Ramsaya swanseana Risatti, 1973

**Description:**

Diagnosis: Elongate ellipse, containing an outer rim consisting of medium sized elements and a central area containing two perforations.

Description: Elliptical in outline with a wide outer rim consisting of 12-14 elements. The oval inner area contains two perforations lying in the major axis. Characteristically, the outer rim in phase contrast illumination is lighter than the background while the central area is darker.

Dimensions: About 5.0 μ.

**Remarks:**

This species is similar to Bipodorhabdus tesselatus Noël, (1970) but differs from B. tesselatus by having fewer outer rim elements, a more elongate outline and a rather flat construction.

**Type level:**

Upper Cretaceous.

Occurrence: Samples 240 or 244 from the Ripley Formation of the Rock Hill section and samples 183 and 186 from the Ripley of the Chapel Hill section.

**Type locality:**

Mississippi, U.S.A.

** Depository:**

Mississippi State University, Geology Department.

Holotype: No. M.S.U. 2117.

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Risatti J.B., 1973, p. 31; pl. 8, figs. 12-14.
Reference: