Supplementary Table S1. Results of each experiment and sample-by-sample averages of volatile concentrations

	Frozen Crushing (vesicle)								Heating (solid)		
Sample name	Weight	4 He/ 20 Ne	³ He/ ⁴ He	³ He	S	F	Cl	Br	Weight	³ He/ ⁴ He	³ He
	(g)		(10 ⁻⁵)	(10 ⁻¹⁵ mol/g)	(10 ⁻⁹ mol/g)	(10 ⁻⁹ mol/g)	(10 ⁻⁹ mol/g)	(10 ⁻⁹ mol/g)	(g)	(10 ⁻⁵)	(10 ⁻¹⁵ mol/g)
418R002											
(Mid Atlantic	Ridge Ba	asalt (MAR	B))								
1	0.398	> 2048	1.23 ± 0.01	10.1 ± 0.6	< 50*	< 3800**	209 ± 9	< 10 (N.D)	0.151	1.07 ± 0.13	1.5 ± 0.2
2	0.418	> 520	1.19 ± 0.01	9.5 ± 0.6	< 48*	< 2400**	204 ± 3	31 ± 24	0.152	1.11 ± 0.08	2.7 ± 0.2
3	0.117	> 106	1.16 ± 0.01	29.1 ± 1.7	< 170*	4620 ± 339	434 ± 11	45 ± 2	0.078	1.26 ± 0.25	2.0 ± 0.4
4	0.501	> 952	1.18 ± 0.01	6.0 ± 0.3	422 ± 2	< 4500*	< 200 (N.D)	143 ± 10	0.198	1.07 ± 0.22	1.0 ± 0.2
5	0.475	> 1195	1.18 ± 0.01	6.5 ± 0.3	245 ± 2	3777 ± 469	< 200 (N.D)	27 ± 10	0.201	1.10 ± 0.07	2.1 ± 0.1
Average(MARB)		1.19 ± 0.02	12.2 ± 4.7	333 ± 104	4198 ± 711	282 ± 80	61 ± 34		1.12 ± 0.11	1.9 ± 0.4	
RY380-R03b											
(East Pacific	Rise Basa	lt (EPRB))									
1	0.107	> 521	1.27 ± 0.03	6.9 ± 0.4	< 83*	< 6900**	< 200 (N.D)	< 10 (N.D)	0.050	1.26 ± 0.15	5.2 ± 0.6
2	0.087	> 30	1.25 ± 0.02	8.7 ± 0.5	< 100*	< 7500**	< 200 (N.D)	< 10 (N.D)	0.045	1.28 ± 0.19	4.8 ± 0.7
3	0.355	> 22	1.31 ± 0.01	6.7 ± 0.4	< 56*	< 3500**	< 200 (N.D)	346 ± 4	0.046	1.35 ± 0.11	8.7 ± 0.7
4	0.528	> 156	1.33 ± 0.01	5.9 ± 0.4	_	_	_	_	0.199	1.31 ± 0.03	7.2 ± 0.2
5	0.515	> 5075	1.37 ± 0.01	3.7 ± 0.2	27 ± 8	< 2400**	165 ± 4	< 10 (N.D)	0.202	1.32 ± 0.03	9.2 ± 0.2
6	0.416	> 110	1.41 ± 0.02	4.0 ± 0.2	87 ± 1	2459 ± 19	< 200 (N.D)	649 ± 19	0.148	1.19 ± 0.09	2.9 ± 0.2
7	0.310	> 18	1.36 ± 0.02	4.6 ± 0.3	192 ± 1	2965 ± 39	< 200 (N.D)	665 ± 26	0.103	1.22 ± 0.18	2.2 ± 0.3
Average(EPRB)		1.33 ± 0.03	5.8 ± 0.8	102 ± 59	2712 ± 275	165 ± 4	553 ± 115		1.28 ± 0.07	5.7 ± 1.2	
ST14-DT6											
(North Fiji Ba	sin Basal	t (NFBB))									
1	0.221	> 52	1.22 ± 0.01	13.3 ± 0.8	< 90*	144 ± 10	< 200 (N.D)	1272 ± 5	0.099	1.27 ± 0.16	2.6 ± 0.3
2	0.608	> 35	1.24 ± 0.01	5.9 ± 0.4	< 33*	71 ± 12	< 200 (N.D)	148 ± 2	0.054	1.44 ± 0.21	4.7 ± 0.7
Average(NFBB)		1.23 ± 0.02	9.6 ± 4.1		108 ± 45		710 ± 565		1.35 ± 0.22	3.7 ± 1.5	
Air (Ozima aı	nd Podose	ek, 2002)									
		0.318	0.140 ± 0.001								

^{*:} The peaks of spectrum were smaller than blank solution.

^{**:} Could not be determined due to interferences of other elemental spectrums.

⁽N.D): Could not be determined due to low concentration. The upper limits were estimated as 10 nmol/g for Br and 200 nmol/g for Cl from fluctuation of base line. Note: Sample-by-sample averages were calculated using well determined concentrations. Uncertainties of each experimental result are 1 σ , and errors of sample-by-sample averages were calculated as the combinations of the uncertainties from the reproducibility of each sample and of the individual measurement. Especially, corrections of seawater contaminations are included in the errors of the average S concentrations. Net Cl concentrations may be lower than those listed because they may be affected by seawater contaminations.

Supplementary Table S2. Retention times of the peaks of anions and interferences by sodium hydroxide in two IC measurements

Peak name	Measurement-A (7/6/11)	Measurement-B (9/1/11)			
	Retention time [min]	Retention time [min]			
Interference-1	1.12-1.13	1.13-1.14			
Fluoride	1.93-1.97	1.78-1.83			
Interference-2	2.01-2.07*	1.96-2.00*			
Interference-3	2.86-3.59	2.78-3.18			
Chloride	3.98-4.10	3.32-3.45			
Bromide	6.49-6.58	5.84-5.98			
Interference-4	7.90-8.07	7.01-7.80			
Sulfate	10.13-10.25	9.33-9.39			

^{*:} could not be separated from fluoride peaks when the concentration of sodium hydroxide is 4mol/L.

Note: Since retention times of intereferences are obviously different from those of fluoride, chloride, bromide and sulfate, we could mostly separate the intereferences from the peaks of the anions and measure F, Cl, Br and S concentrations.

Supplementary Table S3. X^{β} He ratios in vesicles of samples collected at each location where X is a volatile element

Sampling site	S/³He	F/ ³ He	Cl/ ³ He	Br/³He	
	$(\times 10^{6})$	$(\times 10^{6})$	$(\times 10^{6})$	$(\times 10^{6})$	
Mid Atlantic Ridge	27 ± 13	343 ± 144	23 ± 11	5 ± 3	
East Pacific Rise	18 ± 11	469 ± 82	28 ± 4	96 ± 24	
North Fiji Back-Arc Basin		11 ± 7		74 ± 67	
Average of X/ ³ He ratios	22 ± 13	274 ± 192	26 ± 9	58 ± 51	

Note: Please see Table 1 for the calculations.

Supplementary Table S4. Element concentrations and X^{β} He ratios in the bulk of samples collected at each location where X is a volatile element

Sampling site	³He	S	S/³He	F	F/³He	Cl	Cl/ ³ He	Br	Br/³He
	(10^{-15}mol/g)	(10^{-6}mol/g)	$(\times 10^{9})$	(10^{-6}mol/g)	$(\times 10^{9})$	(10^{-6}mol/g)	$(\times 10^{9})$	(10^{-6}mol/g)	(×10 ⁹)
Mid Atlantic Ridge	14.1 ± 4.9	0.3 - 10.3	0.02 - 0.73	9.4 - 532	0.7 - 37.7	0.6 - 35.8	0.04 - 2.54	0.1 - 7.8	0.01 - 0.55
East Pacific Rise	11.5 ± 1.6	0.1 - 3.1	0.01 - 0.27	6.1 - 344	0.5 - 29.8	0.4 - 20.9	0.03 - 1.81	1.2 - 70.1	0.11 - 6.08
North Fiji Back-Arc Basin	13.2 ± 3.4			0.2 - 14	0.02 - 1.0			1.6 - 90.0	0.12 - 6.81
Average of X/3He ratios			0.02 - 0.50		0.4 - 22.9		0.04 - 2.18		0.08 - 4.48

Note: Please see Table 1 and text for the calculations.