

INTRODUCTION: 15259 is a medium-light gray regolith breccia (Fig. 1). It is friable and slabby, and homogeneous. Its friable surface precludes zap pits. It was collected (with 15265 to 15259 and 15285 to 15289) from the crest of an inner bench on the north-east wall of the 12 m diameter crater at Station 6, downslope 15 m from the LRV. 15259 has never been subdivided or allocated.

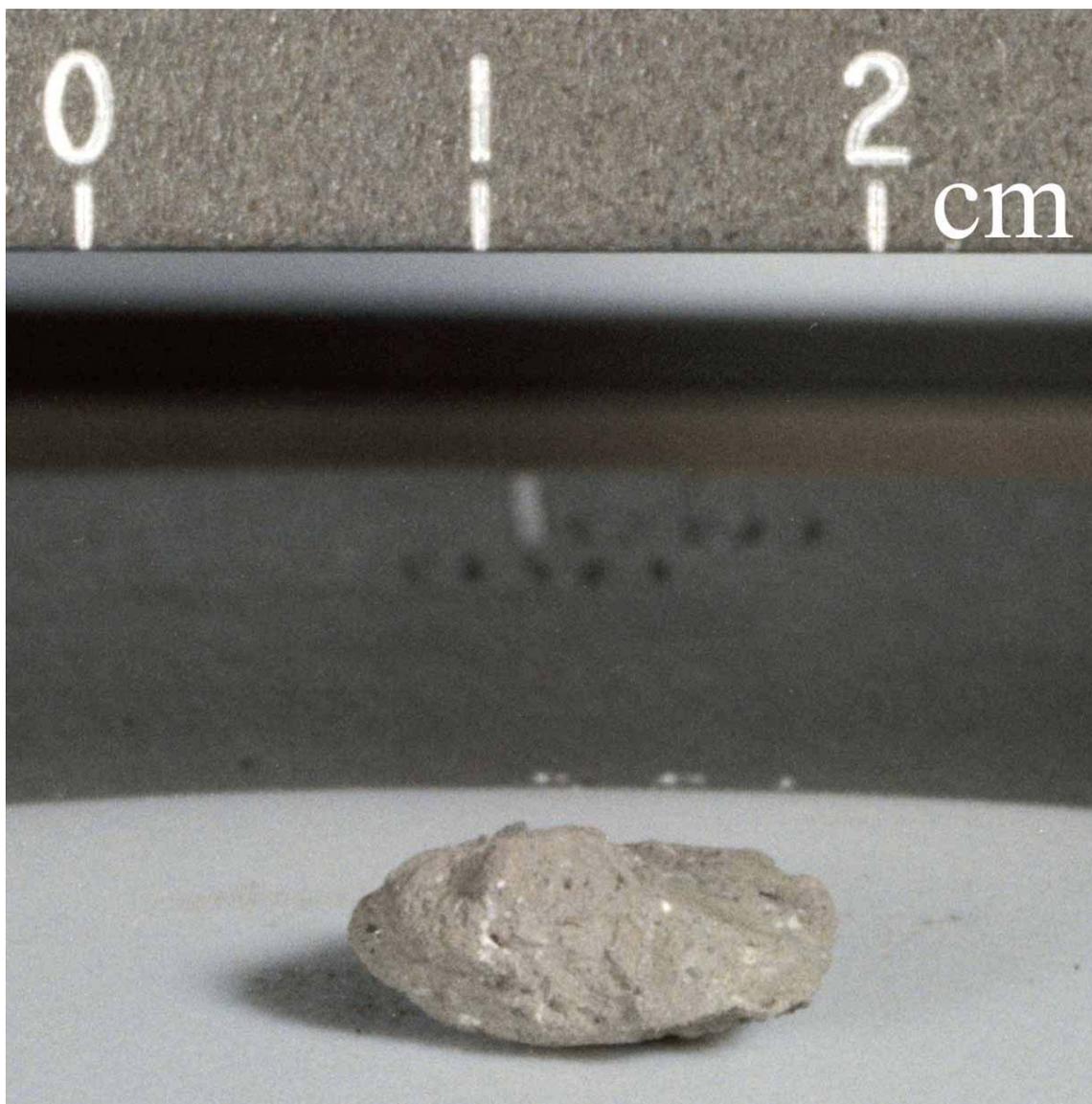


Figure 1. Macroscopic view of 15259. S-71-44958