Neat sampling methods!

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Double-L (LL) channel

Insert first L-channel → Insert second L-channel → Pass fishing line → Recover first sample

You can thoroughly exhaust cores..!!

Insert first L-plate → Insert second L-plate → Put the whole system upright (recommended if moist and sticky) → Pass fishing line and let the two parts split by gravity

Even the moistest core-top can be split so beautifully..!!

Mega-slab

Remove one L-channel (slide downward) → Sample is exposed on two sides i.e. easy to slice

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