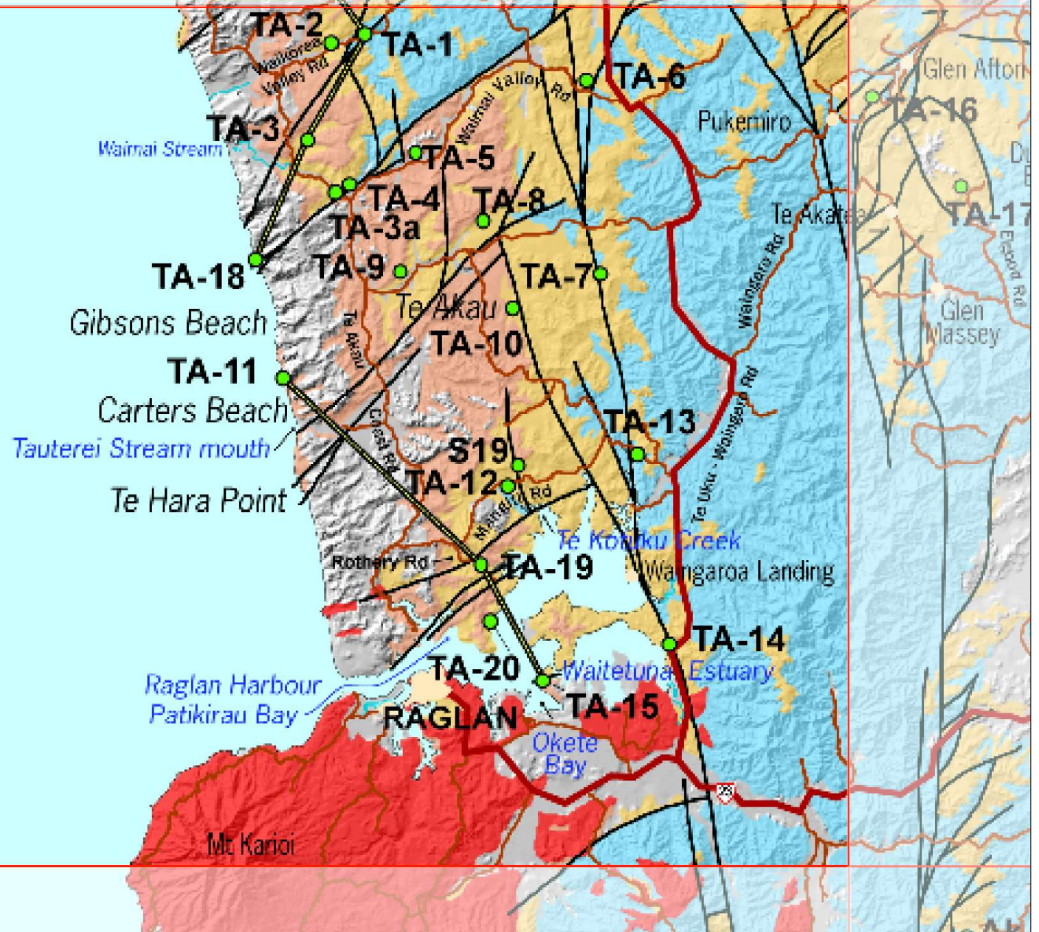


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Stratigraphic Column No.: TA-1

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2672787 - 2673113

Location: Waikorea Valley Road

N: 6399417 - 6398985

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description	
late Lwh	Lw	0-110	Te Aketea		<p>No exposures, calc. silt probably cont. for 30-40 m</p> <p>Massive, friitery</p>		Z2			<p>CALC SILTSTONE: Light grey to creamish, massive, highly frittered weathering surface exposed through the grassy mod. steep slope.</p>	
	Ld		Aotea								<p>Low angle x-bedding</p> <p>Sharp erosive contact</p> <p>Horizontally bded, bedding better defined in upper part</p>
early Lwh	late Lwh	0-60	Waikorea		<p>Bluffy, massive in appearance, bioturbated</p> <p>Shell hash concen.</p>		S2			<p>CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light brownish grey, hard, extensive bioturbation, common honeycombed weathering surface, weakly glauconitic in places, steep bluffy profile.</p>	
	Waingarua		<p>Horizontally bded, bedding better defined in upper part</p>								
	Basement	0			<p>Shell hash concen.</p> <p>Large sol. cavities, honeycombed surface</p> <p>Fragmented bivalves casts and moulds, mainly pectins</p>					<p>1</p>	<p>CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, mod. well cem., massive, very fine to fine calc. sst grading into silty sst, bioturbated, freq. burrows visible on the surface, com. scattered bivalves mainly of pectins, occ. cast and mould, rounded bulbous weathering profile.</p> <p>Contact with basement is not exposed</p>

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Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2671923

Location: Waikorea Valley Road

N: 6398706

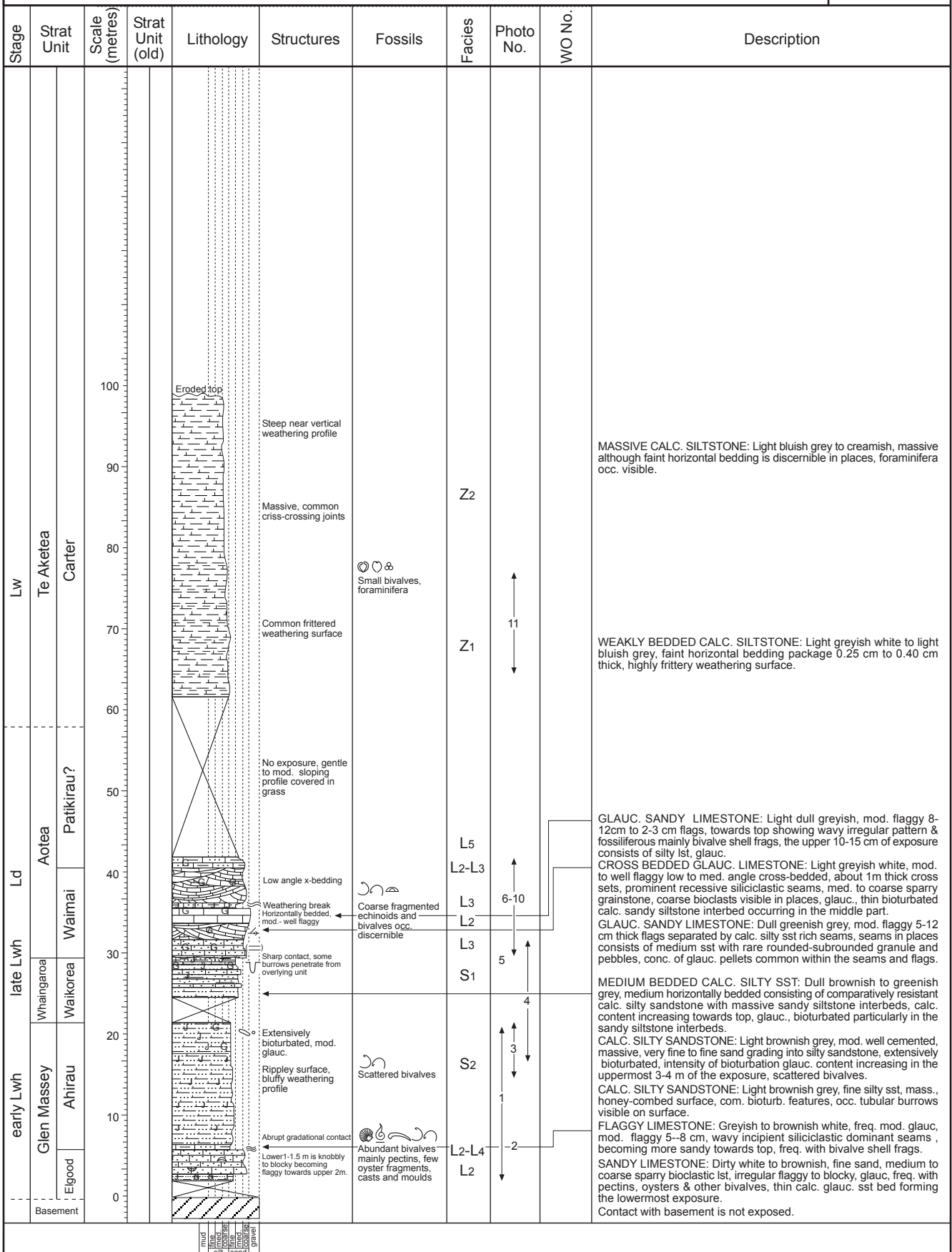
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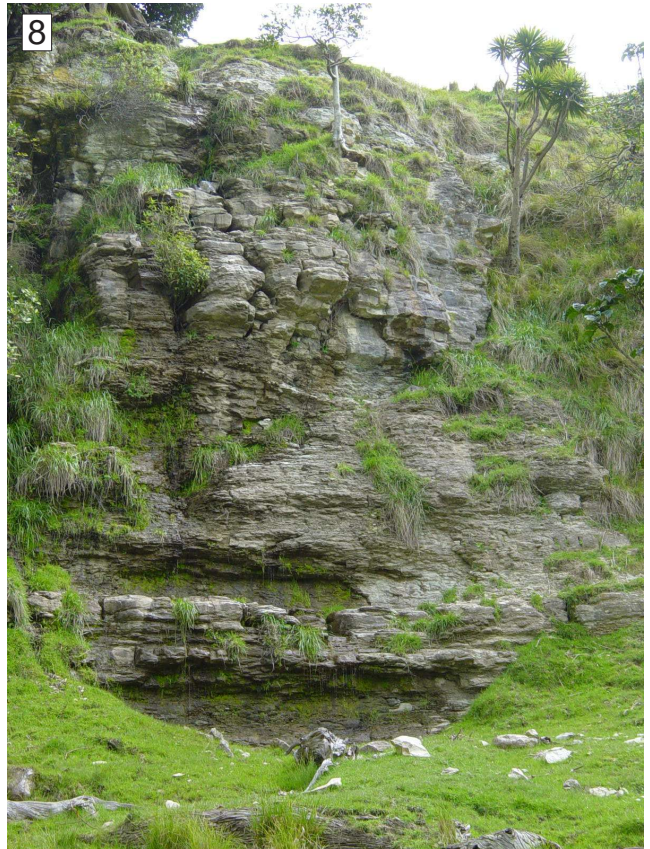
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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-3a

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2672100

Location: Waimai-Waikorea Coast Road

N: 6393450

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description
Glen Massey	Ahiraui	0 10 20 30 40 50		<p>Conspic. honey-combed weathering surface, extensive bioturb.</p> <p>Abrupt gradational facies transition</p> <p>Lst overlies an irregular weath. basement surface</p>						
	Elgood									
							S2		3-3170 3-3169 3-3168 3-3167	CALCAREOUS SILTY SANDSTONE: Mod. to well cemented, bioturbated, mass., rounded bluffy weathering profile.
							C3		3-3166 3-3165	
							L4		3-3164 3-3163 3-3162	PEBBLY LIMESTONE: Becomes poorly to moderately flaggy upsection, rounded to subrounded basement clasts supported by coarse bioclastic limestone, pecten, oyster and other bivalve fragments.
							L1		3-3161 3-3160	

mud
silt
fine
sand
coarse
sand
gravel

Stratigraphic Column No: TA-4

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2672573

Location: Waimai Valley Road

N: 6393743

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description
Lw	Te Akatea	0 to 160	Carter	Top eroded			Z2			CALC SILTSTONE/MARL: Light greyish to dirty white, 30-40 cm faint bedding discernible in the lower 3-4 m, becomes massive with typical frittered weathered surface upsection
				40 m int. condensed, no exposures, grass covered mod. to steep slope						
	Raglan		Frittered weath. surface with conchoidal fracture development		L8-Z1				CALC. SILTSTONE: Light grey to off white, massive homogenous unit, mainly massive but faint bedding 20-30 cm apparent in places, bioturbation features visible in the lower part.	
			10 m int. condensed, no exposures, mod. to steep weathering profile						No exposures, gap of approx. 30 m	
	Aotea		Waimai	Interbedded facies transition		S3			ALTERNATING SANDY SILTY LIMESTONE AND SANDY SILTSTONE: Dull brownish grey, alternation of resistant sandy-silty limestone beds and massive friable calc. sandy siltstone, common bivalve frag, massive silty beds become thicker upsection.	
				Conspicuous bioturb. sandy siltstone	Concentration of bivalves, echinoid fragments	L3			HORIZONTALLY BEDDED LIMESTONE: Light brownish grey, hard, med. to coarse sparry grainstone to packstone, common bioclasts, glauconitic, conspicuous recessed 0.2-0.4 m very bioturbated sandy siltstone interbeds.	
	Late Lwh		Whaingaroa	Waikorea	Recessive irregular siliciclast dom. seams		L2		CROSS-BEDDED GLAUC. SANDY LIMESTONE: Light brownish grey, med. to coarse sparry, low angle planar x-bed, cross sets up to 1-1.2 m thick, beds 8-10 cm, siliciclastic dominated seams 0.4-1cm, glauconitic becoming comparatively more glauc. in the upper part, com. horizontal burrows along the bedding plane.	
					Sharp contact 20-30 cm resistant calc. sst beds alternating with massive bioturbated sandy siltstone		L3-L4			SANDY FLAGGY LIMESTONE: Dull greyish to greyish white, fine to med. sand in a crystalline/spartic calc. cement, freq. mod. glauc., 8-12 cm flags, 1-2 cm sand dominated prominent seams, calcite veins common.
	early Lwh		Glen Massey	Ahirau	Bioturbated, mod. glauc.		S1		ALTERNATING CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE AND SILTSTONE: Dull greyish to brownish grey, mod. cemented silty sandstone beds alternating with bioturbated friable calc. siltstone, lower part poorly exposed and consists apparently of massive siltstone covered mainly by vegetation.	
					Crude horizontal bedding discernible	Scattered bivalves commonly peccins	S2-S3			Contact not exposed
early Lwh	Glen Massey	Dunphail	Common irregular ripple surface, bioturbated, bluffy profile		S2		CALC SILTY SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, mod. hard, wavy to rippled surface common, bluffy bulbous weathering profile, towards top forming a step like profile, top 5-6 m is mod. to weakly glauc. mainly fine sand to freq. silty in a calc. cement, massive, homogenous unit. from a distance gives appearance of crude bedding.			
			Massive, extensively bioturbated, glauc.		S5			GLAUC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Muddy brown to buff coloured, mod. hard, very fine to fine sandstone grading into silty sandstone, glauc.		
early Lwh	Glen Massey	Elgood	Mod. flaggy (5-10 cm), wavy siliciclastic rich seams, basal band of pebbly gritty limestone		L4		GLAUC. CALC. SILTSTONE: Greenish grey to buff, well cemented, frittered weathering surface, extensive bioturbated, high concentration of glauc.			
			Sharp contact 4-8 cm, glauc. bioturb., contact with basement not exposed	Common bivalves, large fragments, casts and moulds	L2-L4			FLAGGY LIMESTONE: Reddish brownish to greyish, med. to coarsely sparry grainstone, flags 3-6 cm separated by siliciclastic dominated seams 0.2-0.5 cm, flags thickening towards top, glauc., common bioclasts.		
early Lwh	Glen Massey	Mangakotuku	Crude horizontal bedding 4-8 cm, glauc. bioturb., contact with basement not exposed		L1		PEBBLY CALC. SANDSTONE: Dirty brownish white, rounded to subrounded pebble band in a sandy calc matrix, common bivalve fragments, glauc.			
								GLAUC. CALC. SANDSTONE: Dull greyish to greenish brown, fine to medium grained sandstone, mod. well cemented with crude horizontal bedding in the upper 1-1.5 m, mod. to weakly cemented in the lower part, scattered granule and bivalve fragments, glauc. concentration at the upper sharp contact.		
Ar	Basement									Contact with basement not exposed, 15 m high mound from the stream level, covered with grass, no exposures.

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-5

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2674421 - 2674905

Location: Waimai Valley Road, a prominent ridge on the north side across the Waimai Stream

N: 6394652 - 6394839

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Po	Waitamata Gp	0-160			No exposures, eroded top					SANDY SILTSTONE: Brownish grey, mod. to weakly cemented, weakly calc., massive, poorly exposed, eroded from top.		
	Waikawau Sst?			No exposures						CALC. SANDY SILTSTONE: Light bluish grey to brownish grey, mod. calc. frippery, calc. fine sandy siltstone, massive homogenous unit, poorly exposed.		
Lw	Te Akau Lst	0-120			Poorly exposed, mod. to gentle slope covered in grass					FOSSILIFEROUS LIMESTONE: Brownish grey to buff, hard, knobably to irregularly flaggy, with abundant large bioclasts, mainly oysters, large fallen blocks, exact strat. position uncertain		
	Carter			Knobably, to irregularly flaggy, with abundant large bioclasts, mainly oysters, large fallen blocks, exact strat. position uncertain	Abundant large disarticulated oysters, bivalve fragments	5-6	3-3202 3-3201			FOSSILIFEROUS LIMESTONE: Brownish grey to buff, hard, knobably to irregular flag development, abundant bioclast and large disarticulated oysters and other bivalves, coarse sparry bioclastic grainstone, basal 5-6 cm is extensively bioturbated consisting of subhorizontal large burrows, glauconitic, unit is overall poorly exposed, exposures occurs as fallen blocks, no upper or lower contact is observed.		
				No exposures, steep weathering profile, covered in vegetation								
				Massive, homogenous unit, near vertical weathering profile								CALC. SILTSTONE: Light bluish grey to creamish, well cemented, massive, common highly frittered weathering surface, calcareous fine silt to occ. coarse, massive, monotonous, near vertical weathering profile.
				Faint horizontal bedding apparent in places								
		Common frittered weathering surface, steep weathering profile	foraminifera visible in places	Z1-Z2	2-4	3-3205 3-3204 3-3203 3-3200			CALC. SILTSTONE: Light grey to bluish grey, hard, massive, frippery - breaks off with typical conchoidal fracture, bluffy, homogenous, fine to coarse calc. slst, occ. large foraminifera visible on surface.			
Ld	Patikirau?	0-20			No exposure, 20 m section condensed							
	Aotea			Weakly bedded to mass. in appear.						CALC SANDSTONE: Light dull greyish, comparatively less calcareous, com. soft silty sst lenses, variably calc. fine to occ. medium sand, bioturbated.		
	Mangiti			8-20 cm thick beds separated by thin silty interbeds, dissem. glauc., lower 2-3 m is slumped							CALC. SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, mod. well cemented, fine to medium sand in high calc. cement, medium bedding comparatively less apparent, solution cavity more common, weak to mod. glauc, rare bivalve frags.	
				Lower contact probably below stream level						CALC. SANDSTONE: Dull greyish, mod. well cemented, displaying medium horizontal bedding 8-20cm thick beds, subvertical solution cavities common giving a blocky appearance, calcareous fine to medium sand with disseminated glauconite pellets, scattered bivalve and echinoid fragments.		

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-6

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2680867

Location: Waimai valley road

N: 6397337

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description
Glen Massey	Ahirau	0 10 20 30		<p>Top eroded</p> <p>Common tubular burrows visible on the surface, bluffy, steep weathering profile, slumped block</p> <p>Abrupt facies transition Mod. flaggy in upper half</p> <p>Sharp sl. erosive? contact Massive, bioturbated</p>		<p>Scattered bivalves, mainly pectens.</p> <p>Abundant pectens and other large bivalve fragments</p>	S3			<p>CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, well cemented, 0.5-1 m horizontal bedding apparent from conspicuous occurrence of solution cavities, very calcareous silty sandstone, occ. soft sandy siltstone lenses probably indicating leaching of calc. cement occurs throughout, weakly to mod. glauconitic in places, extensively bioturbated.</p> <p>CALC. GLAUC. SANDSTONE: Light greenish to brownish grey, mod. well cemented, massive, fine to medium calcareous sandstone with mod. to high concentration of glauconite, bioturbated.</p> <p>FLAGGY LIMESTONE: Brownish to greyish white, comparatively mod. to well flaggy, common large bioclasts, glauc, occ. siliciclastic rich recessive seams, medium to coarse bioclastic, glauconitic grainstone.</p> <p>PEBBLY/GLAUCONITIC LIMESTONE: Light greyish to greenish grey, massive to mod. flaggy, abundant rounded to subrounded b/mnt granules and med. to coarse sand in the lower 1-1.5 m, com. large bivalves frags, coarse bioclastic glauconitic grainstone.</p> <p>SANDY SILTSTONE: Light brownish grey to muddy yellow, soft & crumbly, non/weakly calcareous, fine sandy siltstone, poorly exposed, mainly covered by grass forming a rolling landscape, prob. few tens of meters thick, lower contact with basement not seen.</p>
	Elgood						L4	3-6		
	Rotowaro							L1-L2 L1-L3	1-2	
Mangakotuku				<p>mud</p> <p>silt</p> <p>fine sand</p> <p>coarse sand</p> <p>pebbly</p> <p>gravel</p>						

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-7

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2680768 - 2681363

Location: Te Akau Road, near Coleman basement quarry

N: 6392003 - 6390595

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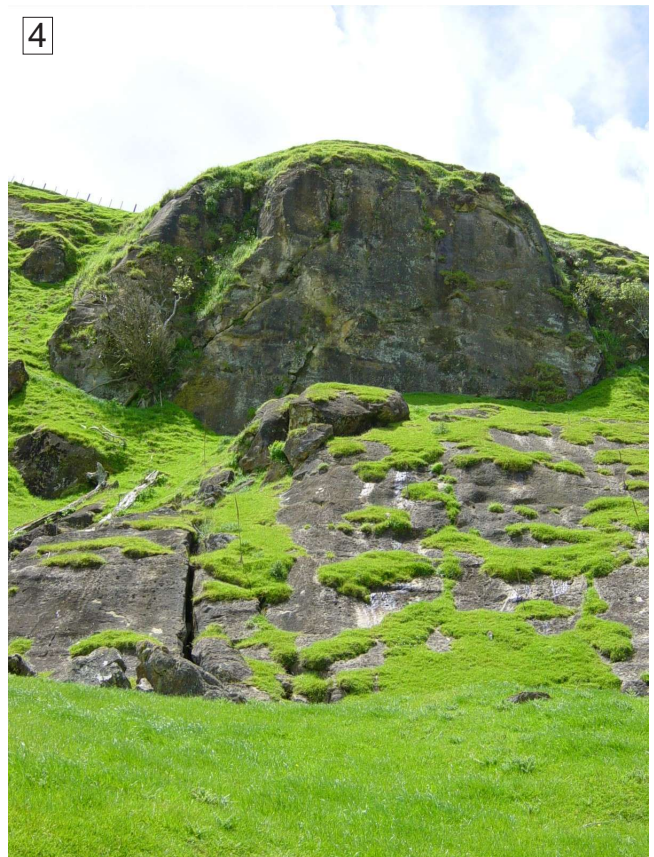
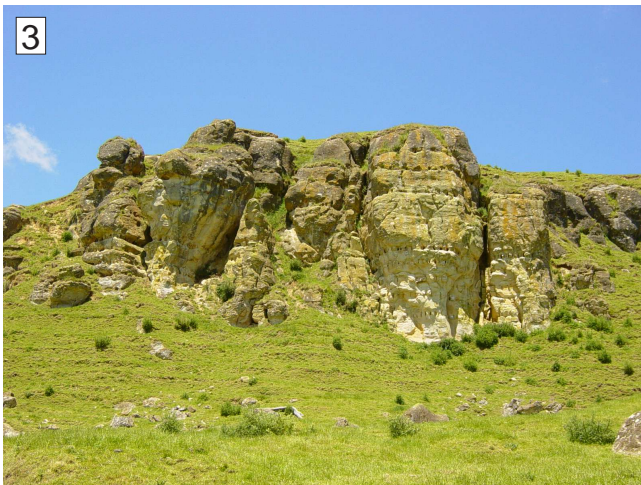
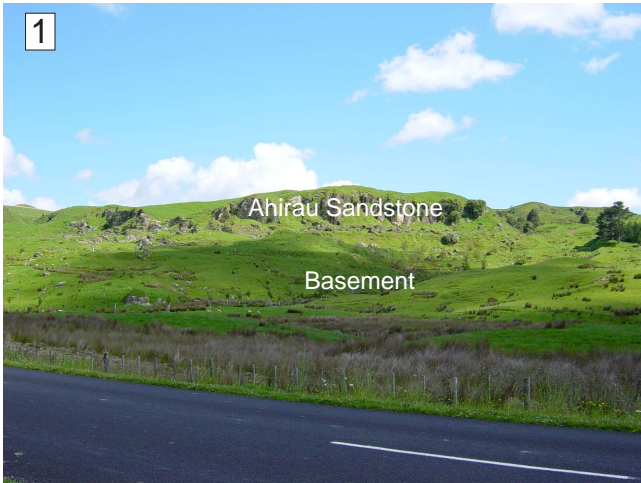
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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description
eLwh	Whaingaroa Kotuku	0-40		Top eroded	Massive, poorly exposed		Z1			MASSIVE CALC. SILTSTONE: Light bluish grey with com. frittered weathered surface overlying abruptly on the bluffy calcareous silty sandstone unit.
	Glen Massey Ahirau			Abrupt break in weath. profile	Solution cavities, steep near vertical weathering profile, bioturbated, com. tubular burrows visible	Rare pectins	S3	1-6	CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light brownish grey, very well cemented, horizontal bedding discernible by solution cavities parallel to bedding occurring at approx. 0.4-0.6 m interval, highly calcareous fine silty sandstone, bioturbated, occ. weakly to mod. glauconitic.	
Basement				Weathering surface varying from smooth to honeycombed, small solution cavities	No exposures, grassy steep slope littered with fallen blocks, contact with basement not exposed	Scattered bivalves				CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, well cemented, scattered large bivalve fragments, occ. inclined tubular burrows 2-4 cm.

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-8

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2677285

Location: Te Akau Road near the intersection with Ruakiwi Road, ridge across the Mangati Stream

N: 6392484

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description		
Lw	Te Akekea	0 to 130	Carter	120-130	Top eroded							
				110-120	Highly frittered weathering surface		Z2				CALCAREOUS SILTSTONE: Light greyish to creamish white, massive to occ. showing faint bedding, homogenous unit, fine highly calcareous siltstone with typical frittered weathering surface.	
	Raglan		90-110	Frittered surface, steep profile		L8-Z1	7-8		HORIZONTALLY BEDDED SILTY LIMESTONE: Light grey to buff, 6-30 cm horizontally bedded unit, fine packstone grading into wackestone especially in the upper 4-5 m before grades into overlying massive calcareous siltstone, common frittered surface, steep weathering profile.			
			60-90	No exposure, gentle to mod. sloping weathering profile, 10 m sec. condensed		Z1			CALC. SANDY SILTSTONE: Greyish to med. bluish grey, mass., mod. to poorly cemented, fine calcareous sandy siltstone, poorly exposed mainly covered with grass.			
	Aotea		Patikirau	50-60	Poorly exposed		Z1-S3	1.9		INTERBEDDED CALC. SANDSTONE AND SANDY SILTSTONE: Dirty brownish grey, resistant calcareous sandstone beds interbedded with sandy siltstone, bioturbated, sandy siltstone bed thickness increase upsection.		
				40-50	Interbedded facies transition	Large echinoid and bivalve frags. seen occ.	S3	5-6		GLAUC. CALC. SANDSTONE: Greyish to brownish grey, well cemented, faint to medium horizontal bedding (8-15 cm) separated by thin silty interbeds, bedding become less distinct upsection, glauconitic.		
	Mangiti		Waikorea	30-40	Sharp erosive contact, burrowed		S1			CALC. SANDY SILTSTONE: Light dull grey to brownish grey, mod. cemented, fine calc. sandy siltstone, bioturbated, poorly exposed.		
				20-30	Gentle slope					No exposures, grassy slope.		
	I.Lwh		Whaingaroa		Waikorea	10-20	Comparatively more massive					MOD. GLAUC. CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light dull greyish, mod. cemented, disseminated glauconite pellets, bioturbated, occ. tubular burrows seen on surface.
						0-10	Uneven honey-combed surface, extensive bioturb., burrows visible in places	Rare pecten & other bivalve shell frags.	S3	2-4		CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light greyish to greyish, mod. well cemented, calc. fine silty sst, medium horizontal bedding (6-10 cm) apparent particularly in the middle part, extensive bioturbation, weakly to mod. glauconitic.
Ahirau	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level						CALC. SANDY SILTSTONE: Light brownish grey, soft to mod. hard, highly weathered fine calc. sandy siltstone grading into silty sst, bioturbated, glauc.				
	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level						BASEMENT: Conglomerate, no direct contact exposed.				
e.Lwh	Glen Massey		Ahirau		0-10	Basement exposed at stream level						
					0-10	Basement exposed at stream level						
Whaingaroa	0-10		Basement exposed at stream level									
	0-10		Basement exposed at stream level									
Ld	Aotea				Patikirau	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level					
						0-10	Basement exposed at stream level					
Mangiti	0-10			Basement exposed at stream level								
	0-10			Basement exposed at stream level								
Raglan	0-10			Basement exposed at stream level								
	0-10			Basement exposed at stream level								
Te Akekea	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level										
	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level										
Carter	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level										
	0-10	Basement exposed at stream level										

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-9

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2674359

Location: Whaingaroa, Te Akau Village, Te Akau Road

N: 6390673

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description
Lw	Te Akatea	0 to 120		<p>Top eroded</p> <p>Typical frittered surface & conchoidal fractures, steep bluffy weathering profile</p> <p>30 m condensed sec., no exposure, mod. to steep weathering profile</p>			Z2			<p>MASSIVE CALC. SILTSTONE: Light bluish grey to grey, mass., well cemented, common frittered surface, abundant bioturbation features observed throughout, rounded bluffy weathering profile.</p>
	<p>20 m section condensed, no exposure, mod. to steep slope covered with vegetation</p>					L8-Z1		<p>HORIZONTALLY BEDDED SILTY LIMESTONE: Greyish white to creamish white, well cemented, medium horizontal bedded (varying from 15-20 cm - 25-30 cm) silty lst with thin silty interbeds (2-2.5 cm), bioturbation apparent in the silty interbeds, vertical solution cavities at regular intervals give a blocky appearance, the horizontally bedded unit abruptly grades into more massive calcareous silt although 10-14 cm faint bedding is discernible in places.</p>		
Ld	Aotea	0 to 40		<p>20 m section condensed, no exposure, mod. to steep slope covered with vegetation</p>			S3-Z1			<p>INTERBEDDED CALC. SANDSTONE AND SANDY SILTSTONE: Medium blue grey, massive, bioturbated sandy siltstone with dull grey to brownish grey calc. silty sandstone resistant interbeds, unit becomes massive & consists mainly of massive bioturbated sandy siltstone upsection, poorly exposed.</p>
	<p>Recessive interbeds, slightly thicker (12-18 cm) towards top, large sol. cavities</p>					S3		<p>HORIZONTALLY BEDDED CALCAREOUS SANDSTONE: Dull greyish to light brownish grey, mod. to well cemented, medium to well bedded (6-8 cm), beds separated by thin recessive silty sandstone interbeds, mod. concentration of glauc. in the calc. sst beds, silty interbeds are com. bioturbated with frittery surface, occ. scattered bivalve frags., highly calcareous very fine to fine sst.</p>		
	Mangiti	0 to 10		<p>Sharp, erosive contact, glauc. No exposure below the stream</p>		Occ. bivalve fragments in the calc. sst beds	S1			<p>CALC. SANDY SILTSTONE: Dull greyish brown, massive, bioturbated, glauc. poorly exposed.</p>
	Whaingaroa			<p>Gravel</p>						

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-10

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2678286

Location: Ruakiwi Road

N: 6389438


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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description	
Lw	Te Akatea Raglan Carter	0 10 20 30 40 50		 <p>Top eroded</p>							
					<p>Beds separated by calc. slst interbeds, frittered surface</p> <p>No exposure, mod. to steep grassy slope littered with fallen blocks</p>						
							Z2 L8 L8-Z1			<p>MASSIVE CALCAREOUS SILTSTONE: Massive blue grey calcareous slst, common frittered surface, bioturbation features common.</p> <p>HORIZONTALLY BEDDED SILTY LST WITH SILTY INTERBEDS: Light greyish to blue grey, medium horizontally bedded, beds average 8-14 cm but occ. up to 30 cm thick, thin silty interbeds with frittered surface, grades upward into massive siltstone unit.</p> <p>MASSIVE CALC. SILTSTONE WITH SILTY LIMESTONE INTERBEDS: Light greyish to cement grey, massive to faint horizontal bedded calcareous siltstone with 15-20 cm thick silty limestone interbeds, poorly exposed.</p>	
				<p>mud</p> <p>slst</p> <p>calc. slst</p> <p>silty</p> <p>limestone</p> <p>interbeds</p> <p>gravel</p>							

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-12

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Port Waikato

E: 2676986 - 2678100

Location: Te Kotuku Trig. Mangiti Road, section continues from bluff opposite Te Kotuku beach & extends to the NW

N: 6384012 - 6383200

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description		
Te Aketea	Carter	160										
		150			Poorly exposed				3-3236	CALC SILTSTONE: Light grey to creamish, massive, frittered weathering surface.		
		140			Transition into mass. calc. slst not exposed, 10 m sec. condensed		Foraminifera	Z2		3-3235		
		130			HCS?		Common echinoid and large bioclasts	L8	9-11	3-3234 3-3233 3-3232 3-3231	CALC SILTSTONE: Light greyish, massive, faint indication of HCS visible in the lower half, abundant large bioclasts consisting mainly of echinoids and occ. whole specimen, the lowermost few centimeters is extensively bioturbated and glauconitic.	
		120	Raglan		Glauc., bioturbated			L8		3-3230 3-3229	CALC SILTSTONE ALTERNATING WITH SILTY LIMESTONE: Light grey to brownish grey, massive, frittered weathering surface, resistant silty slt beds 15-20 cm thick, mod. glauconitic.	
		110										
	Aotea	Patikirau	90			10 m sec. condensed						
			70			Mod. to steep weathering profile, poorly exposed			Z1	8	3-3228	CALC. SANDY SILTSTONE: Medium greyish to bluish grey, massive, variably calcareous but usually soft and weakly cemented, slst grading into sandy slst, poorly exposed forming a mod. to steep sloping weathering profile.
			60								3-3227 3-3226 3-3225	
		Mangiti	50			Massive, frittered			S3-Z1	7	3-3224 3-3223 3-3222 3-3221	INTERBEDDED CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE & SANDY SILTSTONE: Light dull greyish to blue grey, 30 to 50 cm thick massive sandy slst alternating with resistant calc. silty sst beds becoming thinner upsection before grading into overlying massive sandy slst.
			40			Blocky appearance			S3	5-6	3-3220 3-3219 3-3218 3-3217	HORIZONTALLY BEDDED CALC. SILTY SANDSTONE: Light brownish grey to buff, mod. well cemented, 0.25-1.1m calc. silty sst beds with frittered silty interbeds, vertical solution cavities impart blocky appearance, silty interbeds apparently extensively bioturbd, large horizontal and inclined burrows visible in places, occ. mod. glauc.
			30	Whaingaroa Kotuku		Sharp erosive contact, burrowed		Large forams visible in places	Z1	3-4	3-3216 3-3215 3-3214 3-3213 3-3212 3-3211	MASSIVE CALC SILTSTONE: Bluish grey to brownish grey, massive, frittered weathering surface with common conchoidal fractures.
Glen Massey	Ahirau	20			Well exposed in road cut, otherwise mainly covered by vegetation							
		10			Abrupt transition, contact poorly exposed					3-3210	GLAUC. CALC. SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, weakly to mod. cemented, mod. glauconite concentration, extensively bioturbated, common large inclined tubular burrows.	
	0			Bluffy near vertical profile, abundant bioturb. features, mod. glauc. partic. in uppermost 2-3 m		Bivalve frags.	S3	1-2	3-3209 3-3208 3-3207	CALC. SANDSTONE: Light greyish to brownish grey, mod. well cemented, massive but common faint horizontal bedding apparent from the sol. cavities occurring at regular interval which is inferred having relatively higher calc. content, bluffy weathering profile, com. honeycombed surface, calc. very fine to fine silty sst.		
	0	Dun-phail			Poorly exposed, covered by fallen blocks					3-3206	CALC. SILTSTONE: Light creamish to buff, massive, well cemented, fine very calc. slst grading into silty sst, weakly to mod. glauc., bioturbated. BASEMENT: Highly weathered slst/zst exposed at the stream level.	
Basement				Contact with b/mnt not exposed								

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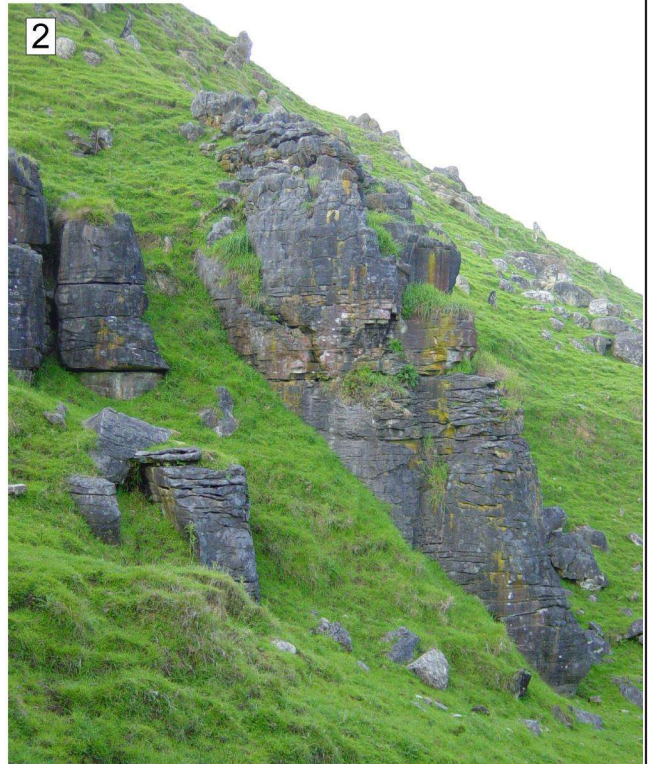
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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-14

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2683300 - 2683750

Location: Waitetuna estuary, Waingaro-Ohautira Road

N: 6377450 - 6377700

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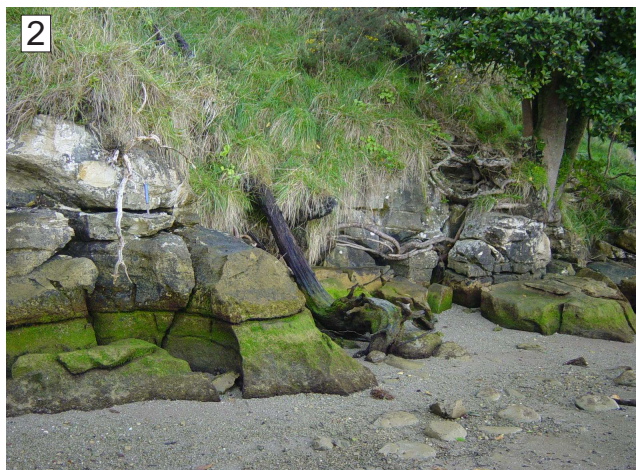
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e.Lwh	Whaingaroa Kotuku	0 to 50		<p>Top eroded</p> <p>Moderate to steep weathering profile</p> <p>Massive, although faint bedding apparent in places</p> <p>Recessive slightly irregular bedding planes</p> <p>Lower contact unseen, probably below shore level?</p>		<p>⊗ Foraminifera, sparse macrofauna</p> <p>Abundant pectins and other bivalves, glauconitic shells</p>	<p>Z1</p> <p>C2</p> <p>L4</p>			<p>MASSIVE CALC. SILTSTONE: Light blue-grey, massive in appearance but in places faint 15-20 cm bedding apparent, very frittered weathering surface, com. criss-crossing joints, iron stained.</p> <p>GLAUCONITIC CALC SANDSTONE: Med. greenish grey, mod. well cemented, mass. in appearance, fine to med. sst with high concentration of glauc. pellets, extensively bioturbated, com. large inclined and horizontal burrows, abundant lge bivalves, mainly whole pectins, top contact with overlying slst unit concealed by vegetation.</p> <p>HORIZONTALLY BEDDED SANDY LIMESTONE: Dull brownish grey, horizontally bedded, fossiliferous-scattered pectins, mod. to highly glauconitic in places, sandy bioclastic grainstone.</p>

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Stratigraphic Column No: TA-18

Grid Reference:

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Region: Te Akau

E: 2670100 - 2669318

Location: Gibson Beach

N: 6389220 - 6391120

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Po	Waitemata Gp	0-100			<p>Massive to faintly bedded sandy silt</p> <p>Shell hash layer in lower part</p> <p>Sharp erosive contact between conglomerate and flaggy silt unit</p> <p>Irregularly flaggy/knobby limestone</p> <p>Horizontally bedded flaggy limestone</p> <p>Sharp burrowed contact, fragmented oyster shell bed</p> <p>Massive, smooth weath. profile, bioturb. evident in places</p> <p>Wave planated top, contact with overlying unit is poorly exposed</p> <p>Near vertical profile, abundant bioturb. features</p>	<p>Abundant shell hash</p> <p>Bryozoa, oyster, brachiopod, pecten</p> <p>Disarticulated and fragmented oyster shell bed, other large bivalves</p> <p>Foraminifera</p>	Z1-Z2			<p>BEDED SILTY SANDSTONE: Muddy brown to grey, weakly to moderately cemented, faint - medium horizontally bedded, bed thickness varying from 30-80 cm, variably calcareous very fine to fine sandstone grading into silty sandstone, commonly bioturbated.</p> <p>HORIZONTALLY BEDDED SILTY SANDSTONE: Light brownish grey, weakly to moderately cemented, common centimeter thick resistant beds few cms thick alternating with massive weakly to moderately cemented silty sst, conspicuous shell hash rich layers, bioturbation features seen occasionally.</p> <p>CONGLOMERATIC LIMESTONE: Light dull greyish to brownish grey, massive to crudely bedded in places, angular to sub-rounded pebbles to cobble size limestone clasts, fabric clast supported to in places supported by shell hash rich sandstone matrix, clasts poorly sorted showing no preferred orientation, sharp erosive lower contact with the underlying flaggy limestone.</p> <p>FLAGGY LIMESTONE: Light dull greyish white, mod. to well flaggy, flags 5-8 cm, irregularly wavy flaggy to knobby in the upper 1-1.5 m, low angle cross bedded approx. 1.2 m thick in the middle part, horizontally bedded in the lower part, well developed flags with recessive seams, medium to coarse bioclastic grainstone.</p> <p>FOSSILIFEROUS LIMESTONE: Light dull greyish white, hard, mod. flaggy to blocky, abundant mainly disarticulated and fragmented oysters concentrated in the basal 40-50 cm, med. to coarse sparry slightly sandy near the lower contact, sharp erosive lower contact, large inclined burrows, some penetrate into the underlying sandstone.</p> <p>SANDSTONE: Grey to greenish grey, soft & friable to weakly cemented, mass., very fine to fine sandstone, glauconitic, bioturbated, hard concretions near the upper contact.</p> <p>MASSIVE CALCAREOUS SILTSTONE: Light grey to creamish, massive to faint horizontally bedded evident in places, bioturbated.</p>	
											Gibson
											Waikawau
											Te Akau
											Te Hara
Lw	Te Akatea	0-20			<p>Near vertical profile, abundant bioturb. features</p>						
											Carter

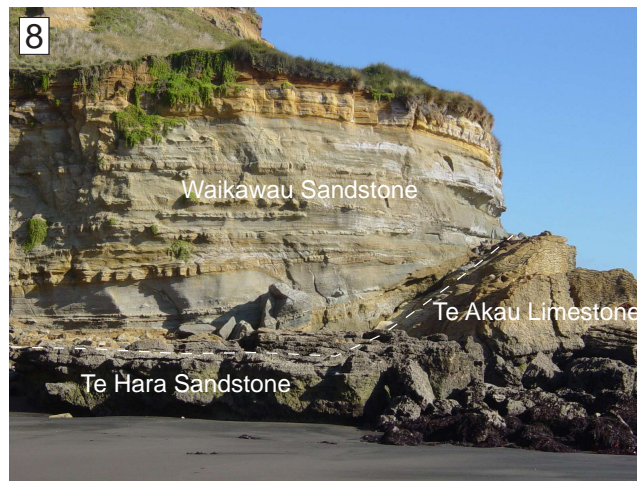
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Location: Rothery Road, Raglan Harbour

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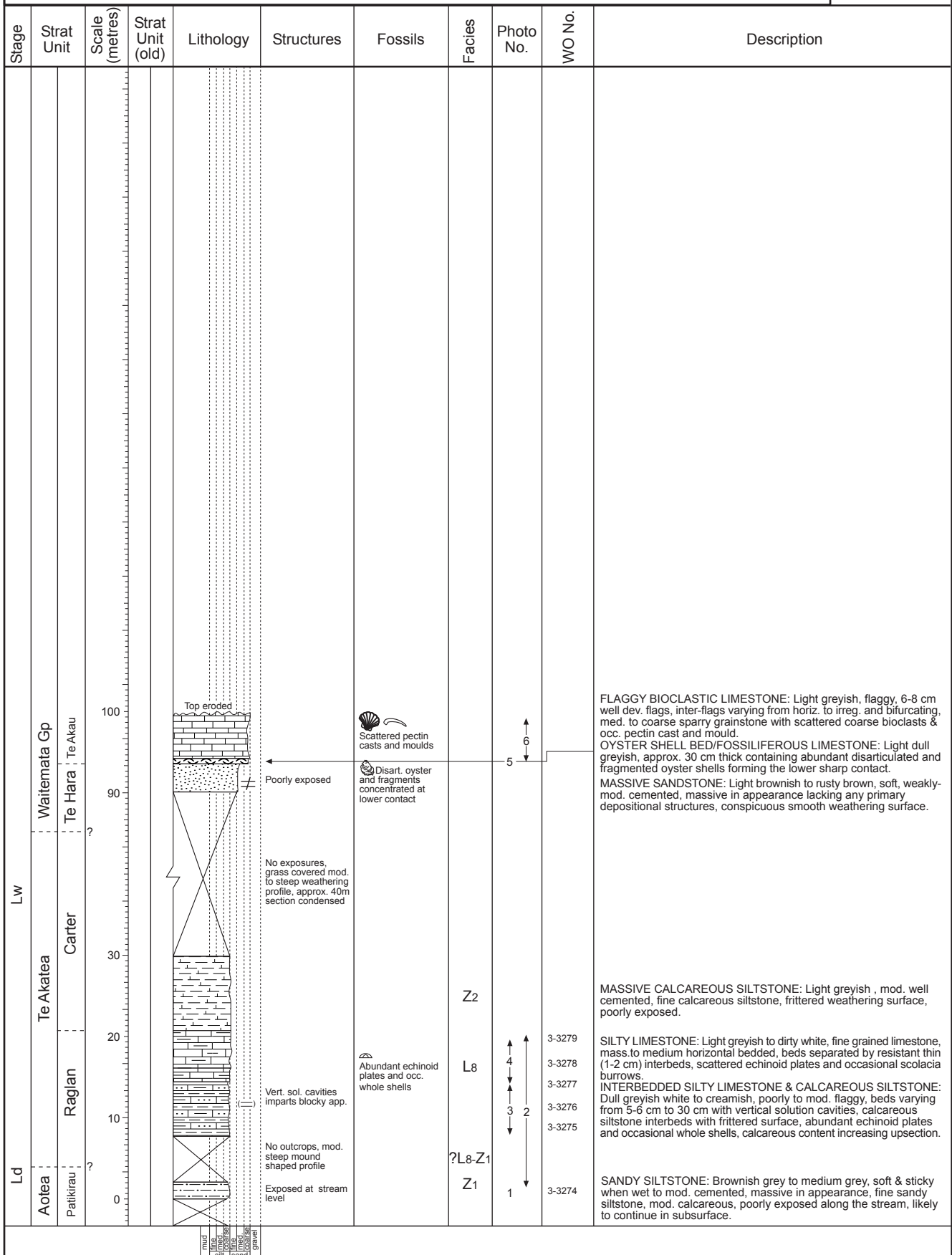
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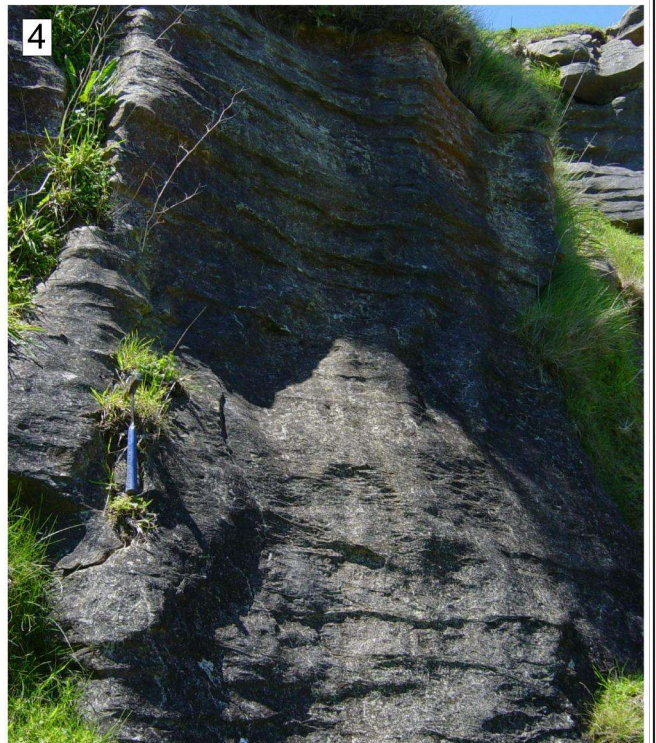
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Region: Te Akau

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Location: Patikirau Bay, Raglan Harbour

N: 6377800 - 6378500

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Ld	Te Akatea Reglan	0 10 20 30 40 50 60								
	Aotea Patikirau									
	Mangiti									
				<p>Top eroded</p> <p>Abrupt contact marked by extens. burrowed and glauc. concentration</p> <p>Echinoid</p> <p>Massive to faint horizontal bedding, very frittered weathering surface</p> <p>Silty sandstone slightly resistant thin beds</p> <p>Massive sandy siltstone, steep near vertical profile</p> <p>Shore level</p>						
							L8			
							C1	5-6		SILTY LIMESTONE: Light brownish white, massive to medium horizontally bedded, 6-10 cm silty limestone beds separated by recessive bioturbated calc. silty interbeds, extensively bioturbated and glauconitic at the lower contact.
							Z1	2		SANDY SILTSTONE: Medium to dark greyish, mod. cemented, frittered weath. surface, steep profile, thin concretionary bedding evident in places.
							S3-Z1	3		INTERBEDDED CALCAREOUS SANDSTONE & SANDY SILTSTONE: Light brownish grey, resistant calcareous sandstone beds int/bedded with sandy slst.
							S3			CALCAREOUS SANDSTONE: Light brownish grey, mod. well cemented, med. horizontally bedded, reg. vertical solution cavities imparts a distinct blocky character, beds 12-18 cm separated by thin silty interbeds.

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Stratigraphic Column No: S19

Grid Reference:

NZMS 260 R14

Region: Te Akau

E: 2678478

Location: Section 'T' (Kear 1963); New Kotuku trig (Kotuku West; north side Raglan Harbour)

N: 6383941

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Stage	Strat Unit	Scale (metres)	Strat Unit (old)	Lithology	Structures	Fossils	Facies	Photo No.	WO No.	Description
LWh	GM Formation Anirau	0								Mesozoic basement rocks.
	Whaingaroa Kotuku	0-20	Whaingaroa Siltstone							Blue-grey calcareous mudstone. Frittery.
	Aotea Mangiti	20-30	Aotea Sandstone							
	Te Akatea Raglan	30-60	Te Akatea Siltstone							Hard, planktic-rich slightly sandy argillaceous lst. with occ. echinoid plates. Sharp contact. Incip. flaggy; vertical sparite seams.
Te Akatea Carter	60-90	Te Akatea Siltstone								Massive calc. siltstone.
Waitemata Group Te Hara - Te Akau	90-100		Waitomo Sandstone							
		100	Otorohanga Limestone		eroded top					

mud
 silt
 sand
 gravel