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BORE DEPTH (m) LITHOLOGY CONFIDENCE SPORE-POLLEN ZONE

BORE	DEPTH (m)	LITHOLOGY	CONFIDENCE	SPORE-POLLEN ZONE
Yarram Yarram 14	198.1	Lig. clay	2	Mid - Upper <u>N. asperus</u> Zone
" 15	155	Lig. clay	2	<u>P. tuberculatus</u> Zone
Horanga 4	64.7 - 66.1	Carb. sandstone	2	<u>T. bellus</u> Zone
"	118.8	Brown coal	2	Upper <u>P. tuberculatus</u> - <u>T. bellus</u> Zone
"	171.1	Carb. clay	1	<u>P. tuberculatus</u> Zone
Horanga 12	88 - 94	Carb. sandstone	1	Upper <u>T. bellus</u> Zone
"	270	Dark clay		Indet.
"	285	Carb. sandstone	2	Mid - Upper <u>N. asperus</u> Zone
"	290	Sandy clay	2	"
"	346.9 - 349.7	Brown coal	2	"
"	400.8 - 403.8	"	1	Middle <u>N. asperus</u> Zone
"	509.4 - 512	Lig. clay	2	Lower <u>N. asperus</u> Zone
"	565 - 567.5	"	1	<u>L. balmei</u> Zone
"	825	Grey sandstone		Indet.
Warrion Warrion 5	417 - 422.5	Coarse Lig. sand	1	Mid - Upper <u>N. asperus</u> Zone
"	454.7 - 458.5	Lig. sand	1	Mid. <u>N. asperus</u> Zone
Cranbourne 51	165 - 175	Lig. sand	1	<u>P. tuberculatus</u> Zone

YALLOURN OUTCROP SAMPLES

Subseam clay	443500E	577100W	Carb. clay	1	<u>T. bellus</u> Zone
		Zone 55			
Near top of open cut	44300E	577100W	Brown coal	2	"
Above tree stump horizon	44300E	577100W	"	2	"
Yalourn North Ext. Level 13			"	2	"
2m from bottom 4 cut			"	2	"

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SPORS-POLLEN ZONE (Stover & Partridge 1972, Partridge 1975 rev.)

PORE	DEPTH (m)	LITHOLOGY	CONFIDENCE	SPORS-POLLEN ZONE
Alberton East 5	57.2	Coaly sand	1	Indeterminate
Alberton East 9	76.1	Lig. clay	1	T. bellus Zone
"	80.0	Sandy coal	1	"
"	87.0	Lig. clay	1	"
"	100.5	Brown coal	1	"
"	193.0	"	1	"
Alberton Nest 159	31.1	Carbonaceous clay	1	L. balmel Zone
"	34.2	"	1	Indet.
"	23.4 - 24	Brown coal	2	Upper N. asperus Zone
"	43.4 - 44	"	1	"
"	66.3 - 66.7	"	1	"
"	50.7	Carbonaceous clay	1	Indet.
"	54.8	Lig. clay	1	Upper T. bellus Zone
"	83.6	Brown coal	2	Upper P. tuberculatus Zone
"	118	Carbonaceous clay	1	Mid - Upper P. tuberculatus Zone
"	141.6	Brown coal	2	Late Mid N. asperus - P. tuberculatus Zone
"	35.6	Lig. clay	2	T. bellus Zone
"	68.3	"	1	P. tuberculatus Zone
Bruthen	161.0	Grey, clayey sandy silt	1	T. bellus Zone
Devon	22	Sandy coal	1	P. tuberculatus Zone
"	122.7	Carbonaceous sand	1	Upper N. asperus Zone
"	155.9	"	1	Lower - Upper N. asperus Zone
"	201.5	"	1	Indet.
Gippsland 1	55 - 58	Fossiliferous marine sand		Indet.
"	135 - 137	Fine marine sand		Indet.

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Alb. East 5
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Well Name	SAMPLE TYPE	DEPTH	PALYNOFORMS
Alb. E-5	C	57.2	
Alb. E-9	C	76.1	
"	C	80.0	
"	C	87.0	
"	C	100.5	
"	C	113.0	
Alb. W-19	C	31.1	
"	C	34.2	
Alb. W-18	C	33.4-24	
"	C	40.4-44	
"	C	56.3-66.7	
Alb. W-17	C	50.7	
"	C	54.8	
"	C	58.6	
"	C	118	
"	C	111.6	
Alb. W-12	C	30.6	
"	C	68.9	
Alb. W-10	F	161.0	
DEVE-6	C	122.7	
"	C	155.9	
"	C	221.5	
Capp. 1	C	55-58	
"	C	135-137	
Capp. 2	C	156-159	
"	C	183-186	

* C - core, G - side-wall core, T - cuttings AB - abundant > 5% of total RW - reworked
 C - common 1 - 5% R - rare

Well Name	AKS	AG9					AW159	AW182		AW197		AW200	Bridg	Dev22		Cipps1	Cipps2							
SAMPLE TYPE																								
DEPTHS	572	761	800	87	100.5	105.0	117	130	135-140	143-148	163-167	170.5	175	185.6	188.3	191.9	192.7	155.9	201.5	55-58	135-137	155-158	183-186	
PALYNOFORMS																								
<i>N. vansteenisii</i>																								
<i>P. orbicula</i>																								
<i>P. citricus</i>																								
<i>P. polytritus</i>																								
<i>P. vaticus</i>																								
<i>P. dominus</i>																								
<i>P. v. latus</i>																								
<i>P. masonii</i>																								
<i>P. polytritus</i>																								
<i>P. nanus</i>																								
<i>P. p. latus</i>																								
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<i>P. esobolus</i>																								
<i>P. nitidus</i>																								
<i>P. tumidus</i>																								
<i>P. schenckii</i> (Hof.)																								
<i>P. annulatus</i>																								
<i>P. ciliatus</i>																								
<i>P. obscurus</i>																								
<i>P. p. latus</i>																								
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<i>P. tectatus</i>																								
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<i>P. tenuicollis</i>																								
<i>P. truncatus</i>																								
<i>P. tuberculatus</i>																								
<i>P. micus</i>																								
<i>R. escharus</i>																								
<i>R. minorus</i>																								
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<i>R. micraulaxus</i>																								
<i>S. ciliolatus</i>																								
<i>S. rotundus</i>																								
<i>S. obliquus</i>																								
<i>S. (Triletes) punctatus</i>																								
<i>S. australis</i>																								
<i>T. polytritus</i>																								
<i>T. thalassius</i> (C)																								
<i>T. rimatus</i>																								
<i>T. Usonian</i>																								
<i>T. adactynoides</i>																								
<i>T. granulosus</i>																								
<i>T. levos</i>																								
<i>T. pumostriatus</i>																								
<i>T. tectonotus</i>																								
<i>T. scabratus</i>																								
<i>T. sphenoides</i>																								
<i>T. similis</i> (C)																								
<i>T. (Triletes) lundus</i>																								
<i>T. ambigua</i>																								
<i>T. bellus</i>																								
<i>T. chinensis</i>																								
<i>T. lobatus</i>																								
<i>T. antipodica</i>																								
<i>V. alpinus</i>																								
<i>V. altissimus</i>																								
<i>V. cristatus</i>																								
<i>P. (Triletes) p. latus</i>																								
<i>M. renouardii</i>																								
<i>P. deshayesi</i>																								
<i>T. p. latus</i>																								
<i>P. sublobatus</i>																								
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<i>P. sublobatus</i>																								
<i>M. lundus</i>																								
<i>S. symphymoides</i>																								
<i>L. lanceolatus</i>																								
<i>T. (Triletes) lundus</i> sp.																								

* C = core; S = sandwell core; T = cuttings

Well Name	SAMPLE TITLE	DEPTHS	PALYNOFORMS
Copper 3	14.5-14.9		<i>C. acuminata</i>
	14.5-14.8		<i>C. acuminata</i>
	4.8		<i>D. acuminata</i>
	14.3-14.7		<i>D. acuminata</i>
	6.3		<i>D. acuminata</i>
	7.4-7.5		<i>D. acuminata</i>
W. Brown 24	11.76-12.08		
	11.1-11.56		
	2.8-8		
	37.4		
	42.3		
	10.5-9		
	173.5		
	90.85		
	14.5		
	8.0		
	10.5-11.53		
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	96.09		
	120		
	2.56		
	6.66		
	130		
	198.1		
	255		
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MICROPLANKTON

- Spirulococcus* sp
- Polydictyon* sp
- Ceratium* sp
- Pantodon* sp

* Ceratium, Spirulococcus, Pantodon

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Well Name	SAMPLE TYPE	DEPTH	PALYNOFORMS
	C	118.0	
	C	270.0	
	C	274.5	
	C	276.0	
	C	285.0	
	C	290.0	
	C	346.9-347.7	
	C	400.8-402.3	
	C	508.4-512.0	
	C	565.5-575.5	
	C	825.0	
	C	1117-1122	
	C	1234-1238	
	C	1465-1475	
	C	1611-1620	
	C	1634-1638	
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	C	1670-1675	
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