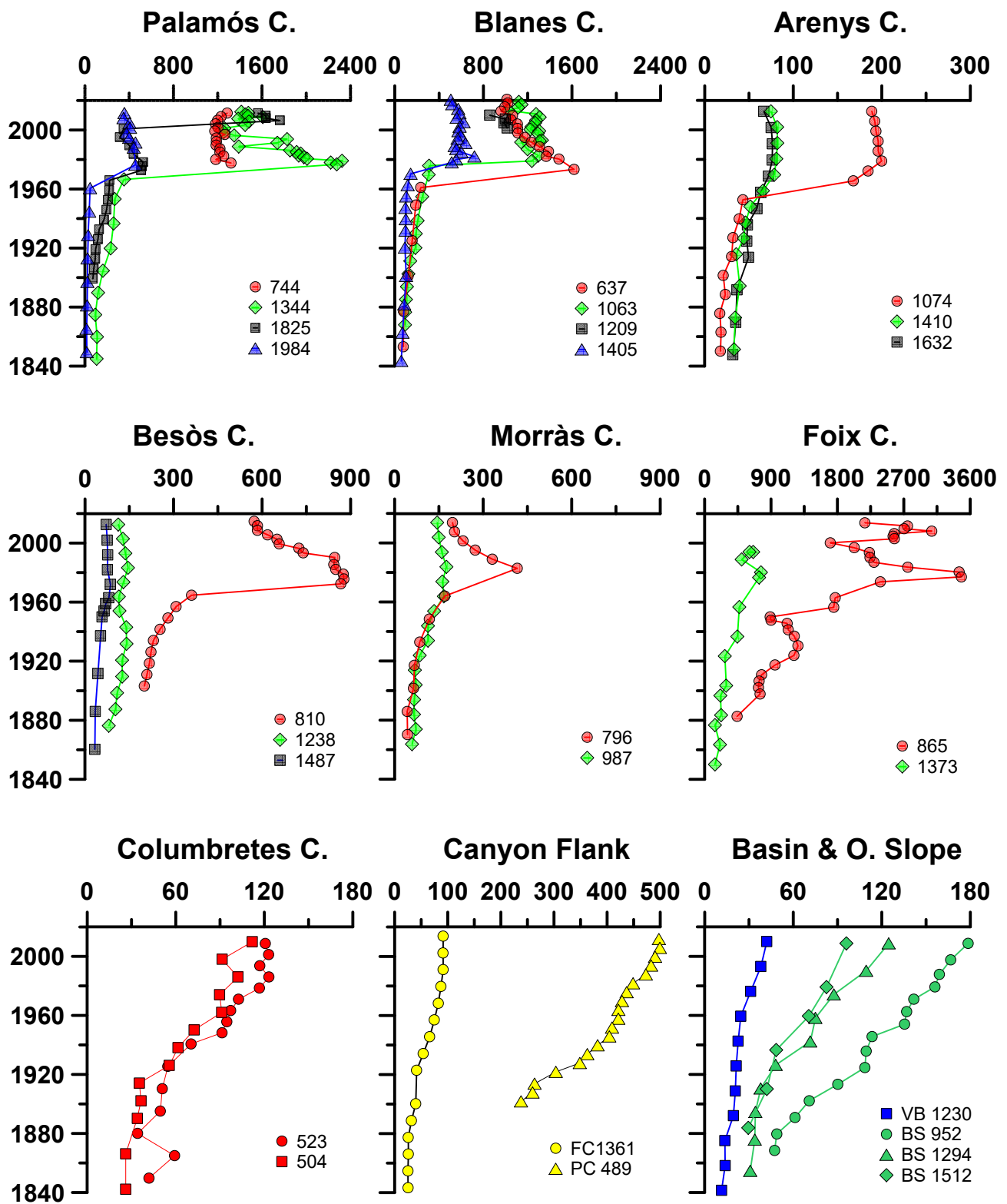


Hg accumulation rates ($\mu\text{g m}^{-2} \text{yr}^{-1}$)



Supplementary Fig. 2 | Hg accumulation rates through time in submarine canyons and adjacent environments. Hg accumulation rates (Hg-AR) versus age in sediment cores collected from submarine canyon axes, canyon flanks (FC, Foix Canyon flank; PC, Palamós Canyon flank), the open slope (BS, Blanes open slope), and the Valencia Basin (VB). Numbers in the legend indicate the water depth (m) of each sediment core. C., canyon.