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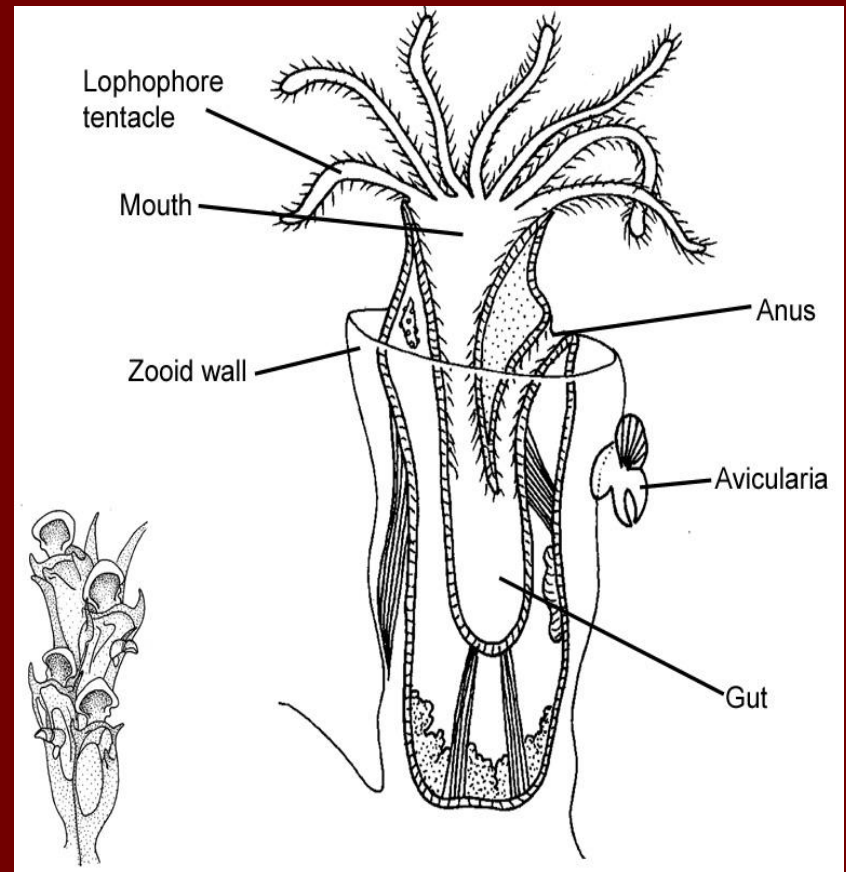
General characteristics

Bryzoa

(Moss or lace animals)

(Greek. *bryon* = moss + *zoon* = animal)
Many bryozoans are gathered in small tufted colonies attached to objects in shallow seawater. All species are colonial with the individuals being extremely small. Bryzoa is a plural word.

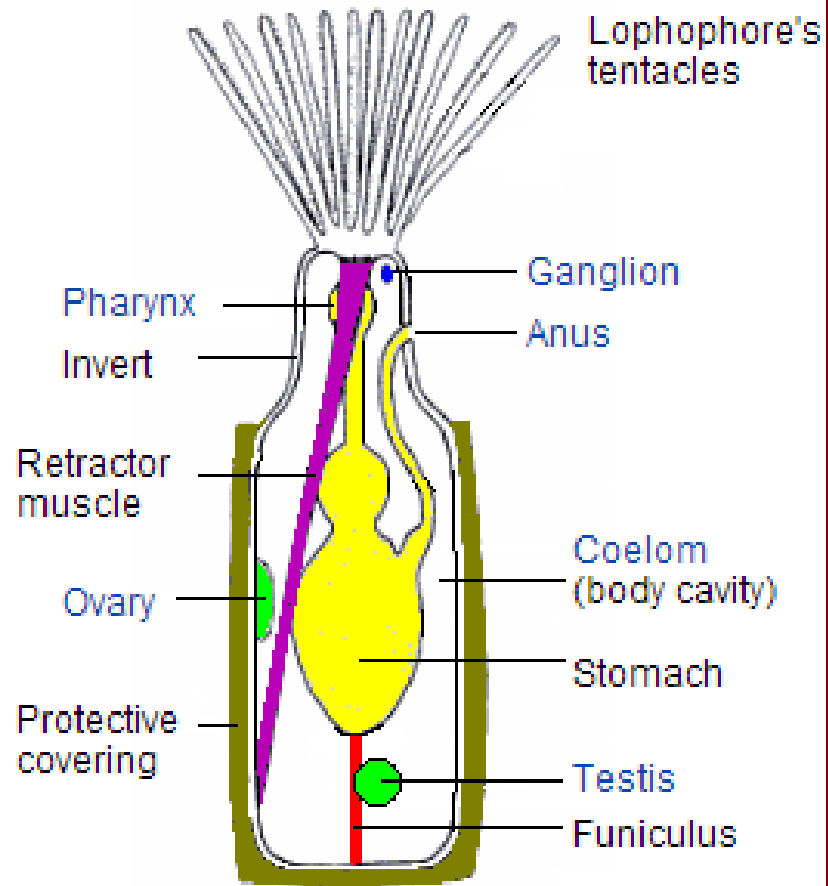
Some appear similar to hydroids or corals but their internal structure is more complex. Their form suggested the name moss animals.



Bryzoa

(Moss or lace animals)

General characteristics



■ = Digestive tract

■ = Gonads

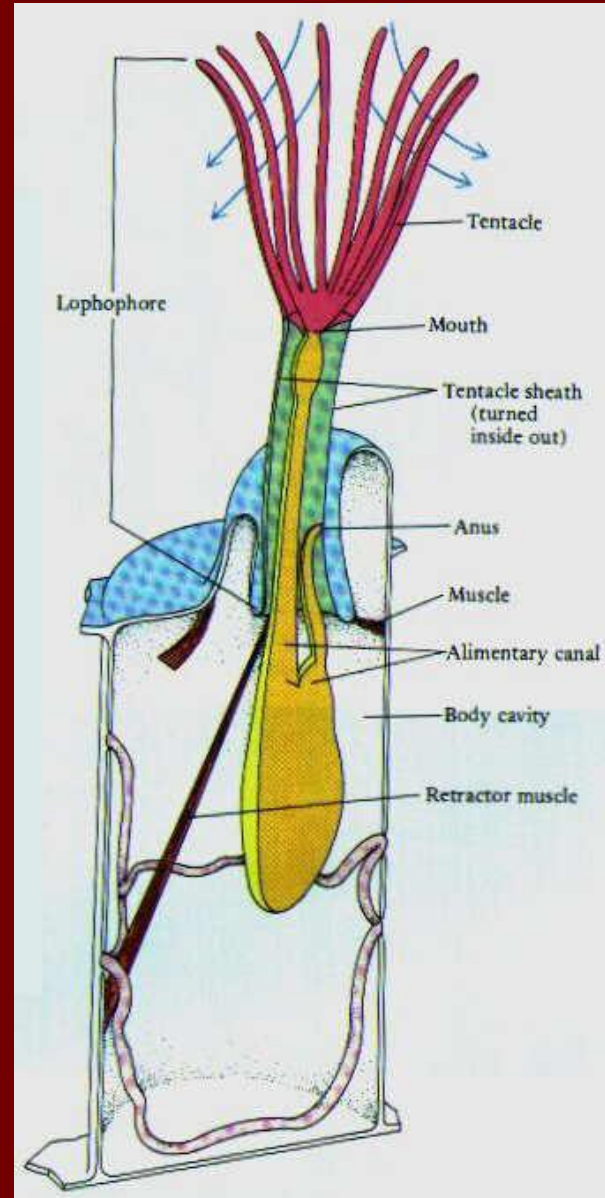
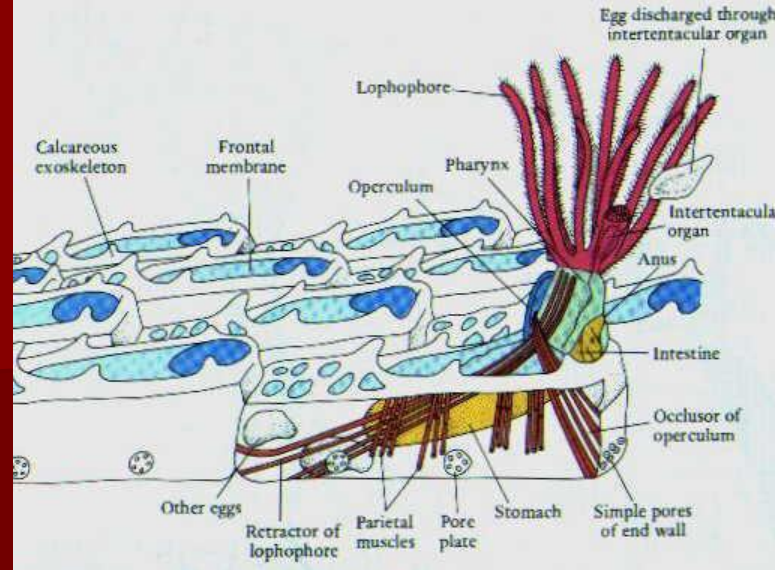
■ = Retractor muscle

■ = Outer covering

A generalized autozooid^[6]



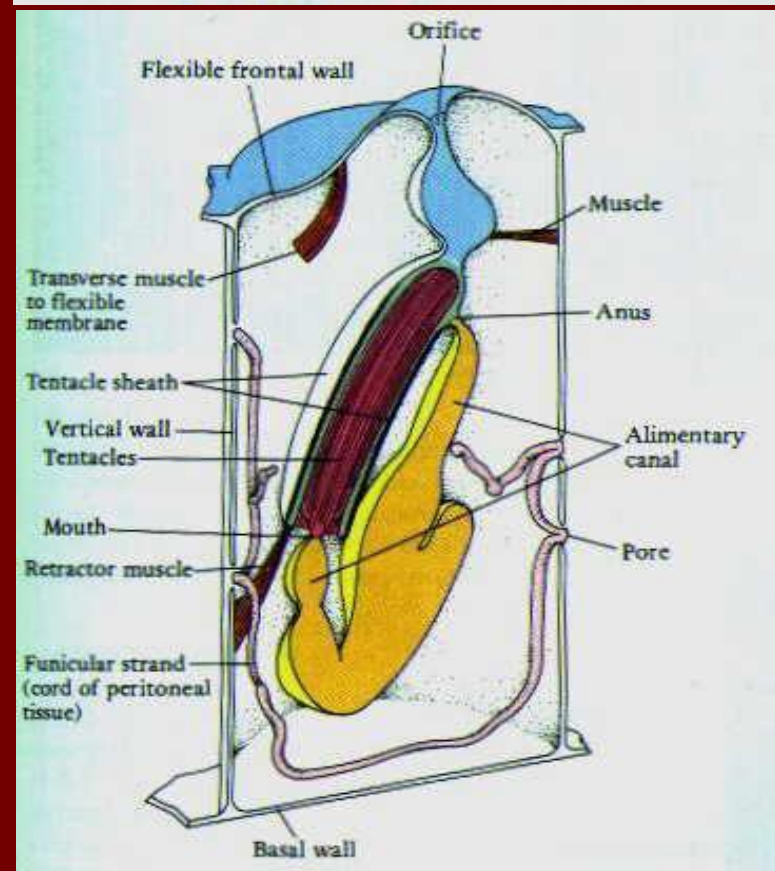
A lateral view, of a portion of a colony, of encrusting bryozoans.



Bryzoa

(Moss or lace animals)

An individual of a colonial bryozoan with a retracted lophophore.



An individual of a colonial bryozoan with a protruded lophophore (the arrows indicate the flow of water).

Bryzoa

(Moss or lace animals)

General characteristics

Characteristics:

1. Symmetry is bilateral. There occurs no segmentation. Triploblastic.
2. Colonial. The individuals are minutely small, each in its own housing (zooecium). Polymorphism in some.
3. Digestive canal complete(U-shaped). The mouth is surrounded by a retractile lophophore with ciliated tentacles. The anus opening outside the lophophores.
4. Coelom well developed into two parts. No circulatory or respiratory organs present.
5. No nephridia.
6. A nerve ganglia between mouth and anus.
7. The sexes are usually united and gonads are formed from peritoneum. The eggs are fertilized in the coelom or externally. The eggs are usually brooded in a modified zooecium (ooecium) among the tentacles, in the coelom or in a partition of reproductive individual. The larva is a trochopore. Colonies are formed by asexual budding.
8. Cambrian to Recent
9. Mainly marine, rarely freshwater

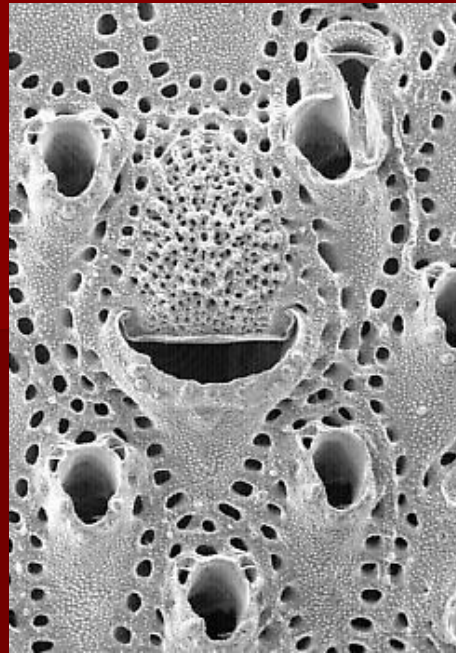
*Zooid: Individuals
of bryzoan colony:
tube-shaped, or
bowl-shaped,
Carbonate or
organic in
composition*



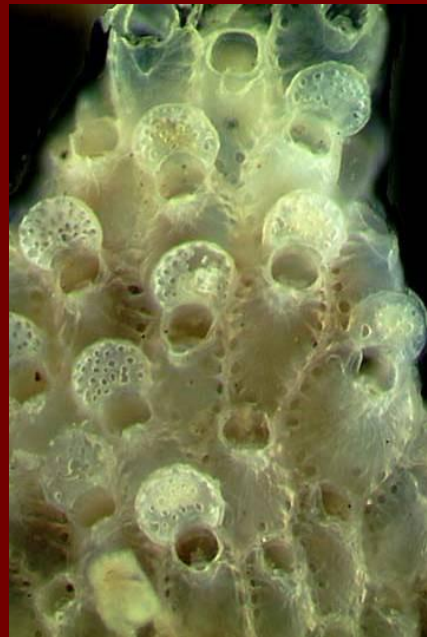
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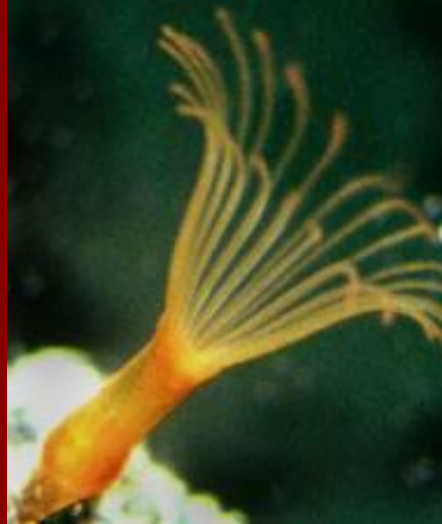


Zooid: It is similar to polyp of corals, but differs in having digestive channel, aperture and annal parts.

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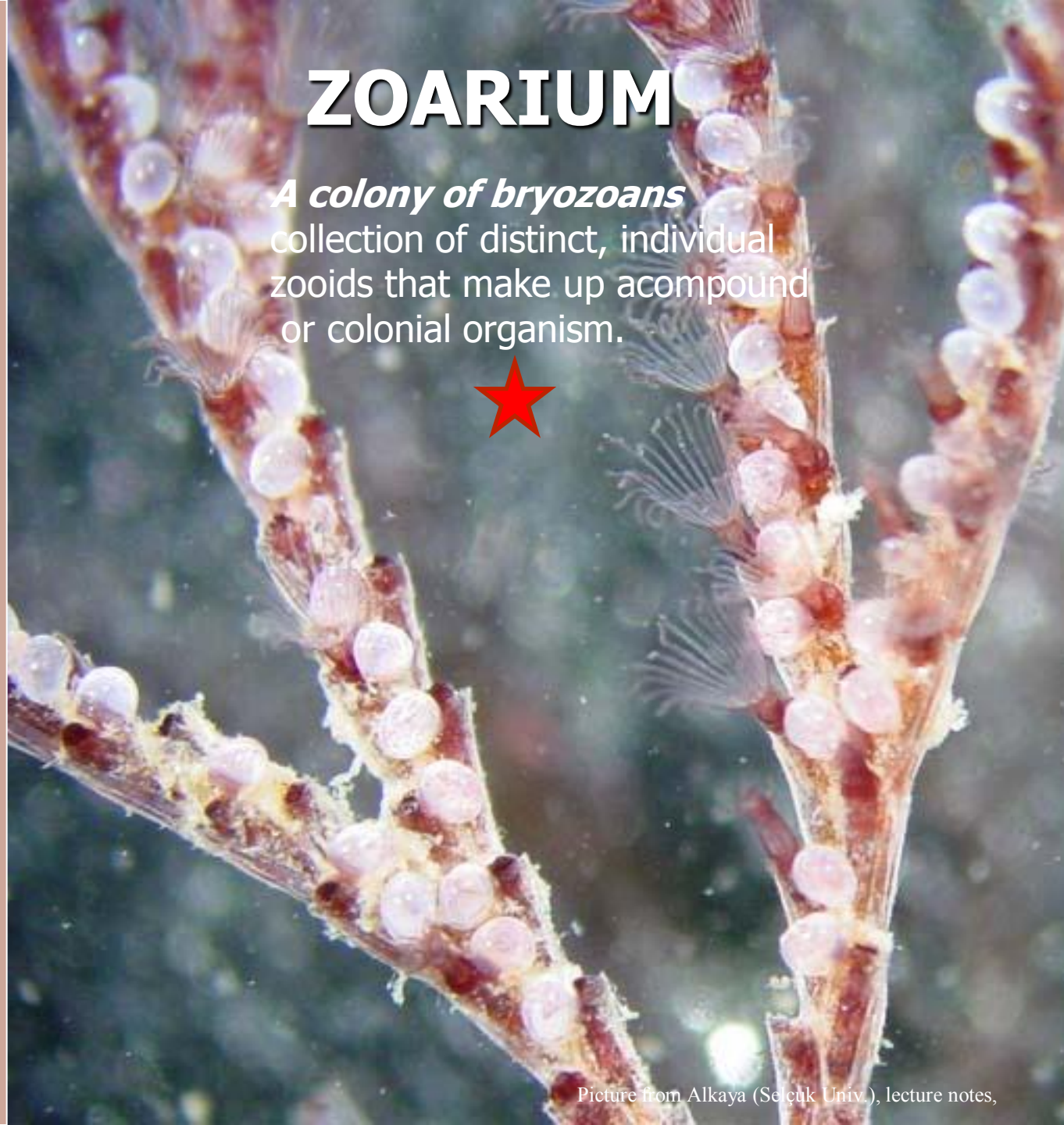
Terms



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ZOARIUM

A colony of bryozoans
collection of distinct, individual
zooids that make up a compound
or colonial organism.

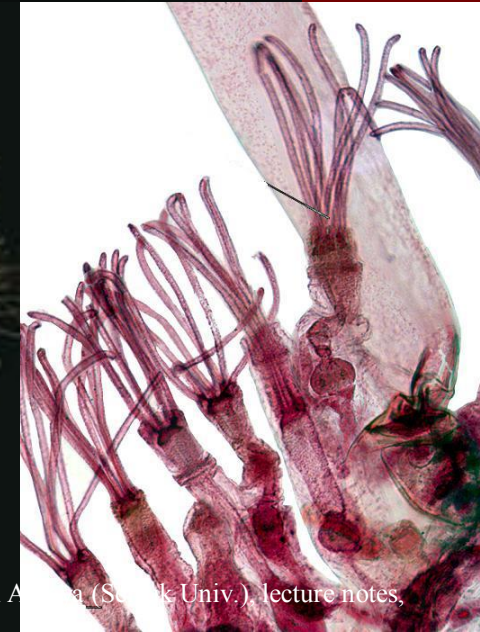


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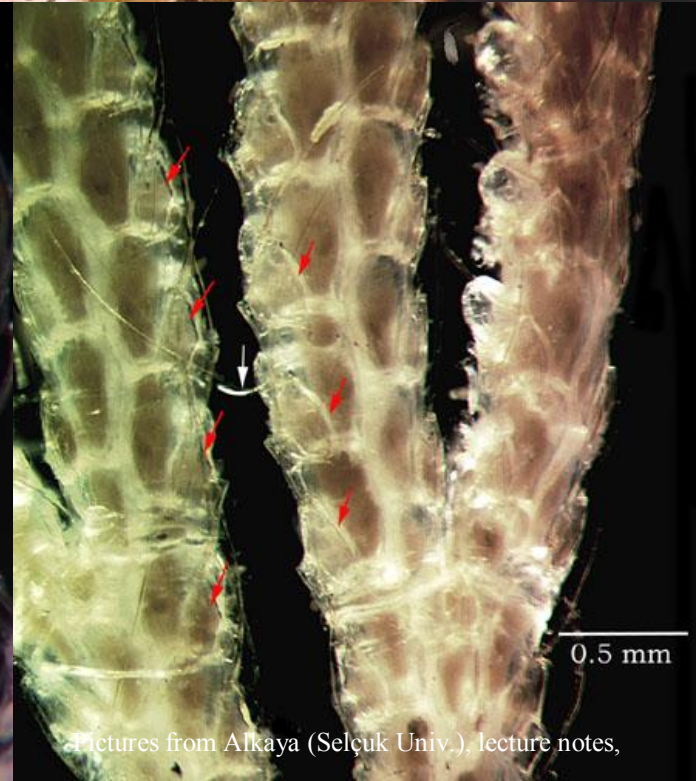
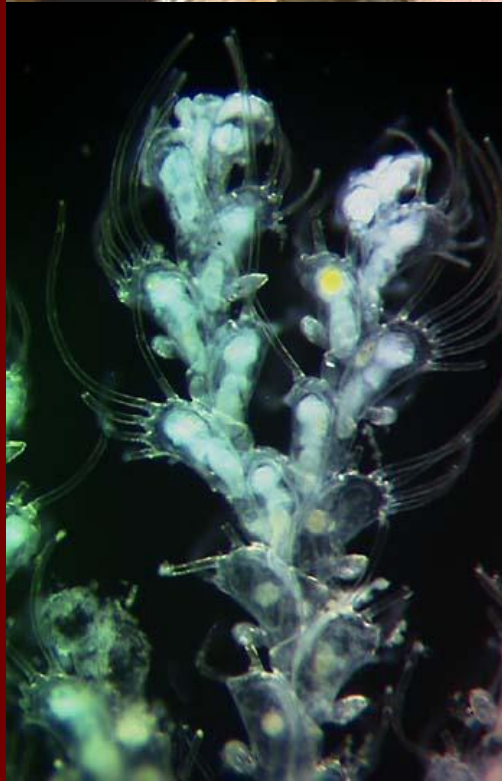
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COLONIES**



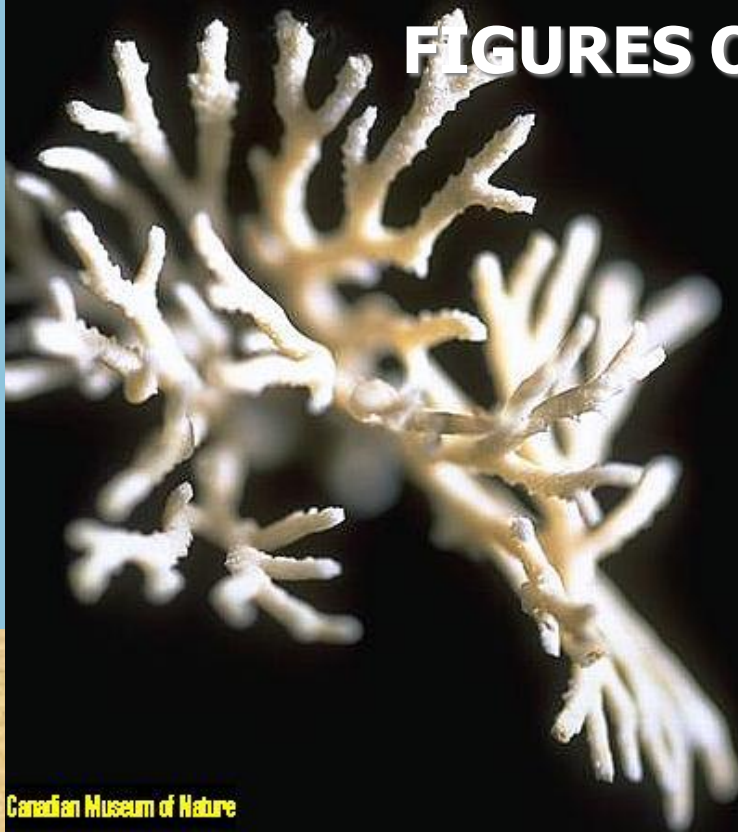
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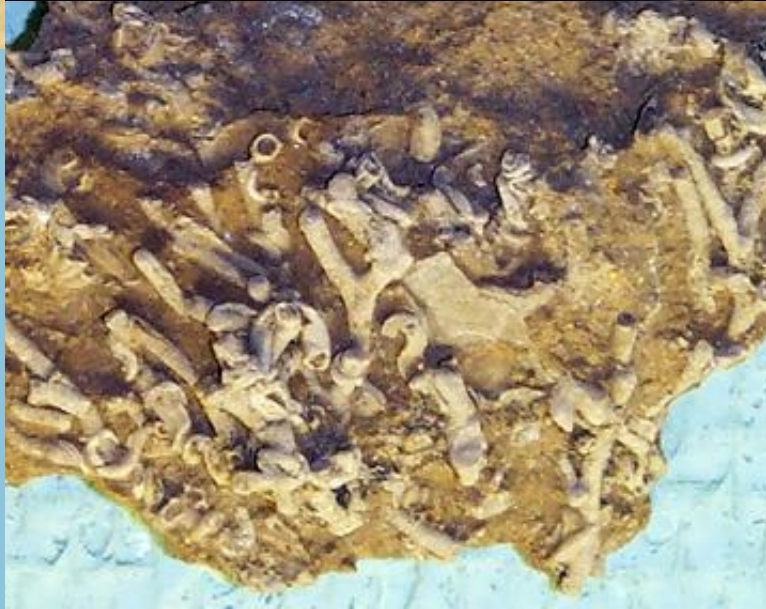


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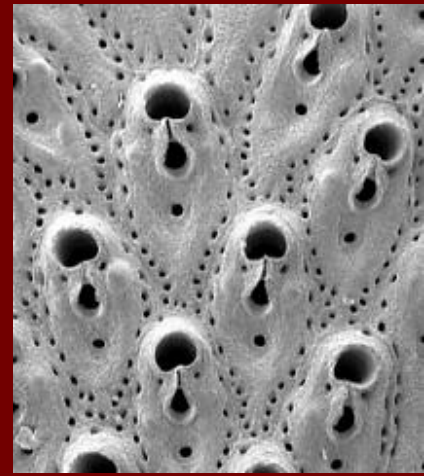
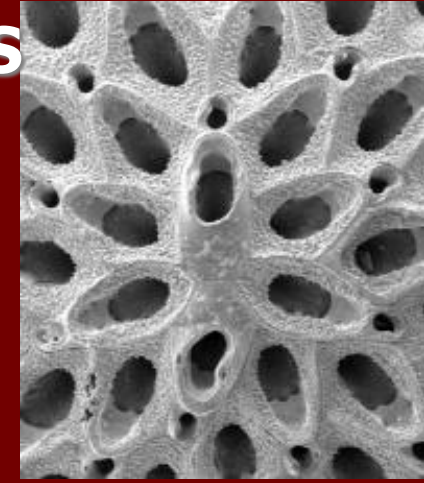
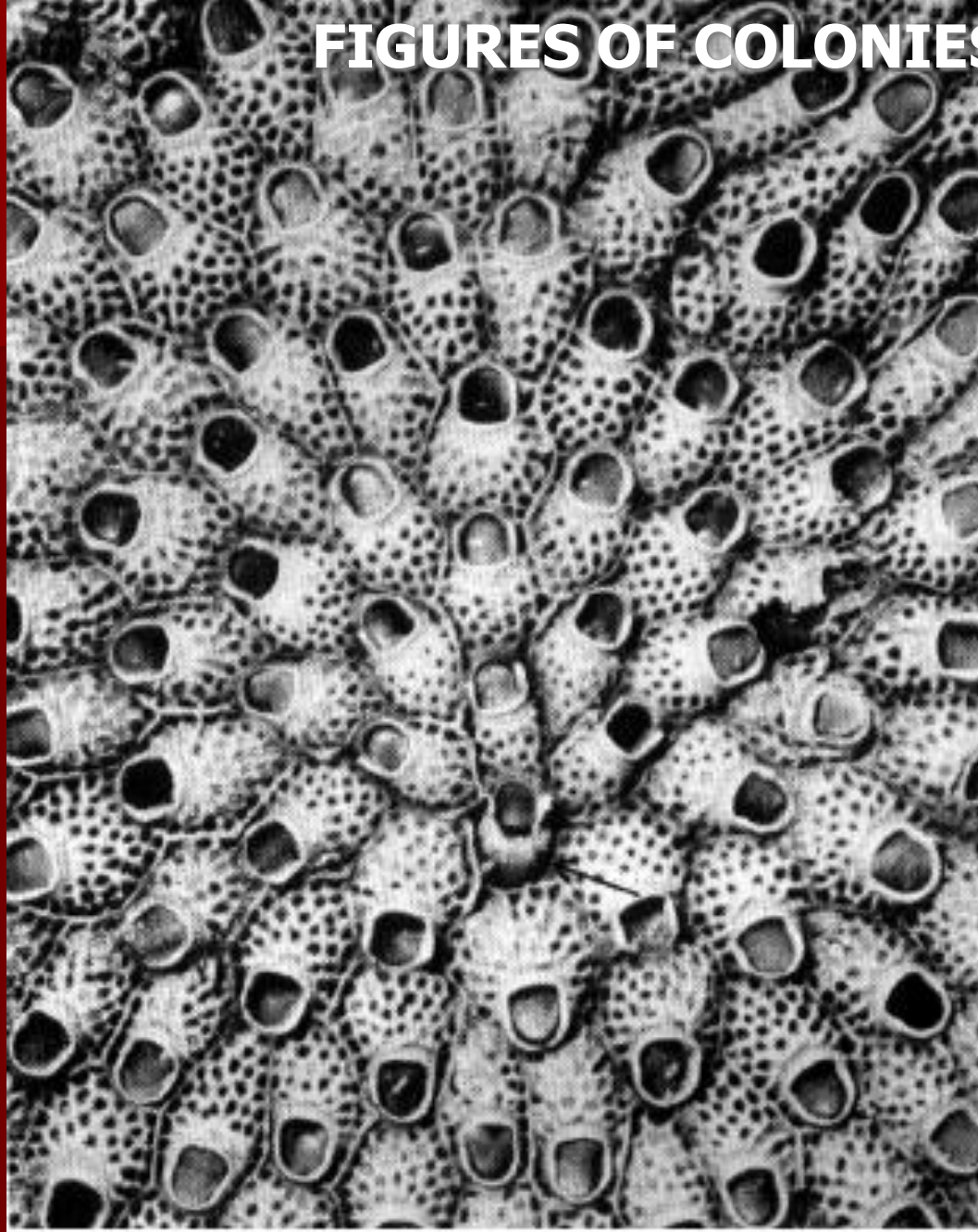
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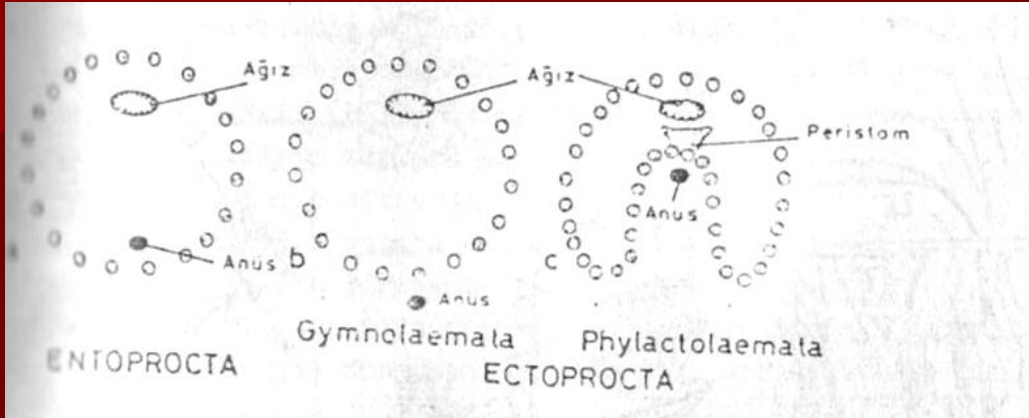
Pictures from Alkaya (Selçuk Univ.), lecture notes.

FIGURES OF COLONIES

Bryzoa (Moss or lace animals)



1 mm



Subphylums

Entoprocta

Ectoprocta

Classification

Class	Phylactolaemata	Stenolaemata	Gymnolaemata	
Order	Plumatellida ^[44]	Cyclostomata	Ctenostomata	Cheilostomata
Environments	Freshwater	Marine	Mostly marine	

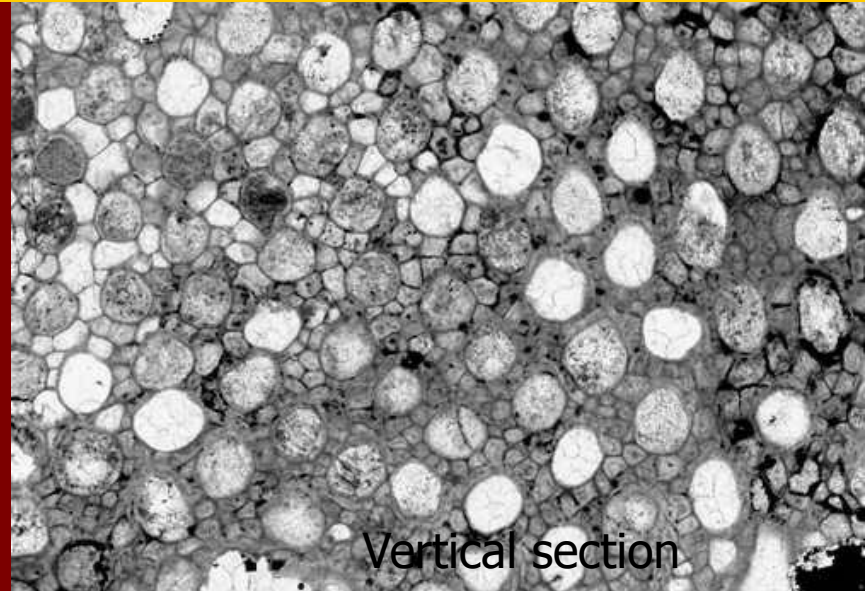
Fossils of about 15,000 bryozoan species have been found. The oldest species with a mineralized skeleton occurs in the uppermost Cambrian of Mexico (<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bryozoa>)

Fistulipora sp. (Silurian-Permian)

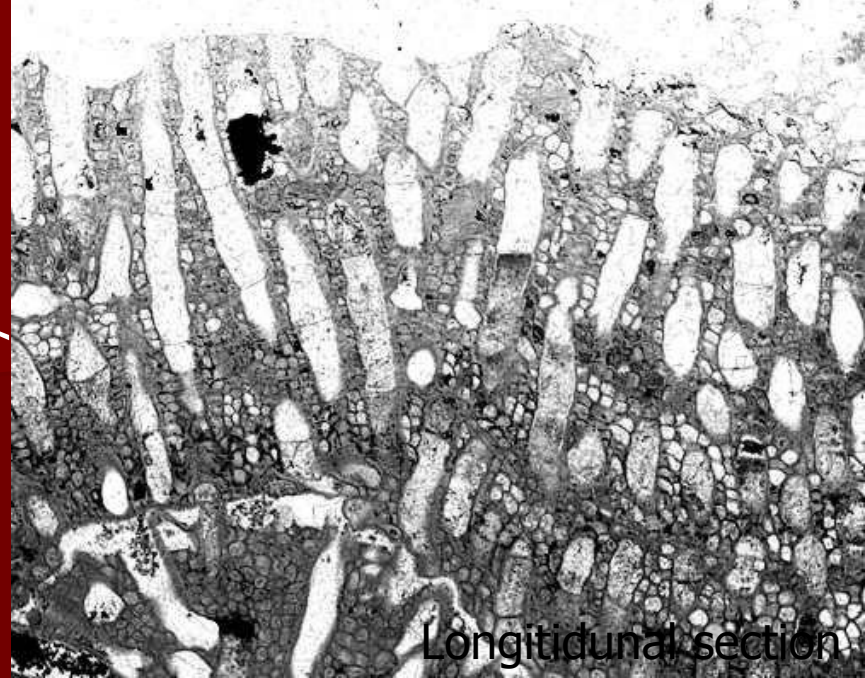
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Cylindrical individuals



Vertical section

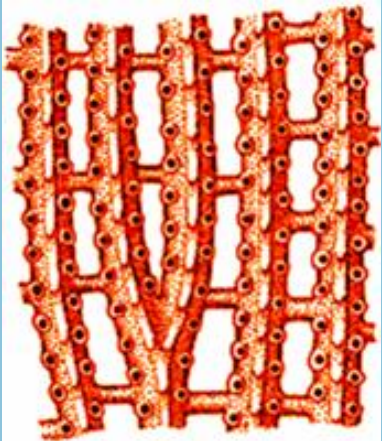


Longitudinal section

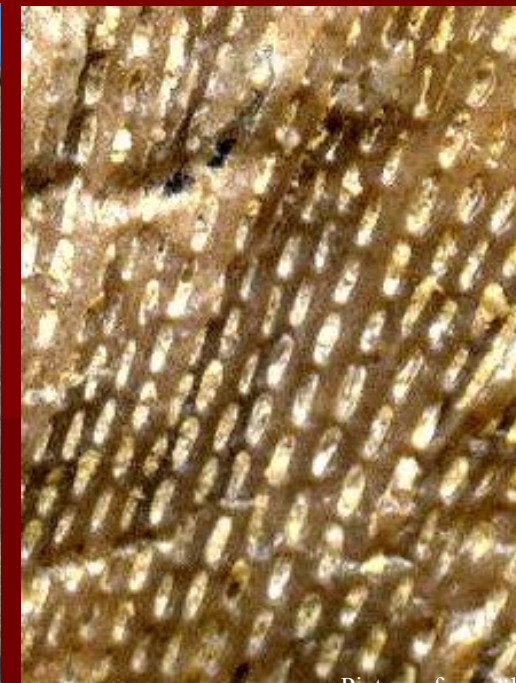
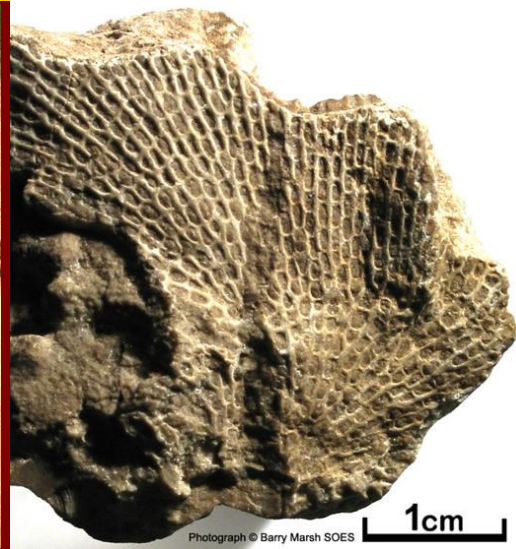
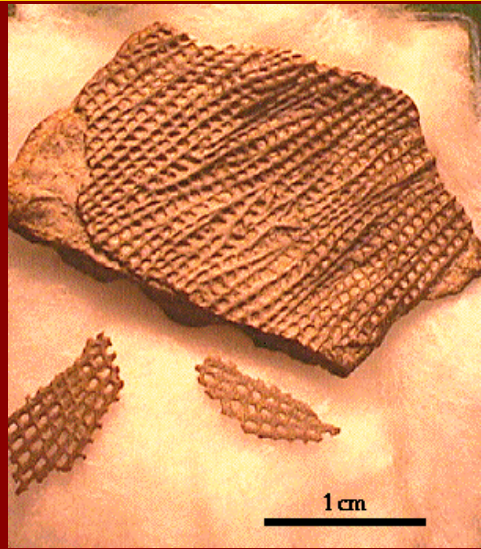
Fenestella sp. (Ordovician-Permian)

Cage-fan-shaped colony

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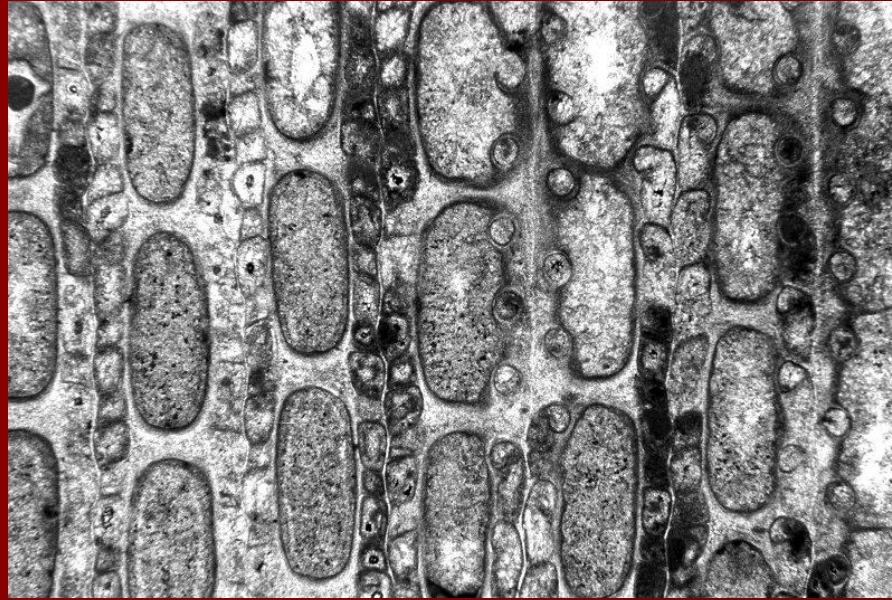
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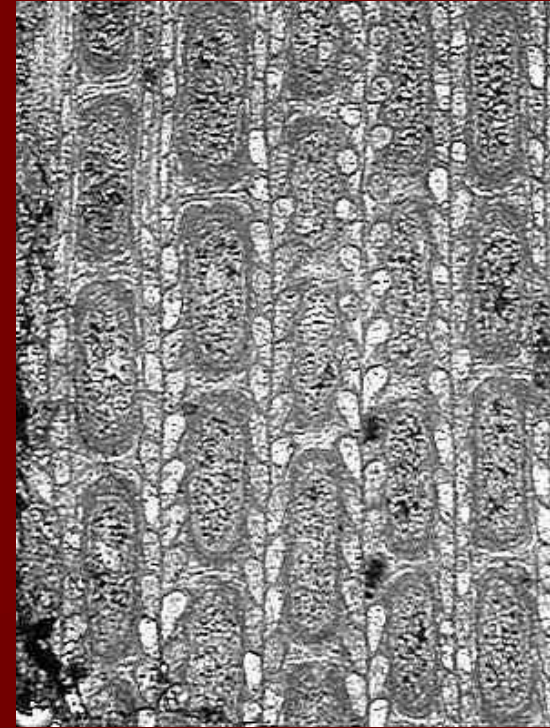
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Fenestella sp. (Ordovician-Permian)

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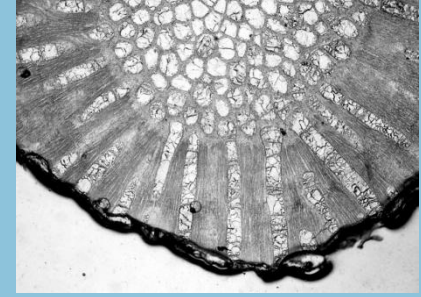
Tangential section

Archimedes sp. (Carboniferous-Permian)

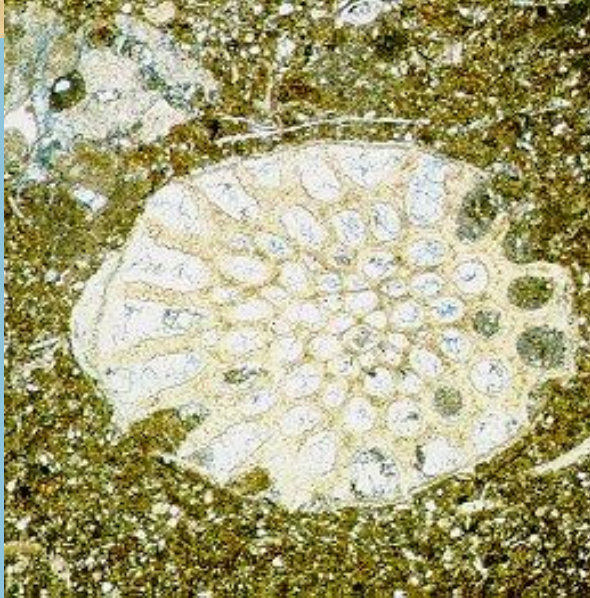
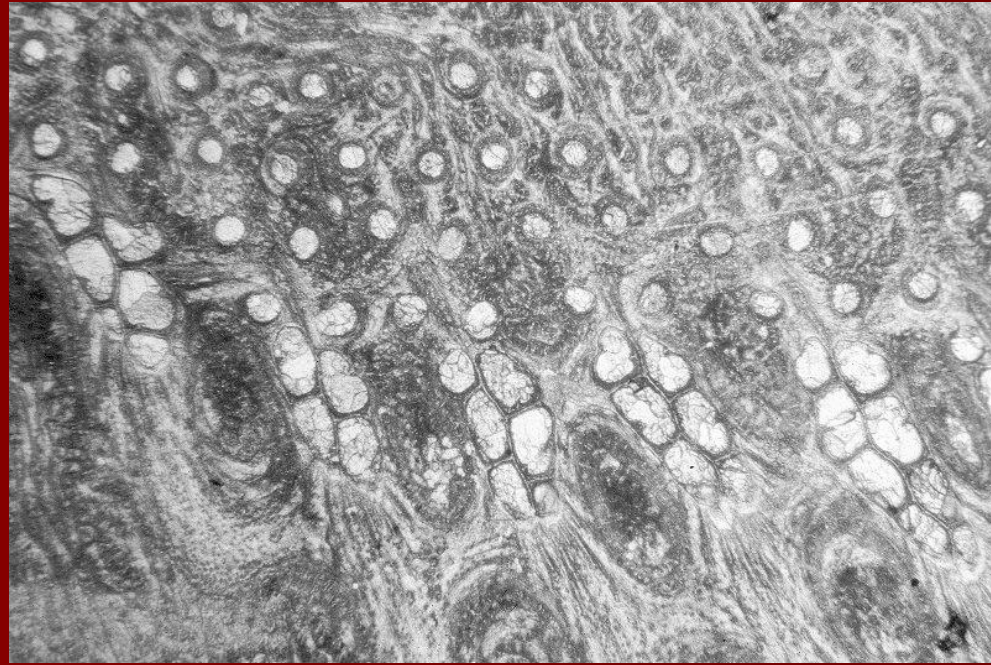
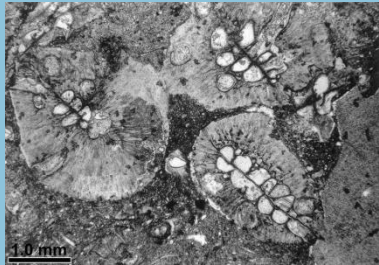
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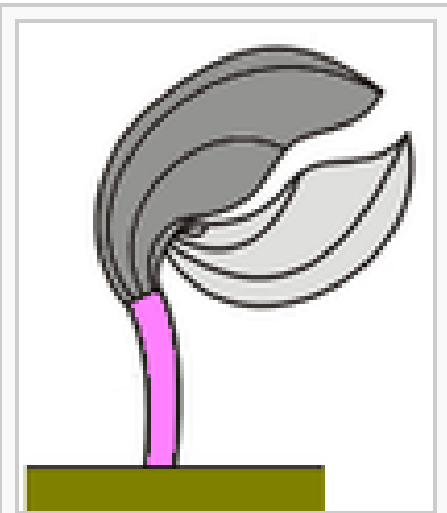


Bryozoa in thin sections



Bryozoa (Moss or lace animals)





An articulate
brachiopod:

- Pedicle valve
- Brachial valve
- Pedicle
- Surface

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brachiopoda>

Brachiopoda

From Eldredge (1991)

Brachiopoda



Brachiopoda

General characteristics

(*Latin.brachio = arm + Greek.pod = foot*)
Brachiopoda have a calcium carbonate shell. They bear a superficial relationship to bivalve molusks, but they are only distantly related. The shells of lamp shells consist of two plates (valves), one ventrally beneath the body and another dorsally above it. Most are attached by a short fleshy stalk (peduncle). The shape of the shells and this little stalk earned these animals their names. <http://library.thinkquest.org/26153/marine/brachio.htm>



Brachiopods dominated the early seas when since animal life was first common.

Characteristics:

1. Symmetry bilateral. No segmentation. Triploblastic.
2. External is covered with a shell, dorsal and ventral valves are unlike. The shell usually has a fleshy peduncle for attachment.
3. Mouth preceded by an extensive two armed lophophore. The digestive canal exists with or without an anus.
4. The coelom is well developed and filled with fluids. The circulatory system is open. The blood is colourless and with coelomocytes.
5. Excretion takes place by one or two nephridia serving also as reproductive ducts.
6. A nerve ring about gullet.
7. The sexes are usually separate, each with paired gonads. Eggs and sperm are discharged into the seawater around it. A free swimming ciliated larva is born. No asexual reproduction takes place.
8. Cambrian to Recent
9. Marine, mainly shallow

Brachiopoda

Bilateral symmetrical



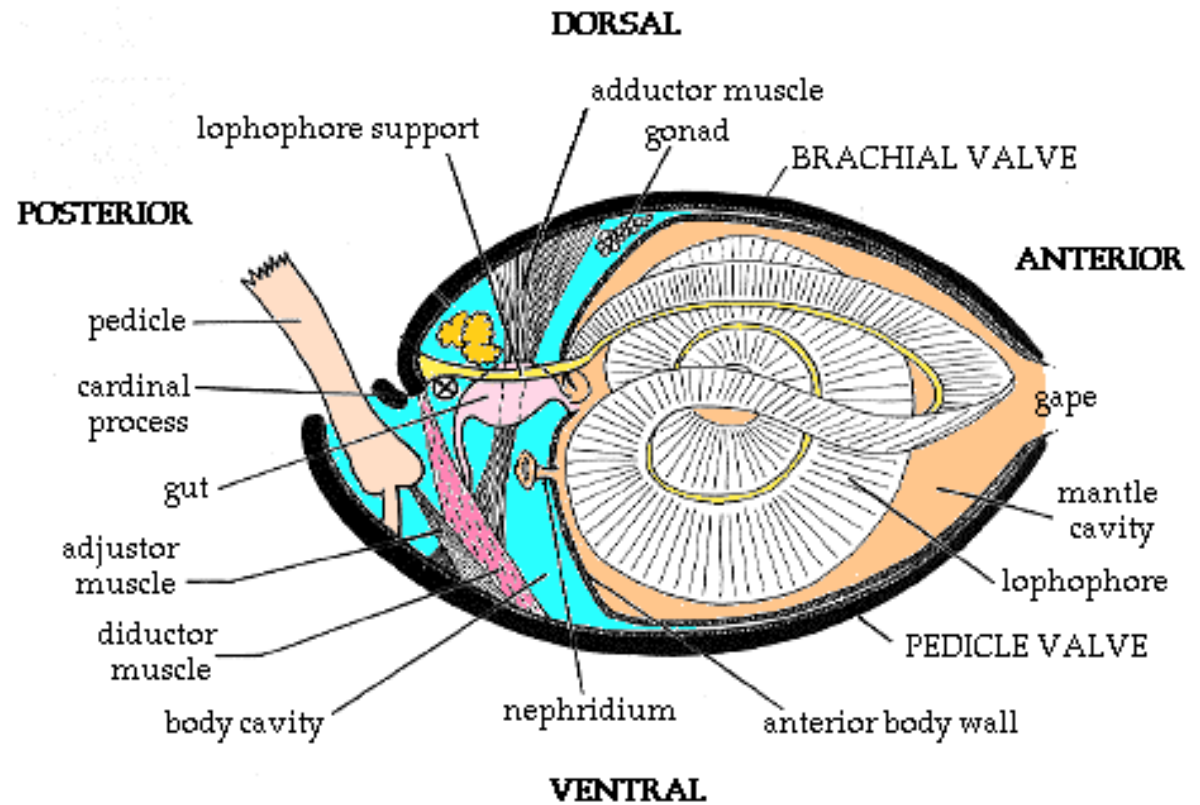
General characteristics



Brachiopoda



Terms & General views



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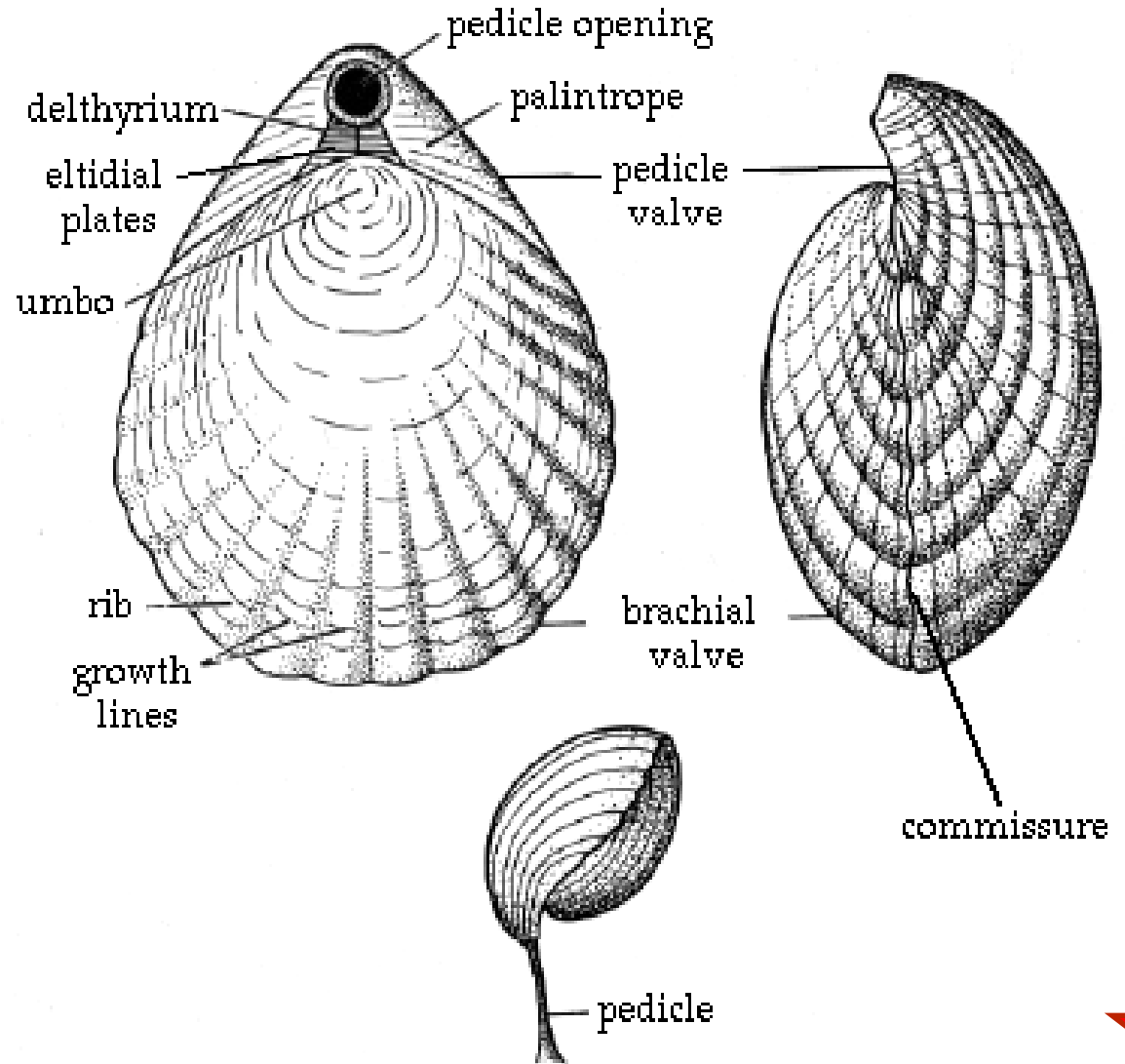
A section through a brachiopod.



Figure 2 - Brachiopod External Morphology

Terms & General views

Brachiopoda



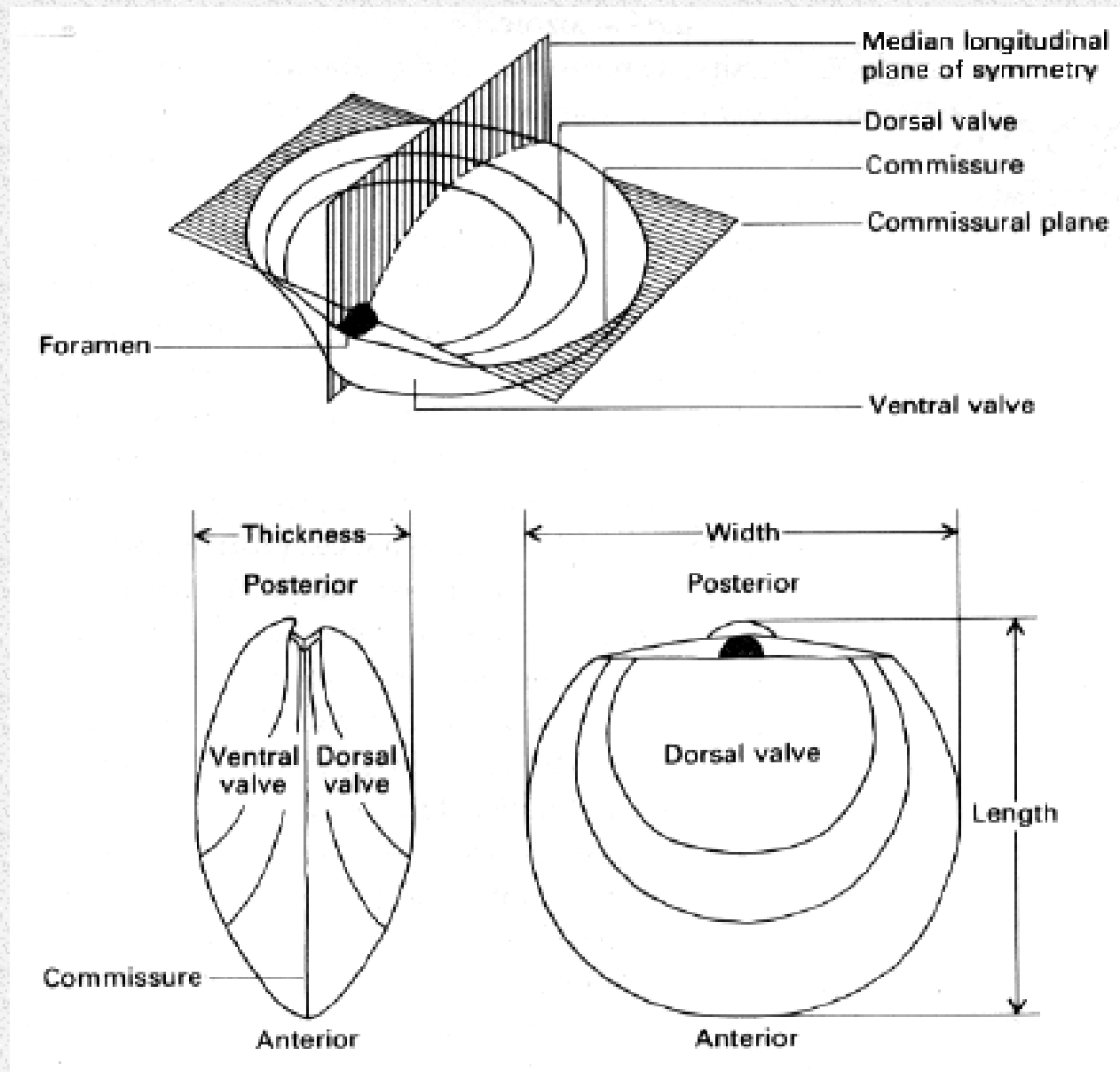


Brachiopoda



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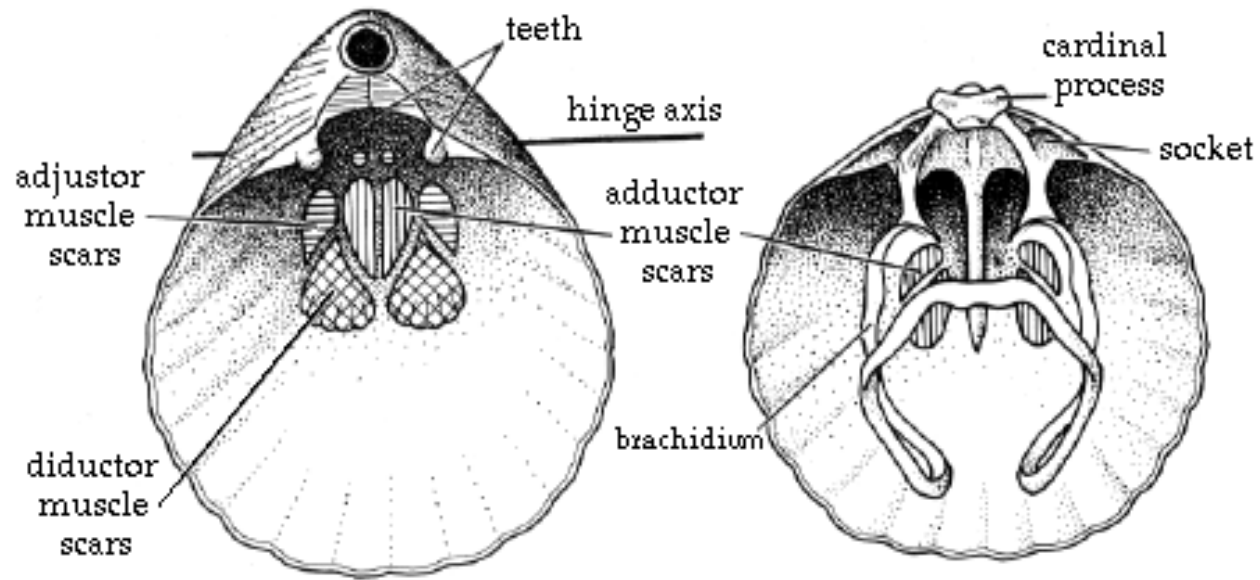
Figure 3 - Brachiopod Symmetry



Brachiopoda

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Figure 4 - Brachiopod Internal Shell Morphology



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Brachiopoda

Terms

Valve positions

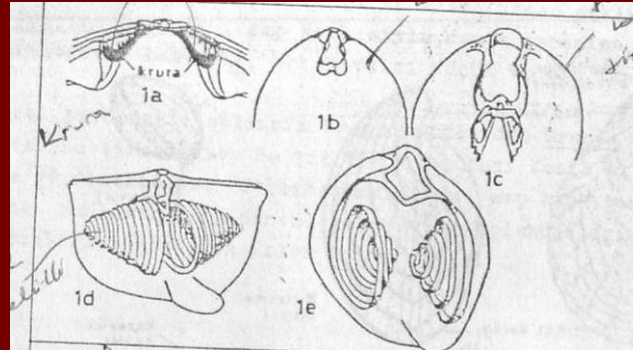
Convex to
concave

Resipunal

Biconvex

Concava-convex

Askew biconvex



Brachidium types

Krura

Curved

Tranversal

Spiral



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resipunal



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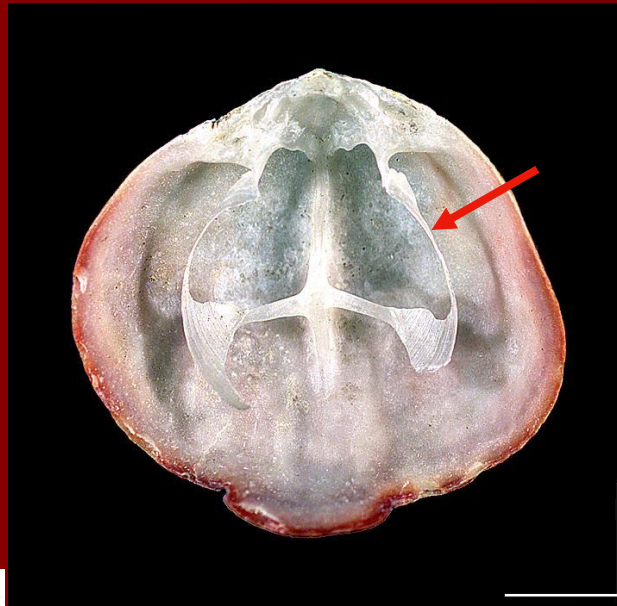
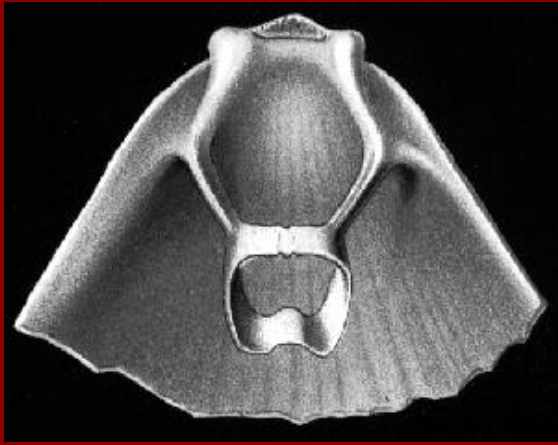


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zigzag bikonveks

Brachiopoda





Pajaudina atlantica: in cave, 8 m depth - El Hierro, Canary islands. © Peter Wirtz



Brachiopoda

Terms

PEDUNCLE : A short fleshy stalk

PEDUNCLE VALVE: Larger valve, having peduncle

BRACHIAL VALVE: Smaller valve, bearing brachidium

LOPHOPHORE: It is an apparatus for feeding & respiration.

BRACHIDIUM : Supporting apparatus to Lophophore

POSTERIOR: Frontal side

ANTERIOR : Back side

HINGE AXIS: Axis between valves

DELTHYRIUM: Triangular part in front of foramen.

FOROMEN: Opening of peduncle

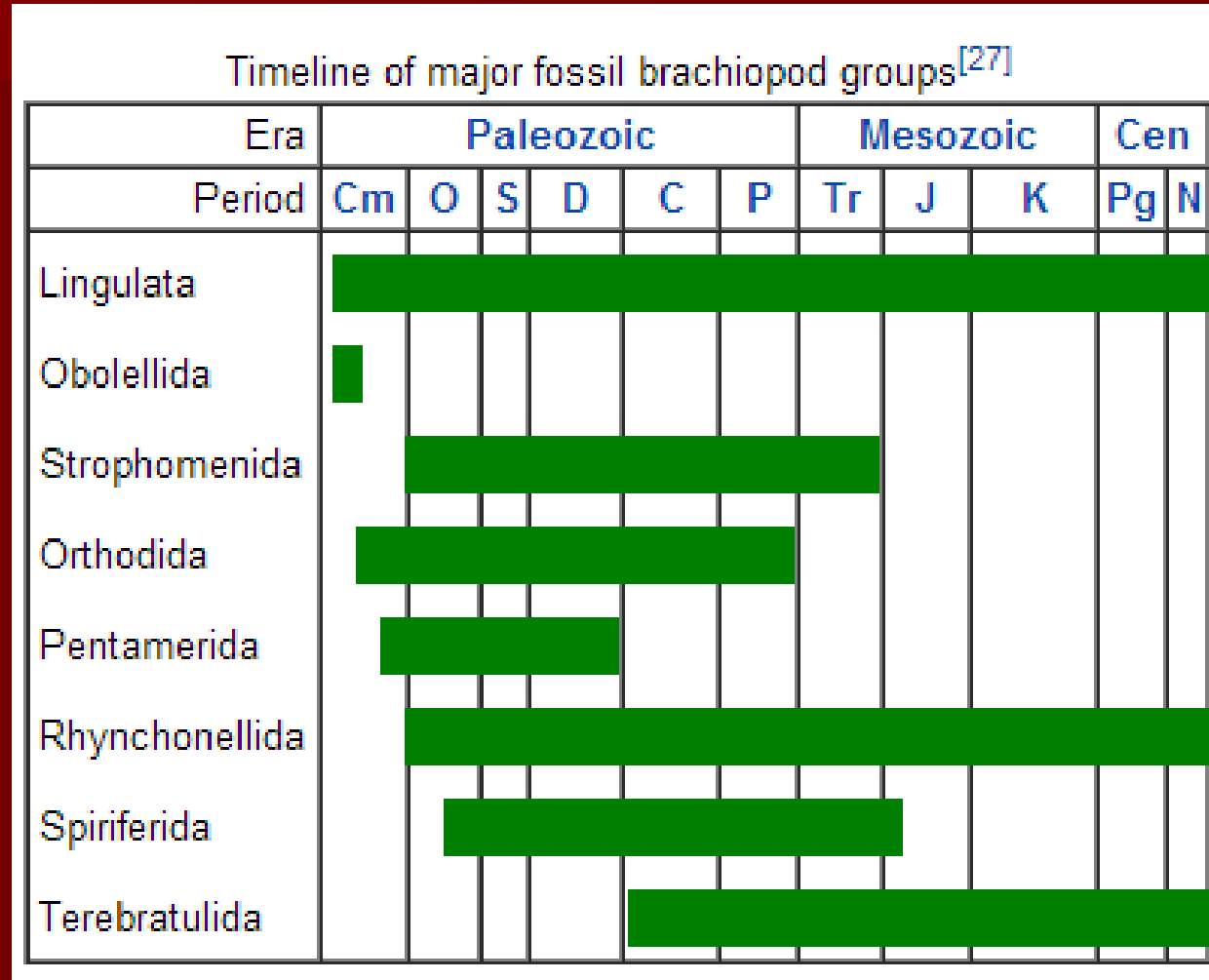
ARTICULATA

INARTICULATA



Brachiopoda

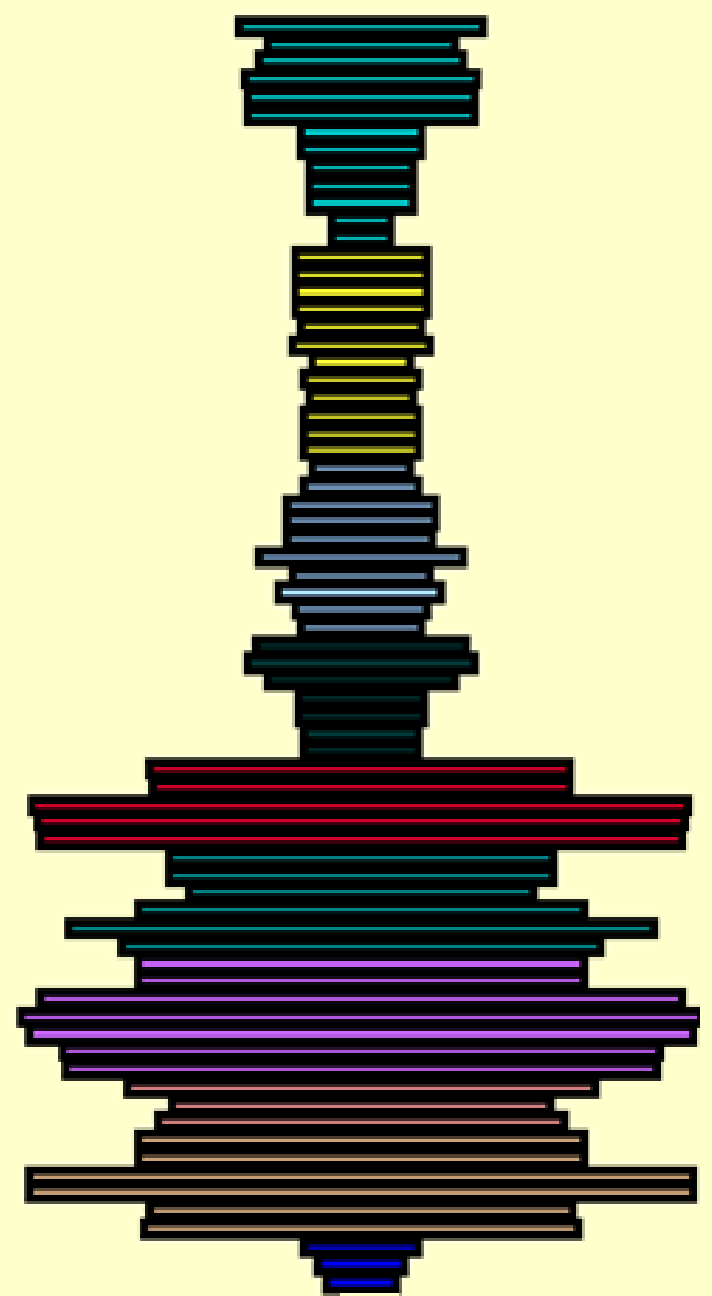
Stratigraphical Ranges



Brachiopoda

Stratigraphical Aboundances

Neojen
Paleojen
Kretase
Jura
Triyas
Permiyen
Karbonifer
Devoniyen
Siluriyen
Ordovisiyen
Kambriyen



CLASSIFICATION

--- In the "traditional" classification, the Articulata have toothed hinges between the valves, while the hinges of the Inarticulata are held together only by muscles.

--- A classification devised in the 1990s, based on the materials of which the shells are based, united the Craniida and the "articulate" brachiopods in the Calciata, which have calcite shells. The Lingulida and Discinida, combined in the Lingulata, have shells made of chitin and calcium phosphate.

--- A three-part scheme, also from the 1990s, places the Craniida in a separate group of its own, the Craniformea. The Lingulida and Discinida are grouped as Linguliformea, and the Rhynchonellida and Terebratulida as Rhynchonelliformea.

Brachiopoda

Three high-level classifications of brachiopods^{[4][6]}

"Traditional" classification ^{[4][6]}	Inarticulata		Articulata	
"Calciata" approach ^[6]	Lingulata		Calciata	
Three-part approach ^{[21][22]}	Linguliformea		Craniformea	Rhynchonelliformea
Orders	Lingulida ^[4]	Discinida ^[4]	Craniida ^[4]	Terebratulida ^[4] Rhynchonellida ^[4]

Brachiopoda

CLASSIFICATION

Phylum **Brachiopoda** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Inarticulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Articulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Order **Orthida** (Cambrian-Permian)

Order **Strophomenida** (Ordovician-Jurassic)

Order **Pentamerida** (Cambrian-Devonian)

Order **Rhynchonellida** (Ordovician-Recent)

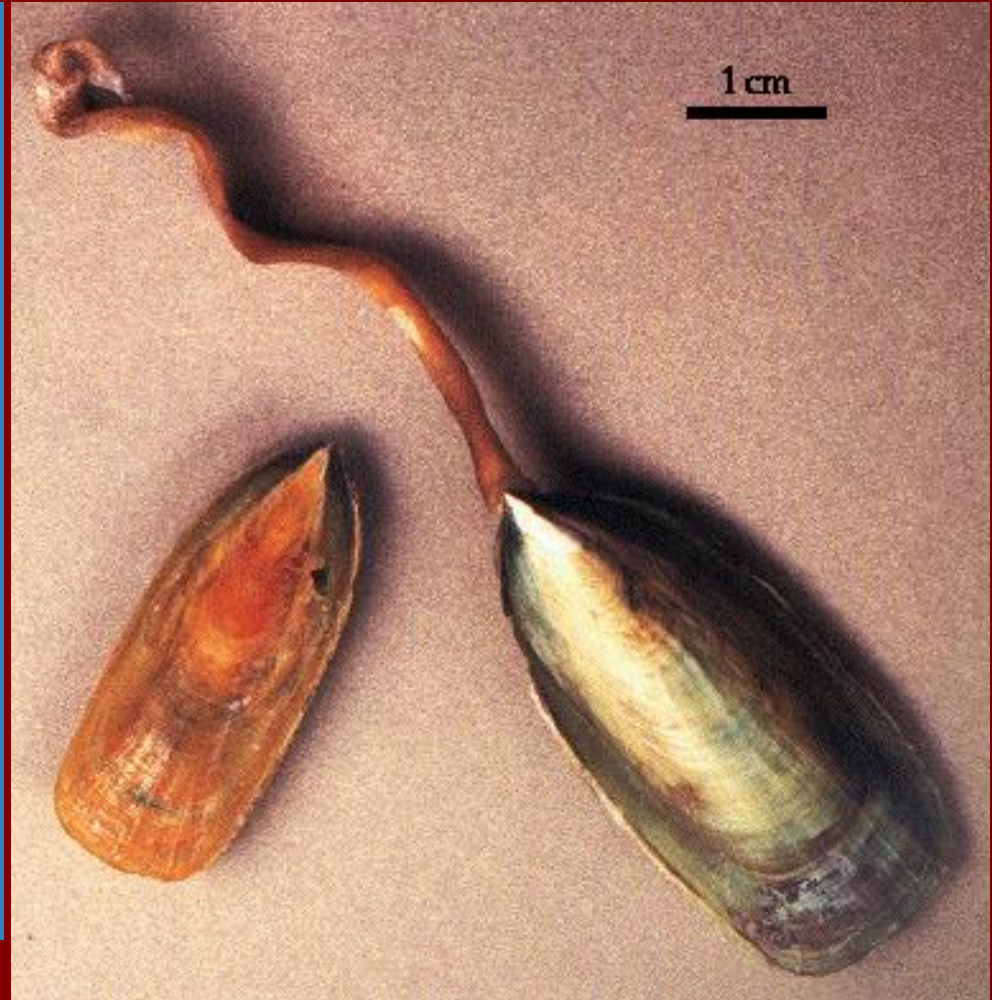
Order **Spiriferida** (Ordovician-Jurassic)

Order **Terebratulida** (Devonian-Recent)

Lingula sp. Siluriyen-Güncel

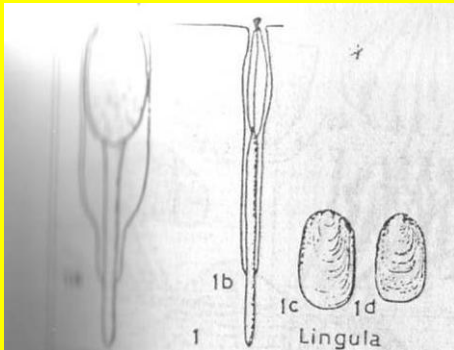
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Brachiopoda



Lingula adamsi Dall, 1873

Lingula tumidula : Adams, 1863 ; Davidson, 1871 (non *L. tumidula* Reeve, 1841).
Lingula adamsi : Dall, 1873 ; Dall, 1921 ; Davidson, 1888 ; Emig, 1979 ; Emig & Hammond, 1981.
Lingula shantungensis : Hatai, 1937, 1940.

Diagnose - (Emig, 1982)

Coquille : Forme rectangulaire, à bord frontal droit légèrement convexe sans pointe médiane : stries d'accroissement bien marquées, surface externe rugueuse avec des stries équidistantes concentriques plus ou moins profondes. De profil, la valve dorsale est plus aplatie que la valve ventrale.

* Coloration beige à brun foncé, distalement rouge-brun à brun-noir.

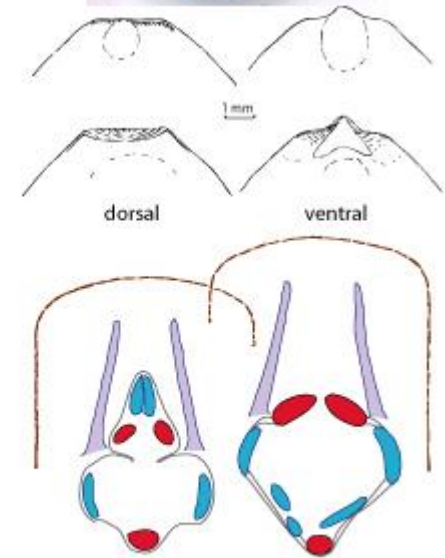
* Régions umbonales aplaties : valve dorsale à bord postérieur rectiligne, valve ventrale avec un petit bec central.

Disposition des muscles et canaux : L'arrangement des muscles est de forme élargie : sur la face dorsale, le muscle adducteur postérieur se situe juste sous la ligne des muscles obliques ; sur la face ventrale, les trois muscles obliques internes sont regroupés près du muscle adducteur postérieur.

Les deux canaux antérieurs principaux sont bien séparés, rectilignes et subparallèles.

Aucune pigmentation palléale n'est observée.

Pédoncule de couleur chair.



Phylum **Brachiopoda** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Inarticulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Articulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

→ Order **Orthida** (Cambrian-Permian)

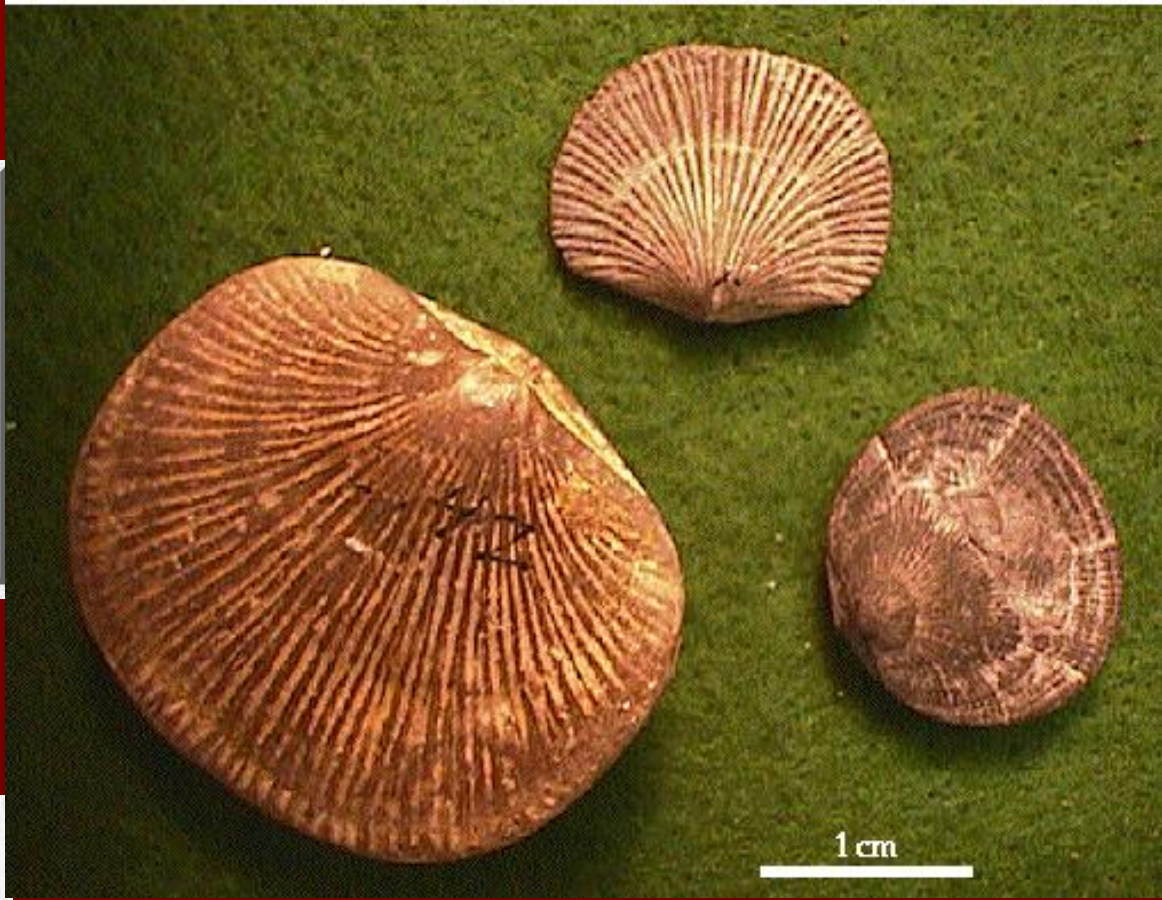
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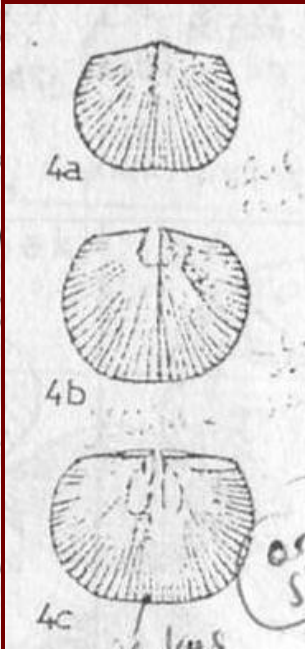
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Order **Spiriferida** (Ordovician-Jurassic)

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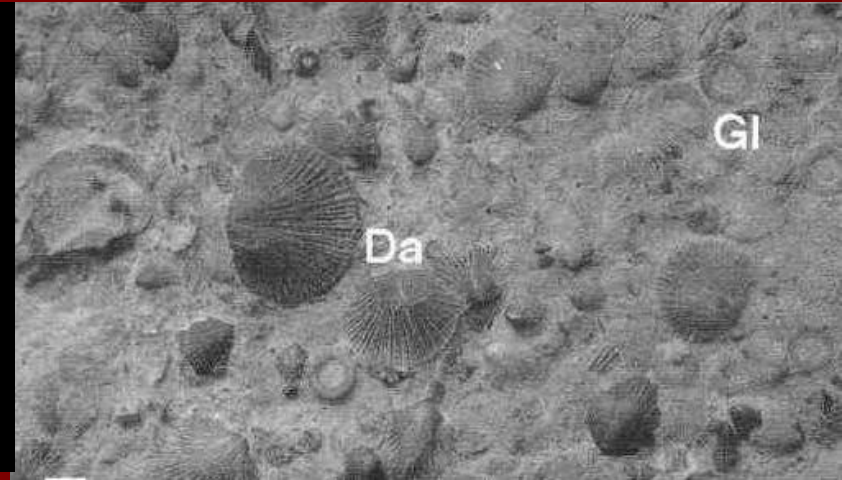
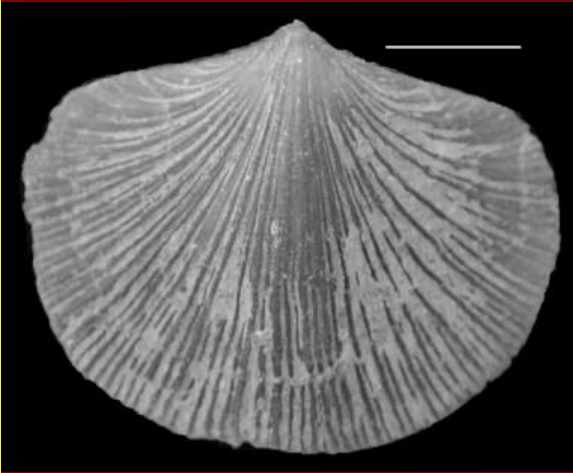


Orthis sp. (Ordovician)



Dalmanella sp. (Ord.-Sil.)

Dalmanella sp. (Ordovician-Silurian)



Brachiopoda



Phylum **Brachiopoda** (Cambrian-Recent)

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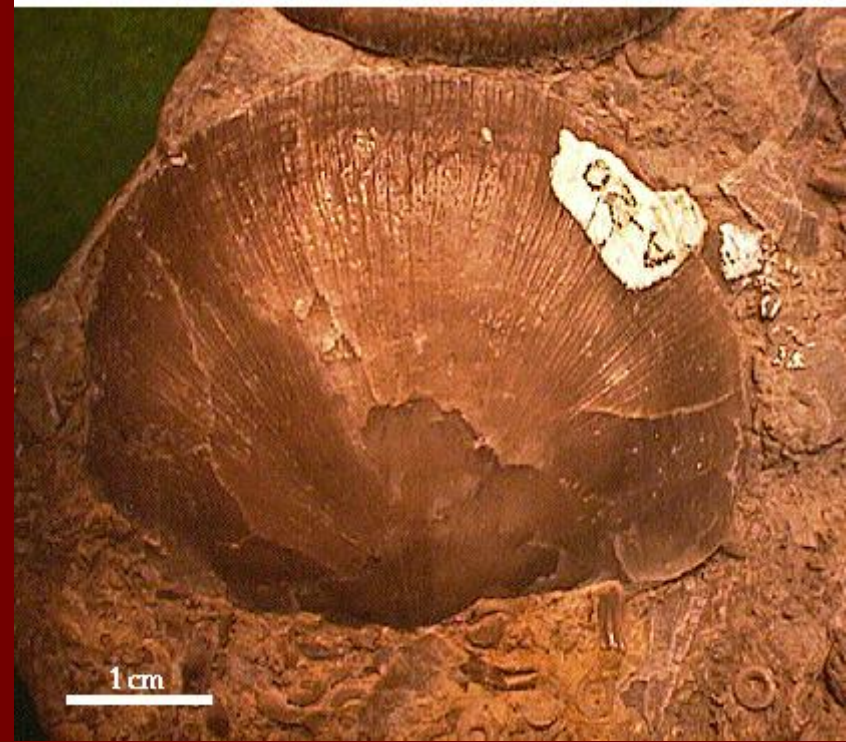
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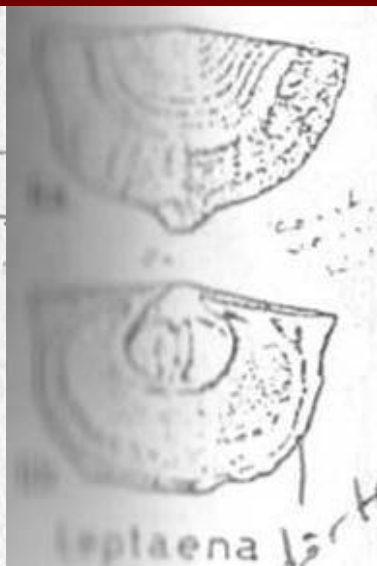
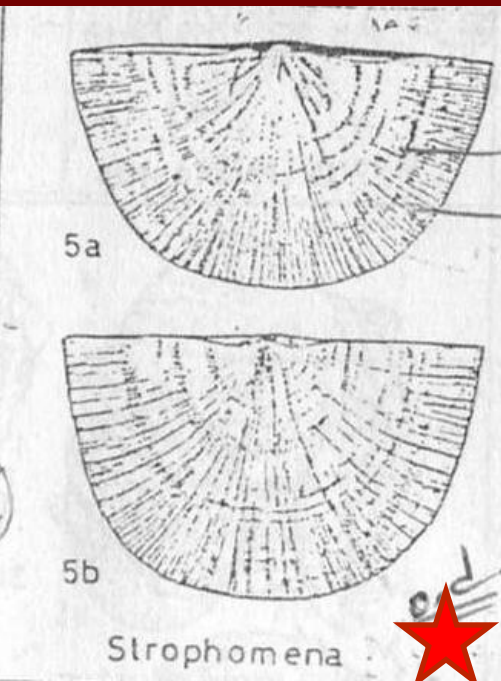
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Strophomena sp.
Ordovician

Leptaena sp.
Ord.-Dev.



STROPHOMENIDA



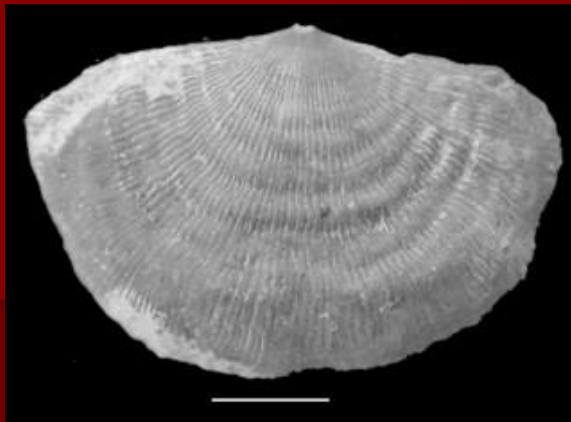
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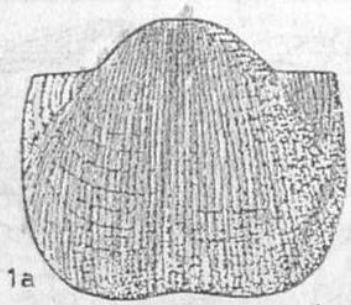
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Lepteana sp. Ordovician-Devonian

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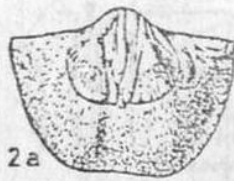


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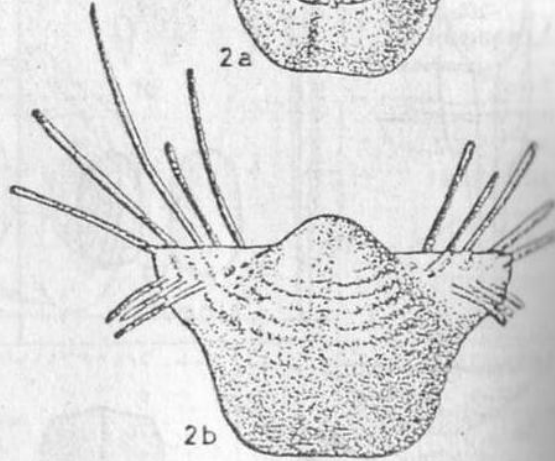


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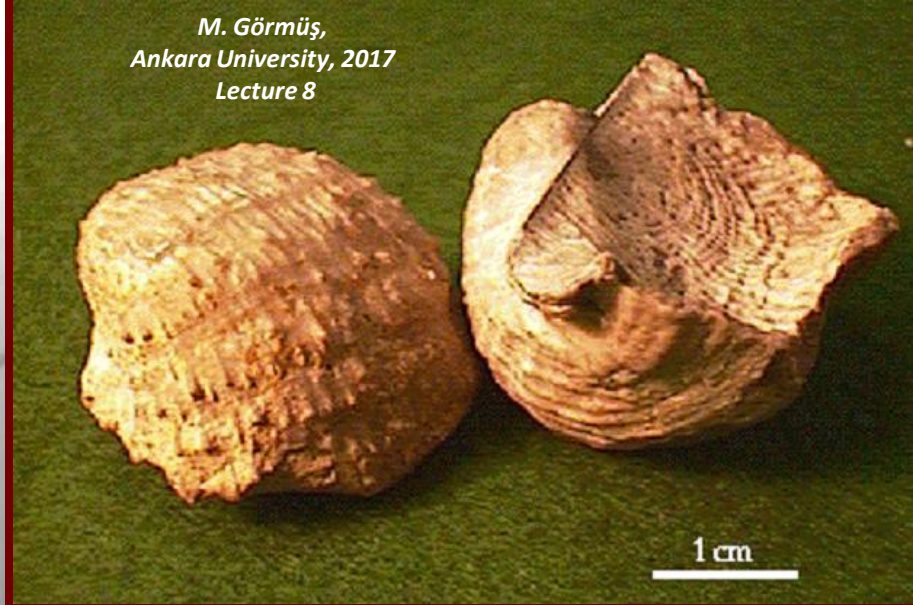


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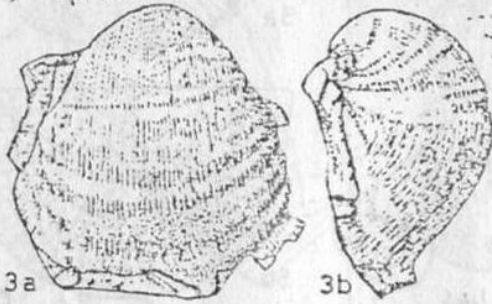
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Horridonia



1 cm

Suborder: Productidina



3a



3b

Linoproductus



4a



4b



4c

Gypidula



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Gigantoproductus

Phylum **Brachiopoda** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Inarticulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Articulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Order **Orthida** (Cambrian-Permian)



Order **Strophomenida** (Ordovician-Jurassic)

Order **Pentamerida** (Cambrian-Devonian)

Order **Rhynchonellida** (Ordovician-Recent)

Order **Spiriferida** (Ordovician-Jurassic)

Order **Terebratulida** (Devonian-Recent)

Dictyoclostus sp. Early Carboniferous



Brachiopoda

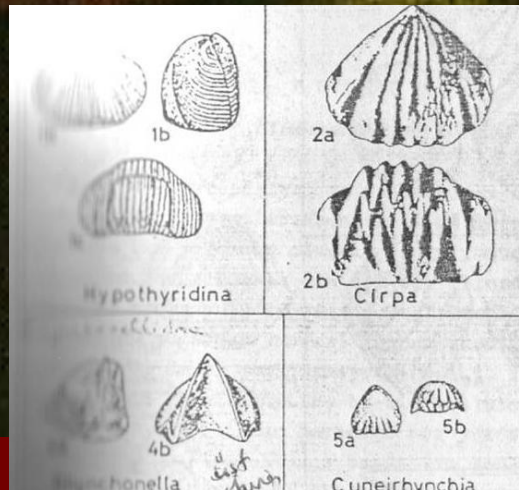


RHYNCHONELLIDA

Rhynchonella sp. (Late Jurassic)



1 cm



Phylum **Brachiopoda** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Inarticulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Articulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Order **Orthida** (Cambrian-Permian)

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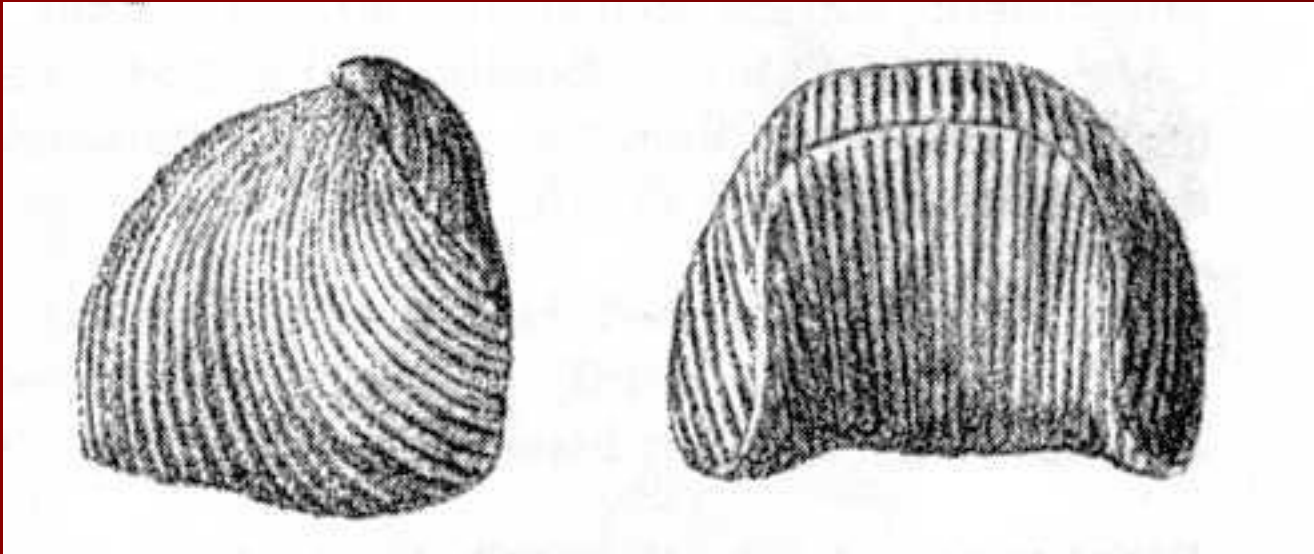
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Hypothyridina sp. Devonian

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Cirpa sp. Early Jurassic



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Class **Inarticulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Articulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Order **Orthida** (Cambrian-Permian)

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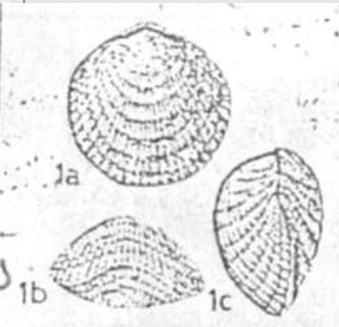
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1 cm

Alt ordo: Atrypidina
Atrypa (Alt Sil.-Üst Dev.)



Atrypa sp. Silurian-Devonian

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Suborder: Spiriferidina

Euryspirifer (Dev.)

Cyrtospirifer (Dev.-Carb.)

Spirifer (Carb.)

Spiriferina (Trias- Early Juras.)



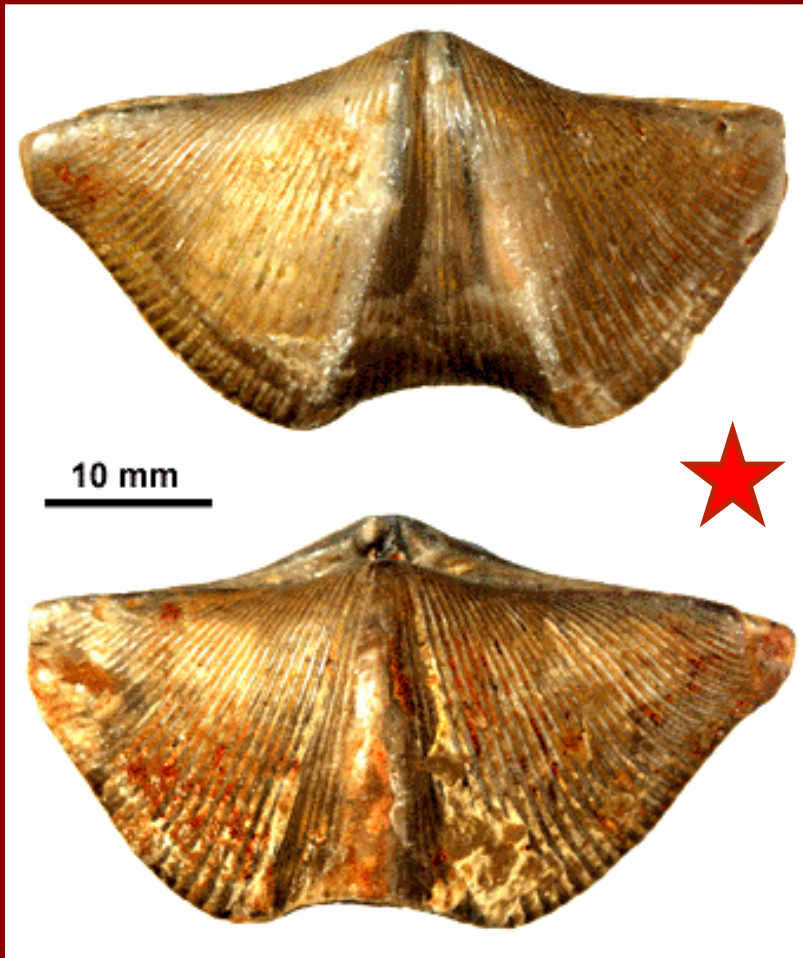
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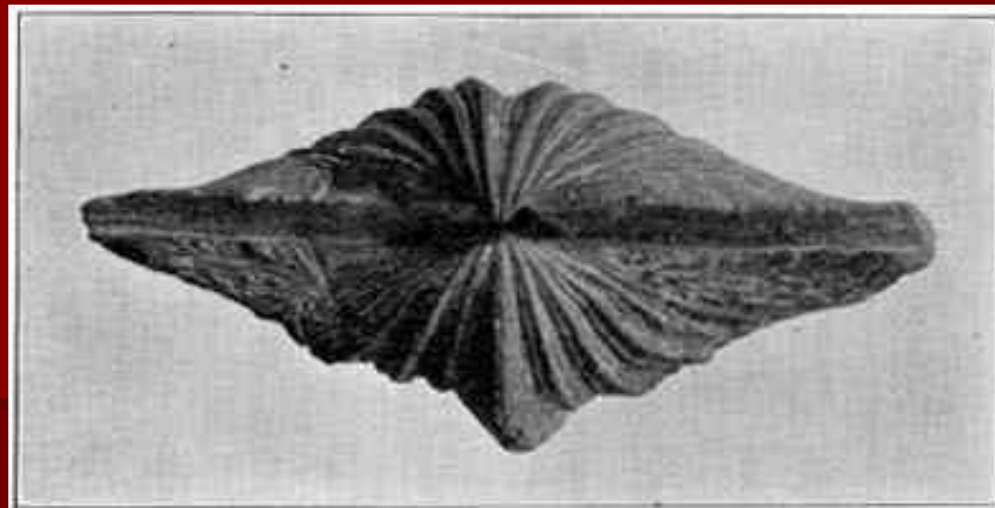
Cyrtospirifer sp. Devonian-Carboniferous

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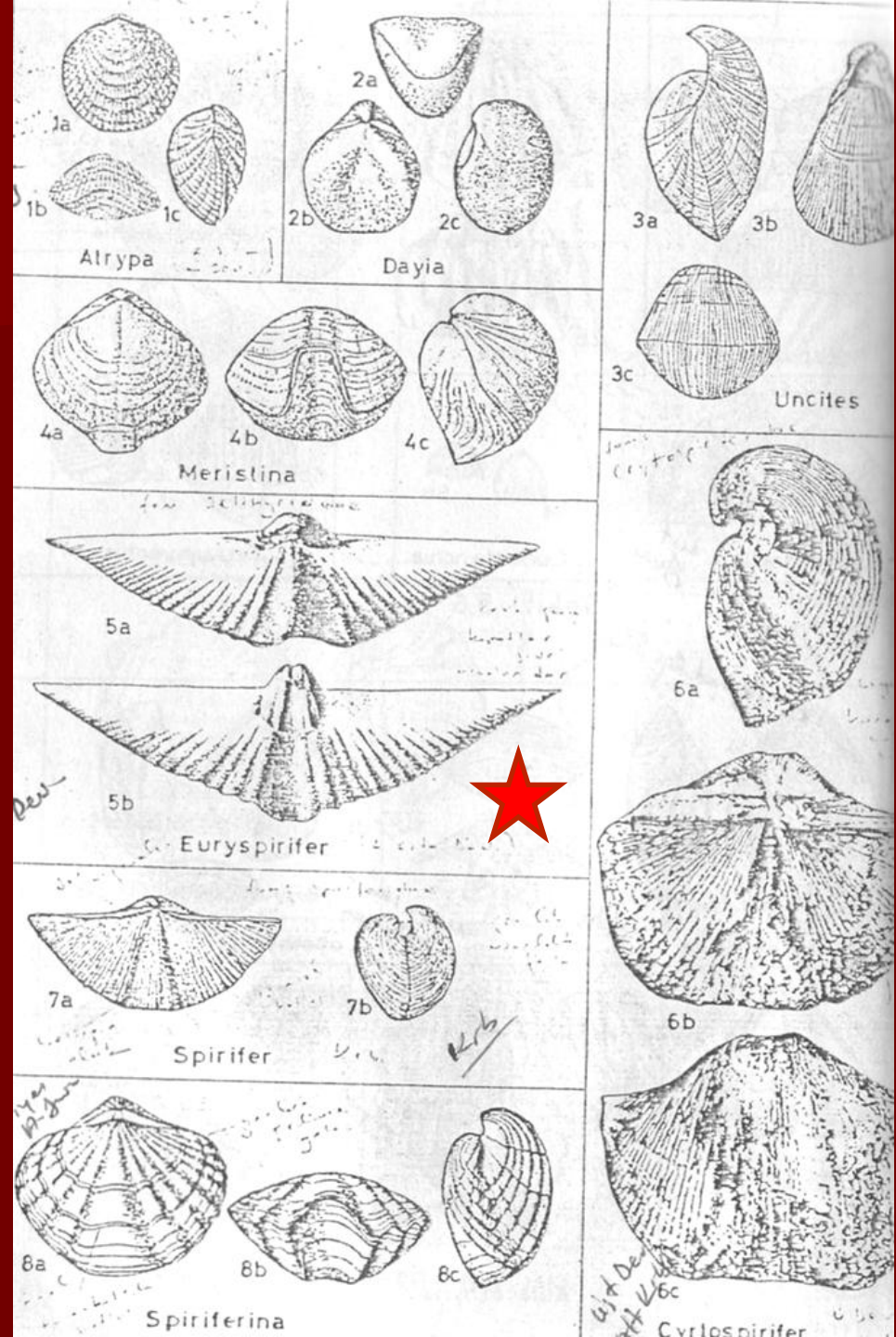


Spiriferina sp. Triassic-Early Jurassic

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Brachiopoda



Terebratula sp.
(Miocene-
Pliocene)

Phylum **Brachiopoda** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Inarticulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Class **Articulata** (Cambrian-Recent)

Order **Orthida** (Cambrian-Permian)

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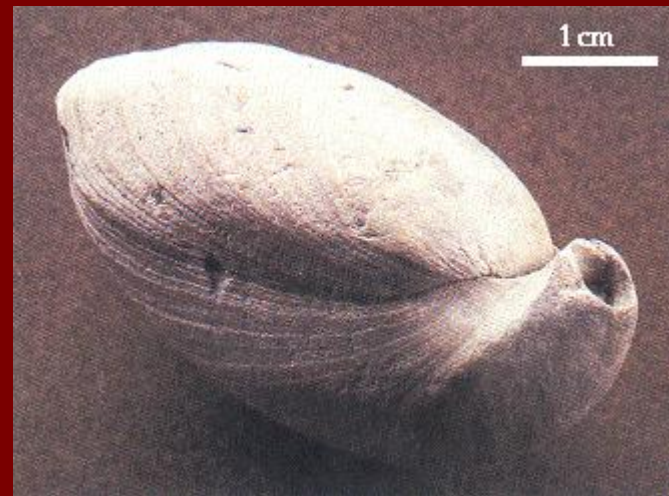
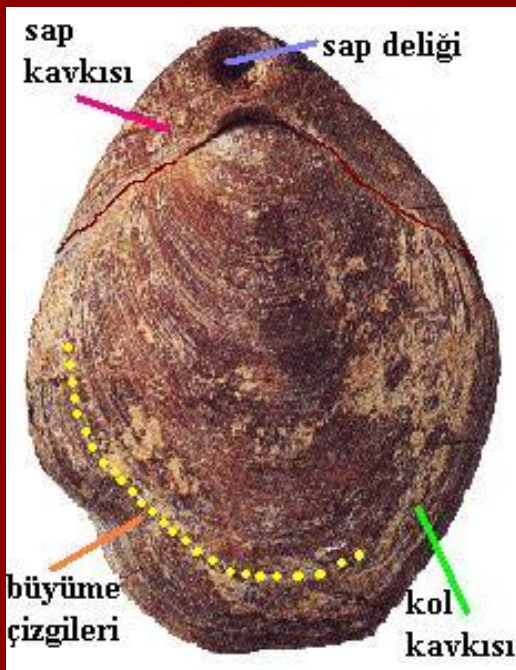
Order **Terebratulida** (Devonian-Recent)



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Terebratula sp. Miocene-Pliocene

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Lobothyris sp. Early-Middle Jurassic

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Limestones with rich brachiopods



Limestone with rich brachiopods



Linoproductus

Limestone with rich brachiopods



Aulacothyris anatolica

Limestone with rich brachiopods



Tetrarhynchia tetrahedra

Brachiopods within thin sections

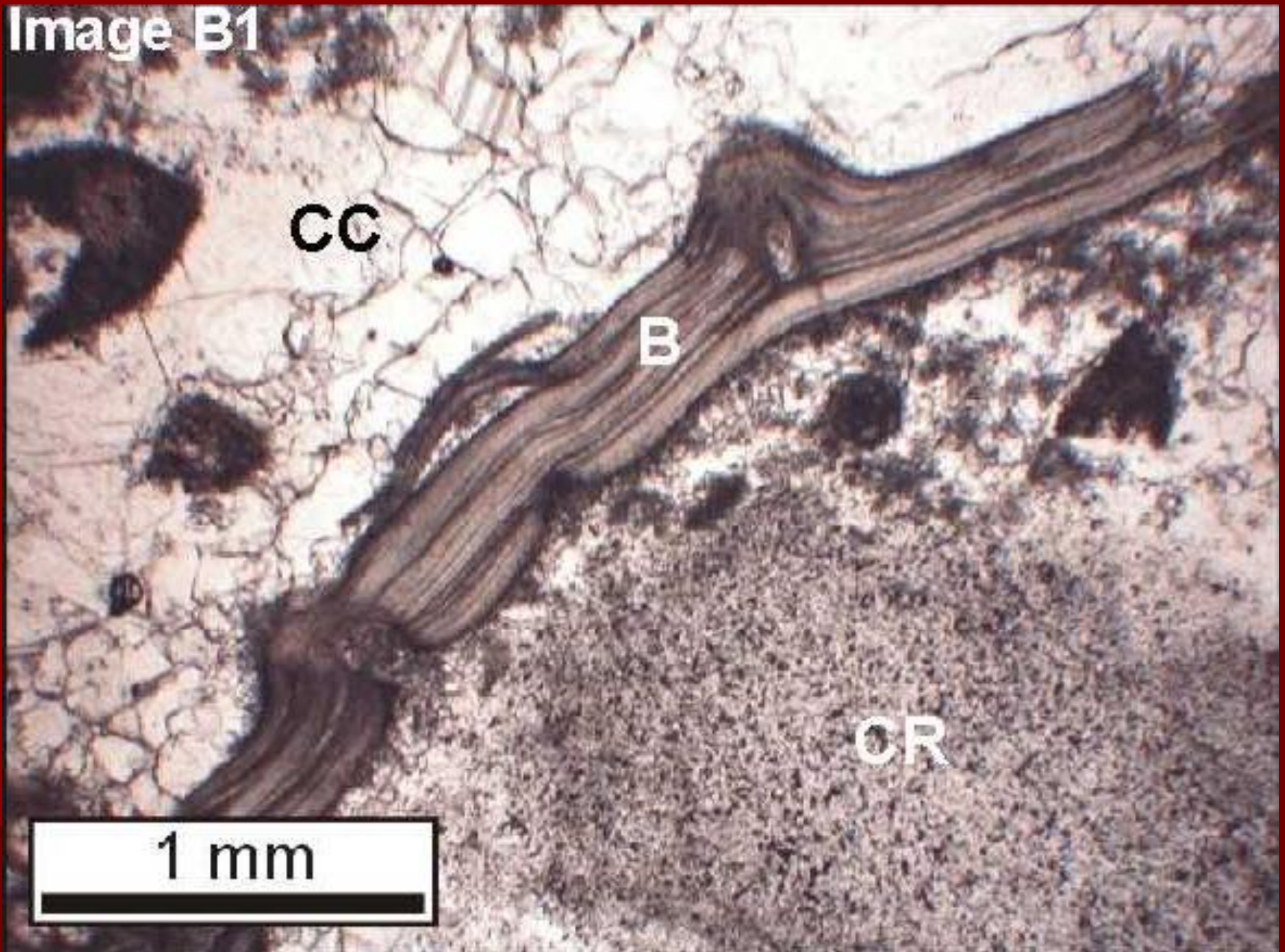
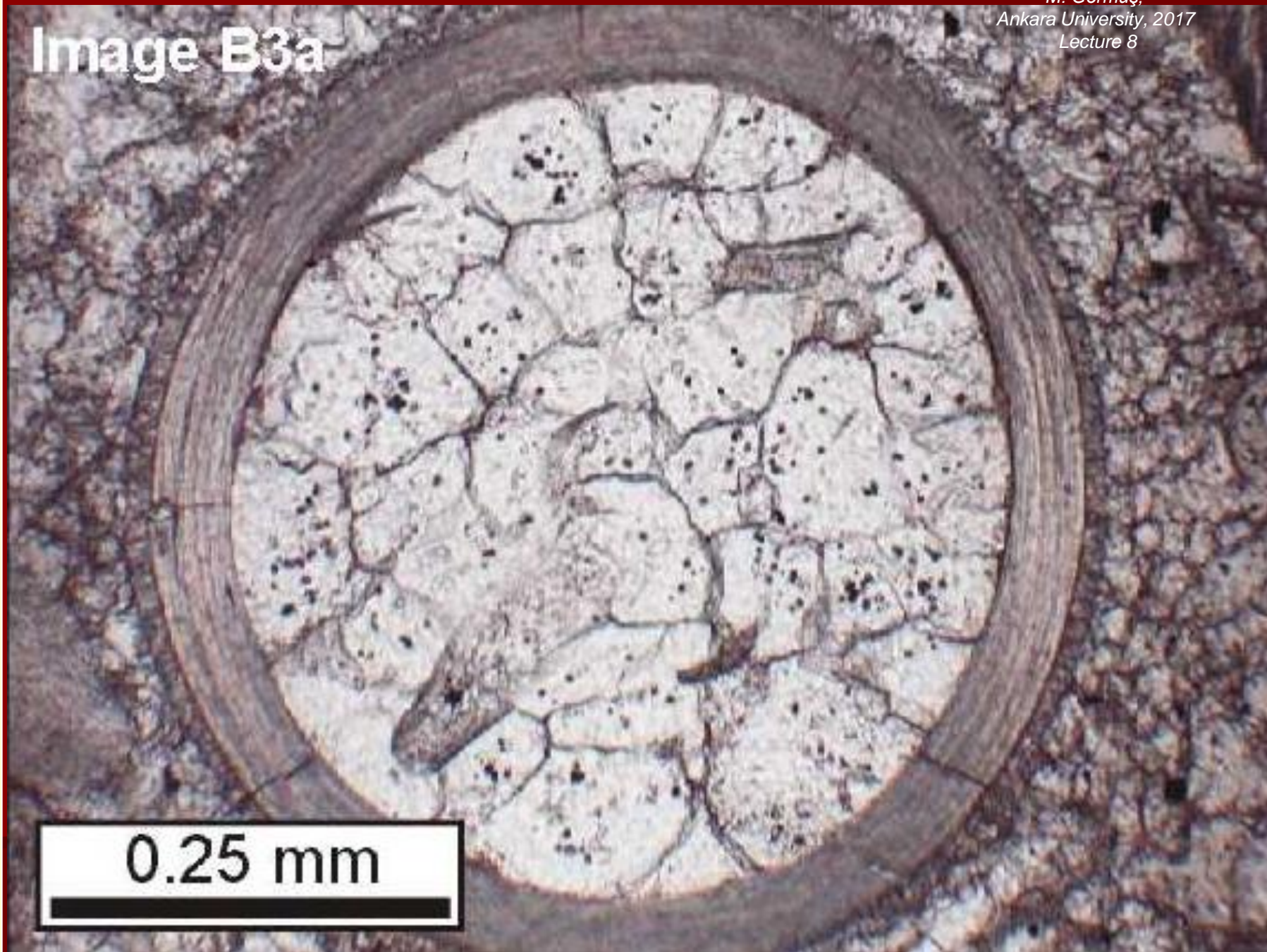


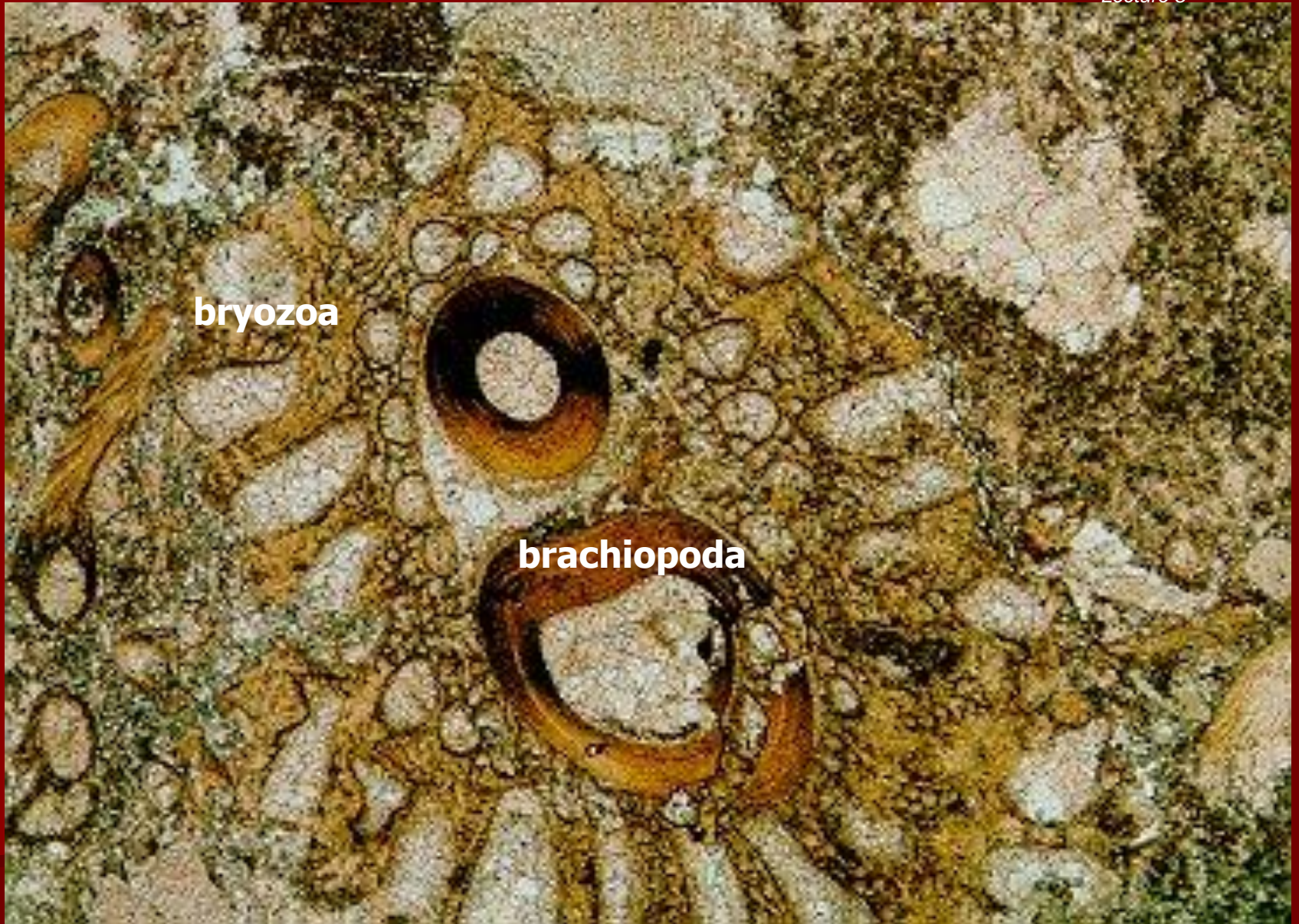
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Brachiopods within thin sections



0.25 mm

Brachiopods within thin sections



Homework 8

Please get a stratigraphical range chart of the genera of Bryzoa and Brachiopoda phylums mentioned in the Lecture 8.