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## Supplementary Data

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### Appendix

**Sediment sample characterization including all analytical values corresponding to each site belonging to the Spanish southern coastline is outlined in Table A.1. All sediment samples were collected in 2009.**

**Table A.1** Analytical values of sediment sample characterization. Cd, Cu, Ni, Pb, Zn, Hg, As, Cr, Li and Mn values are expressed in mg/kg dw. Al, Fe, fraction <0.63 µm, Total P, Total N and TOC are expressed in %wt.

Site	Cd	Cu	Ni	Pb	Zn	Hg	As	Cr	Li	Mn	Al	Fe	Fraction <63 µm	Total P	Total N	TOC
1	<0.5	43	42	27	204	0.2	20.0	71	41	852	7.9	4.3	22.4	0.04	0.12	1.2
2	<0.5	63	46	31	216	0.3	24.0	68	46	970	8.3	4.6	46.3	0.04	0.16	1.7
3	<0.5	64	38	30	302	0.4	27.0	64	57	614	7.3	4.7	51.2	0.05	0.21	1.1
4	<0.5	42	31	25	212	0.4	19.0	56	41	343	5.4	3.9	7.1	0.04	0.14	0.8
5	0.5	27	28	9	222	0.3	12.0	38	25	421	3.8	3.1	39.1	0.05	0.10	0.7
6	<0.5	61	27	28	296	0.5	25.0	72	51	312	5.9	4.1	16.4	0.04	0.27	2.3
7	<0.5	68	30	40	387	0.6	31.0	69	65	394	6.8	4.7	28.6	0.05	0.25	2.1
8	<0.5	66	31	37	324	0.5	24.0	68	60	401	5.6	3.4	33.2	0.03	0.18	2.0
9	<0.5	22	41	18	258	0.4	11.0	74	19	340	2.3	2.8	2.3	0.04	0.07	0.3
10	<0.5	36	29	15	314	0.2	19.0	62	31	242	6.3	3.6	49.3	0.05	0.18	2.1
11	<0.5	60	31	28	296	0.2	18.0	78	48	204	5.9	3.9	68.4	0.05	0.16	1.8
12	<0.5	87	30	42	310	0.3	28.0	74	56	296	5.8	4.0	73.2	0.04	0.18	1.4
13	<0.5	13	11	19	232	<0.1	12.0	46	11	285	2.4	2.2	8.3	0.04	<0.05	0.3
14	<0.5	27	6	13	173	0.2	16.0	29	10	239	2.6	1.6	2.4	0.04	0.05	0.3
15	0.8	<b>1,120</b>	16	<b>963</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>693</b>	78	25	114	5.4	10.0	10.4	0.83	0.36	3.6
16	1.3	<b>1,430</b>	27	<b>1,100</b>	<b>1,310</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>611</b>	86	39	183	5.6	9.3	21.3	0.89	0.29	2.5
17	1.8	<b>1,200</b>	36	<b>971</b>	<b>1,710</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>431</b>	89	38	253	6.0	7.9	36.5	0.83	0.22	1.6
18	3.8	<b>2,510</b>	28	<b>1,160</b>	<b>4,030</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>633</b>	173	47	276	6.0	13.0	57.2	1.40	0.33	2.0
19	1.4	<b>2,850</b>	43	<b>1,120</b>	<b>3,350</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>556</b>	143	69	414	5.8	9.8	67.7	0.96	0.30	1.4
20	0.6	<b>690</b>	20	<b>227</b>	<b>896</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>164</b>	81	39	162	5.3	6.0	50.8	0.27	0.18	0.7
21	0.8	<b>2,050</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>1,890</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>656</b>	124	75	1,100	5.6	10.0	6.4	0.94	0.32	2.1
22	1.1	<b>2,110</b>	34	<b>662</b>	<b>4,030</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>427</b>	108	110	408	7.6	8.7	79.2	0.73	0.33	2.1
23	1.5	<b>1,890</b>	33	<b>522</b>	<b>2,570</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>441</b>	83	141	370	8.1	7.8	50.5	0.52	0.21	1.8
24	0.9	<b>585</b>	40	162	<b>2,820</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>127</b>	103	61	539	7.0	6.4	21.8	0.10	0.20	1.6
25	1.4	<b>2,380</b>	45	<b>863</b>	<b>3,150</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>425</b>	117	74	543	6.2	9.6	64.6	0.85	0.22	2.1
26	4.6	<b>3,070</b>	23	<b>2,800</b>	<b>4,250</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>910</b>	143	53	368	6.4	12.0	58.9	1.20	0.18	2.1
27	2.1	<b>2,500</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>983</b>	<b>3,910</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>704</b>	117	73	515	7.6	9.7	70.3	1.10	0.20	2.1
28	2.1	<b>2,140</b>	48	<b>754</b>	<b>2,810</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>534</b>	93	74	399	4.8	8.4	16.1	0.66	0.18	1.6
29	0.6	<b>845</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>1,580</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>164</b>	94	34	494	4.4	4.5	1.5	0.11	0.10	0.9
30	<0.5	56	7	12	267	0.1	21.0	26	8	240	2.6	2.3	3.2	0.04	0.06	0.3
31	<0.5	40	9	22	364	0.2	20.0	29	12	288	2.0	2.6	2.7	0.03	0.06	0.3
32	<0.5	205	25	84	<b>487</b>	0.7	54.0	57	26	448	2.6	3.9	64.4	0.08	0.12	1.2
33	<0.5	65	10	33	339	0.2	44.0	33	12	201	2.0	2.1	1.5	0.04	0.05	1.1
34	<0.5	45	6	21	270	0.3	21.0	33	9	218	2.2	1.9	4.1	0.03	<0.05	0.8
35	<0.5	39	17	18	325	<0.1	19.0	29	7	220	1.6	1.8	7.9	0.03	0.06	0.9
36	<0.5	33	8	12	177	<0.1	18.0	29	6	349	2.2	2.1	8.1	0.02	0.08	1.6

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Site	Cd	Cu	Ni	Pb	Zn	Hg	As	Cr	Li	Mn	Al	Fe	Frac- tion <63 µm	Total P	Total N	TOC
37	<0.5	42	19	21	112	0.1	10.0	67	27	432	3.2	2.8	94.3	0.05	0.13	2.1
38	<0.5	45	51	26	314	0.2	8.9	78	31	782	5.2	3.0	96.9	0.04	0.17	1.8
39	<0.5	49	29	25	226	0.1	7.4	82	28	665	4.8	2.9	90.8	0.09	0.13	2.5
40	<0.5	53	46	19	263	0.3	5.5	71	29	665	4.8	3.1	96.8	0.09	0.16	2.1
41	0.5	112	37	<b>233</b>	402	0.5	16.0	69	26	793	4.2	2.8	43.0	0.13	0.18	1.8
42	<0.5	58	<b>52</b>	32	223	0.1	5.9	82	32	695	4.6	3.0	95.2	0.08	0.16	2.1
43	<0.5	43	38	21	302	0.3	6.3	53	22	416	3.8	2.4	86.4	0.11	0.17	1.8
44	<0.5	43	44	34	213	0.4	6.8	76	32	715	3.6	2.9	84.6	0.08	0.10	2.2
45	<0.5	53	42	25	169	0.1	8.6	84	40	843	4.2	4.0	80.7	0.08	0.16	2.1
46	<0.5	56	<b>59</b>	17	384	0.1	9.2	88	41	608	5.8	3.2	89.7	0.06	0.11	2.0
47	0.5	68	<b>57</b>	64	319	0.3	12.0	74	31	635	4.4	3.1	53.7	0.04	0.11	1.6
48	<0.5	52	46	39	224	0.2	13.0	74	27	687	3.6	3.5	7.7	0.07	0.11	1.8
49	<0.5	48	37	44	218	0.3	10.0	62	21	611	3.6	2.7	1.3	0.05	0.14	1.4
50	<0.5	6	7	5	54	<0.1	5.8	18	4	263	1.4	1.1	0.6	<0.01	0.05	0.3
51	<0.5	48	<b>62</b>	19	224	0.2	4.5	79	23	621	5.1	2.3	28.6	0.06	0.18	2.7
52	<0.5	46	43	26	233	0.2	7.4	86	34	422	4.6	2.9	63.4	0.08	0.16	2.5
53	<0.5	58	<b>86</b>	19	246	0.2	4.9	71	29	475	3.6	2.1	96.8	0.06	0.17	2.6
54	<0.5	76	37	21	234	0.2	6.1	98	33	446	6.2	2.8	86.7	0.07	0.13	3.1
55	<0.5	16	18	9	186	0.2	7.9	29	6	304	2.4	0.7	17.1	0.03	0.05	1.0
56	<0.5	22	13	13	111	0.5	12.0	42	13	659	3.4	1.8	60.5	0.06	0.12	2.7
57	<0.5	51	<b>62</b>	20	105	0.2	7.5	42	16	360	2.4	1.6	11.5	0.02	0.08	2.1
58	<0.5	14	9	10	31	0.4	5.4	25	8	441	1.6	1.2	18.9	0.02	0.08	2.0
59	<0.5	32	21	40	89	0.5	7.9	65	21	425	2.4	2.3	5.0	0.05	0.10	2.5
60	<0.5	58	40	29	195	0.4	9.4	58	27	315	4.8	2.5	67.2	0.06	0.11	2.7
61	<0.5	40	41	31	261	0.4	9.9	86	39	336	4.6	3.6	44.2	0.06	0.13	2.6
62	<0.5	5	6	6	56	<0.1	3.9	13	4	254	1.2	1.3	2.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.3
63	<0.5	41	40	31	166	0.2	10.0	96	36	379	5.6	3.1	85.0	0.06	0.12	1.8
64	<0.5	5	7	5	39	<0.1	5.1	12	5	520	1.4	1.2	3.0	<0.01	<0.05	0.3
65	<0.5	50	40	40	183	0.1	4.0	84	20	623	3.6	2.3	12.1	0.10	0.24	3.6
66	<0.5	128	48	72	346	0.2	11.0	115	39	435	6.2	3.8	21.3	0.10	0.20	2.3
67	<0.5	65	<b>61</b>	18	234	0.2	8.9	106	44	350	7.0	4.9	77.2	0.08	0.18	1.7
68	<0.5	6	6	5	72	<0.1	3.7	14	3	432	1.0	1.1	12.4	<0.01	0.05	0.1
69	<0.5	7	8	4	63	<0.1	3.4	18	4	512	1.2	1.3	2.3	<0.01	<0.05	0.1
70	<0.5	8	9	5	54	<0.1	4.1	17	4	593	1.3	1.3	3.6	<0.01	<0.05	0.3
71	<0.5	9	11	5	85	<0.1	3.1	26	4	791	1.1	1.0	1.5	0.01	0.05	0.1
72	<0.5	36	<b>124</b>	11	226	<0.1	8.0	62	9	214	2.2	2.1	0.6	0.02	<0.05	0.4
73	<0.5	11	22	8	51	<0.1	7.8	22	19	323	0.9	0.6	13.4	<0.01	<0.05	0.3
74	<0.5	15	<b>83</b>	17	57	<0.1	5.1	117	12	253	2.0	1.5	3.2	0.02	0.16	1.1
75	<0.5	58	48	20	164	<0.1	8.0	97	48	524	3.1	1.9	47.2	0.03	0.18	1.2
76	<0.5	10	23	7	52	<0.1	2.6	21	5	78	1.0	0.7	6.2	<0.01	<0.05	0.3
77	<0.5	19	<b>53</b>	15	60	<0.1	4.3	71	8	144	1.4	1.3	5.2	<0.01	0.06	0.6
78	<0.5	10	48	8	51	0.1	5.8	104	12	156	1.7	1.4	6.2	0.02	<0.05	0.6
79	<0.5	14	<b>82</b>	18	49	<0.1	4.8	114	16	241	2.4	1.3	3.0	0.02	0.06	0.7
80	<0.5	19	<b>78</b>	14	56	<0.1	5.9	82	18	234	2.2	1.6	5.2	0.01	0.06	0.5
81	<0.5	13	47	9	66	0.1	3.8	78	20	221	1.2	1.0	0.7	0.01	<0.05	0.5
82	<0.5	17	43	11	54	0.1	4.6	69	13	207	1.6	1.2	2.2	0.02	<0.05	0.7

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Site	Cd	Cu	Ni	Pb	Zn	Hg	As	Cr	Li	Mn	Al	Fe	Fraction <63 µm	Total P	Total N	TOC
83	<0.5	<i>64</i>	<b>68</b>	27	<i>284</i>	<i>0.2</i>	7.0	<i>145</i>	35	289	5.2	4.0	37.9	0.09	0.27	2.7
84	<0.5	<i>61</i>	<b>102</b>	27	<i>207</i>	<i>0.2</i>	8.5	<i>245</i>	45	329	6.1	4.1	81.6	0.07	0.24	2.1
85	<0.5	<i>46</i>	<b>68</b>	43	<i>264</i>	<i>0.2</i>	8.6	<i>146</i>	32	416	4.6	4.1	22.3	0.07	0.16	3.0
86	<0.5	<i>63</i>	<b>232</b>	31	<b>487</b>	<i>0.2</i>	8.2	<b>422</b>	38	279	5.0	3.9	66.1	0.10	0.17	2.3
87	<0.5	21	<b>210</b>	21	141	<0.1	<i>11.0</i>	<i>143</i>	13	462	2.6	3.9	0.8	<0.01	0.05	0.1
88	<0.5	<i>46</i>	<b>63</b>	25	138	0.1	4.9	<i>96</i>	40	520	3.8	2.1	54.5	0.05	0.23	1.8
89	<0.5	<i>39</i>	<b>62</b>	12	129	<i>0.2</i>	6.5	<i>94</i>	32	494	4.3	2.6	64.4	0.06	0.18	1.0
90	<0.5	17	<b>472</b>	18	114	<0.1	<i>19.0</i>	<i>271</i>	13	512	2.7	5.7	2.1	0.01	<0.05	0.2
91	<0.5	20	<b>146</b>	12	72	<0.1	<i>18.0</i>	<i>284</i>	11	587	2.9	7.8	0.2	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
92	<0.5	15	<b>136</b>	19	81	<0.1	<i>17.0</i>	<i>210</i>	12	683	3.4	3.6	0.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
93	<0.5	21	<b>112</b>	17	110	<0.1	<i>14.0</i>	<i>124</i>	13	695	3.2	3.9	<0.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.3
94	<0.5	<i>44</i>	<i>41</i>	58	121	<i>0.2</i>	<i>25.0</i>	83	30	440	4.3	4.0	58.4	0.03	0.09	0.4
95	<0.5	<i>51</i>	<b>94</b>	26	<i>256</i>	<0.1	<i>21.0</i>	32	14	456	4.0	4.1	0.3	0.02	<0.05	0.1
96	<0.5	15	19	17	48	<0.1	<i>11.0</i>	36	17	314	3.1	3.4	3.2	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
97	<0.5	16	20	21	97	<0.1	<i>10.0</i>	30	10	323	1.6	2.0	8.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
98	<0.5	19	26	15	97	<0.1	8.0	41	18	352	2.7	3.1	2.4	0.02	<0.05	0.3
99	<0.5	20	28	26	<i>161</i>	<0.1	<i>12.0</i>	29	20	323	2.5	2.6	3.2	0.03	<0.05	0.2
100	<0.5	21	30	23	107	<0.1	<i>16.0</i>	34	19	586	3.6	6.6	2.2	0.02	<0.05	0.2
101	<0.5	26	25	21	<i>152</i>	0.1	<i>22.0</i>	30	27	427	4.7	4.7	7.8	0.06	0.12	0.4
102	<0.5	22	29	20	110	<0.1	<i>19.0</i>	33	23	713	3.8	5.1	0.2	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
103	<0.5	16	21	17	86	<0.1	<i>18.0</i>	31	19	466	4.6	2.2	6.4	<0.01	<0.05	0.1
104	<0.5	15	28	36	114	<0.1	<i>30.0</i>	39	20	702	3.2	3.1	1.4	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
105	<0.5	22	30	58	131	<i>0.2</i>	<i>25.0</i>	48	28	513	3.8	3.2	44.2	0.05	0.06	0.4
106	<0.5	23	43	41	202	<0.1	<i>30.0</i>	42	17	694	3.0	4.8	<0.1	0.01	<0.05	0.1
107	<0.5	19	31	61	123	<0.1	<i>33.0</i>	41	10	816	2.9	5.8	0.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.1
108	<0.5	18	25	<b>273</b>	<b>1,250</b>	0.1	<i>18.0</i>	97	9	659	2.2	6.7	<0.1	0.02	<0.05	0.2
109	<0.5	16	18	26	134	<0.1	<i>12.0</i>	41	14	392	3.7	2.2	0.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.1
110	<0.5	18	22	48	<i>162</i>	<0.1	<i>27.0</i>	76	13	754	2.9	5.6	<0.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.1
111	<0.5	21	27	83	121	<0.1	<i>25.0</i>	57	11	614	2.1	5.2	<0.1	<0.01	<0.05	0.2
112	<0.5	20	26	68	134	<0.1	<i>31.0</i>	49	11	422	1.9	4.8	0.1	0.01	<0.05	0.2

Interpretation of analytical values: below ERL: regular, between ERL and ERM: italics and above ERM: bold (only for Cd, Cu, Ni, Pb, Zn, Hg, As, and Cr).