

79226

**Friable Microbreccia
6.73 g, Two Fragments****INTRODUCTION**

79226 was described as a brownish black, rounded, intergranular and homogeneous microbreccia, containing a few non-penetrative fractures (Apollo 17 Lunar Sample Information Catalog, 1973). All surfaces are dusty and friable (see Fig. 1 of 79225). No cavities

are evident, but the rock has a porous appearance. No zap pits are present. The matrix and mineral clasts are nearly identical to 79225. Lithic clasts, which compose approximately 3% of the rock, are shocked feldspathic fragments (as in 79225), and vesicular, fine-grained basalt (one only).

PROCESSING

The original sample 79226,0 remains intact. No work has been conducted as yet.