

**Ramsaya** RISATTI, 1973

**Description:**

Elliptical forms containing two perforations lying in the major axis. The genus is distinguished by having an outer row of elements enclosing the oval central area in which the openings are found. The crystal orientation of the elements differs between the rim and central area; in phase contrast illumination the rim is light against the background while the inner area is dark.

**Remarks:**

This genus is similar to the Campanian genus *Bipodorhabdus* erected by Noël.

**Type species:**

*Ramsaya swanseana* RISATTI, 1973.

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Risatti J.B., 1973, p. 31.

**Reference:**

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