

716-Full2 Hawaiian Drowned Reefs

No new update since March 2015 except slight cost revision

Water depths: 134-1154 m Penetration: 55-180 mbsf

Primary lithologies: Carbonates, minor volcanics

Platform type(s): Geotechnical ship with coring rig

(future: sea bed drill?)

- Technically feasible, no development needed if using vessel-based rig.
- 180 mbsf is beyond the current reach of BGS RD2 and MeBo. Potentially reachable using MeBo200.
- MeBo200 is ?four years away from being available to IODP.
- \$3.8M \$7.3M with seafloor drill (69 to 131 days)
- **\$7.9M \$12.5M** with geotechnical ship (32 to 49 days)
- Proponents willing to wait for either drilling option.

