Microstaurus lindensis Black, 1971

Fig. 1 — Microstaurus lindensis n. sp. Sutterby Marl, Alford, Lines. Holotype: H.599/18613. Distal view. x 6000.

Description:

A species of Microstaurus with strongly curved, sickle-shaped sutures in the distal shield.

Size: Distal shield 6.2 × 5.2 μ to 7.2 × 6.2 μ, 28-34 rays; central opening 2.2 × 1.6 μ to 3.0 × 1.8 μ; proximal shield about 1.0 μ smaller than the distal. Specimens measured, 12.

Remarks:

This species resembles M. quadratus in all respects except the structure of the distal shield, which is quite distinct and not entirely typical of the family.

Type level:

Aptian.

Type locality:


Depository:


Author:

Black M., 1971, p. 405; pl. 32, fig. 1.

Reference: