Holodiscolithus fabaceus Bown & Dunkley Jones (2006)

**Derivation of name:** From *fabaceus*, meaning ‘like a bean’, referring to the general appearance of this holococcolith.

**Diagnosis:** A small, elliptical, closed holococcolith with a longitudinal suture and low birefringence in XPL.

**Dimensions:** L = 3.6-4.5μm.

**Holotype:** Pl. 3, fig.31.

**Paratype:** Pl. 3, fig.32 (figs 33, 34 same specimen).

**Type locality:** TDP Site 11, Pande, Tanzania.

**Type level:** Lower Oligocene, Sample TDP11/15-1, 24cm (Zone NP21).

**Occurrence:** NP21; TDP Site 11.