

First observed: October 19, 2012

MSL Sol 72, Site: 5

Soil target

Observations

Sol 72 - ChemCam, Remote Micro-Imager

Properties

- high Ca phases were observed [Clegg et al., 2013]
- contains F [Forni et al., 2014a; 2014b; Forni et al., 2015]

Publications

- ▼ Clegg et al. (2013), "High calcium phase observations at Rocknest with ChemCam," LPSC "Specifically, these high calcium phases were observed on Pearson (sol 60), <u>Epworth</u> (a soil on sol 72) and Rocknest_6a (sol 87)."
- ▼ Forni et al. (2014a), "First fluorine detection on Mars with ChemCam on-board MSL," LPSC "Epworth-5 contains a relative large amount of fluorine since the main atomic lines of F I are also observed."

Other targets mentioned: Crest, Goulburn, Link, Measles Point, Pearson

- ► Forni et al. (2014b), "First fluorine and chlorine detection with ChemCam on-board MSL," 8th International Conference on Mars
- ► Forni et al. (2015), "First detection of fluorine on Mars: Implications for Gale crater's chemistry," Geophysical Research Letters

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