence of free living colonies of bryozoans (Lagaay, 1963) and by the solitary corals, which can not live in a moving environment, where sediments are regularly rebuilt. Although sandlayers can only be formed when there is a sufficient supply of sand (which is the case for in all layers at least some sand is present) these are mainly built in shallow waters. If there is supply of new sediment, the coarser sediments have already settled when the finer material still remains suspended in the water and can be carried off. If any rebuilding of the sediments in the Miocene sea occur, this must have happened very gently.

Near a coast, some places may be more sheltered than others. In more shelte-



red parts fine material can settle, forming more clayish layers; these being deposited at depth in which only sandlayers can be formed in the more exposed parts. The occurrence of clay layers is, to my opinion, usually not to be correlated with the depth of the sea, but with the exposure.

When regarding the relation of the Spisula spec. maximum to the clay - sand boundary, it appears that these do not show a constant relation. Sometimes this species is found in a clayish sediment, another time it is present in a sand layer. The same can be observed for other species. The conclusion is that the maxima of species appear to be independant of the type of sediment in these Miocene deposits to a certain degree.

The zonation of animals (and algae) in the sea is correlated with the depth (Cadée 1968. fig, 36). In shallow water there is a good saturation with oxygen and a good light supply if compared with deeper water. To my opinion, the main cause of the variation of the speciescontent in the borings must be the gradual changing of the depth of the Miocene sea. I have not found a boundary caused by more than one species, as is found by Cadée (1968), so that the samples encountered in my investigations are probably situated in one such a zone as recognized by him. Changes in characters have not been observed in any species, although no special attention has been paid to this subject during this study.

From my investigations it does not become clear how long it took for the deposition of the shell bearing Miocene sediments in this region.

The borings of group c, with their high content of gastropods ( species as well as specimens) and their coarse sediments, indicate a formation in less quiet water, which may have been shallow, whereas the basal layers of De Haart indicate a deposition in a comparatively more sheltered or deeper area. This is possibly not in contradiction with Boekschoten (1969a), who, on account of the features of the foraminifera, wants to accept a non deposition area on "hills" in a plain, somewhat deeper sea. Consequently the sea over these hills must have been more shallow. There appear to be two borings, at a distance of only 2200 m, of which the basal samples of the more western one show environmental circumstances differing from those from the more eastern one. These differences can be regarded as caused either by differences in depth or by a more sheltered position. Of these two possibilities, that of differences in depth fits best with the idea that these layers are deposited in a slowly declining basin, which is flooded by a transgression. This basin must have had a coast somewhere which, at the beginning of the transgression in this area, must have been situated in the neighbourhood of these localities. At that moment the rise of the water must have been very

rapid, because in the borings on the western side of the area no trace is found in the speciescontent indicating a shallow water deposition. According to information of M. van den Bosch (in litt.) these basal samples show a reworked fauna of shark teeth that is identical in both borings; the fauna of shark teeth in situ is also identical. This is not a piece of evidence that makes it probable that the differences in the mollusc content of these basal layers was mainly influenced by differences in depth as sharks are not restricted to a certain depth.

The flooded area continued to decline, the water in the flooded parts becoming steadily deeper, thus causing the change in species composition. According to information of M. van den Bosch the fauna of shark teeth in situ changes considerably from the base of Dingden Feinsand upwards, so that changes in the shark fauna may be due to new influences from outside the basin. For the molluscs this seems to have been not very important, because no boundaries occur in the species sequence, and new species are not found in my countings. The declination of the area makes it understandable that the same species sequence that is present in the western borings in the basal layers occurred in the eastern borings when already a considerable thick bank of sediment had been deposited, with a speciescontent of which no trace can be found in the former. Each zone moves to the east with the increasing of the transgression ( see figure 2).

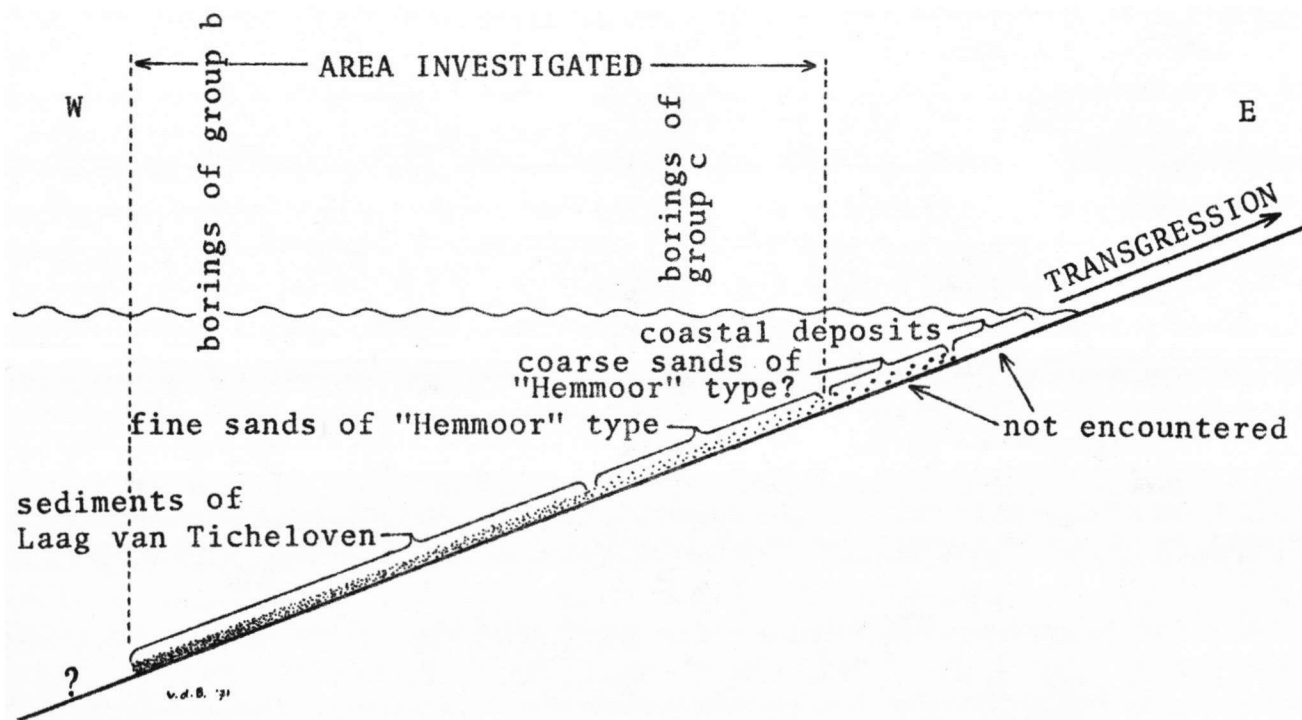


Fig. 2. Situation of the different types of sediment at the start of the transgression in this area, borings of group b and c indicated.

Unfortunately more to the east the Miocene deposits are eroded, so that it can not be estimated how far the transgression has reached to the east. However, there must be still be some places where Miocene deposits remain. In Stemerdink and Renskers, for instance, situated most to the east, the same deposits as in De Haart are found at the base. These localities represent an isolated Miocene deposit, which is not transported, but situated on a salt-dome. Probably this area was situated lower as compared to the neighbouring country, because the salt was somewhat dissolved when the transgression reached it, so that there was already a deeper pit. Here the section starts with a speciescontent as found in De Haart, indicating a deposition in somewhat deeper water. This dissolving of the salt must have continued in later times, causing the area to sink steadily. When the Netherlands rose above sea-level and erosion started to carry off the newly formed layers, the Miocene in this pocket was nearly carried off. It is possible that on other salt-domes more eastwards still more Miocene deposits are left, from which the extension of the Miocene sea can be estimated.

In the higher levels the molluscs become scarce in number of specimens as well as in number of species. These layers usually consist of clay, with rather little sand and rather much mica and the percentage of Limopsis aurita remains high. With regard to the molluscs nothing definite can be said about the depth of the sea in those days; other methods must bring forward more evidence on this subject. The occurrence of complete skeletons of whales and sirens in the claypits of F. O. W. brickworks at Eibergen (Zwilbroek 4LE.3-57, see fig. 1) may be an indication of shallow water, as I already have mentioned.

From the evidence here given it is clear that Boekschoten (1969b, c) is right when he states that the finer sediments deposited in deeper water with "Reinbeker Faunenbild" (= species composition of the Reinbek type) and shallow water sands with "Hemmoorer Faunenbild" (= species composition of the Hemmoor type) must represent one and the same transgression.

This is a good place to make some remarks about the Miocene deposits in "De Peel" (province of Limburg, Netherlands). During investigations early this century several deep borings were brought down in this area, where long sections containing mollusc fauna's mainly of the Hemmoor-type occur (Waterschoot van der Gracht 1918). Rich collections were made, but unfortunately samples from various levels were put together, so that variations in the species sequence can not be estimated anymore. This is the more regrettable because this area, according to the descriptions, must constantly have been situated in a shallow water area. As the Miocene deposits represent here a considerable time interval, it is possible that in this area changes in the

speciescontent that are not due to changes in environment, but to for instance climatic changes, and lines of development of molluscs in time will be found. One or two new, well samples borings in this area will probably give much information on these shallow water deposits, if they are made skilfully and with great care. Moreover, changes in the lithological features may be found in that case, for the increased drilling methods make it possible to take good samples from small intervals without admixture of contaminations, which was impossible in earlier times.

#### GENERAL AND STRATIGRAPHIC CONCLUSIONS

It must be concluded from the great resemblance in the results for very close as well as for distant borings, that this method of counting 500 specimens from samples from an interval of 1 m or less can be applied for comparing the composition of the fauna's with reliable results. Changes in species sequence, the maxima of species, transitions and impoverishments of the fauna can be clearly recognized. The results will be more accurate if the samples are taken carefully from smaller trajects.

It appeared in my countings that the drilling-method had no influence on the counting-results. In borings where the drilling-method was changed somewhere in the traject no discrepancies were observed.

The lithology of the strata shows variations in relation to the mollusc fauna, as is demonstrated for the clay-sand boundary in relation to Spisula spec. Another lithological feature, the occurrence of concretions in situ, is restricted to a certain layer, and probably connected with the depth of the sea, and in this way linked to a certain thanatocoenosis.

At the start of the transgression the coast of the Miocene sea in the area investigated was situated somewhere eastwards of Miste and Beuting, and the rise of the water was very fast at that time. After this the rise appears to have been much slower. The sea must have extended further eastwards, judging from the thick deposits of the complete Miocene sediments in the western part of the area, and the occurrence of some rests of Miocene deposits on salt-domes more to the east.

The stratigraphy of the area studied is rather well-known, but the interpretation of some features was sometimes incorrect. The nomenclature has sometimes been used in a wrong sense; moreover, several units are not named (see fig. 3 and 4).

Two chronostratigraphical names (Hemmoorium = Hemmoor Stufe and Reinbekium = Reinbek Stufe) were recognized for the whole of the shell-bearing strata.

The Middle-Miocene deposits of the region have not yet received any formation name. The members were recognized as follows. For the sands of the Hemmoor type no lithostratigraphical name has been proposed. The sediments of the Reinbek type were subdivided by Janssen 1967 in two units of equal value, the Laag van Ticheloven and the Dingdener Schichten, the latter subdivided in Dingdener Feinsand and Dingdener Glimmerton. The last two units were already recognized by Anderson 1964, resp. as Bislicher Schichten and Dingdener Schichten. Sediments of the Laag van Ticheloven were not known to him. This presentation can be seen in fig. 3.

Chronology		Lithological units	
Middle Miocene Koenen 1886	Reinbek Stufe (Reinbekium) Köwing 1957	Dingdener Schichten Janssen 1967	Dingdener Schichten Anderson 1964 Dingdener Glimmerton Janssen 1967
			Bislicher Schichten Anderson 1958 Dingdener Feinsand Janssen 1967
		Laag van Ticheloven Janssen 1967	
	Hemmoor Stufe (Hemmoorium) Köwing 1957	Sands of "Hemmoor" type (see Janssen 1968)	

Fig. 3. Chronostratigraphical and lithostratigraphical subdivision of the Miocene deposits in the region Winterswijk - Dingden, as used up to now.

As all the transitions between the recognized members appeared to be gradual and not limited by boundaries, the conclusion must be that the shell-bearing sediments represent here but a basal part of only one sedimentation-cycle, which should have only one chrono-stratigraphical name and one formation name. In my opinion, if one wants to recognize limited lithological units, it is best to accept here four members of equal value. The thickness of the distinguished members in this area is relatively small, they never exceed 5 m, and are usually smaller, together rarely exceeding 12 m in this area.

The chronological name Middle Miocene is understood to cover the whole shell-bearing complex. The names Hemmoor Stufe and Reinbek Stufe, having been used merely in a chronological sense, as explicitly stated by Anderson 1964, can better be abandoned in this area, because a chronological bipartition of the Miocene in the Winterswijk - Dingden area is not supported by features.

The names Hemmoor Stufe and Reinbek Stufe are not applicable in a lithological sense in the area too, because they are of a tainted stock. Moreover a direct correlation with the type localities in Northern Germany seems to be

rather difficult.

The deposits on top of the studied section are a continuation of the same sedimentation cycle.

In my opinion the correct way to classify the Miocene deposits of the Achterhoek-area and Dingden, lithologically and chronologically, is as follows (most important molluscan species indicated):

CHRONO STRAT.	LITHO STRATIGRAPHY	
	Formation	Member (important species between brackets)
Middle Miocene	not named	Dingdener Glimmerton ( <i>Limopsis aurita</i> )
		----- Dingdener Feinsand ( <i>Spisula</i> sp.)
		----- Laag van Ticheloven ( <i>Astarte radiata</i> )
		----- Fine Sands of "Hemmoor" type ( <i>Hiatella arctica</i> ) (not named)
		↑ TRANSGRESSION

fig. 4. Proposed chronological and lithological subdivision of the Miocene deposits in the region Winterswijk - Dingden.

Sediments of the Ticheloven type and the Hemmoor type may be deposited synchrone.

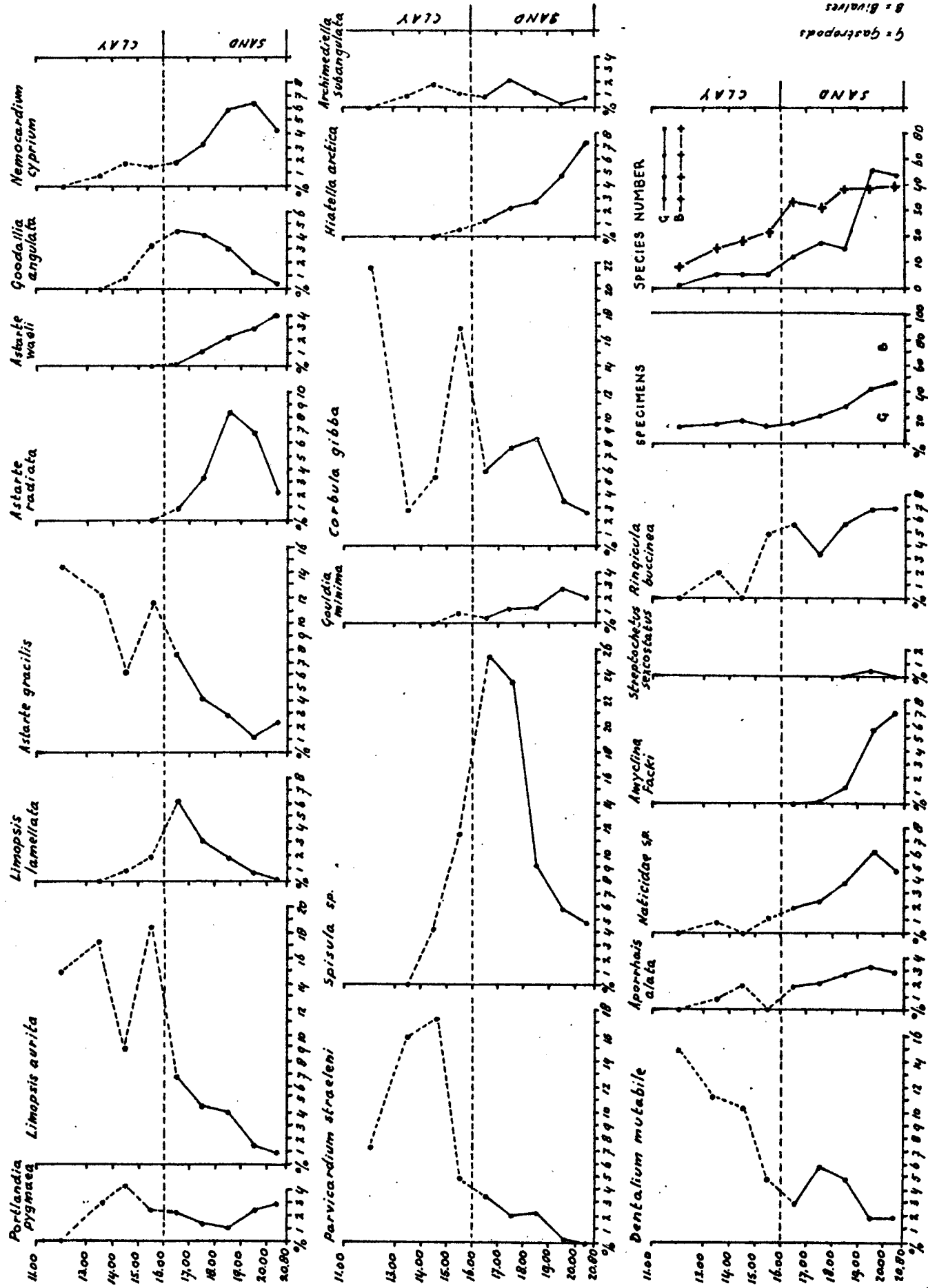
Haustator eryna and Hinia schroederi can not be used as guide-fossils for sands of the Hemmoor type, as these species are also found in sediments of the Laag van Ticheloven.

The maxima of mollusc species appear to be independant of the grain size of the sediment.

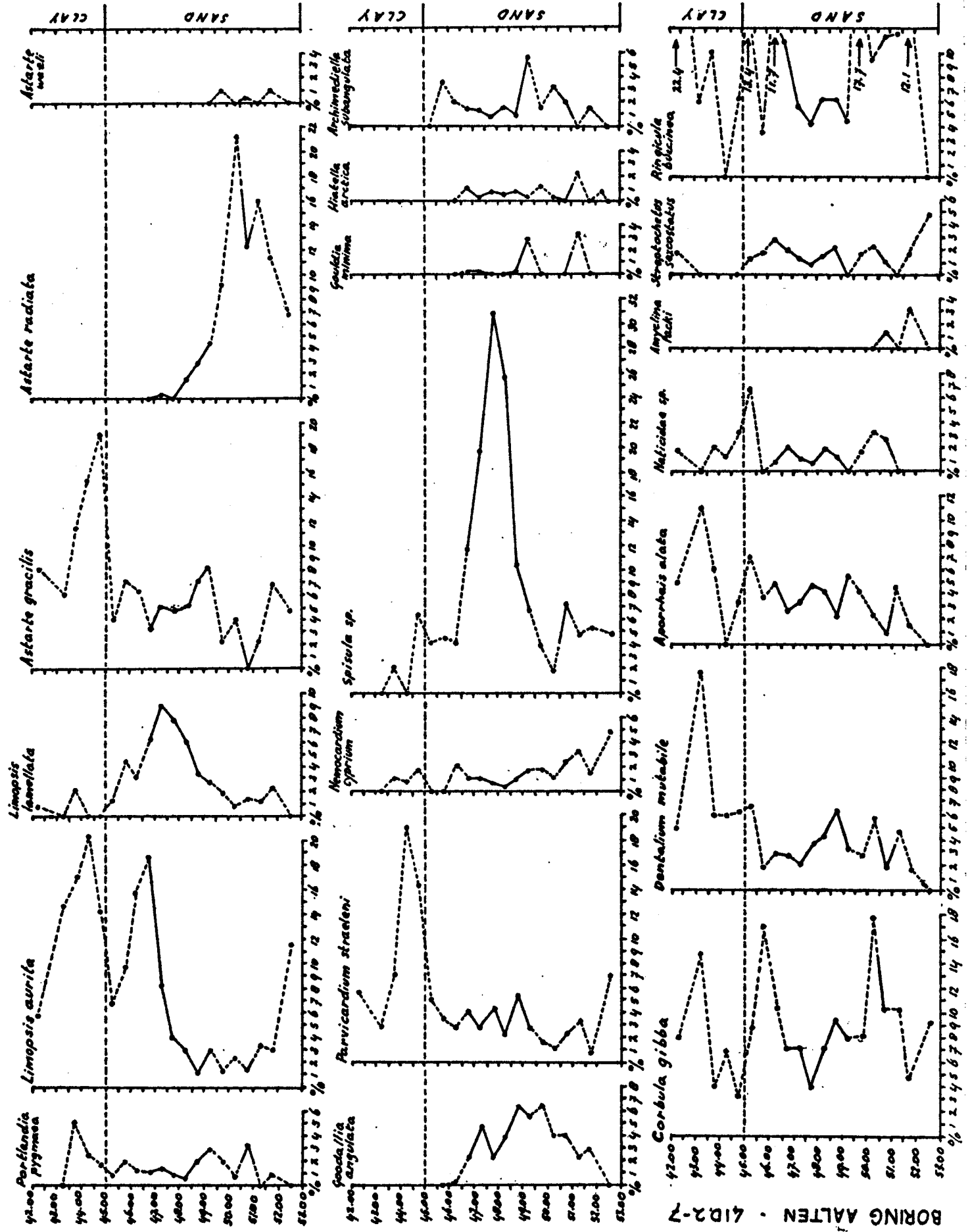
The changes of the thanatocoenoses can be thought to be due to the changing of the depth of the Miocene sea.

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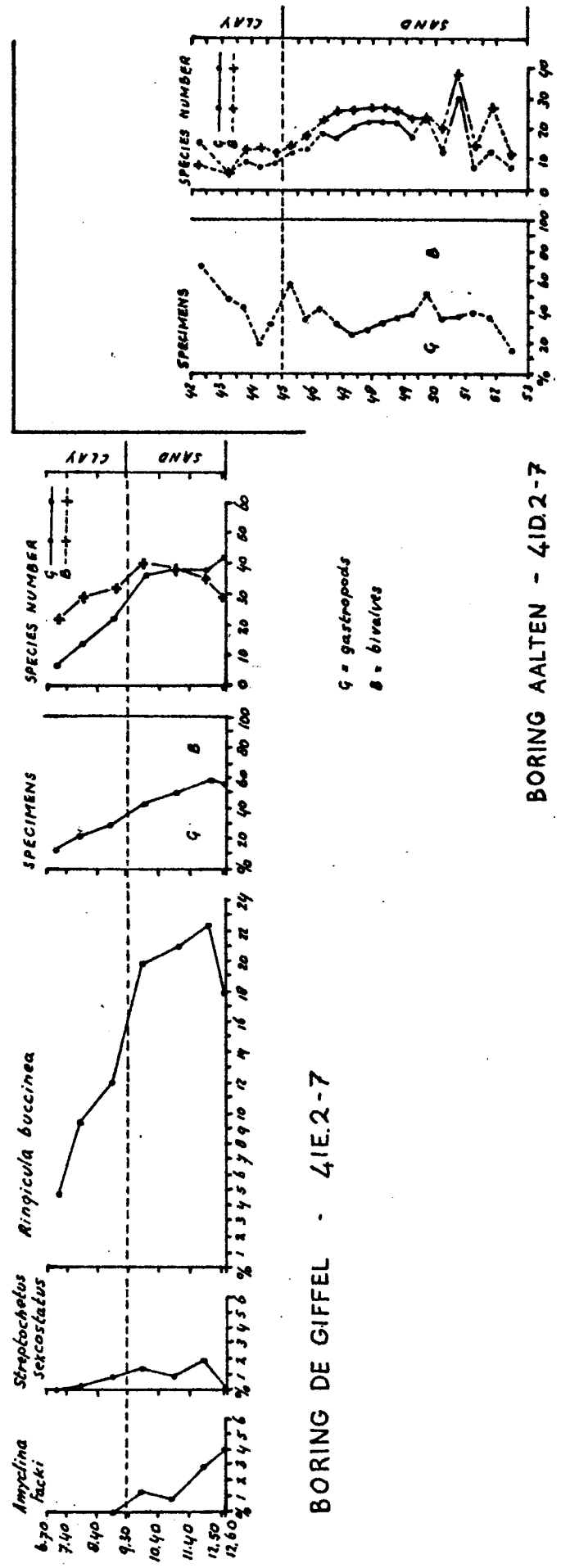
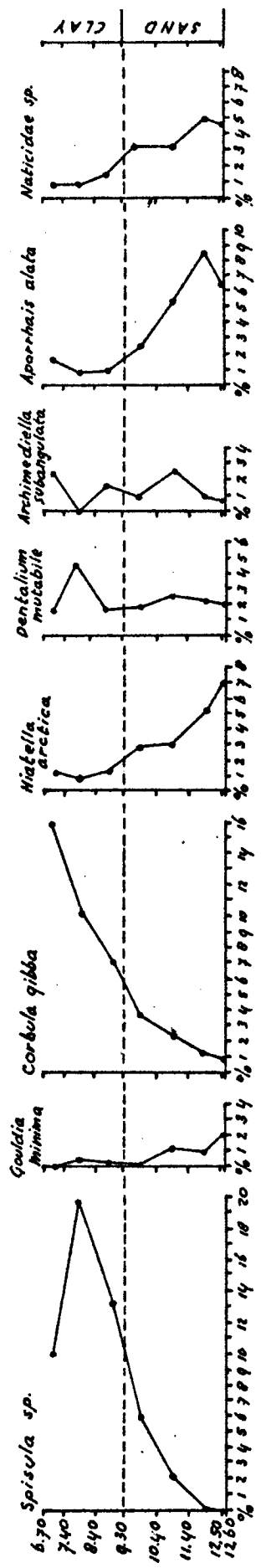
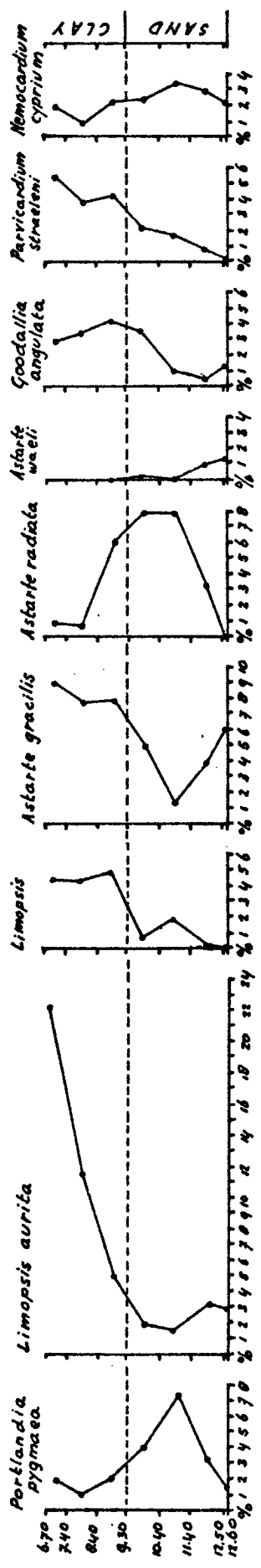
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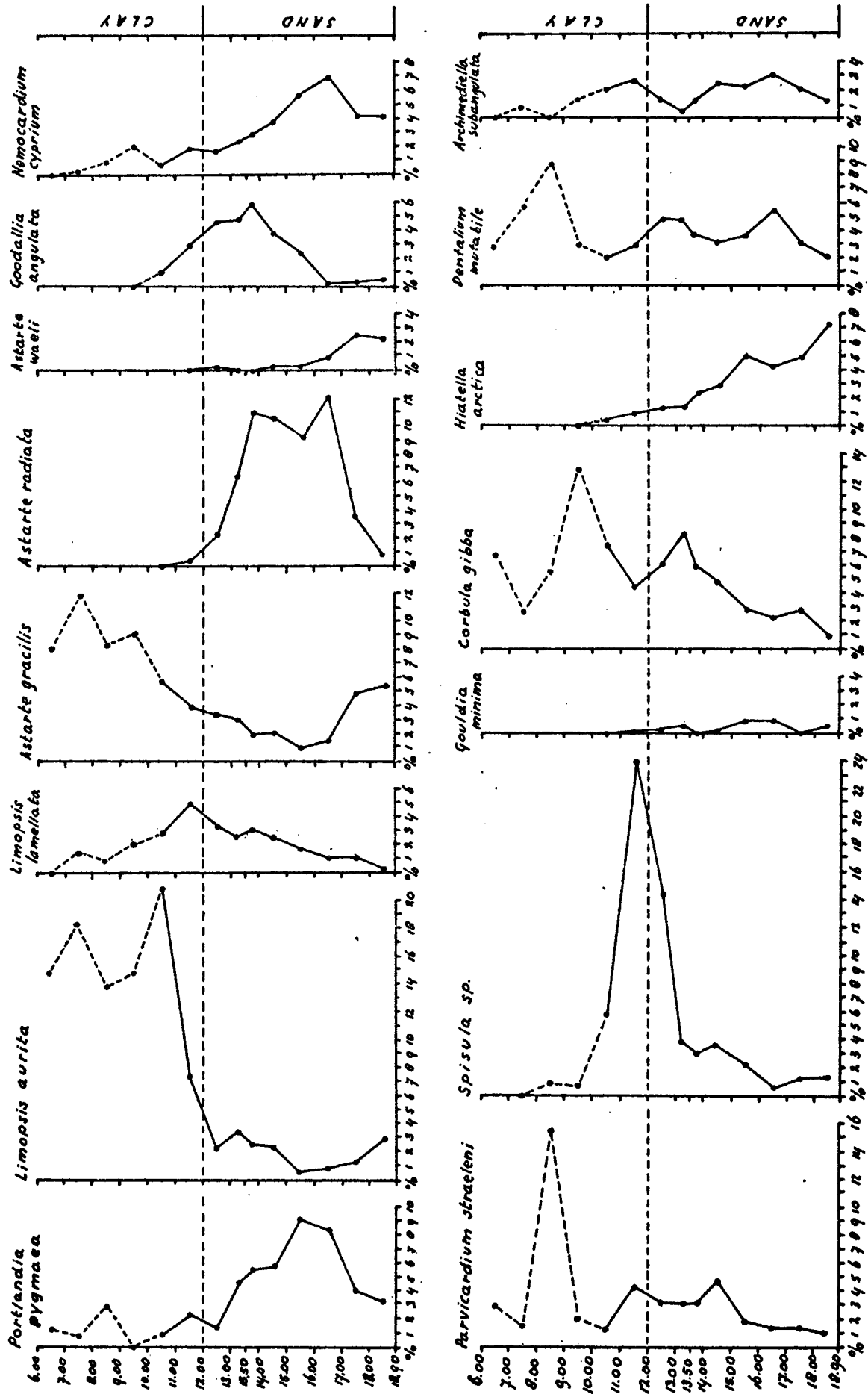




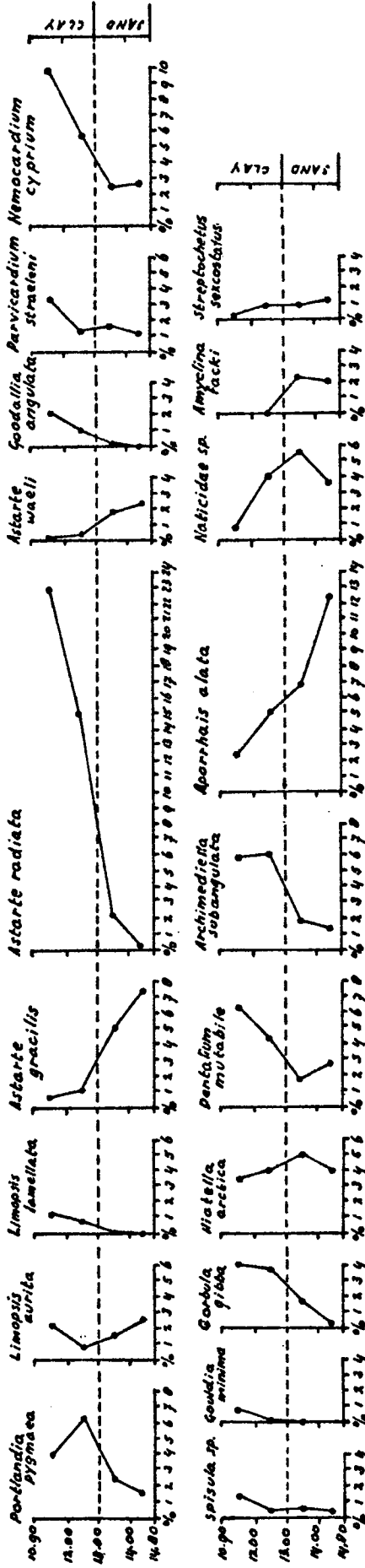


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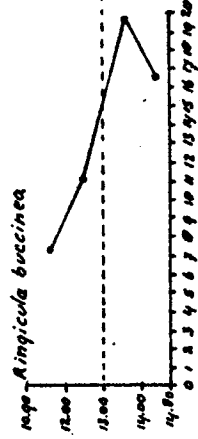
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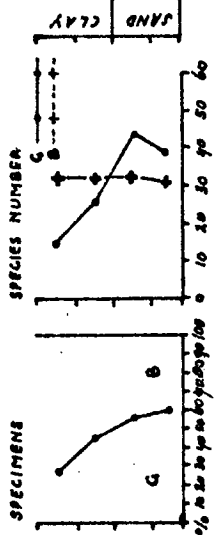
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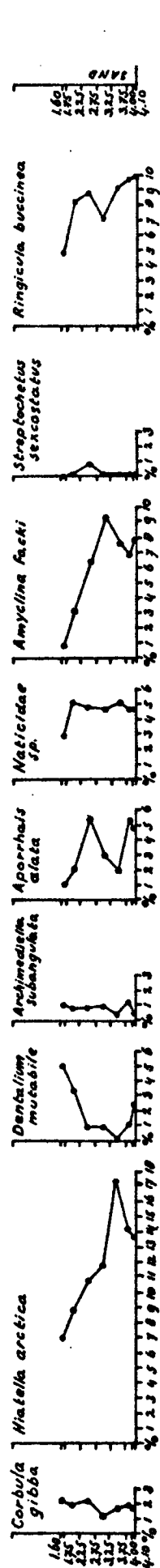
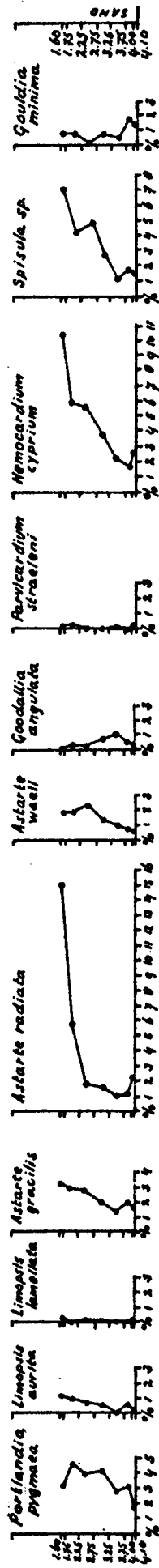


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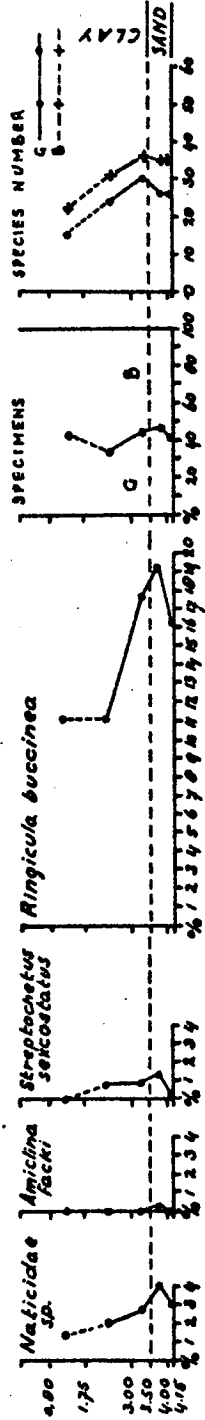
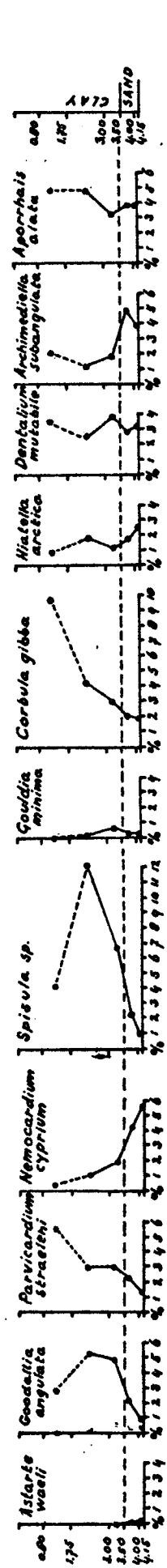
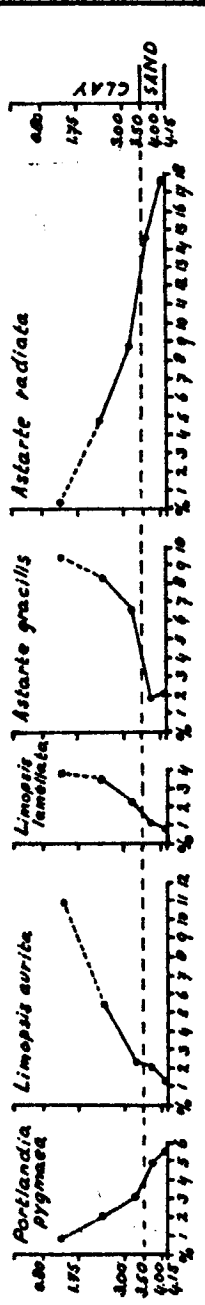
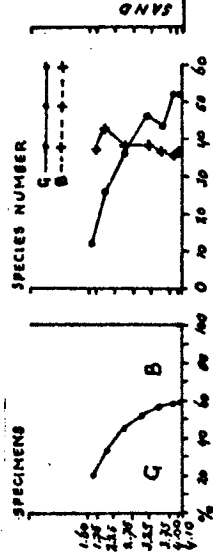


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depth in m	number counted	1 specimen - ...%	% Gastr. specimens	number Gastr. species	number Bivalve species	Nucula spec.	Nucula westendorfi	Portlandia pygmaea	Portlandia spec. ? nov.	Yoldia glaberrima	Bathyporeia pectunculoides	Anadara diluvii	Limopsis aurita	Limopsis retifera	Limopsis lamellata	Glycymeris lamellata baldii	Arcopecten sericea	Modiolula phaseolina	Korobkovia woodi	Pseudamussium lilli	Limaria loscombi	Limidae spec.	Caviluncina drqueti	Lucinoma borealis	Thyasira spec.	Erycinidae spec.	Mytilodonta rotundata	Cyclocardia chamaeformis	Erycinella chavani	Astarte gracilis	Astarte radiata	Astarte kichxi	Astarte waeali	Goodallia angulata	Goodallia laevigata	Parvicardium straeleni			
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51.50-52	68.8	47.3	42.0	35.4	41.0	32.8	26.4	28.6	31.1	36.3	38.5	50.9	35.1	36.2	36.1	14.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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46-46.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45.50-46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45-45.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44.50-45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44-44.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43.50-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43-43.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42-42.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5.6	2.9	7.0	18.8	14.2	4.6	3.5	2.7	4.0	2.7	4.2	2.1	5.4	2.7	1.6	1.1	2.3	3.4	0.4	6.9																			



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depth in m	42-42.50	43-43.50	43.50-44	44-44.50	44.50-45	45-45.50	45.50-46	46-46.50	46.50-47	47-47.50	47.50-48	48-48.50	48.50-49	49-49.50	49.50-50	50-50.50	50.50-51	51-51.50	51.50-52	52-53	53-53.50
<i>Melanella glabella</i>																					
<i>Melanella alba</i>																				4.7	
<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	4.8	11.8	6.0		3.2	6.6	3.5	4.7	2.5	3.3	4.9	4.2	2.1	1.1							
<i>Calyptrea chinensis</i>								0.7			0.3		0.4					4.5	1.5		
<i>Xenophora deshayesi</i>											0.5										
<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	1.6		2.0	1.3	3.2	6.6		0.7	2.0	1.0	0.7	1.9	1.2								
<i>Eudolium dingense</i>													0.4								
<i>Murex inornatus</i>			2.0								0.3						0.3				
<i>Lyrotypis sejunctus priscus</i>				1.3			1.8	2.0	2.0	1.0		0.4	1.7	2.2	2.6		0.3	1.5			7.4
<i>Hadriania coelata</i>																	0.6				
<i>Mitrella nasacoides</i>														1.1							
<i>Anachis corrugata</i>																	0.3				
<i>Anachis pulchella</i>										0.3	0.3										
<i>Amyclina facti</i>																					
<i>Hinia boehltensis</i>	11.2	5.9	8.0	6.0	3.2	14.8	7.0	3.3	2.0	3.7	4.9	1.9	2.5	4.4	1.6	1.1	1.6		3.0		
<i>Hinia turbinella</i>																					1.5
<i>Hinia cimbrica</i>								0.7													
<i>Hinia holsatica</i>																					
<i>Hinia tenuistriata</i>																					
<i>Massariidae spec.</i>									0.5	0.7	0.5	0.8	1.2		1.0		0.3	2.3			
<i>Vexillum spec.</i>												0.4									
<i>Latirus rothi</i>													0.8								
<i>Streptocheilus sexcostatus</i>	1.6					1.3	1.8	2.7	2.0	1.3	0.7	1.5	2.1		1.6	2.3	0.9		1.5	4.7	
<i>Babylonella fusiformis</i>	1.6				3.2	1.3		1.3		0.3			0.4	2.2	0.5				0.3	4.7	
<i>Gemmula boreoturricula</i>						1.3					1.3		0.8	1.1		3.4	0.3				
<i>Gemmula denticula borealis</i>																					
<i>Gemmula zimmermanni</i>			0.2					1.3	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.1	2.5		1.6		0.3			4.7	7.4
<i>Turris aquensis</i>										0.3											
<i>Turris duchasteli flexiplicata</i>	1.6							1.3				0.4	0.4	1.1			0.3				
<i>Epialis ostapbracta s.lat.</i>	3.2						3.5					0.4			0.5						
<i>Crassispira borealis</i>							1.8	1.3			0.5	0.4			2.1						
<i>Brachytoma pannoides</i>											0.3				0.5						
<i>Aphanitoma debilis</i>																	0.3				
<i>Boreodrillia bosnusi</i>																	0.6				
<i>Haedropleura maitreja</i>							1.8														
<i>Mangelidae spec.</i>																					
<i>Teretia anceps</i>														1.1							1.5
<i>Turridae spec.</i>	8.0	6.0	2.0			2.6	1.8		2.0	0.7	1.2	0.4	2.5	2.2	3.6	1.1	2.3				3.0









DE HAART, 41E.3-67, continued

depth in m	11-13	13-14	14-15	15-16	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	20-20,80
<i>Bela tenella</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2
<i>Pleurotomoides luisae</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
Turridae spec.	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.6
<i>Comus antediluvianus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Strioterebrum hoernesii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2
<i>Odostomia (s.lat.) spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Syrnola hoernesii</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.4
<i>Eulimella aff. acicula</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
Actaeonidae spec.	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Ringiula buccinea</i>	-	1.9	-	4.9	5.6	3.4	5.6	6.8	6.8
<i>Cylichna cylindracea</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.4	1.0	1.4
<i>Roxania utriculus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.6
<i>Roxania paucistriata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Retusa elongata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.8	0.6
<i>Rhizorus acuminatus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
Gastropoda spec.	-	-	1.7	1.0	0.2	0.6	1.8	1.0	2.0

## LITHOLOGY

Wash-drilling, borehole of 7.5 cm  $\phi$ , with thick drilling-mud, made by M. van den Bosch

- 0.00 - 1.70 m : Quaternary deposits
- 1.70 - 16.00 m : Very dark green to dark green-grey clay, towards the base with a high content of fine sand; with much, towards the base with some fine mica; at the top and the base with some glauconite; from 10 - 11 m with some jagged quartzites and a hard sandy concretion; from there with some, towards the base to rather few molluscs.
- 16.00 - 20.80 m : Dark green-grey, to very dark green, rather fine glauconite sand, with some quartz-sand, and some fine mica; with very few, from 19 m with some larger fosforites; towards the base with very much shells.
- 20.80 - ? m : Light blue-grey, hard clay with very much fine sand, with an eroded surface (Oligocene)
- Very few contamination was observed when drilling in the basal, sterile Oligocene beds.

## MISTE, 41E.3-75

depth in m	1.60-1.75	1.75-2.25	2.25-2.75	2.75-3.25	3.25-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.10
number counted	390	500	500	500	500	500	500
1 specimen = ...%	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
% Gastr. specimens	19.9	32.0	44.4	52.0	57.0	58.0	59.0
number of Gastr. species	12	26	37	46	44	52	52
number of Bivalve species	37	43	38	38	37	36	37
<i>Nucula spec.</i>	-	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.1
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	2.3	1.6	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.7	0.7
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	3.3	4.5	3.9	4.1	2.7	3.2	1.7
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.3	1.0	0.9
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	0.8	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.6
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	1.3	1.0	0.6	0.5	-	0.5	0.2
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	0.1	1.0	0.6	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.6
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	0.3	-	0.2	-	0.1	0.1	0.2
<i>Glycymeris lunulata baldii</i>	1.0	1.6	1.4	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.7
<i>Aroperna sericea</i>	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Modiolula phaseolina</i>	0.3	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	-	0.2
<i>Korobkovia woodi</i>	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.1	-	0.2
<i>Aequipecten angelonif</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Pseudamussium lilli</i>	-	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.4
<i>Pododesmus squamula</i>	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Limea aff. strigillata</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.1
<i>Limatula sulcata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	0.4	0.4	-	0.6	1.1	1.6	0.9
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.3
<i>Thyasira spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Diplodonta rotundata</i>	1.0	0.9	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.3
<i>Erycinidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	0.1
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6
<i>Erycinella chavani</i>	0.9	3.9	4.1	3.3	2.5	1.0	0.8
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	3.2	2.9	2.8	1.9	1.3	2.0	1.6
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	14.8	5.6	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.2	2.3
<i>Astarte waeli</i>	1.7	1.8	2.2	1.4	1.0	0.7	0.6
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.7	1.0	0.5	0.4
<i>Goodallia laevigata</i>	1.4	2.0	1.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	0.1	0.2	-	-	0.1	-	0.2
<i>Parvicardium aff. scabrum</i>	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Nemocardium cyprium</i>	10.3	5.8	5.5	3.7	2.3	1.6	2.6
<i>Spisula spec.</i>	7.0	4.2	4.9	2.7	1.2	1.6	1.5
<i>Phaxas pellucidus</i>	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-
<i>Angulus aff. donacilla</i>	0.4	2.0	1.6	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.7
<i>Angulus fallax</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	0.8	0.9	0.3	-	0.2	0.5	0.9
<i>Gari affinis</i>	0.3	0.7	0.6	-	-	-	-
<i>Abra Sorgenfreii</i>	6.7	6.2	2.8	2.8	2.3	1.6	1.6
<i>Abra lehmanni</i>	-	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	-	-
<i>Lutetia nitida</i>	-	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.5
<i>Glossus lunulatus</i>	0.9	0.2	0.3	0.1	-	-	0.2
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	2.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.4	0.9	0.5
<i>Gouldia minima</i>	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.8	0.5	1.7	1.3
<i>Clausinella scalaris</i>	0.1	0.2	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Pitar rudis rudis</i>	0.1	0.3	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Corbula gibba</i>	2.2	1.9	2.2	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.7
<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	6.8	8.7	10.6	11.6	17.2	14.2	13.7
<i>Saxicavella pusilla</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-

## MISTE, 41E.3-75, continued

depth in m	1.60-1.75	1.75-2.25	2.25-2.75	2.75-3.25	3.25-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.10
<i>Anisodonta duvergieri</i>	-	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	0.3	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-
Teredinidae/Xylophaginas spec.	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.3	-	0.2	-
<i>Cuspidaria cuspidata</i>	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-
<i>Cardiomya costellata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Bivalvia spec.</i>	4.5	3.7	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.4	0.4
<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	4.9	3.2	0.8	0.8	0.2	1.0	2.4
<i>Dentalium dumasi</i>	-	0.2	-	0.4	-	0.2	-
<i>Dentalium spec.</i>	2.8	0.8	2.8	0.2	1.0	2.4	2.6
<i>Cadulus gadus</i>	-	1.4	0.8	4.4	4.0	3.4	3.0
<i>Scurria compressiuscula</i>	0.5	0.2	1.0	0.4	1.2	0.8	0.6
<i>Solariella spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Circulus hennei</i>	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Tornus trigonostoma</i>	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Hauastator eryna</i>	-	-	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.6	1.4
<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	1.0	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.4	1.2	0.4
<i>Bittium spina</i>	-	0.6	1.0	2.0	2.4	1.2	0.2
<i>Bittium tenuispina</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	.2
<i>Acirsa lanceolata</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
<i>Opalia (Nodiscala) spec.</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Amaea amoena subreticulata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Cirsotrema scaberrimum</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Strombiformis glaber</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4	-
<i>Melanella alba</i>	-	-	0.4	-	-	0.2	0.8
<i>Niso terebellum acarinatocornica</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-
<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	1.0	2.0	5.4	3.0	2.0	5.4	4.8
<i>Calyptraea chinensis</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Xenophora deshayesi</i>	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
Naticidae spec.	2.6	5.0	4.8	4.6	5.2	4.6	4.6
<i>Phalium bicoronatum bicoronatum</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.6	-
<i>Charonia tarbelliana</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Ficus conditus</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.6	0.4
<i>Murex inornatus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Lyrotyphis sejunctus priscus</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.2
<i>Hadriana coelata</i>	-	-	-	1.0	0.2	-	0.2
<i>Mitrella nassoides</i>	-	-	0.8	1.0	-	0.4	0.8
<i>Anachis corrugata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-
<i>Anachis pulchella</i>	-	-	0.2	0.4	0.8	0.6	-
<i>Phallus decussatus</i>	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Amyclina faeki</i>	0.8	3.0	6.4	9.2	7.6	6.8	7.8
<i>Hinia schroederi</i>	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.4	0.4
<i>Hinia bockoltensis</i>	-	-	1.0	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Hinia turbinella</i>	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-
<i>Hinia holsatica</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Hinia tenuistriata</i>	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	-	0.2
Nassariidae spec.	-	-	0.2	1.6	1.0	0.2	0.8
<i>Latirus rothi</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.6
<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	-	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
? <i>Streptochetus contiguus</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Ancilla obsoleta</i>	0.3	0.2	0.4	-	0.8	0.2	0.2
<i>Cancellaria spec. nov.</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Trigonostoma spinifera</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Naxos varicosa</i>	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	0.2	-

MISTE, 41E.3-75, continued

depth in m	1.60-1.75	1.75-2.25	2.25-2.75	2.75-3.25	3.25-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.10
<i>Babylonella fusiformis</i>	-	-	0.2	-	0.4	0.2	0.4
<i>Cancellariidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-
<i>Gemmula stoffelsi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Gemmula boreoturricula</i>	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	0.4
<i>Gemmula denticula borealis</i>	-	0.2	0.4	-	-	0.4	0.2
<i>Turris aquensis</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	-
<i>Turris duchasteli flexiplicata</i>	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.4	-	0.2
<i>Epalkis cataphracta s. lat.</i>	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
<i>Turricula steinvorthis</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Clavus selenkae</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Crassispira borealis</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.4	-
<i>Brachytoma obtusangula</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Brachytoma pannoides</i>	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
? <i>Brachytoma hispidula</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Microdrillia grippi</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Athenotoma festiva</i>	-	-	-	0.6	0.8	1.8	2.0
<i>Boreodrillia hosiusi</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.4	-
? <i>Bela tenella</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.6	0.2
? <i>Bela calais</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6
<i>Mangelidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-
<i>Pleurotomoides borealis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Pleurotomoides campanulata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4
<i>Teretia anceps</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Turridae spec.</i>	-	1.0	0.2	1.6	1.6	0.8	0.8
<i>Comus antediluvianus</i>	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Strioterebrum hoernesii</i>	-	0.4	-	0.6	0.4	0.2	1.6
<i>Phasianema spec. nov.</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Menestho nordmanni</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Odostomia spec.</i>	-	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.6	-	0.2
<i>Syrnola hoernesii</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.4
<i>Eulimella aff. acicula</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Turbonilla spec.</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Pyramidella spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Actaeonidae spec.</i>	-	0.2	-	-	0.4	0.4	-
<i>Crenilabium terebelloides</i>	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	0.2
<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	4.6	8.2	8.6	7.2	9.2	9.6	9.8
<i>Cylichna cylindracea</i>	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.4	2.2	1.0	0.8
<i>Roxania utriculus</i>	-	-	0.4	-	0.4	0.2	1.4
<i>Roxania paucistriata</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Scaphander grateloupi</i>	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Retusa elongata</i>	-	0.6	1.6	2.6	1.8	1.8	2.6
<i>Rhisorus acuminatus</i>	-	-	-	0.4	1.0	0.4	0.2
<i>Vaginella depressa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.4
<i>Gastropoda spec.</i>	0.3	2.0	0.8	1.2	3.6	1.6	1.4

LITHOLOGY

Bailer-drilling, borehole of 12.5 cm Ø, with casing, made by M. van den Bosch and E. F. de Vogel

0.00 - 1.25 m : Quaternary deposits

1.25 - 4.10 m : Dark to very dark green glauconite sand, 200-400 µm (from 2.75 m - 3.25 m up to 600 µm), with few clay and with rather much quartz-sand; with very much large, down to 3.25 m with an increasing number of fosforites in situ, from 3.25 m towards the base with few rounded black fosforites, with rather few, towards the base with very much molluscan shells.

4.10 - ? m : Blue-grey clay, with rather few sand (Oligocene)

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depth in m 3.10-3.60

number counted 470

1 specimen = ...% 0.2

% Gastr. specimens 56.7

number of Gastr. species 38

number of Bivalve species 33

Nuculana westendorpi 0.4

Portlandia pygmaea 2.6

Yoldia glaberrima 1.4

Anadara diluvii 1.1

Limopsis retifera 1.4

Limopsis lamellata 0.1

Glycymeris lumulata baldii 0.1

Modiolula phaseolina 0.2

Korobkovia woodi 0.2

Pseudamussium lilli 0.3

Linea aff. strigillata 0.1

Cavilucina droueti 2.2

Lucinoma borealis 0.5

? Tellimya aff. coarctata 0.2

Cyclocardia chamaeformis 1.1

Erycinella chavani 0.9

Astarte gracilis 2.8

Astarte radiata 2.0

Astarte waeli 0.7

Goodallia angulata 0.5

Parvicardium aff. scabrum 0.1

Nemocardium cyprium 1.4

Spisula spec. 0.5

Angulus aff. donacilla 0.4

Macoma elliptica 1.2

Abra sorgenfreii 1.3

Lutetia nitida 0.1

Venus multilamella 1.8

Goridia minima 2.0

Corbula gibba 1.6

Hiatella arctica 11.9

Anisodonta duvergieri 0.1

Cuspidaria spec. 0.1

Bivalvia spec. 0.1

Dentalium mutabile 1.7

Cadulus gadus 4.5

Haustator eryna 1.1

Archimediella subangulata 0.6

Bittium tenuispina 1.9

Opalia pertusa 0.2

Strombiformis glaber 0.2

Melanella alba 0.2

Niso terebellum acarinatoconica 0.2

Aporrhais alata 10.0

Naticidae spec. 4.9

depth in m

3.10-3.60

Phalium bicoronatum bicoronatum 0.2

Hadriana coelata 1.1

Mitrella nassoides 0.9

Amyclina faaki 5.5

Hinia schroederi 1.3

Hinia tenuistriata 0.4

Streptochetus sexcostatus 0.2

Narona varicosa 0.2

Babylonella fusiformis 0.4

Gemmula boreoturricula 0.2

Gemmula denticula borealis 0.4

Crassispira borealis 0.2

Athenotoma festiva 0.2

Boreodrililia hosiusi 0.4

Mangeliidae spec. 0.6

Turridae spec. 0.9

Strioterebrum hoernesii 1.7

Chrysallida pygmaea 0.2

Odostomia spec. 0.2

Pyramidella plicosa 0.2

Actaeonidae spec. 0.6

Ringicula buccinea 9.6

Cyllichna cylindracea 1.3

Roxania paucistriata 0.2

Retusa elongata 2.0

Rhizorus acuminatus 0.6

Gastropoda spec. 1.5

## LITHOLOGY

Edelman-drilling, borehole of 5 cm  $\beta$ , made by H.G. Kolstee.

0.00 - 1.80 m : Quaternary deposits

1.80 - 3.60 m : Dark green glauconite sand with some black fosforites, towards the base with very much molluscan shells.

3.60 - ? m : large concretion (? Oligocene)



## STEMERDINK, 41E.4-387

depth in m	6 - 7 7 - 8 8 - 9 9 - 10 10-11 11-12 12-13 13-13.50 13.50-14 14-15 15-16 16-17 17-18 18-18.90																
	37.5	2.7	177	0.6	0.4	235.5	75	349	500	500	500	330	500	500	500	500	500
Number counted	37.5	2.7	177	0.6	0.4	235.5	75	349	500	500	500	330	500	500	500	500	500
1 specimen = ...%	2.7	2.7	177	0.6	0.4	235.5	75	349	500	500	500	330	500	500	500	500	500
% Gastr. specimens	45.4	43.9	31.7	31.7	46.4	42.1	28.8	39.8	39.8	39.8	39.8	36.2	37.8	39.6	39.8	47.2	50.8
Number Gastr. species	9	17	20	11	30	29	31	31	31	31	31	27	29	38	30	29	39
Number Bivalve species	10	18	19	15	15	25	26	32	32	32	32	33	37	37	38	37	34
<i>Nucula</i> spec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	-	2.0	4.0	1.3	1.3	1.2	0.7	1.3	0.8	0.7	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.5	2.1	2.1	2.7
<i>Portlandia curvirostris</i>	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	1.3	0.8	2.8	-	0.9	2.1	1.5	4.3	4.3	5.6	5.8	9.0	8.4	4.0	3.2	-	-
<i>Portlandia</i> spec. ? nov.	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.8	0.5	1.8	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	2.7	1.7	3.6	2.0	0.6	0.4	0.3	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.9	4.0	4.7	3.3	2.6	-	-
<i>Batharca pectunculoides</i>	-	-	-	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	-	0.4	0.8	-	-
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	14.6	18.2	13.8	14.7	20.8	7.4	2.1	3.4	3.4	2.4	2.3	0.5	0.8	1.2	2.8	-	-
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	-	-	0.9	0.7	2.6	4.8	3.8	2.6	2.6	0.5	0.6	0.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	-	-
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	-	1.4	0.9	2.0	2.6	4.8	3.2	2.5	2.5	3.0	2.5	1.7	1.1	1.0	0.2	-	-
<i>Glycymeris lunulata baldii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Arcoperna sericea</i>	-	0.3	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Modiolula phaseolina</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4	1.1	0.8	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	-	-
<i>Korobkovia woodi</i>	1.3	-	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.1	-	-
<i>Pseudam ssiun lilli</i>	-	-	0.2	-	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Limatula sulcata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.2	1.0	0.9	-
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	0.3	0.6	1.7	0.5	0.3	-	-
<i>Thyasira</i> spec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Diplodonta rotundata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	-
<i>Erycinidae</i> spec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Lepton transversarium</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	1.3	5.9	3.0	0.7	1.6	2.3	3.1	1.7	1.7	1.1	0.4	0.4	0.5	2.3	3.3	-	-
<i>Erycinella chavani</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.6	-	-
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	8.0	11.9	8.3	8.7	5.6	3.9	3.4	3.1	3.1	1.8	2.0	0.9	1.5	4.8	5.4	-	-
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	-	-	-	-	0.4	2.2	6.3	10.7	10.5	9.2	12.0	3.6	0.9	2.2	2.2	-	-
<i>Astarte waeli</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	0.2	0.3	1.0	2.4	0.3	0.4	-	-
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	-	-	-	-	1.0	2.9	4.5	4.9	4.9	5.8	3.8	2.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	-	-
<i>Goodallia laevigata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	2.7	1.7	15.5	2.0	1.3	4.1	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.8	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.0	-	-
<i>Parvicardium aff. scabrum</i>	-	-	0.4	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.8	1.0	0.4	0.1	-	-
<i>Nemocardium cyprum</i>	-	0.3	0.6	2.0	0.6	1.8	1.7	2.4	2.4	2.7	3.8	5.7	6.9	4.4	4.3	-	-
<i>Spisula</i> spec.	-	-	0.9	0.7	5.9	23.9	14.4	3.9	3.9	2.9	3.5	2.1	0.5	1.1	1.3	-	-

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depth in m	6-7	7	8	8-9	9	9-10	10-11	11-12	12-13	13-13.50	13.50-14	14-15	15-16	16-17	17-18	18-18.90
<i>Angulus aff. donacilla</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	0.7	0.1
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	-	0.6	1.1	-	-	1.3	0.7	1.3	1.3	0.4	0.5	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.4	0.8
<i>Abra Sorgenfreii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.4	1.4
<i>Abra lehmanni</i>	2.7	3.7	4.9	-	-	1.2	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	-
<i>Azorinus chamasolen miocenicus</i>	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Arctica islandica</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Lutetia nitida</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Glossus lunulatus</i>	-	0.6	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.8	-
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	1.3	0.6	0.2	1.3	0.6	1.5	1.1	1.8	1.1	1.8	1.1	1.2	3.5	2.0	2.4	1.1
<i>Gouldia minima</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.5	-	0.5	-	0.2	0.6	0.6	-	0.4
<i>Pitar rudis rudis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Glansinella scalaris</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Corbula gibba</i>	6.7	2.5	5.5	12.7	7.4	4.4	6.0	8.1	5.8	4.6	2.7	4.6	2.7	2.1	2.6	0.9
<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.9	1.2	1.3	2.3	2.7	4.7	4.1	4.7	4.1	4.9	7.2
<i>Saxicavella pusilla</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	-	-	-	-
<i>Anisodonta duvergieri</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2
<i>Cochlodesma aff. pretense</i>	-	-	0.2	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	-	0.6	-	-	0.1	-	0.1	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.2	1.0	0.2	1.0	0.1	0.1
<i>Peromya neseroides</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Cuspidaria spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Cardiomya costellata</i>	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.3	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Bivalvia spec.</i>	9.3	2.5	0.6	2.7	0.4	1.4	2.0	2.0	4.2	1.5	4.2	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.9
<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	2.7	5.6	8.5	2.7	2.0	2.8	4.6	4.6	3.6	3.2	3.6	3.2	3.6	5.2	3.0	2.0
<i>Dentalium dumasi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.4	1.4
<i>Dentalium spec.</i>	2.7	-	0.4	-	0.6	0.2	-	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.2	1.8	1.8
? <i>Scurria compressiuscula</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4
<i>Solariella formosa</i>	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Circulus precedens precedens</i>	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Circulus hennei</i>	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Putilla Gttscheana westfalica</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Alvania holsatica</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Tenostoma bosiusi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2
<i>Torvus trigonostoma</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Architectonica spec.</i>	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	-	0.6	-	1.3	2.0	2.4	1.4	0.4	1.2	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.8	2.0	1.4
<i>Bittium spina</i>	-	2.8	0.4	1.3	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.8	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
<i>Triphora fritschii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-

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depth in m	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	18-18.90
<i>Amasa amoena subreticulata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Opalia pertusa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Opalia pontileviensis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Turriscula straeleni</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Epitonium frondiculum</i>	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Strombiformis glaber</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Melanella globella</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Melanella alba</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Niso terebellum acarinatocornica</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2
<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	2.7	3.9	4.3	18.6	9.1	3.2	4.0	2.4	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.2	8.0	6.8
<i>Calyptraea chinensis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	-	0.4	0.2	-
<i>Xenophora deshayesi</i>	-	-	0.4	-	0.3	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	-	1.7	0.4	-	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.4	2.4	2.0	3.8	2.0	3.6	2.0
<i>Phalium bicoronatum bicoronatum</i>	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Ficus conditus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.2	6.2
<i>Murex inornatus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Lytotrophis sejunctus priscus</i>	-	-	0.4	-	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.4	1.2	0.4	0.6
<i>Hadriana coelata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4	-	0.2
<i>Tritonalia spec. nov.</i>	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Mitrella nassoides</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	1.2	1.0
<i>Anachis corrugata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Anachis pulchella</i>	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	0.2	-	0.9	-	0.6	-	-	-
<i>Scalaspira festiva</i>	-	0.6	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Amyclina facti</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Hinia bochoitensis</i>	9.0	5.6	4.7	8.0	5.2	3.4	4.0	2.0	0.3	0.4	-	0.8	1.2	5.0
<i>Hinia cimbrica</i>	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	1.0
<i>Hinia holstetica</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.8	-	-	0.6	0.4	0.2	-
<i>Hinia tenuistriata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4
<i>Nassariidae spec.</i>	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	0.9	-	0.2	-	0.6	0.2
<i>Vexillum spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Latirus rothi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.4	-	-	0.2
<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	-	1.7	0.3	2.7	2.0	1.4	1.2	2.4	2.1	2.2	1.4	1.6	1.0	0.8
<i>Ancilla obsolleta</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.4
<i>Marona varicosa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Babylonella fusiformis</i>	-	1.1	0.9	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.2	-	0.6	-	-	0.4	0.8
<i>Cancellariidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-
<i>Gemmula stoffelsi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Gemmula boreoturrigula</i>	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Gemmula denticula borealis</i>	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	0.4

## STEMERDINK, 41F.4-387, continued

depth in m	6	7	7	8	8	9	9	9	10	10-11	11-12	12-13	13-13.50	13.50-14	14-15	15-16	16-17	17-18	18-18.50
<i>Gemma simmermanni</i>	-	-	2.8	3.0	1.3	1.4	2.6	1.2	1.0	0.9	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Turris duchasteli flexiplicata</i>	-	-	1.1	-	-	0.3	-	0.2	0.4	0.6	-	-	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.2
<i>Epialis cataphracta s.lat.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	0.4	-	-
<i>Turricula steinvorthi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Clavus selenkae</i>	-	-	-	0.4	1.3	0.3	-	-	0.2	0.6	-	-	0.2	0.6	-	0.2	-	-	0.4
<i>Grassispira borealis</i>	-	-	-	0.4	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	0.4	1.0	0.2	-	-
<i>Brachytoma obtusangula</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Brachytoma pameoides</i>	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
? <i>Brachytoma hispidula</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Athenotoma festiva</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.4
<i>Boreodrillia bosini</i>	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Borsonia uniplicata</i>	-	-	0.6	0.4	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Haedropleura maitreja</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
? <i>Bela calais</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
Mangelidae spec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Raphitoma scabra</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
<i>Metuonella grippi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-
<i>Terestia anceps</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Turridae spec.</i>	-	1.7	0.4	-	-	1.7	0.4	2.0	1.8	1.8	0.4	2.8	2.8	3.4	2.4	2.4	2.2	0.8	0.8
<i>Cornu antediluvianus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Strioterebrum boernei</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	0.8
<i>Odostomia spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.6	-	0.2
<i>Syrnola boernei</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	0.3	-	0.4	0.2	-	-
<i>Enlimella acicula</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Turbonilla spec.</i>	-	1.7	0.4	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.2	0.6	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Pyramidella spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Pyramidella plicosa</i>	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Actaeonidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	13.2	7.9	4.3	5.3	7.4	5.4	10.0	10.6	10.6	8.9	13.2	13.2	9.4	12.0	15.2	17.0	17.0	1.2	1.2
<i>Cyllichma aff. cylindracea</i>	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
<i>Roxania utriculus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	0.4
<i>Roxania paucistriata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.4
<i>Retusa elongata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.6	2.2	1.0	1.6	-	-	-	-
<i>Rhisorus acuminatus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
<i>Gastropoda spec.</i>	2.7	2.8	0.4	1.3	0.6	1.4	0.6	1.4	2.4	2.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.6	1.0	1.6	0.2	0.2

LITHOLOGY: description see p.22

## RENSKERS, 41E.4-20

depth in m	10.90-12	12 - 13	13 - 14	14-14,80
number counted	400	500	500	500
1 specimen = ...%	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
% Gastr. specimens	28.5	43.0	58.0	60.0
number Gastr. species	15	26	44	39
number Bivalve species	32	32	32	31
<i>Muculana westendorpi</i>	1.6	0.9	3.3	2.2
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	4.0	6.1	2.3	1.5
<i>Portlandia</i> sp. ? nov.	0.5	-	-	0.1
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	3.9	7.3	3.6	3.0
<i>Bathyarca pectunculoides</i>	0.1	0.5	0.1	-
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	0.3	0.1	-	0.4
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	2.1	0.7	1.5	2.5
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	-	0.5	0.7	0.7
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	1.3	0.8	0.1	-
<i>Glycymeris lunulata baldii</i>	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Modiolula phaseolina</i>	0.5	-	0.2	-
<i>Korobkovia woodi</i>	0.3	0.6	0.5	-
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	0.1	0.3	1.0	2.0
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	0.6	1.7	0.7	0.3
<i>Diplodonta rotundata</i>	0.3	-	-	-
<i>Lepton transversarium</i>	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Tellimya ocarinata</i>	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	0.3	0.7	3.8	4.2
<i>Erycinella chavani</i>	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	0.7	1.1	5.1	7.4
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	22.7	14.7	2.2	0.3
<i>Astarte waeli</i>	0.3	0.4	1.9	2.4
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	2.1	1.0	0.2	-
<i>Goodallia laevigata</i>	0.1	0.1	-	0.2
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	3.5	1.4	1.6	1.2
<i>Parvicardium</i> aff. <i>scabrum</i>	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Nemocardium cypricum</i>	9.8	5.7	2.4	2.6
<i>Spisula</i> spec.	1.3	0.3	0.4	0.3
<i>Angulus</i> aff. <i>donacilla</i>	-	-	0.2	0.3
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.4
<i>Gari affinis</i>	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Abra sorgenfreii</i>	-	0.3	0.2	0.8
<i>Abra lehmanni</i>	0.9	0.2	0.1	-
<i>Arctica islandica</i>	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Lutetia nitida</i>	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Glossus lunulatus</i>	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	3.1	3.0	1.6	1.5
<i>Gouldia minima</i>	0.6	0.1	-	-
<i>Pitar rudis rudis</i>	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Corbula gibba</i>	4.0	3.8	1.7	0.2
<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	3.5	4.0	4.7	4.0
<i>Saxicavella pusilla</i>	0.1	0.1	-	-
<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	-	0.1	0.3	-
<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	0.3	0.3	-	0.4
<i>Cuspidaria</i> spec.	0.3	-	0.3	0.1
<i>Bivalvia</i> spec.	1.3	0.1	0.6	0.4
<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	6.2	4.4	1.8	2.6
<i>Dentalium dumasi</i>	0.3	0.2	0.2	1.8
<i>Dentalium</i> spec.	1.3	0.4	0.4	0.4

RENSKERS, 41E.4-20, continued

depth in m	10.90-12	12 - 13	13 - 14	14-14.80
<i>Cadulus gadus</i>	-	0.2	0.8	1.6
<i>Ciroulus hennei</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Teinostoma hosiusi</i>	-	-	0.2	0.4
<i>Architectonica spec.</i>	-	-	0.4	-
<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	5.9	6.0	1.6	1.4
<i>Acirsa mioplicatula</i>	-	-	0.4	-
<i>Acirsa lanceolata</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Strombiformis glaber</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Melanella alba</i>	0.3	-	0.4	0.4
<i>Niso terebellum acarinatoconica</i>	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	2.3	5.0	6.8	12.4
<i>Calyptreaea chinensis</i>	0.3	0.2	0.2	-
<i>Eocypraea miobadensis</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	0.7	4.0	5.6	3.6
<i>Phalium bicoronatum bicoronatum</i>	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Ficus conditus</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Murex inornatus</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Lyrotypis sejunctus priscus</i>	-	1.6	1.2	0.2
<i>Hadriana coelata</i>	-	0.2	-	0.6
<i>Mitrella nassoides</i>	-	-	0.8	0.8
<i>Amyclina faacki</i>	-	-	2.2	2.0
<i>Hinia schroederi</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Hinia bocholtensis</i>	-	-	0.4	0.8
<i>Hinia tenuistriata</i>	-	-	0.2	0.8
<i>Nassaridae spec.</i>	0.5	0.8	2.4	0.6
<i>Vexillum spec.</i>	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	0.3	0.8	0.8	1.2
<i>Ancilla obsoleta</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Narona varicosa</i>	-	-	0.4	0.6
<i>Babylonella fusiformis</i>	-	0.6	0.4	-
<i>Cancellariidae spec.</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Gemmula boreoturricula</i>	-	0.2	0.4	0.2
<i>Gemmula denticula borealis</i>	-	-	0.2	0.4
<i>Gemmula zimmermanni</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Turris duchasteli flexiplicata</i>	-	0.4	0.8	0.8
<i>Epalkis cataphracta s.lat.</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Clavus selenkae</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Crassispira borealis</i>	-	-	0.2	-
? <i>Microdrillia grippi</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Asthenotoma festiva</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Boreodrillia hosiusi</i>	-	0.2	-	0.4
<i>Haedropleura maitreja</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Mangelidae spec.</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Pleurotomeides luisae</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Turridae spec.</i>	0.7	2.0	2.4	1.2
<i>Comus antediluvianus</i>	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Strioterebrum hoernesii</i>	-	-	0.8	0.2
<i>Odostomia spec.</i>	0.5	0.6	0.4	-
<i>Turbonilla spec.</i>	0.3	0.4	-	0.6
<i>Pyramidella plicosa</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	7.4	11.0	19.6	16.4
<i>Ringicula ventricosa</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Cylichna aff. cylindracea</i>	0.5	0.8	0.2	-
<i>Roxania paucistriata</i>	-	0.4	0.2	0.8
<i>Retusa elongata</i>	-	0.6	0.6	1.4
<i>Rhisorus acuminatus</i>	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Gastropoda spec.</i>	1.0	1.4	2.0	3.2

LITHOLOGY

Wash-drilling, borehole of 7,5 cm ø, without casing, made by M. van den Bosch

0.00 - 8.60 m : Quaternary deposits

8.60 -12.80 m : Dark greengrey clay, with some, towards the base with very much fine quartz-sand, from 10.90 m with some, downwards with rather much molluscan shells.

12.80 -13.00 m : As above, but with many large shells.

13.00 -14.85 m : Dark greengrey, very fine quartz-sand, with high clay content; at the base with some worn black fosforites and shark-teeth; with rather much molluscan shells.

14.85 - ? m : Blue-grey, very hard clay, containing quartz (Oligocene)

MANESCHLIJN, 41E.3-57

depth in m	35-36	36-36.60
number counted	100	100
1 specimen = ...%	1	1
% Gastr. specimens	44	59
number Gastr. species	19	22
number Bivalve species	30	26
<i>Nucula spec.</i>	-	1.5
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	3.0	0.5
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	1.5	1.5
<i>Portlandia spec. ? nov.</i>	0.5	-
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	1.0	-
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	1.0	-
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	1.0	1.5
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	0.5	1.0
<i>Glycymeris lunulata baldii</i>	0.5	0.5
<i>Modiolula phaseolina</i>	0.5	-
<i>Korobkovia woodi</i>	1.0	0.5
<i>Pseudamussium lilli</i>	0.5	0.5
<i>Diplodonta rotundata</i>	1.5	-
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	-	1.0
<i>Erycinella chavani</i>	0.5	1.0
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	2.0	2.0
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	10.0	5.5
<i>Astarte wacli</i>	0.5	1.0
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	0.5	0.5
<i>Goodallia laevigata</i>	3.0	0.5
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	2.0	-
<i>Nemocardium cyprium</i>	2.5	2.5
<i>Spisula spec.</i>	10.0	4.5
<i>Ensis spec.</i>	1.5	-
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	1.5	0.5
<i>Gari affinis</i>	0.5	-
<i>Abra sorgenfreii</i>	3.0	3.5
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	0.5	0.5
<i>Gouldia minima</i>	1.0	1.5
<i>Corbula gibba</i>	2.0	4.0
<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	1.5	3.5
<i>Panopea reynardi</i>	-	0.5
<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	0.5	0.5
<i>Haliris spec.</i>	-	0.5
<i>Bivalvia spec.</i>	0.5	-
<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	5.0	1.0
<i>Dentalium spec.</i>	-	1.0
<i>Cadulus gadus</i>	3.0	2.0
<i>Teinostoma hosiusi</i>	-	1.0
<i>Haustator eryna</i>	-	1.0
<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	3.0	4.0
<i>Bittium tenuispina</i>	1.0	-
<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	4.0	7.0
<i>Xenophora deshayesi</i>	-	1.0
<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	4.0	7.0
<i>Murex inornatus</i>	-	1.0
<i>Lyrotypis sejunctus priscus</i>	-	1.0
<i>Mitrella nassoides</i>	-	1.0

depth in m	35-36	36-36.60
<i>Amyclina faaki</i>	-	7.0
<i>Hinia boeholtensis</i>	1.0	-
<i>Latirus rothi</i>	2.0	-
<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	1.0	-
<i>Ancilla obsoleta</i>	1.0	1.0
<i>Narona varicosa</i>	-	1.0
<i>Gemmula boreoturricula</i>	-	1.0
<i>Gemmula denticula borealis</i>	-	1.0
<i>Gemmula simmermanni</i>	2.0	-
<i>Epalxis cataphracta s.lat.</i>	1.0	-
<i>Asthanotoma festiva</i>	1.0	-
<i>Turridae spec.</i>	1.0	3.0
<i>Comus antediluvianus</i>	1.0	-
<i>Odostomia spec.</i>	1.0	-
<i>Actaeonidae spec.</i>	-	1.0
<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	6.0	13.0
<i>Cylichna aff. cylindracea</i>	1.0	2.0
<i>Roxania paucistriata</i>	-	1.0
<i>Retusa elongata</i>	3.0	-
<i>Gastropoda spec.</i>	2.0	-

LITHOLOGY

Combined bailer-washdrilling, from 12.80 m wash-drilling with borehole of 6.3 cm  $\phi$ , with thick drilling-mud, made by M. van den Bosch

0.00 - 12.80 m : Quaternary deposits  
 12.80 - 33.00 m : Clay with varying sand content, from 24.00 m with few, downwards with rather much molluscan shells  
 33.00 - 36.60 m : Dark green-grey to dark green glauconite sand, up to 500 mu, with rather much, towards the base with rather few quartz-sand, up to 250 mu; with a rather high clay content and some mica, towards the base with a few black fosforites and much molluscan shells  
 36.60 - ? m : tough blue-grey clay with eroded surface (Oligocene)

DE GIFFEL, 41E.2-7

depth in m	6.70-7.40	7.40-8.40	8.40-9.30	9.30-10.40	10.40-11.40	11.40-12.50	12.50-12.60
number counted	131	500	500	500	500	500	500
1 specimen = ...%	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
% Gastr. specimens	12.3	20.6	26.3	42.9	49.4	58.2	56.6
number Gastr. species	7	14	22	36	38	38	42
number Bivalve species	22	29	32	40	37	35	29
<i>Nucula spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	1.5	0.8	1.2	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	1.9	1.0	2.0	4.0	7.2	3.2	1.5
<i>Portlandia spec. ? nov.</i>	-	-	0.8	1.4	0.1	-	-
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	1.5	1.2	2.4	3.1	4.5	3.6	2.5
<i>Bathyarca pectunculoides</i>	-	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	-	-
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.9
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	22.1	11.5	4.8	1.9	1.5	3.1	2.9
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	1.1	4.3	2.0	0.8	0.3	1.3	0.7
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	4.2	4.1	4.6	0.9	1.7	0.1	-
<i>Glycymeris lunulata baldii</i>	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Arcoperna sericea</i>	-	-	0.1	0.4	0.2	-	-
<i>Modiolula phaseolina</i>	-	-	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	-
<i>Korobkovia woodi</i>	2.3	0.2	0.5	1.4	1.3	0.5	0.3
<i>Pseudamussium lilli</i>	-	-	-	0.1	0.3	0.1	-
<i>Linaria losconbei</i>	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.5	2.0	3.0
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	-	0.1	0.4	0.2	1.7	0.7	0.9
<i>Lepton transversarium</i>	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
<i>Spaniorinus cimbricus</i>	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Cyclocardia chamasformis</i>	1.9	3.0	2.5	0.6	0.4	1.2	3.1
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	8.8	7.7	7.8	5.0	1.4	3.8	6.0
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	0.8	0.6	6.0	7.8	7.8	3.1	-
<i>Astarte wasli</i>	-	-	-	0.1	-	0.6	1.1
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	2.7	3.3	4.1	3.5	1.0	0.6	1.4
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	5.0	3.8	4.1	2.1	1.6	0.8	0.2
<i>Parvicardium aff. scabrum</i>	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.3
<i>Nemocardium cyprium</i>	1.9	0.9	2.1	2.2	3.1	2.8	2.2
<i>Spisula spec.</i>	10.0	19.6	13.1	5.9	2.2	0.1	-
<i>Angulus aff. donacilla</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	0.4	0.4	1.1	1.5	0.4	0.9	1.5
<i>Abra sorgenfreii</i>	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.7
<i>Abra lehmanni</i>	1.1	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1
<i>Azorinus chamasolen miocenicus</i>	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Lutetia nitida</i>	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	0.1
<i>Glossus lunulatus</i>	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	1.9	1.4	0.8	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.3
<i>Gouldia minima</i>	-	0.4	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.8	2.0
<i>Pitar polytropa nysti</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Corbula gibba</i>	15.9	10.1	7.0	3.6	2.4	1.4	0.7
<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	1.1	0.8	1.3	2.6	2.9	5.1	6.9
<i>Saxicavella pusilla</i>	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	-
<i>Anisodonta duvergieri</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	-
<i>Teredinidae/Xylophaginae spec.</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
<i>Cochlodesma aff. praetenuis</i>	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.8	0.1	0.1
<i>Cuspidaria spec.</i>	0.4	0.1	0.1	-	0.2	-	0.1
<i>Cardiomya costellata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Bivalvia spec.</i>	-	2.2	2.9	1.5	1.0	0.8	0.7



DE GIFFEL, 41E,2-7, continued

depth in m	6.70-7.40	7.40-8.40	8.40-9.30	9.30-10.40	10.40-11.40	11.40-12.50	12.50-12.60
<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	1.5	4.4	1.6	1.8	2.4	2.2	2.0
<i>Dentalium dumaasi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4
<i>Dentalium spec.</i>	-	1.4	-	-	-	0.4	3.0
<i>Cadulus gadus</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.4	0.2
<i>Teinostoma hosiusi</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-
<i>Architectonica berthae</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Haustator eryna</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.8
<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	2.3	-	1.6	0.8	2.4	0.8	0.6
<i>Bittium spina</i>	0.8	0.6	-	-	0.2	-	-
<i>Cerithiella genei</i>	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Acirsa lanceolata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Opalia pertusa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Epitonidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Strombiformis glaber</i>	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	0.4
<i>Niso terebellum acarinatoconica</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.8	-
<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	1.5	0.6	0.8	2.4	5.2	8.4	6.4
<i>Calyptraea chinensis</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	-	-
<i>Xenophora deshayesi</i>	0.8	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	0.8	0.8	1.4	3.0	3.0	4.8	4.6
<i>Murex inornatus</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.4	-	-
<i>Typhis pungens</i>	-	-	0.2	-	0.4	-	-
<i>Lyrotyphis sejunctus priscus</i>	-	0.2	0.6	2.0	0.2	1.0	0.6
<i>Hadriana coelata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Mitrella nassoides</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.8
<i>Phos decussatus</i>	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-
<i>Amyclina faacki</i>	-	-	-	1.2	0.6	2.8	4.0
<i>Hinia schroederi</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Hinia bocholtensis</i>	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
<i>Hinia turbinella</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-
<i>Hinia holsatica</i>	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-
<i>Hinia tenuistriata</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.4
<i>Nassariidae spec.</i>	-	0.4	0.2	-	1.0	0.4	0.4
<i>Latirus rothi</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	-	0.2	0.6	1.4	0.6	1.8	0.2
<i>Ancilla obsoleta</i>	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.6	1.0
<i>Cancellaria spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6
<i>Trigonostoma spinifera</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Trigonostoma aperta</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Narona varicosa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Babylonella fusiformis</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.2	-
<i>Cancellariidae spec.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Gemmula boreoturricula</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-
<i>Gemmula denticula borealis</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Gemmula zimmermanni</i>	-	0.4	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	-
<i>Turris aquensis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Turris duchasteli flexiplicata</i>	-	-	0.2	0.6	1.4	1.0	-
<i>Epalxis cataphracta s.lat.</i>	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Genota ramosa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-
<i>Clavus selenkae</i>	-	0.4	-	0.2	0.2	-	-
<i>Crassispira borealis</i>	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.2	-
<i>Brachytoma obtusangula</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Brachytoma pannoides</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2
<i>Asthenotoma festiva</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.8
<i>Boreodrililla hosiusi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.4

DE GIFFEL, 41E.2-7, continued

depth in m	6.70-7.40	7.40-8.40	8.40-9.30	9.30-10.40	10.40-11.40	11.40-12.50	12.50-12.60
<i>Bela tenella</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
<i>Metuonella grippi</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
<i>Teretia anceps</i>	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
Turridae spec.	-	-	0.8	2.2	0.6	1.0	0.8
<i>Conus antediluvianus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Strioterebrum hoernesii</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2
<i>Odostomia</i> spec.	-	-	-	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.2
<i>Syrnola hoernesii</i>	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.4	-	-
<i>Eulimella acicula</i>	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Turbonilla</i> spec.	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	-
<i>Pyramidella plicosa</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.4
Actaeonidae spec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6
<i>Crenilabium terebelloides</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
? <i>Actaeocina bellardii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	4.6	9.4	12.0	19.8	21.0	22.4	17.8
<i>Cylichna</i> aff. <i>cyllindracea</i>	-	-	0.6	0.6	0.4	-	1.6
<i>Roxania utriculus</i>	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.2
<i>Roxania paucistriata</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.4
<i>Retusa elongata</i>	-	-	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.6	1.2
<i>Rhizorus acuminatus</i>	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4
Gastropoda spec.	-	1.2	2.8	0.4	1.8	2.0	3.0

LITHOLOGY

Combined Edelman-bailerdrilling, borehole of 8 cm  $\phi$ , down to 8.50 m with Edelman-drill; borehole of 5.5 cm  $\phi$ , down to 12.75 m, with casing, by bailer sampling; made by M. van den Bosch.

0.00 - 2.20 m : Quaternary deposits

2.20 - 9.30 m : Greengrey to darkbrown clay, with some fine sand, alternating with some small layers with a higher content of fine sand; with many, downwards to few mica; with some small concentrations of glauconite; from 3.25 m onwards with few molluscan shells.

9.30 -12.50 m : Darkbrown very fine sand, with much clay and a few fosforites, with very much molluscan shells.

12.50 -12.60 m : As above, but with rather much rounded black fosforites and shark-teeth and some large pyrite concretions.

12.60 - ? m : Dark bluegreen tough clay with eroded surface, in which holes filled up with the overlying sediment (Oligocene)

ELLEWICKER FELD (Beuting)

depth in m	unknown	<i>Abra Sorgenfreii</i>	4.6
		<i>Venus multilamella</i>	0.7
Number counted	64.5	<i>Pelecypora polytropa nysti</i>	1.6
1 Specimen = ...%	1.6	<i>Corbula gibba</i>	0.7
% Gastr. specimens	31.5	<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	24.8
Number Gastr. species	15	<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	1.6
Number Bivalve species	18	Naticidae spec.	1.6
		<i>Mitrella nassoides</i>	1.6
<i>Nucula spec.</i>	2.3	<i>Amyclina badensis</i>	1.6
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	7.7	<i>Amyclina facki</i>	1.6
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	4.6	<i>Latirus rothi</i>	1.6
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	1.6	<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	3.1
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	0.7	<i>Metuonella grippi</i>	1.6
<i>Korobkoviya woodi</i>	0.7	Turridae spec.	1.6
<i>Pseudamussium lilli</i>	1.6	<i>Syrnola hoernesii</i>	1.6
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	1.6	Actaeonidae spec.	1.6
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	3.8	<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	3.1
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	4.6	<i>Cylichna aff. cylindracea</i>	3.1
<i>Astarte wasli</i>	1.6	<i>Roxania utriculus</i>	1.6
<i>Laevicardium cyprium</i>	2.3	<i>Retusa elongata</i>	4.6
<i>Angulus aff. donacilla</i>	2.3		

DESCRIPTION OF SAMPLE

A small sample of greengray quartzsand containing glauconite and mica from the digging of a pit with a depth of about 3 m below surface was present in the collections of the Rijksmuseum van Geologie en Mineralogie at Leiden.

LITHOLOGY OF STEMERDINK, 41E.4-387

Combined wash-bailerdrilling; wash-drilling down to 12 m, borehole 7.5 cm  $\phi$ , with thick drilling-mud; bailer-drilling down to 19 m, borehole of 6.3 cm  $\phi$ , with casing, made by M. van den Bosch.

- 0.00 - 1.50 m : Quaternary deposits
- 1.50 - 12.00 m : Dark brown to dark green-grey clay, towards the base with to rather much fine sand; with rather much, towards the base with few mica; from 7 m downwards with some concentrations of glauconite; from 6 m with few, towards the base with rather much molluscan shells.
- 12.00 - 18.90 m : Dark green-grey to dark green-brown, fine to rather fine glauconite sand, towards the base with much fine quartz-sand and clay and few mica; down from 13.30 m with very few, very small, from 17 m onwards with rather much, larger, rewashed fosforites; with rather much molluscan shells.
- 18.90 - ? m : Light green-grey, hard clay, with few fine sand (Oligocene)

REKKEV, 34G.4-2

depth in m	1.20-1.50	<i>Abra Sorgenfreii</i>	0.6
Number counted	177.5	<i>Venus multilamella</i>	2.5
1 Specimen = ...%	0.6	<i>Corbula gibba</i>	0.6
% Gastr. specimens	60.9	<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	2.8
Number Gastr. species	18	<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	1.7
Number Bivalve species	24	<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	0.3
		<i>Bivalvia spec.</i>	2.8
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	1.4	<i>Dentalium dumasi</i>	1.1
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	0.3	<i>Cadulus gadus</i>	2.8
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	2.5		
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	0.3	<i>Architectonica spec.</i>	0.6
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	3.1	<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	1.1
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	0.3	<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	15.7
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	0.8	<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	3.9
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	2.5	<i>Amyclina facki</i>	1.7
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	0.3	<i>Nassariidae spec.</i>	1.7
<i>Diplodonta rotundata</i>	0.6	<i>Ancilla obsoleta</i>	0.6
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	3.6	<i>Cancellariidae spec.</i>	0.6
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	5.9	<i>Turris duchasteli flexiplicata</i>	0.6
<i>Astarte waeli</i>	1.1	<i>Boreodrillia hosiusi</i>	0.6
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	0.6	<i>Turridae spec.</i>	2.3
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	0.3	<i>Odostomia spec.</i>	0.6
<i>Nemocardium cyprium</i>	2.5	<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	22.4
<i>Angulus aff. donacilla</i>	1.1	<i>Cylichna aff. cylindracea</i>	0.6
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	0.6	<i>Roxania utriculus</i>	0.6
		<i>Retusa elongata</i>	0.6
		<i>Gastropoda spec.</i>	2.8

LITHOLOGY

Edelman-drilling, borehole of 8 cm  $\phi$ , made by M. van den Bosch.

0.00 - 0.60 m : Quaternary deposits

0.60 - 1.20 m : Green clay with very much sand, containing some corroded fragments of molluscan shells

1.20 - 1.50 m : Fine green sand with high clay content, rounded black fosforites and shark-teeth, and much corroded molluscan shells.

1.50 - ? m : dark grey, sandy clay. (Oligocene deposits)

REKKEN, 34G.2-1

depth in m	7.50-10	depth in m	7.50-10
number counted	100	<i>Corbula gibba</i>	4.0
1 specimen = ...%	1	<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	2.0
% Gastr. specimens	52	<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	1.0
Number Gastr. species	21	<i>Cuspidaria spec.</i>	0.5
Number Bivalve species	24	<i>Dentalium mutabile</i>	2.0
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	2.5	<i>Dentalium dumasi</i>	1.0
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	3.0	<i>Cadulus gadus</i>	2.0
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	0.5	<i>Archimediella subangulata</i>	5.0
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	2.5	<i>Tenostoma hosiusi</i>	1.0
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	2.0	<i>Aporrhais alata</i>	5.0
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	1.0	<i>Naticidae spec.</i>	1.0
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	1.0	<i>Murex inornatus</i>	1.0
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	0.5	<i>Iyrotypis sejunctus priscus</i>	1.0
<i>Cyclocardia chamaeformis</i>	1.5	<i>Amyclina facki</i>	1.0
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	3.0	<i>Hinia spec.</i>	1.0
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	11.5	<i>Latirus rothi</i>	1.0
<i>Goodallia angulata</i>	1.0	<i>Streptochetus sexcostatus</i>	3.0
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	1.5	<i>Ancilla obsoleta</i>	1.0
<i>Nemocardium cyprium</i>	2.0	<i>Gemma boreoturricula</i>	2.0
<i>Spisula spec.</i>	2.0	<i>Crassispira borealis</i>	1.0
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	1.5	<i>Strioterebrum hoernesii</i>	2.0
<i>Abra sorgenfreii</i>	0.5	<i>Odostomia spec.</i>	1.0
<i>Abra lehmanni</i>	1.0	<i>Ringicula buccinea</i>	15.0
<i>Glossus lunulatus</i>	0.5	<i>Retusa elongata</i>	3.0
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	1.5	<i>Gastropoda spec.</i>	2.0

LITHOLOGY

Washed holes in a trench for a barrage, without use of drilling-mud, without casing, described by M. van den Bosch

0.00 - 5.00 m : Quaternary deposits

5.00 - 9.50 m : Green, rather fine sand, containing clay, from 7 m onwards with much corroded molluscan shells, the fraction below 3 mm almost without fossils.

9.50 - ? m : Grey to blue-grey clay, containing few sand (Oligocene)

## TICHELOVEN, 34G.1-24

depth in m	0.80-1.75	1.75-3	3-3.50	3.50-4	4-4.15
Number counted	145.5	500	500	500	500
1 specimen = ...%	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
% Gastr. specimens	41	34.2	43.4	45.4	41.2
Number Gastr. species	15	24	30	26	26
Number Bivalve species	22	31	36	35	35
<i>Nucula spec.</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Nuculana westendorpi</i>	0.4	1.3	1.0	0.9	1.5
<i>Portlandia pygmaea</i>	0.7	2.0	3.1	4.8	5.5
<i>Portlandia spec. ? nov.</i>	-	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.1
<i>Yoldia glaberrima</i>	0.4	0.7	1.6	2.8	4.7
<i>Bathyarca pectunculoides</i>	0.4	0.1	-	-	0.1
<i>Anadara diluvii</i>	-	-	-	-	0.2
<i>Limopsis aurita</i>	10.7	5.4	2.2	2.0	1.3
<i>Limopsis retifera</i>	0.4	1.8	0.4	0.3	0.3
<i>Limopsis lamellata</i>	3.7	3.5	2.2	1.1	0.8
<i>Arcoperna sericea</i>	-	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2
<i>Modiolula phaseolina</i>	-	0.1	0.4	0.3	-
<i>Korobkovia woodi</i>	1.0	0.6	0.5	1.0	1.0
<i>Pseudammsium lilli</i>	-	-	-	0.1	0.2
<i>Cavilucina droueti</i>	-	-	-	0.1	0.4
<i>Lucinoma borealis</i>	0.4	0.2	0.8	1.4	2.0
<i>Thyasira spec.</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Diplodonta rotundata</i>	-	-	-	0.1	-
<i>Erycinidae spec.</i>	0.4	0.1	0.2	-	-
<i>Spaniorinus cimbricus</i>	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Cyclocardia chamasformis</i>	4.1	3.2	1.2	0.5	0.3
<i>Astarte gracilis</i>	9.3	8.2	6.5	1.9	2.1
<i>Astarte radiata</i>	0.4	4.6	8.7	14.6	17.7
<i>Astarte waeli</i>	-	-	-	0.1	0.2
<i>Astarte angulata</i>	2.7	5.1	4.9	2.1	0.9
<i>Parvicardium straeleni</i>	5.4	2.7	2.8	2.2	1.3
<i>Parvicardium aff. scabrum</i>	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
<i>Nemocardium cyprum</i>	0.4	1.0	1.9	4.3	5.7
<i>Spisula spec.</i>	4.1	12.1	6.5	2.2	0.9
<i>Angulus aff. donacilla</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Macoma elliptica</i>	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	1.3
<i>Abra sorgenfreii</i>	-	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.6
<i>Abra lehmanni</i>	1.0	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.1
<i>Azorinus chamasolen miocenicus</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Arctica islandica</i>	-	-	-	0.4	0.3
<i>Lutetia nitida</i>	-	0.1	-	-	-
<i>Glossus lunulatus</i>	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2
<i>Venus multilamella</i>	-	0.7	1.0	2.7	1.6
<i>Gouldia minima</i>	-	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3
<i>Corbula gibba</i>	9.6	4.2	2.9	2.0	1.8
<i>Hiatella arctica</i>	0.7	1.7	1.2	1.7	2.5
<i>Saxicavella pusilla</i>	-	-	-	0.1	0.1
<i>Panopea meynardi</i>	-	-	-	-	0.1
<i>Cochlodesma aff. pretemue</i>	0.4	0.1	0.3	-	-
<i>Thracia ventricosa</i>	-	0.1	0.5	0.6	1.0
<i>Cuspidaria spec.</i>	-	-	0.1	0.2	-
<i>Cardiomya costellata</i>	-	-	0.1	-	-
<i>Bivalvia spec.</i>	2.0	3.5	2.5	1.6	1.3

TICHELOVEN, 34G.1-24, continued

depth in m	0.80-1.75	1.75-3	3-3.50	3.50-4	4-4.15
Dentalium mutabile	3.4	2.6	3.8	2.8	3.2
Dentalium dumasi	-	-	-	-	0.6
Dentalium spec.	-	-	0.4	0.8	1.2
Putilla gottscheana westfalica	-	0.4	-	-	-
Teinostoma hosiusi	-	-	0.2	-	-
Archimediella subangulata	2.0	1.2	1.8	4.8	3.8
Bittium spina	4.1	2.0	0.8	0.4	-
Cerithiella genei	-	-	-	-	0.2
Melanella alba	-	-	-	-	0.2
Aporrhais alata	4.7	4.6	3.2	3.8	3.8
Galyptrea chinensis	-	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.6
Naticidae spec.	1.4	2.0	2.6	4.0	3.0
Ficus conditus	0.7	-	0.6	0.2	-
Lyrotyphis sejunctus priscus	-	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.6
Hadriana coelata	-	-	-	-	0.2
Mitrella nassoides	-	-	-	-	0.2
Anachis corrugata	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
Amyclina facki	-	-	-	0.2	-
Hinia bocholtensis	-	0.6	1.8	0.2	-
Hinia holsatica	-	-	-	0.2	0.4
Nassariidae spec.	0.7	0.4	0.4	1.4	0.4
Latirus rothi	-	0.2	0.4	-	-
Streptochetus sexcostatus	-	0.6	0.8	1.4	0.2
? Streptochetus contiguus	-	-	0.2	-	-
Ancilla obsoleta	-	-	-	-	0.2
Scaphella bolli	0.7	-	-	-	-
Narona varicosa	-	-	-	-	0.2
Babylonella fusiformis	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	-
Gemmula stoffelsi	-	0.4	-	-	-
Gemmula boreoturricula	-	-	0.2	-	-
Gemmula zimmermanni	2.0	0.6	0.4	0.6	-
Turris duchasteli flexiplicata	1.4	0.4	0.6	-	-
Epalxis octaphracta s.lat.	-	0.4	-	-	-
Clavus selenkae	0.7	-	-	0.2	-
Crassispira borealis	-	-	0.2	-	0.4
Asthenetoma festiva	-	-	-	0.2	-
Boreodrililla hosiusi	-	-	0.4	-	-
Mangeliidae spec.	-	-	0.2	-	-
Pleurotomoides campanulata	-	-	-	0.2	-
Teretia anceps	-	-	0.2	-	-
Turridae spec.	2.7	0.8	1.8	0.8	0.6
Conus antediluvianus	-	-	-	-	0.2
Chrysallida spec.	-	-	0.2	-	-
Odostomia spec.	-	0.2	-	0.4	0.4
Eulimella acioula	-	0.2	-	-	-
Turbonilla spec.	1.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	-
Actaeonidae spec.	-	-	0.4	0.2	-
Ringicula buccinea	11.0	11.0	17.6	19.2	16.2
Cylichna aff. cylindracea	-	-	-	0.4	0.4
Roxania utriculus	-	-	0.2	-	0.2
Retusa elongata	1.4	0.2	0.6	-	0.2
Gastropoda spec.	2.7	4.2	1.8	1.	3.4

LITHOLOGY

Bailer-sampling, borehole of 12.5 cm Ø, with casing, made by M. van den Bosch and E. F. de Vogel

0.00 - 0.80 m : Quaternary deposits

0.80 - 3.50 m : Dark greenish brown to dark greenish grey clay, containing few sand, 80-100 µm, to much sand, 80-200 (-300) µm; with rather much downwards to rather few mic; with some downwards to few glauconite; with few downwards to rather few molluscan shells (Miocene)

3.50 - 4.15 m : Dark greenish grey sand, 120-400 µm, downwards to 200-500 µm, containing much, downwards to few clay; in the upper parts some mic; with very much coarse glauconite, 400-600 µm; with rather few, to the base many rounded glauconite containing forsterites and some shark-teeth; some bits of pyrite; with molluscan shells abundant.

4.15 - ? m : Blue-grey, hard clay (Oligocene).