



DIREZIONE MINERARIA  
SERVIZIO GEOLOGICO

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CENTRAL FILE

CLASTIC SEDIMENTS OF  
PHILLIPS WELL 7/11-3, NORTH SEA (NORWAY)  
INTERVAL 10086'-10424' -PALEOCENE AGE

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Grain size, sedimentary structures and petrography of the available samples were analysed. All these data are summarized on the sediment log (Encl. 1) with some porosity and permeability values.

Sandstones were subdivided into types according to their grain size, following the procedure indicated in the report "Graphic representation of grain size" (R. Passeggi, Sept. 28, 1967). Grain size analyses data are reported on files at the end of this report and on diagrams (Encl. 2).

#### Sedimentology

Three cores were examined: n.1, 10.086'-10.109'; no.2 10.147'-10.187'; no.3 10.368'-10.424'. Core no.1 lies 20' above the uppermost sandy level of the reservoir and is mostly clayey. Core no.2 is at the top and core no.3 is in the middle part of the Paleocene sandy section.

The reservoir is made of sandstone beds interbedded with thin clay layers. The upper part of the reservoir is less rich in clay layers than the lower one.

Sedimentary structures present in sandstone beds are: vertical graded bedding; presence of massive structure at the bottom of some layers while parallel or current laminations are common at the top; bioturbations in shaly or silty intervals; presence of clay fragments; slumping features.

Grain size analyses confirm the graded bedding. See for example six samples taken in the core no.3 between 10.390'. 9" and 10.393'. 6" and five samples of the same core taken at 10.393'. 10"

and 10.396'.9": they represent two sequences regularly graded. In the enclosure 1 we marked as graded only sequences macroscopically graded (see photos).

Core no. 1 is made mostly of clays and siltstones; core no. 2 is made of sandstone beds with a few small intervals of clay; sandstone grains range from coarse to fine; maximum diameter is about 2 mm. Core no. 3 is like the no. 2 but grains are coarser also if silt and clay layers are always present.

Medium and fine sands seem transported as graded suspension; grains coarser than 1 mm are transported by rolling. Lutite is present in a certain amount also in the coarser samples, this means that the winnowing is not in relation with the competence of the current.

### Petrography

Quartz sandstones, light gray or tan, poorly sorted with some clay matrix and silica and carbonate cements. Silica and carbonate cements are more abundant than in wells 7/11-1, 7/11-2.

The main constituents of the detrital fraction are:

- quartz grains
- scarce feldspar grains sometimes weathered
- rare lithic fragments
- rare mica flakes
- very rare detrital glauconite grains

Glauconite is abundant in core no. 1, both in clayey than in silty fractions.

Grain contacts are mostly tangential, but also the planar ones are frequent.

Porosity and permeability

Porosity and permeability analyses were carried out on a few samples of cores no. 2 and n. 3.

Porosity values range between 15 and 20%, the higher values were found in core no. 2. Permeability is low (average about 10 md), because of the presence of matrix and cements. Silica and carbonate cements are slightly more abundant here than in other two wells of the field 7/11; the rising of silica cement is due to the higher percentages of planar contacts between quartz grains.

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Encl. 1: Sediment log

- " 2: CM, FM, LM, AM diagrams
- : Tables of grain size analyses
- : Core photos

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DEPTH	C (Onepercentile)	$\Sigma$ (Median)	A (% Finer than 3,9 microns)	F (% Finer than 31 microns)	T (% Finer than 125 microns)	% .																								
						> 16 mm	16 - 8 mm	8 - 4 mm	4 - 2 mm	2 - 1.41 mm	1.41 - 1 mm	1 - 0.71 mm	0.71 - 0.50 mm	0.50 - 0.35 mm	0.35 - 0.25 mm	0.25 - 0.177 mm	0.177 - 0.125 mm	0.125 - 0.088 mm	0.088 - 0.062 mm	0.062 - 0.031 mm	0.031 - 0.0156 mm	0.0156 - 0.0078 mm	0.0078 - 0.0039 mm	< 0.0039 mm						
10088'	110	35	21.5	46.5	99.8											0.2	5.8	17.2	30.3	12.3	6.2	6.5	21.5							
10089'	130	43	13.8	35.0	98.7											0.1	1.2	4.0	22.8	36.9	11.9	5.8	3.5	13.8						
10091'	105	29	17.7	51.7	99.9											0.1	4.8	16.2	27.2	16.2	9.5	8.3	17.7							
10098'	82	17	35.7	61.5	100											0.2	12.0	26.3	11.3	8.5	6.0	35.7								
10101'	98	42	19.9	40.7	100											3.3	28.3	27.7	10.1	6.9	3.8	19.9								
10106'	58	4.6	47.5	90.3	100											0.7	9.0	14.2	13.3	15.3	47.5									
10108'	68	6.2	41.5	91.1	100											0.2	1.3	7.4	16.7	19.2	13.7	41.5								
10109'	40	3.3	54.2	95.2	100											4.8	13.1	13.4	14.5	54.2										
10148'	230	85	6.3	14.1	74.3											0.3	4.9	20.3	20.3	20.1	19.8	5.1	1.7	1.0	6.3					
10149'	480	125	3.7	9.9	49.4											0.8	4.9	8.2	15.6	21.1	12.6	10.0	16.9	3.2	2.0	1.0	3.7			
10150'	650	140	4.5	11.5	43.3											0.07	0.4	5.7	7.7	10.8	14.8	17.2	10.5	9.6	11.7	4.3	2.2	0.5	4.5	
10151'	460	125	4.9	13.3	50.2											0.5	4.1	9.7	15.2	20.3	12.7	8.6	15.6	4.8	2.5	1.1	4.9			
10153'	720	135	4.9	16.3	46.6											0.2	0.9	5.5	8.7	11.1	11.8	15.2	8.3	8.3	13.7	6.1	3.5	1.8	4.9	
10154'	280	28	12.4	52.7	86.3											0.2	1.3	4.3	7.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	20.0	19.7	13.4	7.2	12.4			
10155'	350	32	10.7	48.1	85.3											1.1	1.5	4.5	7.6	6.7	6.7	23.8	17.5	13.2	6.7	10.7				
10156'	640	155	3.3	8.7	38.8											0.3	5.0	8.6	9.8	17.7	19.8	12.1	8.2	9.8	3.3	1.4	0.7	3.3		
10157'	1300	140	2.7	7.8	41.4											0.7	0.9	1.6	4.4	5.4	7.0	15.5	23.1	11.7	10.8	11.1	3.3	0.9	0.9	2.7
10157'	860	310	2.1	4.8	18.8											0.16	5.7	21.8	16.7	12.3	12.3	12.2	5.7	4.1	4.2	1.7	0.7	0.3	2.1	
10158'	1500	290	1.9	4.9	23.1											0.07	1.3	3.4	8.5	17.1	12.0	11.5	11.5	7.4	4.9	5.9	1.7	1.0	0.3	1.9
10158'	520	190	1.7	4.2	25.5												1.4	14.1	16.9	21.9	20.2	9.6	6.2	5.5	1.1	1.1	0.3	1.7		
10159'	620	210	1.9	4.7	24.5											0.17	7.6	12.5	18.6	20.6	16.0	9.4	5.2	5.2	1.6	0.9	0.3	1.9		

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DEPTH	C (one percentile)	Z (Median)	Δ (% Finer than 3.0 microns)	Γ (% Finer than 31 microns)	Τ₁ (% Finer than 125 microns)	% 0.002 - 0.031 mm												0.0156 - 0.0078 mm	0.0078 - 0.0038 mm	< 0.0039 mm							
						> 16 mm	16 - 8 mm	8 - 4 mm	4 - 2 mm	2 - 1.41 mm	1.41 - 1 mm	1 - 0.71 mm	0.71 - 0.50 mm	0.50 - 0.35 mm	0.35 - 0.25 mm	0.25 - 0.177 mm	0.177 - 0.125 mm	0.125 - 0.088 mm	0.088 - 0.052 mm	0.052 - 0.031 mm							
10377	710	130	2.9	7.5	48.7						1.0	4.9	6.1	9.5	14.7	15.1	17.4	12.8	11.0	2.4	1.2	1.0	2.9				
10379	940	140	2.2	6.6	42.0						0.3	0.5	1.3	5.2	8.0	8.2	15.0	19.5	12.5	11.0	11.9	2.3	1.0	1.1	2.2		
10380	580	115	3.0	8.1	52.5						0.1	2.8	7.9	10.9	12.3	13.5	17.3	13.0	14.1	2.7	1.5	0.9	3.0				
10381	680	160	2.7	6.6	39.6						0.5	7.9	7.9	12.3	19.0	12.8	11.9	10.9	10.2	2.1	1.0	0.8	2.7				
10382	600	110	2.9	8.3	55.3						0.2	2.4	6.3	8.0	13.7	14.1	21.2	11.5	14.3	2.5	1.7	1.2	2.9				
10383	540	92	4.4	17.3	68.8						0.1	1.3	2.9	3.8	9.8	13.3	18.8	14.3	18.5	7.9	2.9	2.1	4.4				
10384	360	110	3.1	7.8	58.1							0.2	1.0	4.8	17.0	18.9	23.5	13.4	13.4	2.7	1.3	0.7	3.1				
10385	430	145	2.4	6.0	41.6							0.2	5.6	13.8	20.1	18.7	16.4	9.2	10.0	1.7	1.2	0.7	2.4				
10386	640	150	2.6	6.0	40.6							0.2	5.8	10.7	11.9	16.7	14.1	14.1	11.4	9.1	2.1	1.0	0.3	2.6			
10386	700	210	2.2	5.7	31.6						0.1	0.8	15.8	15.3	12.7	12.7	11.0	10.8	7.3	7.8	2.0	0.8	0.7	2.2			
10387	820	190	2.5	6.3	36.0						0.2	2.5	10.8	12.0	12.7	13.1	12.7	12.5	9.0	8.2	2.0	1.3	0.5	2.5			
10389	540	82	4.8	14.7	70.5							0.2	1.2	2.4	4.5	9.3	11.9	17.7	15.1	23.0	5.9	2.4	1.6	4.8			
10390	370	130	3.1	7.3	45.8								1.4	7.0	22.8	23.0	17.5	11.6	9.4	2.5	1.0	0.7	3.1				
10390	620	190	2.1	4.5	27.7							0.2	4.0	15.1	16.5	20.5	16.0	9.8	7.4	6.0	1.0	0.9	0.5	2.1			
10391	680	190	2.5	6.0	29.4							0.3	11.2	14.1	14.1	14.3	16.6	8.8	7.6	7.0	1.9	0.9	0.7	2.5			
10392	820	190	2.3	5.4	33.9							0.2	2.9	8.6	10.5	15.2	14.9	13.8	13.5	7.9	7.1	1.7	0.7	0.7	2.3		
10392	1500	200	2.3	5.9	29.3						0.2	5.9	9.2	10.4	10.4	14.1	15.8	8.1	8.0	7.3	2.0	0.9	0.7	2.3			
10393	3000	400	1.7	4.9	22.5						6.2	8.8	9.3	9.5	11.0	9.3	7.8	7.8	7.6	4.8	5.2	1.7	0.8	0.7	1.7		
10393	3200	350	2.2	5.8	24.1						8.5	13.6	8.5	7.3	6.3	6.3	7.2	9.0	9.2	7.2	5.3	5.8	1.4	1.4	0.8	2.2	
10393	620	190	2.0	5.7	31.8							0.2	5.7	16.1	15.8	15.8	14.6	11.9	7.4	6.8	1.8	1.2	0.7	2.0			

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DEPTH	C (onepercentile)	Z (Median)	% . . . . .																					
			> 3.9 microns	> 31 microns	> 125 microns	> 16 mm	16 - 8 mm	8 - 4 mm	4 - 2 mm	2 - 1.41 mm	1.41 - 1 mm	1 - 0.71 mm	0.71 - 0.50 mm	0.50 - 0.35 mm	0.35 - 0.25 mm	0.25 - 0.177 mm	0.177 - 0.125 mm	0.125 - 0.088 mm	0.088 - 0.022 mm	0.062 - 0.031 mm	0.031 - 0.0156 mm	0.0156 - 0.0078 mm	0.0078 - 0.0039 mm	< 0.0039 mm
10417	430	155	2.6	6.7	40.4	.	.	.	.	0.2	3.9	16.5	21.8	17.2	15.5	9.5	8.7	1.9	1.5	0.7	2.6			
10418	490	150	2.4	6.9	40.3	.	.	.	.	0.7	6.8	12.7	18.8	20.7	14.6	9.8	9.0	2.4	1.2	0.9	2.4			
10419	800	180	2.2	6.0	35.7	.	.	.	.	0.2	10.6	12.1	12.8	13.4	13.4	13.2	7.7	8.8	1.8	1.5	0.5	2.2		
10419	620	190	2.4	5.8	30.9	.	.	.	.	0.2	7.1	13.6	15.7	15.9	16.6	10.0	7.8	7.3	0.9	2.2	0.3	2.4		
10420	960	180	2.6	6.8	36.5	.	.	.	.	0.1	0.6	3.6	9.6	10.4	10.8	14.5	13.9	11.5	8.6	9.6	2.4	1.0	0.8	2.6
10420	145	60	4.8	15.0	97.8	.	.	.	.	0.2	1.8	10.6	12.1	12.8	13.4	13.4	13.2	7.7	8.8	1.8	1.5	0.5	2.2	
10420	230	90	3.1	9.0	77.1	.	.	.	.	0.1	0.6	3.6	9.6	10.4	10.8	14.5	13.9	11.5	8.6	9.6	2.4	1.0	0.8	2.6
10421	315	130	2.7	7.0	46.8	.	.	.	.	0.3	2.7	12.4	13.1	13.4	14.5	10.2	10.0	7.3	7.8	3.1	1.4	1.1	2.7	
10421	850	210	2.7	8.3	33.4	.	.	.	.	0.3	2.7	12.4	13.1	13.4	14.5	10.2	10.0	7.3	7.8	3.1	1.4	1.1	2.7	
10421	600	150	3.4	9.0	40.9	.	.	.	.	0.2	4.1	8.6	11.8	15.9	18.5	11.5	9.6	10.8	3.2	1.7	0.7	3.4		
10422	250	88	3.8	12.4	71.1	.	.	.	.	0.5	3.2	17.0	15.8	15.3	12.6	10.0	7.3	6.6	4.5	2.7	1.4	3.8		
10423	420	115	3.4	10.0	55.1	.	.	.	.	0.1	0.9	5.9	19.1	16.7	15.7	12.0	9.4	6.4	5.6	3.7	2.2	0.8	3.4	
10423	900	260	3.1	7.2	25.6	.	.	.	.	0.5	3.2	17.0	15.8	15.3	12.6	10.0	7.3	6.6	4.5	2.6	0.8	0.7	3.1	
10424	1000	300	2.0	4.5	20.2	.	.	.	.	0.1	0.9	5.9	19.1	16.7	15.7	12.0	9.4	6.4	5.6	3.7	1.7	0.5	0.3	2.0

Well 7/11-3 (PHILLIPS)

## SEDIMENT LOG

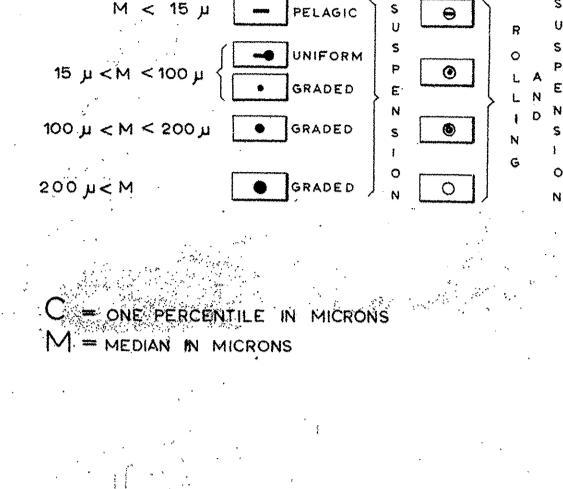
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- [Symbol] FELDSPAR GRAINS
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- [Symbol] ROCK FRAGMENTS
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CONGLOMERATE ELEMENTS
- [Symbol] CLAY UNDIFFERENTIATED
- [Symbol] CLAY WITH IRON OXIDES AND SULFIDES
- [Symbol] CARBONATE CEMENT
- [Symbol] SULFATES
- [Symbol] SILICA CEMENT
- [Symbol] ILLITE
- [Symbol] CHLORITE
- [Symbol] MONTMORILLONITE
- [Symbol] KAOLINITE
- [Symbol] MIXED LAYERS

## OTHER ELEMENTS AND DIAGENESIS

- G GLAUCONITE
- F FOSSILS
- P PLANTS, PLANT DEBRIS
- P PYRITE (MAY BE OXIDIZED)
- O OOLITES
- C# CARBONACEOUS FRAGMENTS
- R REPLACEMENT OF QUARTZ BY CARBONATES
- D PARTLY DISSOLVED QUARTZ

## GRAIN SIZE TYPES

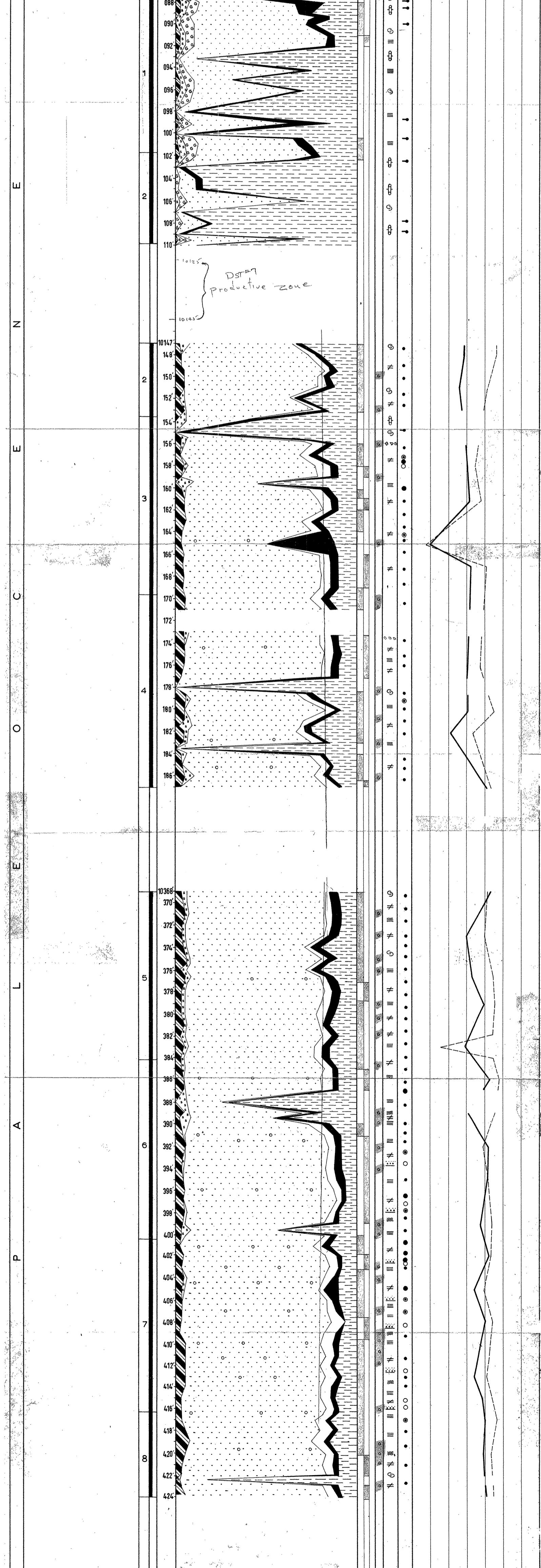


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M = MEDIAN IN MICRONS

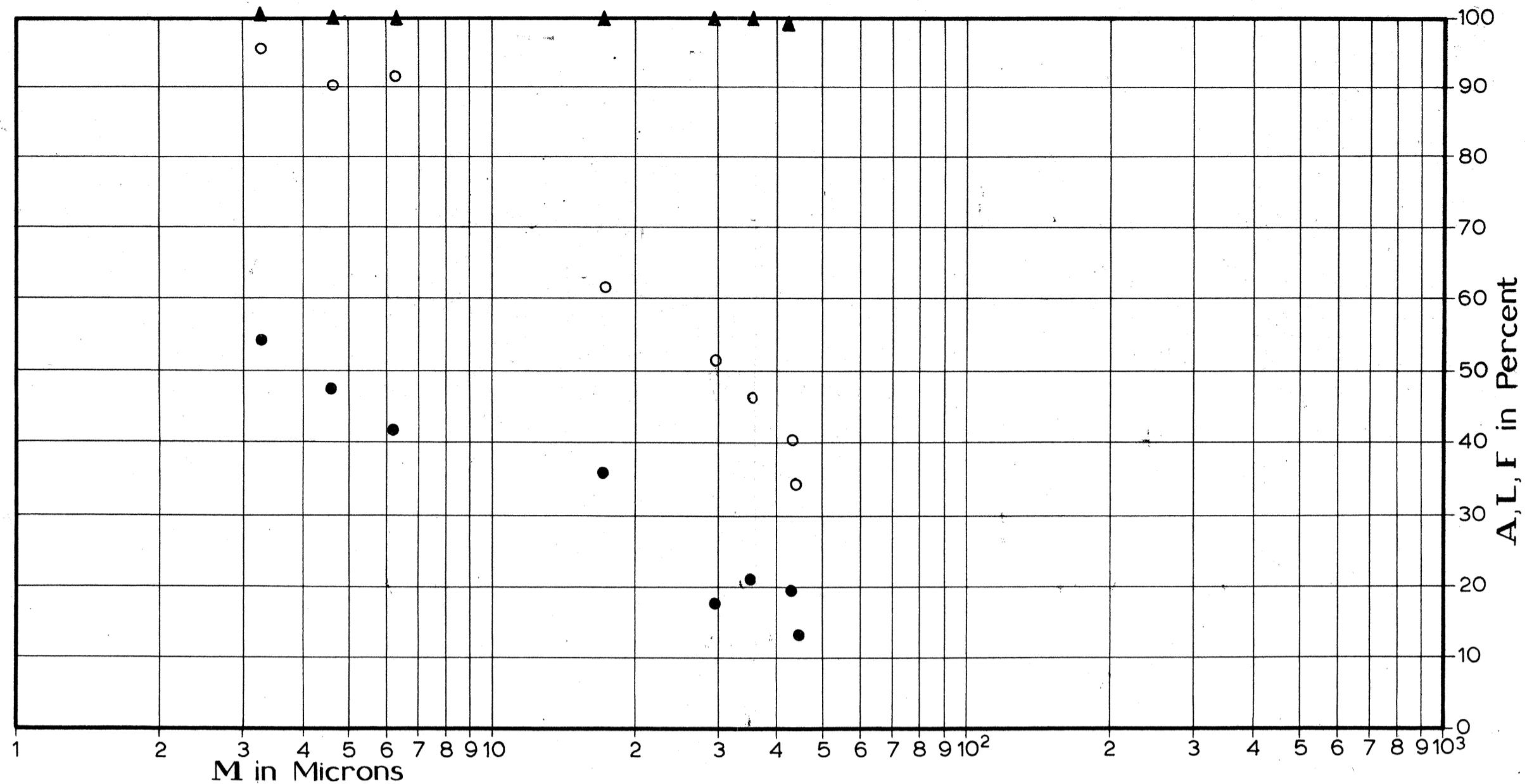
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- PARALLEL LAMINATION
- CROSS BEDDING
- GRADED BEDDING
- SCOUR AND FILL
- DISTURBED BED
- MICRO CROSS LAMINATION
- BURROW OR BIOTURBATION
- CLAY FRAGMENTS
- LENTICULAR BED
- WAVY LAMINATION
- MASSIVE BED

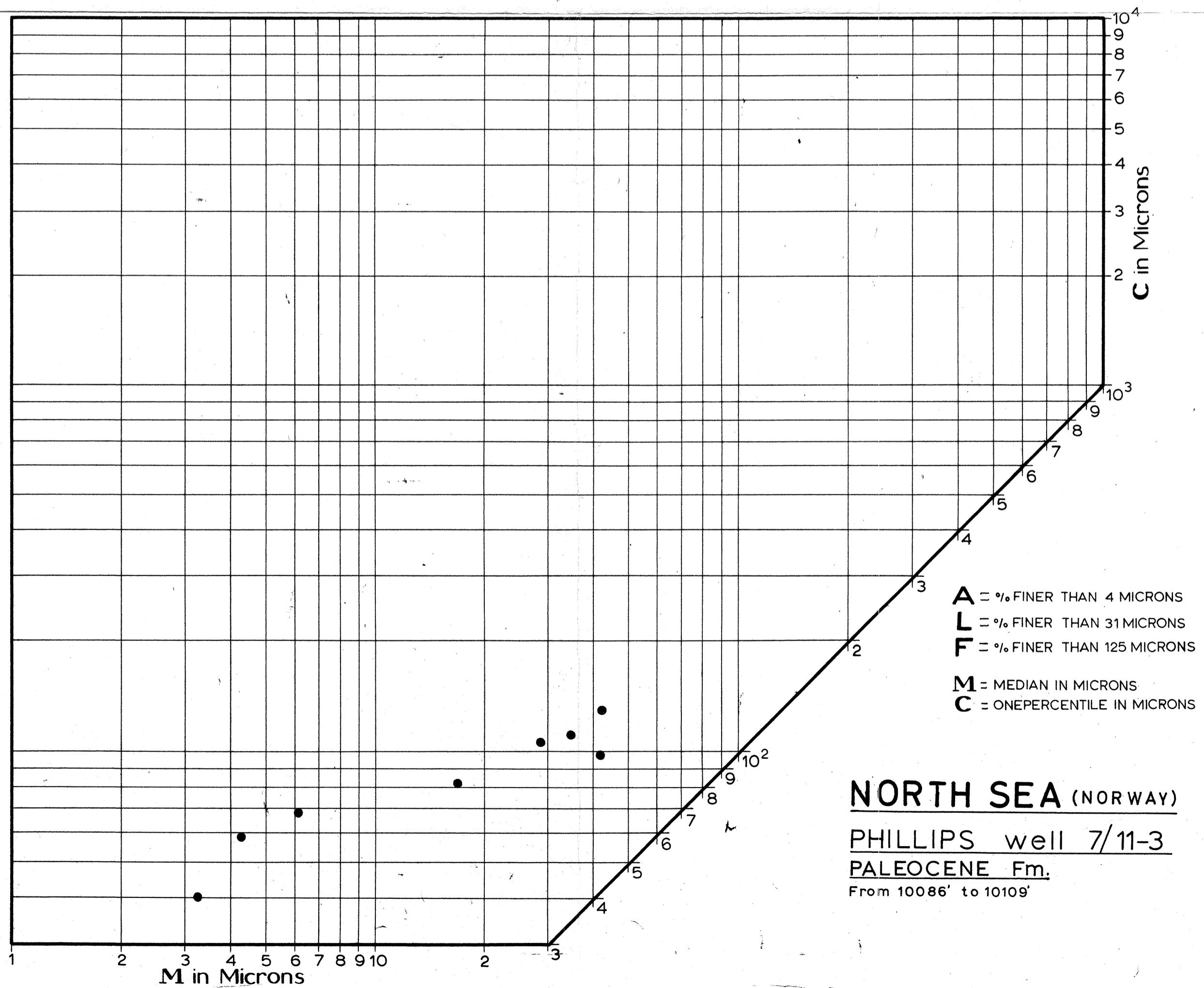
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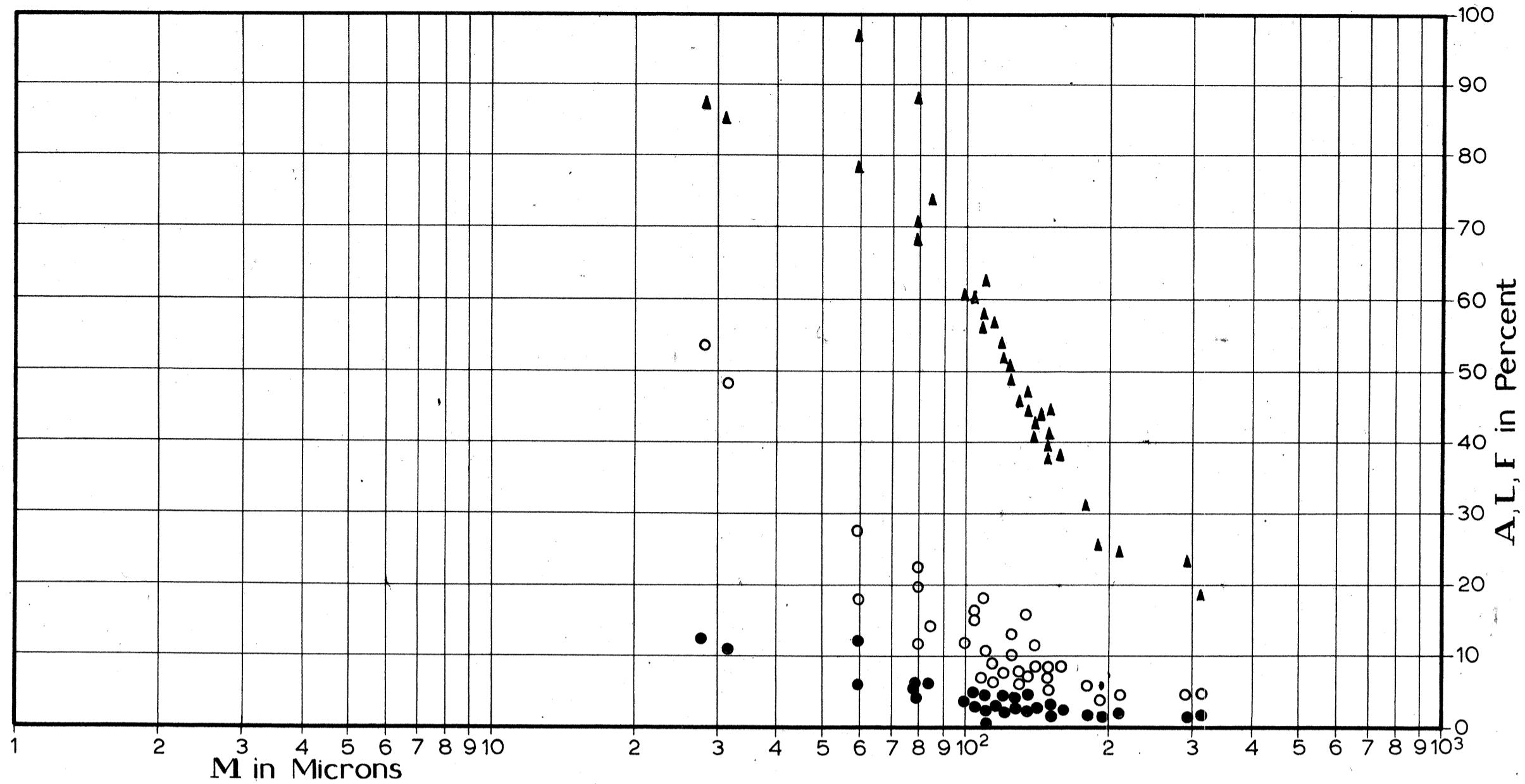
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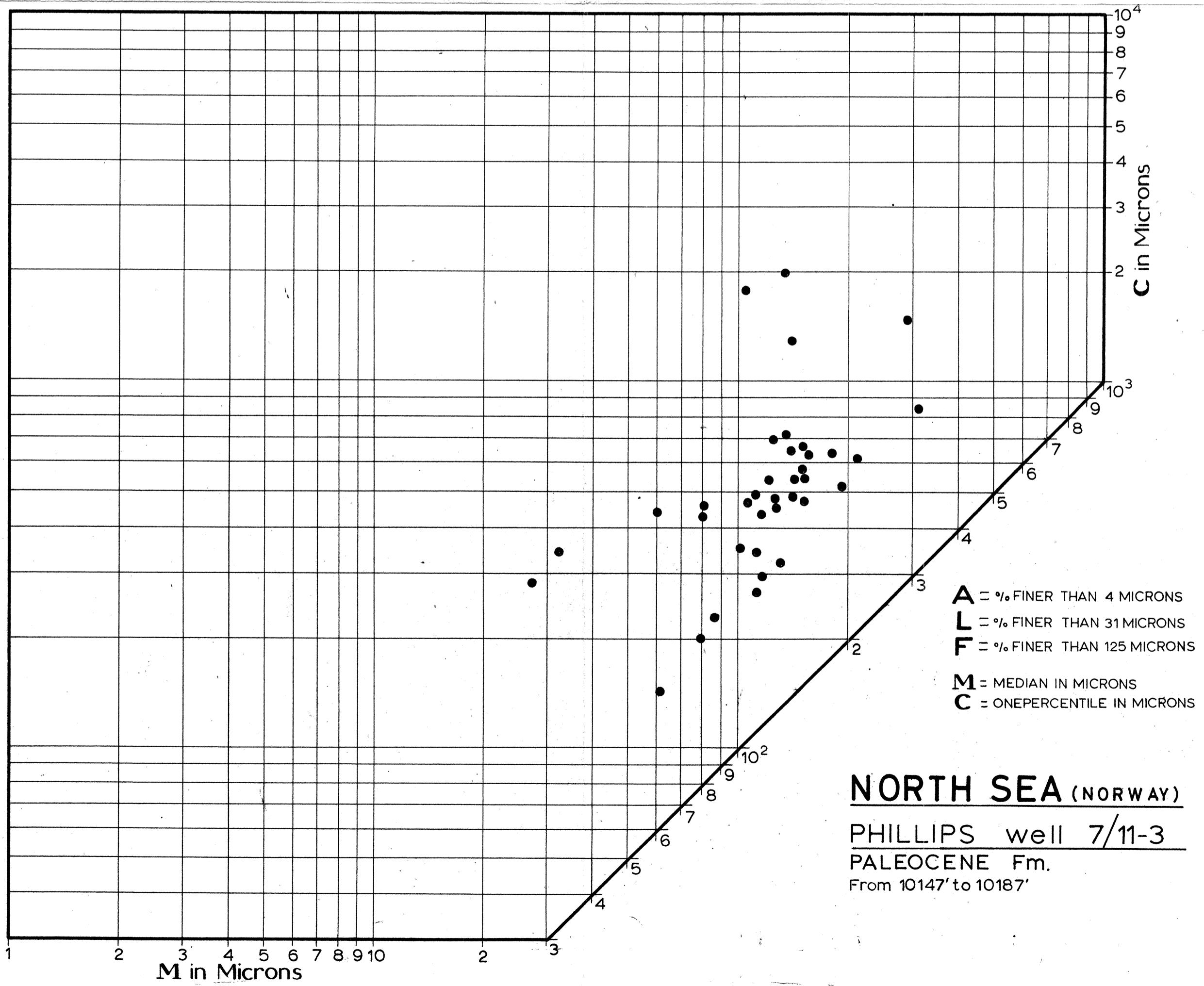
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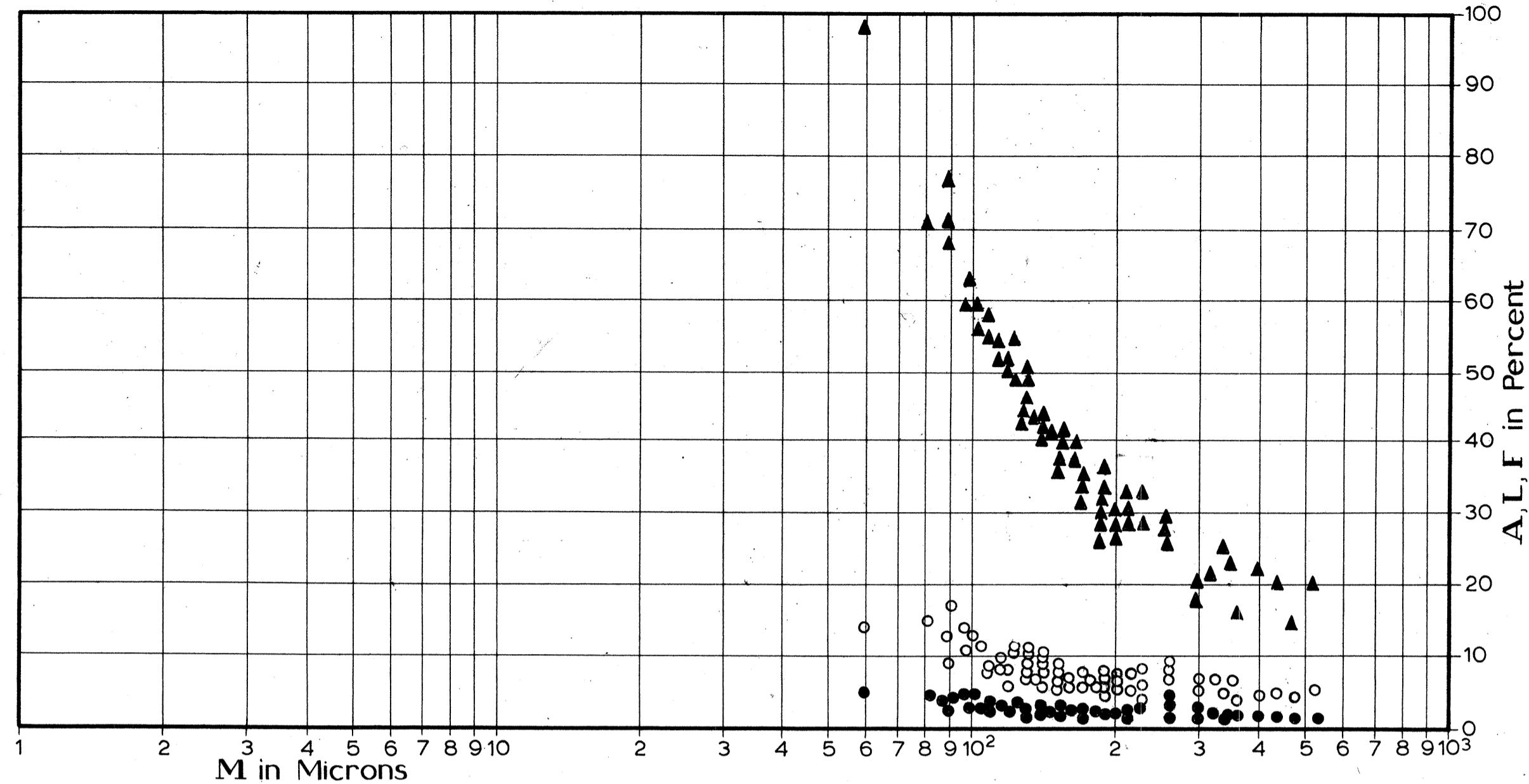
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### C - M DIAGRAM



### A-M(•), L-M(○) and F-M(▲) DIAGRAM



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