



**FIGURE 2** Examples of gully cross-sections in the rift margin ((a), (b), and (c)) and the valley bottom ((d), (e), and (f)) sub-areas. All photos were taken in 2005 or 2006. (a) The southeastern cliff of the Rift margin plateau, which is located in the most upper reaches of the Rift margin gullies, (b) Boruamba main gully channel 0.7 km downward from the foot of the southeastern cliff (10.9 m top width and 10.3 m depth), (c) 2.3 km downward from (b) (12.5 m top width and 9.2 m depth), (d) Abharo main gully channel 0.3 km downward from the southern foot of Merko hill (4.7 m top width and 2.8 m depth), (e) 1.2 km far from (d) (9.6 m top width and 5.6 m depth), (f) 3.7 km far from (e) (8.1 m top width and 4.6 m depth)