**Chiphragmalithus acanthodes** Bramlette & Sullivan, 1961

**Description:**

Specimens elliptical, height of rim equal to about one-quarter the greatest diameter, rim flaring distally, with the periphery in most specimens showing well-developed barbs hooking sinistrally in distal view. Central opening transversely spanned by septa forming an X-shaped structure. Septa higher than the rim, especially toward the center, and show through the rim conspicuously in side view. Length 9–13 μ.

**Remarks:**

Specimens that are typical of this species except for a higher and more flaring rim resemble *Chiphragmalithus cristatus* and indicate development into that species.
Type level:
Middle Eocene.

Distribution: Locally present in Units 4 and 5 (Middle Eocene). Occurs in the Tyus member of the Weches Formation (Middle Eocene) of Sabine River, Texas, and in the Middle Eocene of the Carrière de Nousse, in southwestern France.

Type locality:
Lodo section, northwestern Fresno County, central California, U.S.A.

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Author:
Bramlette M. N. and Sullivan F. R., 1961, p. 156; pl. 10, figs. 1 a, b, 2–6.

Reference: