Thecatus varolii Lees (2007)

Derivation of name: After Dr. Osman Varol (Varol Research, Llandudno), seasoned calcareous nannofossil biostratigrapher and taxonomist.

Diagnosis: As for the genus. This species is small.

Holotype: Pl. 13, figs 46, 47.

Holotype dimensions: H = 3.08μm, W = 3.52μm.

Type locality: TDP15, Maghreda Swamp, NW of Kilwa Kivinje, coastal Tanzania.

Type level: TDP15/29-1, 10cm; UC6b, Early Turonian.

Occurrence: TDP15, Early Turonian (UC6b).