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STRATIGRAPHIC DRILLING REPORT - GSQ MUTTABURRA 1

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SUMMARY

GSQ Muttaburra 1 was drilled approximately 14 km south-southwest of Muttaburra township and three kilometres southwest of Warrandaroo homestead. The bore penetrated Middle Jurassic to Early Cretaceous and Early Permian to Triassic sedimentary rocks of the Eromanga and Galilee Basins respectively. Palynological age dating of Permian strata has proven to be essential in the selection of formation boundaries within the Galilee Basin sequence. No hydrocarbon shows were recorded in the bore. The bore terminated in the Jochmus Formation at a total depth of 1301.79m.

This record presents core analysis results, lithologic log and composite (graphic/wireline) log of GSQ Muttaburra 1.

Keywords. Stratigraphy; stratigraphic wells; geological logs; geophysical logs; biostratigraphy; palynology; formation tests; fluorescence; porosity; permeability; vitrinite reflectance; organic geochemistry; water analysis; Eromanga Basin; Galilee Basin; Permian; Triassic; Jurassic; Cretaceous; Queensland; Muttaburra; SF55-9 7852.

INTRODUCTION

The stratigraphic bore, GSQ Muttaburra 1, was drilled by the Department of Resource Industries during the period March to July, 1990 in the southwestern Koburra Trough of the Galilee Basin, central Queensland (Figure 1). The bore was sited approximately 14 km south-southwest of Muttaburra, on ESSO seismic line W80A-17, shotpoint 4150 (ESSO Exploration and Production Australia Inc., 1984). GSQ Muttaburra 1, the third bore in a program of Departmental stratigraphic drilling, provides a fully cored reference section of the Eromanga and Galilee Basin sequences in the Koburra Trough.

The primary objectives for drilling the stratigraphic bore GSQ Muttaburra 1 were:

- 1) to determine whether the Late Permian strata in the Muttaburra area are Bandanna Formation and Colinlea Sandstone correlatives of the Bowen Basin or the Betts

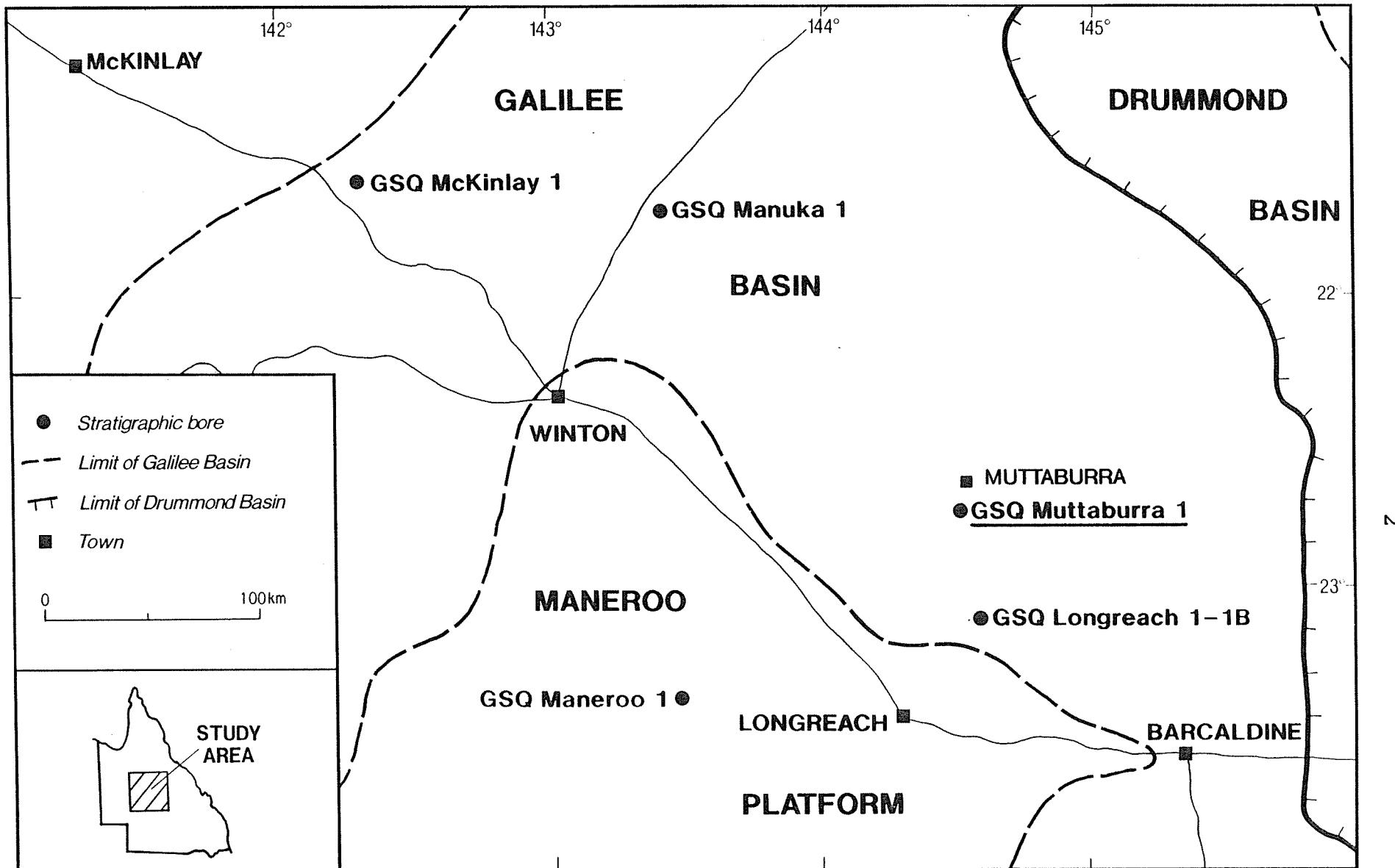


Figure 1: Locality map

Creek beds intersected in GSQ Hughenden 3-4R,

- 2) to determine the relationship between the Jochmus Formation and the Aramac Coal Measures,
- 3) to determine the presence or absence of Triassic sediments, and
- 4) to assess the hydrocarbon potential of the Eromanga and Galilee Basin sequences.

DRILLING DATA

The well history is summarised in Table 1.

GSQ Muttaburra 1 reached a total depth of 1301.79m. No appreciable core loss was encountered during the course of drilling. The progress of drilling GSQ Muttaburra 1, including drilling breaks, reaming, and fuel rationing (due to extensive flooding in April, 1990) is illustrated on Figure 2.

Digital wireline log data were acquired in the bore (Table 1) by staff of the Basin Studies Subprogram (presently the Petroleum and Coal Geology Section) using a Geosource T500 logging unit. Detailed lithologic logs are presented in Appendix 1 and a composite log is reproduced as Figure 3.

A well velocity survey was conducted by staff from the Geological Mapping Subprogram. The results of this survey are reported separately (Dixon, 1991).

On completion of drilling and downhole operations, aquifers were cemented off in accordance with Water Resources Commission (1990) specifications and the bore plugged and abandoned.

STRATIGRAPHY

The stratigraphic nomenclature used in this report for the Galilee Basin sequence follows that of Gray & Swarbrick (1975) and Vine & others (1964). Senior, Mond & Harrison (1978) has been used for the Eromanga Basin sequence. A summary of the stratigraphic sequence intersected in GSQ Muttaburra 1 is given in Table 2.

Table 1: Well history - GSO Muttaburra 1

Location:	Lat. 22°43'13"S Long. 144°29'49"E) not yet surveyed
Elevation:	225m, approximate	
Drilling rig:	Failing 2500, operated by the Drilling Subprogram, Geological Survey Program, Department of Resource Industries, Queensland.	
Spudded:	March 16, 1990	
Completed:	July 12, 1990	
Drilling datum:	Ground level	
Total depth:	1301.79m	
Status:	Plugged & abandoned	
Coring:	Essentially continuous except for minor open-holed intervals as shown on lithologic log sheets (Appendix 1).	
Casing:	150mm to 133.35m 100mm to 449.30m 78mm to 671.80m	
Plugs:	0 - 50m (approx.) 590 - 655m 773 - 891m	
Drill stem test intervals:	1: 587.33 - 641.03m 2: 723.53 - 764.88m 3: 783.53 - 858.08m	
Wireline logging:	Gamma-ray : SP & resistivity : Caliper : Long & short spaced density : Sonic :	1.7 - 460.0m 423.9 - 668.1m 525.9 - 1301.8m 420.8 - 669.8m 657.7 - 1301.8m 394.1 - 668.6m 652.9 - 1301.8m 644.0 - 1299.6m
Bottom hole temperature:	80°C at 1300m	

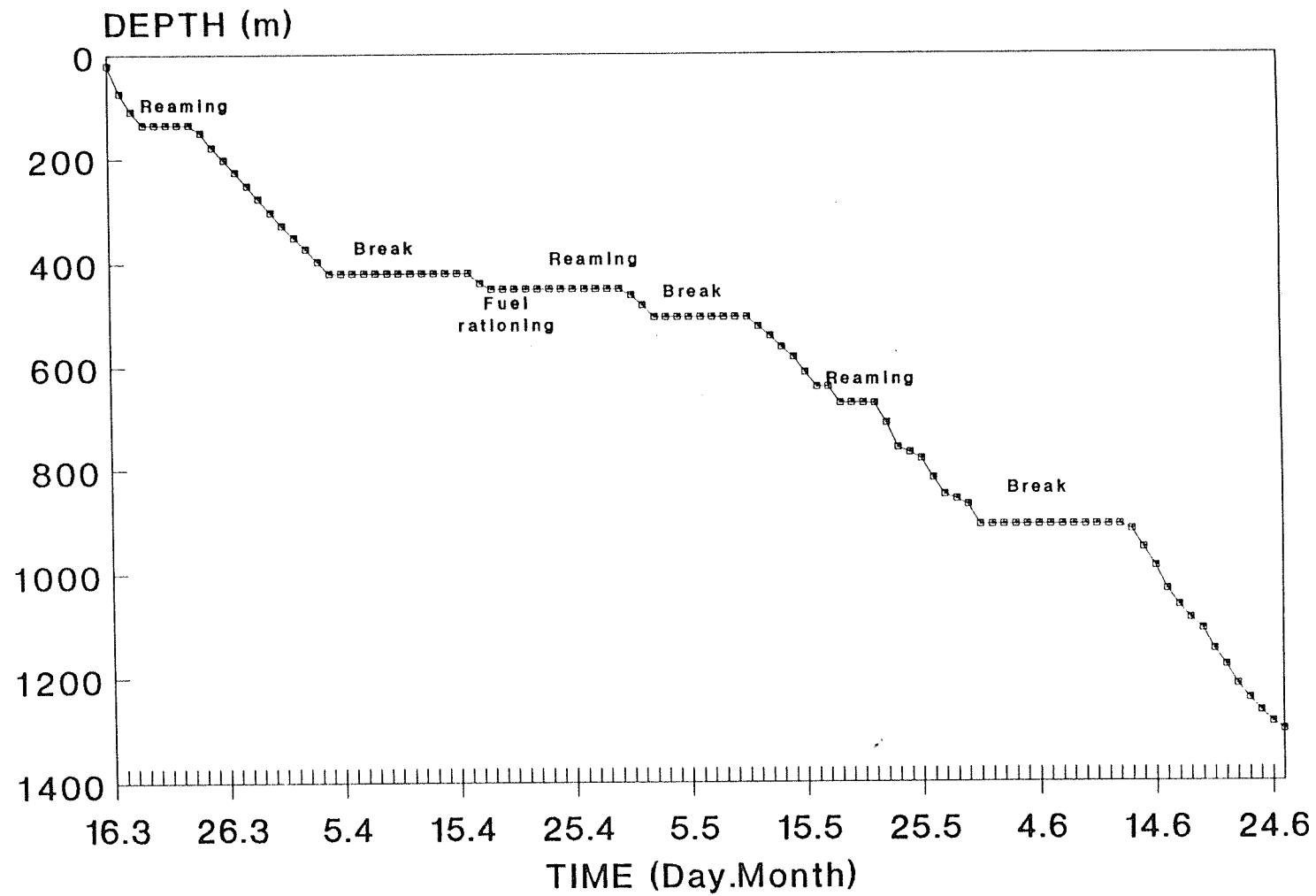


Figure 2: Drilling progress - GSQ Muttaburra 1.

Table 2: Preliminary stratigraphic subdivision - GSO Muttaburra 1

Structural unit	Age	Stratigraphic unit	Top (m)	Thickness (m)
Eromanga Basin	E.Cretaceous	Mackunda Formation	surface	>184.95
		Allaru Mudstone	184.95	223.29
		Toolebuc Formation	408.24	25.08
		Wallumbilla Formation	433.32	165.82
	L.Jurassic - E.Cretaceous	Hooray Sandstone	599.14	85.10
	L.Jurassic	Westbourne Formation	684.24	35.17
	M.- L.Jurassic	Adori Sandstone	719.41	11.55
	M.Jurassic	Birkhead Formation	730.96	78.87
	M.Jurassic	Hutton Sandstone	809.83	84.47
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Galilee Basin	Early Triassic	Rewan Formation	894.30	55.75
	Late Permian	Betts Creek beds	950.05	93.56
	Early Permian	Aramac Coal Measures	1043.61	168.75
	Early Permian	Jochmus Formation (upper)	1212.36	42.17
		Edie Tuff Member	1254.53	38.96
		Jochmus Formation (lower)	1293.49	> 8.30

GALILEE BASIN

The major findings in GSQ Muttaburra 1 with regard to the stratigraphy of the Galilee Basin are:

1. Late Permian strata generally referred to as Bowen Basin correlatives of the Bandanna Formation and Colinlea Sandstone are assigned to the Betts Creek beds,
2. a younger age (APP3) for the upper Aramac Coal Measures than previously reported has been determined,
3. the base of the Aramac Coal Measures is stratigraphically lower than that defined in the type section, and
4. the boundary between the Jochmus Formation and overlying Aramac Coal Measures reflects a change in sandstone composition.

Jochmus Formation

The Jochmus Formation was cored from 1212.36m to 1301.79 (total depth) in GSQ Muttaburra 1. The formation can be subdivided into three units; the upper Jochmus Formation (1212.36m - 1254.53m), the Edie Tuff Member (1254.53m - 1293.49m), and the lower Jochmus Formation (1293.49m - 1301.79m).

The upper and lower subdivisions of the Jochmus Formation comprise sandstone, siltstone and subordinate mudstone. Stacked fining upward sequences up to 13.9 metres in thickness are a common feature in both intervals. The sandstone is very fine to medium grained, light grey to light green, labile feldspathic and generally well sorted. The finer grained sandstones commonly have an argillaceous matrix and contain mica and trace amounts of an unidentified orange-brown mineral as grains. Siltstones are grey to light green, laminated to thinly bedded and are well sorted. The basal contacts with underlying sandstone beds are generally gradational. Mudstone is rare, grey to dark grey, carbonaceous and is restricted to the top of the upper subdivision.

The Edie Tuff Member of the Jochmus Formation comprises siltstone, sandstone, mudstone and tuff. The siltstone is grey, light green and red, commonly siliceous, tuffaceous in part and well sorted. The sandstone is very fine to fine grained, rarely medium grained, light grey, labile feldspathic, well sorted and has an argillaceous matrix. Mica is present as a minor constituent in most of the siltstones and sandstones. The mudstone is mottled grey and red, dark grey, grey-green and tuffaceous. Red zeolites are common in the mudstones and siltstones, particularly towards the top and bottom of the unit. Tuffs are cream and red and restricted to the upper part of the unit.

The Edie Tuff Member has generally higher and lower gamma-ray and

resistivity log values respectively than the upper and lower subdivisions of the Jochmus Formation. The thickness of the Edie Tuff Member (38.96m) in the bore is considerably less than that defined by Gray & Swarbrick (1975) in ENL Lake Galilee 1 (132m). Green & others (1991) reported the thickness of the Edie Tuff Member in GSQ Longreach 1-1B to be 19.50m which is less than that in GSQ Muttburra 1.

The top of the Edie Tuff Member is placed at the upper limit of the red, grey-green and cream coloured mudstones and tuffs, above which light grey to light green sandstones of the upper Jochmus Formation are the dominant lithologies.

In GSQ Muttburra 1, the top of the Jochmus Formation is placed approximately 42 metres above the top of the Edie Tuff Member. This boundary corresponds to the upper limit of a siltstone and mudstone interval within the Jochmus Formation. Sandstones above this interval are more quartzose (sub-labile) than the labile feldspathic sandstones below the interval.

Aramac Coal Measures

Strata considered to belong to the Aramac Coal Measures were cored over the interval 1043.61m to 1212.36m and conformably overlie the Jochmus Formation.

In GSQ Muttburra 1, the Aramac Coal Measures can be subdivided into two units; an upper coal-bearing unit (1043.61 - 1117.95m) and a lower sandstone dominated unit (1117.95 - 1212.36m). A similar informal subdivision of the Aramac Coal Measures was identified by Green & others (1991) in GSQ Longreach 1-1B.

The lower subdivision of the Aramac Coal Measures comprises dominantly sandstone, with subordinate siltstone, mudstone and coal. The sandstone is very fine to medium grained, light grey and well sorted. Sandstone composition is generally sub-labile, however quartz content is slightly greater towards the top of the subdivision. The sandstones have an argillaceous matrix, are micaceous, and generally medium to thickly bedded. The siltstones are grey, laminated, and in part contain sandstone filled burrows and rooted horizons. The mudstone is dark grey to black, carbonaceous and, in part, bioturbated. The coals are dull with few bright bands and comprise less than one percent of the total thickness (94.41m) of the unit.

The upper subdivision of the Aramac Coal Measures comprises sandstone, siltstone, conglomerate, mudstone and coal. The sandstone is very fine to medium grained, light grey, quartzose to sub-labile, generally thin to medium bedded and well sorted. The sandstone has an argillaceous matrix and commonly contains mica as a minor constituent. The siltstone is grey to dark grey, well sorted and often interlaminated to thinly bedded with very fine grained sandstone. Conglomerates are light grey and multi-

coloured, granular to pebble sized and contain well rounded sedimentary and igneous fragments in part. Sorting commonly has a bimodal distribution. Mudstone is dark grey, dark brown and black, and is tuffaceous and carbonaceous in part. The coals are generally dull to inferior. Tuffaceous argillaceous sediments are associated with some of the coal seams in the interval 1092.62m to 1108.31m.

In GSQ Longreach 1-1B (Green & others, 1991), coal seams are better developed within the Aramac Coal Measures than in GSQ Muttaburra 1. In GSQ Muttaburra 1, a total of 8 coal seams greater than 0.30m in thickness average 0.76m in the upper subdivision of the Aramac Coal Measures compared with approximately 2.26m for 14 seams over a similar interval in GSQ Longreach 1-1B.

Palynological age dating of core samples taken from the upper Aramac Coal Measures indicates a late Early Permian age corresponding to Stage 4 of Evans (1969). Stage 4 or APP3 (Draper & others, 1990) sediments were not intersected in the type section of the Aramac Coal Measures as defined by Gray & Swarbrick (1975) in QDM Aramac 1.

Gray & Swarbrick (1975) defined the base of the Aramac Coal Measures "arbitrarily at the bottom of the lowest significant coal seam". According to their definition, the base of the Aramac Coal Measures in GSQ Muttaburra 1 would correspond to the base of the upper subdivision (1117.95m), and hence attain a thickness of 74.34m.

The top of the lower subdivision is taken at 1117.95m, which corresponds to the base of a 0.7 metre thick coal seam. It may be argued that this coal should belong in the lower subdivision as it completes a thick (8.2m) fining upwards cycle within the lower subdivision.

The top of the Aramac Coal Measures is difficult to pick solely on lithological grounds due to the similarity with the overlying coal bearing Betts Creek beds. Sandstones within the Aramac Coal Measures are generally finer grained and have marginally higher gamma-ray and lower resistivity log responses than those of the overlying Betts Creek beds. These boundary criteria agree with those defined by Gray & Swarbrick (1975) for the boundary between the Aramac Coal Measures and the Late Permian sediments in QDM Aramac 1.

Betts Creek beds

Late Permian strata cored over the interval 950.05m to 1043.61m are lithologically similar to the Betts Creek beds (Vine & others, 1964) as described by Gray (1977) in the Hughenden area. On the basis of this similarity and subsurface wireline log correlations (P.Hawkins, personal communication, 1991) the name

Betts Creek beds is used in preference to the Bandanna Formation/Colinlea Sandstone correlative.

In GSQ Muttaburra 1, the Betts Creek beds comprise sandstone, siltstone and coal. The sandstone is very fine to coarse grained, light grey, and quartzose to sub-labile. The finer grained sandstones are laminated to medium bedded whereas the coarser sandstones are generally thickly bedded and have sharp or erosional basal contacts. Sandstones are partly micaceous and generally have a white argillaceous matrix. Siltstone is grey and in part displays a rooted horizon immediately below some coal seams. The coal is generally dull in lustre with few to rare bright bands and in part inferior.

The fluvial Betts Creek beds essentially contain a series of stacked fining-upwards cycles. These cycles grade from medium to very coarse grained, light grey, thickly bedded, quartzose sandstone into very fine to fine grained, interlaminated to thinly bedded, quartzose to sub-labile sandstone and grey siltstone and commonly into an inferior or dull coal with few bright bands.

Seismically, the 'P' horizon is often considered to represent the top of the uppermost Permian coal. In GSQ Muttaburra 1, this 'P' horizon would relate to the near top of the Betts Creek beds. The lithostratigraphic top of the Betts Creek Beds selected in GSQ Muttaburra 1 occurs 14.05m above the top of the uppermost Permian coal at 964.10m. Elsewhere in the Galilee Basin, this seismic horizon may represent the Aramac Coal Measures in the absence of younger Permian strata.

The top of the Betts Creek beds is placed at the top of the uppermost grey siltstone, above which a slight green/cream colouration is observed in the core of the overlying Triassic sediments. The Betts Creek beds display lower gamma-ray and higher resistivity log responses than the sediments of the Rewan Formation.

Rewan Formation

The Triassic sediments intersected in GSQ Muttaburra 1 between 894.30m and 950.05m are assigned to the Rewan Formation. Palynological age dating of a sample taken at 936.76m indicates an Early Triassic (APT1) age. Red mudstones were not encountered in the Rewan Formation drilled in GSQ Muttaburra 1, and are rarely seen in the subsurface (Casey, 1970).

The Rewan Formation dominantly comprises sandstone and siltstone. The sandstone is light grey to cream in colour, very fine to very coarse grained, quartzose in composition with a kaolinitic matrix. Angular grey siltstone clasts and coarse grained sideritic nodules are common in some of the fine grained sandstones. Coarser grained sandstones are poorly sorted and

grade to conglomerate in part. Siltstones are grey to light green and laminated.

The top of the Rewan Formation intersected in GSQ Muttaburra 1 is placed at 894.30m. This depth corresponds to a marked increase in gamma-ray (GR) log values and a lowering of the resistivity (RES) log baseline in comparison to those of the Hutton Sandstone (Fig. 3). Lithologically, the basal 13.5m of Hutton Sandstone sediments appears very similar to those in the upper part of the Rewan Formation, however, the sandstones assigned to the Rewan Formation are generally finer grained.

EROMANGA BASIN

Hutton Sandstone

The Hutton Sandstone was cored over the interval 809.83m to 894.30m and unconformably overlies Triassic sedimentary rocks of the Galilee Basin sequence in GSQ Muttaburra 1.

The formation comprises dominantly sandstone and conglomerate with subordinate siltstone. The sandstone is fine to very coarse grained, light grey, quartzose, porous and is generally thickly bedded with small to medium scale cross-beds in part. Garnet is a common minor constituent. The conglomerate is light grey, quartzose, generally granular and in part pebble sized, very porous and fair to poorly sorted. The siltstones are grey and are commonly interlaminated with very fine grained light grey sandstone.

Light grey to cream sandstones from 880.77m to the base of the Hutton Sandstone exhibit greater similarity to those drilled in the Rewan Formation and may be the product of reworking of the underlying Triassic sediments. Typical sandstones within the Hutton Sandstone are light grey in colour. In addition, there is a noticeable absence in the core of any plant matter over this interval.

The top of the formation is placed where the composition of the sandstones becomes more labile than the dominantly quartzose composition of the Hutton Sandstone.

Birkhead Formation

The Birkhead Formation was cored between 730.96m and 809.83m and conformably overlies the Hutton Sandstone.

The dominant rock type encountered in the Birkhead Formation is a fine to medium grained, light grey, quartzose to sub-lablie sandstone with an argillaceous matrix. It is generally well sorted and bedding is commonly massive with small and medium

scale cross-beds in part. Minor grey siltstone is laminated to thinly bedded, and generally, where associated with light grey, very fine grained sandstone, is interlaminated. The siltstone contains numerous plant remains on bedding surfaces, and in part contains rooted horizons.

The top of the Birkhead Formation is placed at the top of a grey, rooted siltstone and very fine grained light grey sandstone interval.

Adori Sandstone

The Adori Sandstone was cored between 719.41m and 730.96m and rests conformably on the Birkhead Formation.

The formation comprises light grey, quartzose, generally well sorted sandstone with an argillaceous matrix. The unit generally fines upwards from a medium grained, medium bedded sandstone with a sharp basal contact to a fine grained, thin to medium bedded sandstone and finally to a very fine grained, laminated to thin bedded micaceous sandstone with minor grey siltstone. The porosity of the formation is generally poor due to the argillaceous matrix.

The top of the Adori Sandstone is placed at the boundary between the very fine grained sandstone and siltstone interval and a churned, interlaminated silty sandstone and mudstone interval which is assigned to the overlying Westbourne Formation.

Westbourne Formation

The Westbourne Formation was cored over the interval 684.24m to 719.41m and conformably overlies the Adori Sandstone.

The formation comprises approximately equal proportions of dark grey interlaminated to thinly bedded mudstone and light grey silty sandstone. Wavy and graded bedding is common. Scours at the base of the graded beds are common and soft sediment deformation and associated microfaulting is evident in part. Mica is present as a minor constituent and is generally in the finer grained sediments.

The top of the Westbourne Formation is placed at the sharp contact between the fine grained sediments of the Westbourne Formation and a medium grained sandstone interval of the overlying Hooray Sandstone. This boundary is evident on wireline logs as a significant reduction and increase in gamma-ray and resistivity log values respectively above the boundary.

Hooray Sandstone

The Hooray Sandstone was cored between 599.14m and 684.24m

The formation comprises dominantly sandstone and conglomerate with lesser amounts of siltstone and mudstone. Sandstone is very fine to medium grained, light grey, quartzose, fair to well sorted, and generally thin to medium bedded with common small scale cross-beds in part. The finer grained sandstones commonly have an argillaceous matrix and are micaceous in part. The conglomerate is granular to pebble sized and porous. Siltstone is grey, laminated to thin bedded and generally contains rootlets. Rare mudstone is dark grey and in part carbonaceous. Porosity of the unit is excellent towards the top, elsewhere it is moderate to poor.

The top of the Hooray Sandstone is taken at the boundary between the porous, medium bedded, quartzose sandstone and the mudstone and churned sandstone interval of the overlying Wallumbilla Formation.

Lithological characteristics and the typical "bell" shaped gamma-ray log pattern of the Cadna-owie Formation were not observed in the Early Cretaceous sediments drilled in the bore. Therefore, the dominantly clastic interval intersected below the Wallumbilla Formation is interpreted to be the Hooray Sandstone.

Wallumbilla Formation

The Wallumbilla Formation was cored over the interval 433.32m to 599.14m and is probably conformable on the underlying Hooray Sandstone.

The formation consists mainly of mudstone and siltstone with very minor sandstone. The mudstone is dark grey, laminated and is well sorted. The siltstone is grey, sandy and glauconitic in part, and commonly interlaminated to thinly bedded with mudstone. Pyrite, although rare, is present as nodules and lenses. Graded bedding and soft sediment deformation are common features in the interlaminated to thin bedded mudstone and siltstone intervals.

The top of the Wallumbilla Formation is interpreted from drill core to be at 433.32m, which corresponds to the lower boundary of the typical "positive gamma-ray log anomaly" (Senior & others, 1975) of the Toolebuc Formation (Fig. 3, Appendix 1).

Toolebuc Formation

The Toolebuc Formation was cored between 408.24m and 433.32m and conformably overlies the Wallumbilla Formation.

The formation essentially consists of a dark grey to black,

laminated mudstone which contains Inoceramus and unidentified shell fragments. The relative abundance of shell fragments gradually decreases towards the top of the unit. Delineation of the formation is obvious on wireline logs by its marked increase in gamma-ray log values in comparison to the bounding formations.

The top of the Toolebuc Formation is difficult to detect in core from the overlying Allaru Mudstone as the core was badly fretted. The gamma-ray log response has been used to determine the upper limit of the Toolebuc Formation at 408.24m in GSQ Muttaburra 1.

Allaru Mudstone

The Allaru Mudstone was cored between 184.94m and 408.24m and conformably overlies the Toolebuc Formation.

The formation comprises almost entirely silty mudstone which is grey to light green, and in parts dark grey, laminated and well sorted. In the lower 45m, the unit is laminated to thinly bedded. Hard, light brown carbonate bands occurring as thin beds contain variable proportions of calcium and iron as evident from differing reaction rates on application of dilute hydrochloric acid. Cone-in-cone limestone is present but rare. Rare shell fragments occur throughout most of the unit. Soft sediment deformation is present in the upper 23m of the formation.

The top of the Allaru Mudstone is placed at the base of the first appearance of graded bedding in the laminated to thinly bedded siltstone and mudstone of the overlying Mackunda Formation. The boundary between the Allaru Mudstone and Mackunda Formation is gradational and there is no obvious change in character of the gamma-ray log over the interval.

Mackunda Formation

The Mackunda Formation was drilled from surface to 184.95m and conformably overlies the Allaru Mudstone. The interval from surface to 6m was open holed, the remainder of the formation was fully cored.

The interval 6m to 23.67m was weathered and comprised mottled light brown and grey, very fine grained, laminated to thinly bedded sub-labile sandstone and mudstone with rare shell fragments in the lower half of the interval. Below the weathered zone, the formation comprises light grey, grey and light green, sub-labile to labile sandstone, sandy siltstone, siltstone and mudstone.

Graded bedding, soft sediment deformation and erosive structures are common throughout most of the formation. Shell fragments are generally rare, but are more abundant towards the base of the formation.

PALYNOSTRATIGRAPHY

Twenty-eight samples from GSQ Muttaburra 1 were examined for palynomorphs in order to determine the biostratigraphy of the sequence penetrated. Seven of these were barren and the remainder yielded the palynofloras documented in Appendices 2 and 3. These data, interpreted in terms of the spore-pollen and dinocyst zonal schemes of Price & others (1985), Price in Draper & others (1990), Filatoff & Price (1986, 1988), Morgan (1980), and Helby & others (1987), form the basis of the palynostratigraphic conclusions given below and summarised in Table 3.

GALILEE BASIN

A low-yield palynoflora recovered from a sample taken at 1241.32m in GSQ Muttaburra 1 contains Protohaploxylinus spp. in the absence of Microbaculispora tentula and Pseudoreticulatispora pseudoreticulata. A maximum unit APP1 age is favoured; and thus it is no older than Late Carboniferous-Early Permian assemblages from the Jericho and lower Jochmus Formations (Price & others, 1985).

P. pseudoreticulata, in the absence of Granulatisporites trisinus, occurs as a minor component of the palynoflora at 1216.91m, together with moderately common disaccate pollen and Marsupipollenites triradiatus/striatus. Other noteworthy species include Apiculatisporis cornutus, Verrucosporites andersonii, and Diatomozonotriletes townrowii. Assignment to unit APP2.1 is suggested, indicating an Early Permian age and correlation with the interval encompassing the mid-upper Jochmus Formation and the lowermost Aramac Coal Measures.

Disaccate pollen, lycopod spores, and M. triradiatus/striatus are conspicuous elements of the Early Permian palynoflora at 1193.62m. From a biostratigraphic aspect, the presence of G. trisinus and one specimen tentatively recorded as Phasellisporites cicatricosus favour its assignment to the unit APP2.2-(?)APP3.1 succession. In the Galilee Basin, unit APP2.2 is associated with the uppermost Jochmus Formation and the Aramac Coal Measures; and unit APP3.1 has not been recorded previously, as an intrabasinal hiatus generally occurs at this level, separating Early and Late Permian strata (Price & others, 1985). A minor aquatic component (Botryococcus, Haplocystia pellucida, Maculatasporites, Tetraporina, Brazilea scissa, Mehlisphaeridium fibratum, Quadrисporites horridus) suggests a lacustrine/marginal lacustrine environment of deposition.

The overlying samples at 1081.63 and 1074.98m are no older than unit APP2.2, as they contain Granulatisporites trisinus.

TABLE 3: PALYNOLOGICAL DETERMINATIONS - GSQ MUTTABURRA 1

Sample Depth (m)	Palynomorph Yield	Palynomorph Preservation	Biostratigraphic Unit	Age	Depositional Environment
597.96	moderate-rich	fair	APK3 ADK1.5-1.7/lower <u>O. operculata</u> Zone	Barremian-early Aptian	marginal marine
613.30	rich	good	APKI	Late Jurassic-Early Cretaceous	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
681.80	moderate-rich	fair-good	APKI	Late Jurassic-Early Cretaceous	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
684.48	moderate	fair-good	APJ6.2	Late Jurassic	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
693.63	rich	fair-good	APJ6.2	Late Jurassic	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
740.35	moderate-rich	fair-good	APJ5	late Middle Jurassic	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
867.23	moderate-high	fair-good	APJ4.1	Middle Jurassic	terrestrial
883.96	barren	-	-	-	-
894.33	barren	-	-	-	-
894.76	barren	-	-	-	-
909.99	barren	-	-	-	-
936.76	moderate	good	APT1	Early Triassic	terrestrial
960.65	moderate-high	good	APP6	Late Permian	terrestrial
966.50	high	fair-good	APP5	Late Permian	terrestrial
973.86	moderate-high	fair	APP5	Late Permian	terrestrial
980.07	moderate	fair	APP5	Late Permian	terrestrial

TABLE 3 (CONTINUED): PALYNOLOGICAL DETERMINATIONS - GSQ MUTTABURRA 1

Sample Depth (m)	Palynomorph Yield	Palynomorph Preservation	Biostratigraphic Unit	Age	Depositional Environment
1032.23	moderate	fair	APP4.2-APP5 (probably APP5)	late Early Permian - Late Permian (probably Late Permian)	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
1046.86	moderate-high	fair	APP3.2.1.2-APP5 (probably APP5)	Early-Late Permian (probably Late Permian)	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
1055.02	low-moderate	poor-fair	APP3.1	Early Permian	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
1063.66	moderate	fair	APP3.1	Early Permian	terrestrial
1074.98	moderate	fair	APP2.2-(?)APP3.1	Early Permian	terrestrial
1081.63	moderate	poor-fair	APP2.2-(?)APP3.1	Early Permian	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
1193.62	moderate-high	fair-good	APP2.2-(?)APP3.1	Early Permian	terrestrial (lacustrine influence)
1216.91	moderate-high	fair	APP2.1	Early Permian	terrestrial
1241.32	low	poor	N.O. APP1	N.O. Late Carboniferous- Early Permian	terrestrial
1265.02	barren	-	-	-	-
1273.30	barren	-	-	-	-
1290.61	barren	-	-	-	-

1. Palynomorph Yield: barren, low, moderate, high; 2. Preservation: poor, fair, good, excellent; N.O.= not older than.

However, in view of the provisional record of P. cicatricosus at 1193.62m, assignment of them to the APP2.2-(?)APP3.1 sequence is indicated. A small proportion of aquatic species is also present at 1081.63m.

At 1063.66m, disaccate pollen, Deltoidospora directa, Retusotriletes nigritellus, Granulatisporites micronodosus and Microbaculispora tentula are moderately common constituents, with monosaccate pollen, G. trisinus, Pseudoreticulatispora pseudoreticulata, Indotriradites spp., and the unit APP3.1 index, P. cicatricosus, occurring less frequently. Assignment of the palynoflora to the latter zone is indicated, together with an Early Permian age. A similar age determination is suggested for the sample at 1055.02m in which P. cicatricosus is also present. The lacustrine planktonic alga, Botryococcus, is of common occurrence at this level. As stated above, strata attributable to unit APP3.1 have not been reported previously in the Galilee Basin.

Commonly occurring striate and non-striate disaccate pollen in the palynoflora at 1046.86m are associated with moderately common Marsupipollenites triradiatus/striatus, Retusotriletes nigritellus and Brazilea plurigenus. The presence of Granulatisporites sp. cf. Microbaculispora indica (spores intermediate between G. trisinus and Acanthotriletes villosum) indicates that the assemblage is no older than Early Permian assemblages in unit APP3.2.1.2 (Price in Draper & others, 1990). On the other hand, a unit APP5 (Late Permian) age appears more likely, considering the record of Polypodiisporites sp. cf. P. mutabilis, Brevitriletes hennellyi, and abundant disaccate pollen, although Dulhuntyispora parvitholus, the index species for this zone, was not recorded (P.Price, personal communication). The succeeding sample taken at 1032.23m is palynologically similar, but contains Balmeospora gliksoniae, Bipartitisporis sp. cf. Verrucosisporites trisecatus (of Foster, 1979), Didecitriletes ericianus and Dulhuntyispora inornata. The latter two species point to the palynoflora being no older than unit APP4.2, but the abundance of striate and non-striate disaccate pollen suggest a unit APP5 age (P.Price, personal communication). Lacustrine conditions of deposition are indicated for both samples in view of the aquatic component present in the recorded assemblages (Appendix 2).

In the overlying sequence, typical Late Permian palynofloras of unit APP5 were recorded at 980.07, 973.86, and 966.50m. As such, the index, D. parvitholus, was encountered in all three. Thus, in the Galilee Basin, correlation with the Betts Creek beds and strata previously referred to as the Bandanna Formation/Colinlea Sandstone correlative is evident.

Moderately common striate and non-striate disaccate pollen, Lundbladispora spp., and Brevitriletes hennellyi occur at 960.65m in association with D. parvitholus, Triplexisporites playfordii, Nevesisporites fossulatus, N. limatulus, Playfordiaspora

crenulata, Rewanispora foveolata, Thymospora ipsviciensis, T. sp. cf. T. ipsviciensis and Lunatisporites noviaulensis. This biostratigraphically distinctive palynoflora is conformable with unit APP6, thereby promoting a Late Permian age and correlation with some part of the upper Bandanna Formation correlative (Betts Creek beds) - basal Rewan Formation sequence.

Unit APT1 occurs at 936.76m, suggesting correlation with the lower Rewan Formation. Palynomorphs recorded in this Early Triassic assemblage include moderately common - common Lundbladispora spp., Nevesisporites fossulatus/Polycingulatisporites dejerseyi, and Sculptatomonoleti, with Triplexisporites playfordii, Playfordiaspora crenulata, Rewanispora foveolata, Lunatisporites noviaulensis and L. pellucidus being recorded in variably lower frequencies.

EROMANGA BASIN

A Middle Jurassic palynoflora containing Retitriletes circolumnatus, the index species used in definition of unit APJ4.1, was recovered from the sample at 867.23m. Associated forms include Leptolepidites verrucatus, Klukisporites scaberis and Dictyotosporites complex. Correlation with the middle to upper Hutton Sandstone in the Eromanga Basin is indicated.

Unit APJ5 was recorded at 740.35m, with the index, Murospora florida, occurring in association with Contignisporites glebulentus, Kraeuselisporites whitfordensis, Aequitriradites norrisii, and Retitriletes facetus. A late Middle Jurassic age and correlation with the upper Birkhead Formation are suggested. A lacustrine influence in the depositional environment was likely, considering the presence of minor proportions of spinose acritarchs (Micrhystridium/Baltisphaeridium) and smooth walled, algal leiospheres.

In the overlying palynofloras at 693.63m and 684.48m, the presence of Retitriletes watherooensis and Neoraistrickia equalis favours assignment of the associated strata to unit APJ6.2 of Late Jurassic age. Other species present in both samples include "Concavissimisporites" informis, Lycopodiacidites sp. cf. L. asperatus, and Ischyosporites volkheimeri, the overall association being typical of the Westbourne Formation in the Eromanga Basin. A minor proportion of leiospheres was also recorded in these assemblages.

Samples from 681.80m and 613.30m in the bore are assigned to unit APK1 as they contain Cicatricosporites spp. in the absence of Foraminisporis wonthaggiensis. Thus, strata in this interval are considered to be Late Jurassic to Early Cretaceous in age and a correlative of some part of the sequence containing the uppermost Westbourne Formation, Hooray Sandstone, and basal Cadna-owie Formation in the Eromanga Basin. Algal leiospheres,

suggesting a lacustrine influence, are present in both palynofloras, being a minor component in the deeper sample and moderately common in the higher.

Marginal marine conditions of deposition are evident at 597.96m from the occurrence of a number of dinoflagellate taxa, the most common of which comprise Dingodinium cerviculum, Kallosphaeridium romensis, Cassicolosphaeridia delicata, and Sentusidinium spp. Spinose acritarchs (Micrhystridium/Baltisphaeridium spp., Veryhachium reductum) and algal leiospheres also form a minor component of the aquatic palynoflora.

The presence of Odontochitina operculata, Chlamydophorella ambigua, Circulodinium colliveri and Muderongia australis indicate association with: (i) some part of the Muderongia australis-Ascodinium cinctum- (lower) Odontochitina operculata zonal interval of Helby & others (1987) [=dinocyst units ADK 1.5-1.7 of Filatoff & Price (1986)], and (ii) the lower Odontochitina operculata Zone of Morgan (1980). In GSQ Wyandra 1, Burger (1988) recorded the latter from the uppermost Cadna-owie Formation and basal Doncaster Member. Thus, correlation with this part of the sequence is adopted here, indicating the facies differences between the uppermost Hooray Sandstone in Muttaburra 1 and the equivalent section in Wyandra 1. A Barremian to early Aptian age is evident.

The spore-pollen component of the palynoflora is assigned to unit APK3, which is associated with the uppermost Cadna-owie Formation and the Doncaster Member, thus supporting the dinocyst biostratigraphy. Foraminisporis asymmetricus, the index for this zonal unit, was not recorded, and the determination given is based on the presence of spores attributable to Pilosporites, which first appear in the PK3 sequence in Queensland (D.Burger & J.Filatoff, personal communication).

DRILL-STEM TESTING & WATER ANALYSIS

A total of three drill stem tests (DST) were carried out during the course of drilling GSQ Muttaburra 1. Water analyses were carried out by the Government Chemical Laboratory, Brisbane on samples taken from DSTs 1, 2 and 3. Drill stem test and water analysis results are presented in Table 4.

All DSTs conducted within the bore tested potential aquifers within the Eromanga Basin sequence. Aquifers within the Galilee Basin sequence were not tested as porosities were considered to be poor based on visual core examination.

Flow rates for DSTs 1 and 3 were calculated from v-notch weir measurements and are presented as Figure 4. The DST 2 interval was not tested over a v-notch weir as the flow rate was

Table 4: Drill stem test results & water analyses
- GSQ Muttaburra 1

	DST 1	DST 2	DST 3
Depth (m)	587.33- 641.03	723.53- 764.88	783.53- 858.08
Recovery	water	water	water
Max. temperature (°C)	52.7	-	57.5
Shut in pressure (kpa)	150	-	160
Flow rate (m³/day)	105.27	8.40	133.59
Conductivity at 25°C (uS/cm)	1450	1050	750
pH	8.4	7.9	8.2
	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l
Total dissolved solids	920	670	510
Total dissolved ions	1270	910	690
Total Hardness as CaCO₃	5.4	11.0	14.0
Alkalinity as CaCO₃	630	435	350
Free CO₂	5	11	4
Na ⁺	390	265	200
K ⁺	2.0	4.1	6.5
Ca ⁺⁺	2.0	3.2	5.3
Mg ⁺⁺	0.1	0.7	0.2
HCO₃ ⁻	740	530	415
CO₃ ²⁻	13.0	2.8	4.3
Cl ⁻	120	92	55
F ⁻	4.0	2.9	1.2
NO₃ ⁻	0.9	1.1	<0.5
SO₄ ²⁻	<2.0	14.0	2.7
Li	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Sr	0.2	0.4	0.2
Ba	0.1	0.2	0.1
V	<0.005	0.025	<0.005
PO₄ ³⁻	-	-	-
I	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
B	2.5	1.1	0.17
Cu	<0.01	0.02	<0.01
Zn	0.01	0.13	0.09
Pb	0.005	0.028	<0.002
Fe	2.4	0.06	0.92
Al	0.24	1.9	<0.05
Mn	0.07	0.97	0.06
U	<0.005	0.005	<0.005
SiO₂	28	24	32

Note: All drill stem tests run through a 19mm choke. Temperatures listed above were recorded at the v-notch weir.

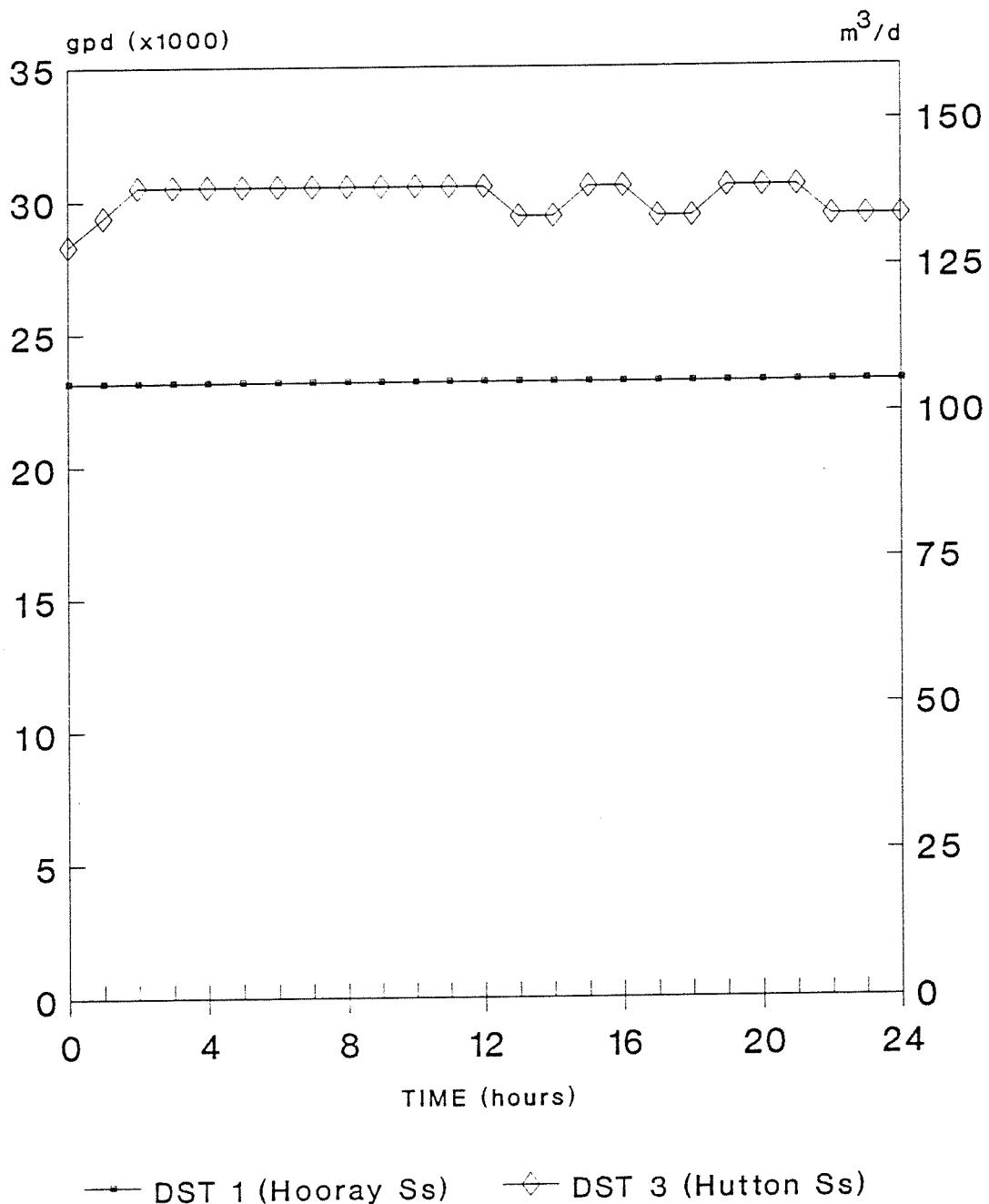


Figure 4. Drill-stem test results - GSQ Muttaburra 1.
(gpd = gallons per day, m^3/d = cubic metres per day)

considered to be too low to warrant a full 24 hour test (Table 4). Swabbing the drillhole over a total period of five hours failed to improve the flow. The flow rate for DST 2 was calculated from measurements recorded at the top of the drill string.

Water analyses indicate all DST waters are of the sodium bicarbonate type as shown on Figure 5. Water quality improves with depth as the amount of total dissolved solids decreases with depth (Table 4) (P.Quarantotto, personal communication, 1990).

GEOTHERMAL GRADIENT

A total of six downhole temperatures were recorded in GSQ Muttaburra 1 (Table 5, Figure 6). Downhole temperatures were measured following completion of drill stem testing or after wireline logging operations. An ambient ground surface temperature of 20 degrees celsius (Pitt, 1986) was used in order to calculate present day geothermal gradients.

Assuming a linear data trend, the average geothermal gradient over the interval surface to total depth is $4.62^{\circ}\text{C}/100\text{m}$. As shown on Figure 6 this gradient poorly models the data. However, geothermal gradients over the intervals surface to near top Hooray Sandstone ($6.26^{\circ}\text{C}/100\text{m}$) and Hooray Sandstone to total depth ($3.25^{\circ}\text{C}/100\text{m}$) model the data more closely as shown on Figure 6.

The higher gradient ($6.26^{\circ}\text{C}/100\text{m}$) may be due to a blanketing affect of the dominantly argillaceous sediments of the Wallumbilla Formation and younger units intersected in the bore. Movement of groundwater through the coarser clastic sediments of the Hooray Sandstone and older units may be responsible for the lower geothermal gradient ($3.25^{\circ}\text{C}/100\text{m}$).

Table 5: Geothermal gradient data - GSQ Muttaburra 1

Depth (m)	Temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$)
0.00	20
591.33	57
727.53	62
787.53	64
900.00	64
1100.00	76
1300.00	80

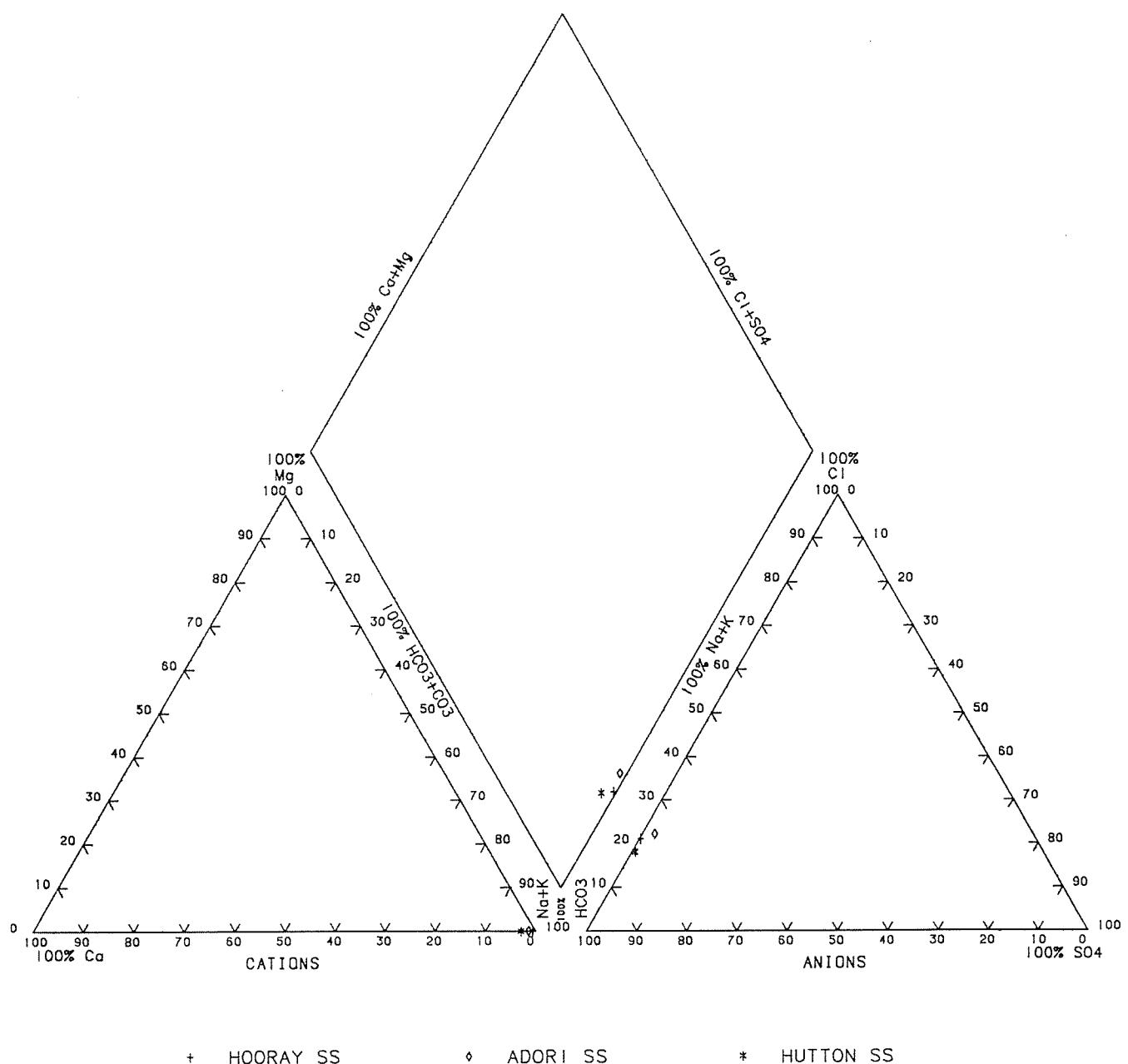


Figure 5. Percentage reacting values of major ions for groundwater from DST's 1, 2 & 3 - GSQ Muttaburra 1.

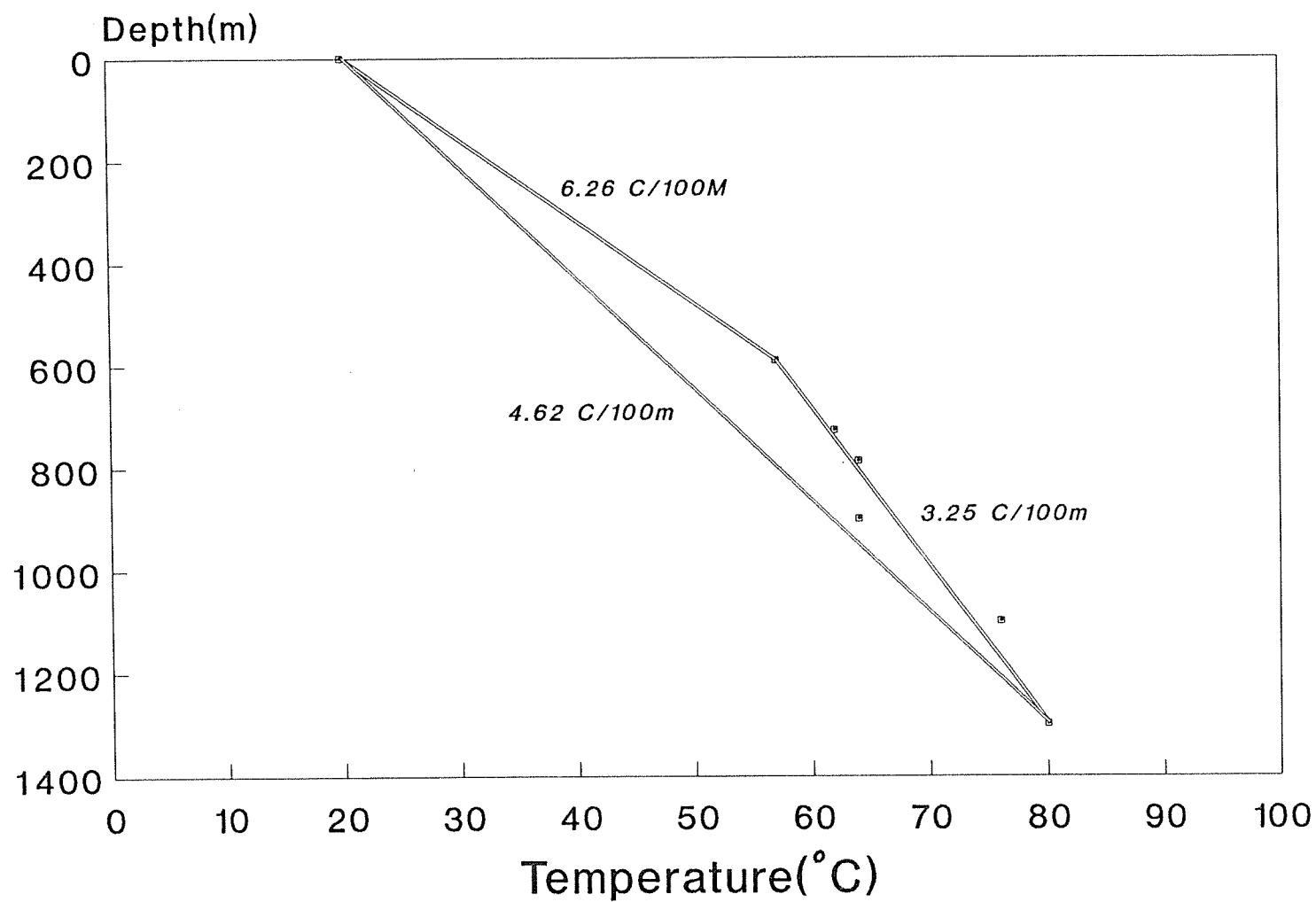


Figure 6: Geothermal gradient - GSQ Muttaburra 1.

VITRINITE REFLECTANCE

Vitrinite reflectance measurements were performed by R.J.Smith of the Coal and Oil Shale Resource Assessment and Development Subprogram on nineteen hand picked vitrain samples. Mean maximum reflectance of telovitrinite was measured as per Australian Standard 2486-1989. The vitrinite reflectance data are given in Table 6.

Coal analyses were carried out to provide additional rank parameters for the future assessment of maturation levels. The analyses were carried out by Australian Coal Industry Research Laboratories Ltd. (ACIRL) on two samples (Table 7). Sample R3659 consisted of 46 cm of coal which was crushed and floated at 1.30 g/cm³ relative density to provide a low ash, high vitrinite concentrate suitable for chemical analysis and reflectance determinations. Sample R3666 consisted of a two centimetre vitrain band hand picked from core.

Corrected vitrinite reflectance values for samples R3659 and R3666 (Table 7) of 0.78 and 0.99 respectively are plotted on Figure 7. These values were determined following procedures described in Green & others (1991).

PYROLYSIS

The analyses of total organic carbon (TOC) and Rock-Eval pyrolysis were carried out on nineteen Eromanga and Galilee Basin core samples by Analabs, Perth. The results are listed in Table 8. The guidelines used for characterising TOC and pyrolysis results are included as Appendix 4.

TOC analyses of Eromanga Basin samples from GSQ Muttaburra 1 suggests that the Westbourne Formation (SD1679, SD1680) has the greatest source richness within the Jurassic to Cretaceous sequence. Source richness is highly variable in the Galilee Basin sediments (TOC: 0.10-13.20%). The Aramac Coal Measures (SD1668, SD1669, SD1670) and the Betts Creek beds (SD1672) have relatively high TOC, inferring above average to excellent source richness within the Galilee Basin interval.

With the exception of sample SD1668 (Aramac Coal Measures), the source rock potential of mudstone samples from GSQ Muttaburra 1 is generally poor as indicated by low S1 (volatile hydrocarbons, 0.01 to 0.15mg/g) and generally low S2 (hydrocarbon generating potential, 0.02 to 5.31mg/g) values (Table 8, Appendix 4).

Selected GSQ Muttaburra 1 source rock data have been plotted on hydrogen index (HI) versus Tmax, and HI versus vitrinite reflectance crossplots (Ower & Cooper, 1982) (Figures 8 & 9) to

Table 6: Vitrinite reflectance data - GSO Muttaburra 1

Sample No.	Depth (m)	Vitrinite reflectance (R _v , max)	No. of readings	Standard deviation	Host lithology
R3652	75.25	0.42	10	0.02	mudstone
R3653	610.21	0.49	15	0.04	mudstone
R3654	652.31	0.50	12	0.05	mudstone
R3655	766.63	0.67	22	0.05	sandstone
R3656	780.87	0.61	7	0.05	sandstone
R3657	871.95	0.56	17	0.01	mudstone
R3658	975.30	0.79	25	0.05	coal
R3659	1000.79	0.76	33	0.04	coal
R3660	1042.43	0.75	22	0.02	coal
R3661	1064.00	0.75	25	0.03	mudstone
R3662	1076.50	0.78	18	0.03	sandstone
R3663	1080.48	0.74	30	0.03	coal
R3664	1085.96	0.81	23	0.02	sandstone
R3665	1117.50	0.76	17	0.02	coal
R3666	1134.28	0.76	5	0.04	sandstone
R3667	1172.29	0.66	30	0.01	mudstone
R3668	1212.72	0.74	21	0.02	conglom.
R3669	1250.47	0.88	6	0.05	sandstone
R3670	1298.26	0.99	22	0.05	sandstone

Table 7: Chemical analyses of vitrains - GSQ Muttaburra 1

Sample Details	R3659	R3666
Depth m	1000.79	1134.28
Stratigraphy	Betts Creek beds	Aramac Coal Measures
<u>Air dried basis</u>		
Moisture %	7.0	5.5
Ash %	1.2	6.6
Volatile matter %	35.4	33.8
Fixed carbon %	56.4	54.1
Total sulphur %	0.53	0.58
Specific energy MJ/kg	31.66	31.00
<u>Dry, ash free basis</u>		
Carbon %	83.3	85.7
Hydrogen %	5.36	5.50
Nitrogen %	1.85	1.54
Sulphur %	0.58	0.66
Oxygen %	8.9	6.6

illustrate kerogen type. In order to crossplot vitrinite reflectance and HI, vitrinite reflectance values were scaled off Figure 7 at corresponding pyrolysis sample depths. GSQ Muttaburra 1 pyrolysis samples have organic matter contents of Type IIIa and Type IIIb kerogen (Figure 9, Table 8). Kerogen of Type III may provide suitable gas source rocks (Tissot & Welte, 1984), however no gas was detected in GSQ Muttaburra 1.

The Tmax values indicate that the samples analysed are in the oil-generating window (T_{max} : 435-465°C) for Type III kerogen (Espitalie & others, 1985). In addition, vitrinite reflectance values suggest the samples are mature for oil generation (R_v : 0.65-1.20%) (Tissot & Welte, 1984).

Hawkins (1978) considered the Aramac Coal Measures to offer the best source rock potential within the Galilee Basin sequence. Source rock analysis of GSQ Muttaburra 1 samples indicate that the Aramac Coal Measures contain the most favourable source rocks within the intersected Galilee Basin sequence.

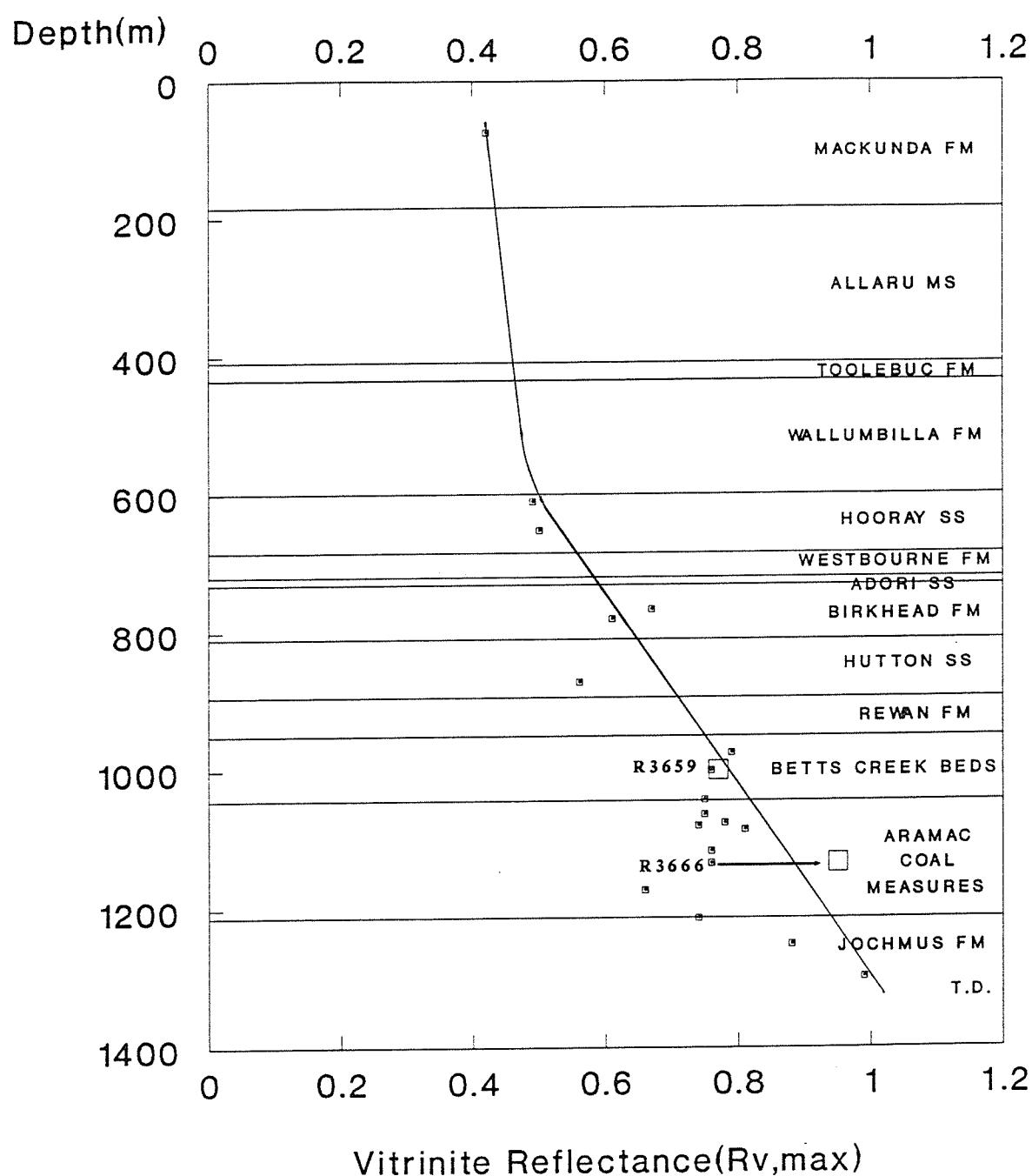


Figure 7. Vitrinite reflectance profile - GSQ Muttaburra 1.

Table 8: TOC & Rock-Eval pyrolysis data - GSO Muttaburra 1

Sample no.	Depth (m)	Tmax (°C)	S1	S2	S3	S1+S2	S2/S3	PI	PC	TOC (%)	HI	OI	Kerogen type
SD1682	613.10	439	0.04	1.02	0.05	1.06	20.40	0.04	0.09	0.90	113	5	IIIb
SD1681	686.80	436	0.03	0.80	0.07	0.83	11.43	0.04	0.07	0.66	121	10	IIIb
SD1680	703.00	435	0.06	3.39	0.13	3.45	26.08	0.02	0.29	1.43	237	9	IIIa
SD1679	715.87	437	0.06	2.20	0.06	2.26	36.67	0.03	0.19	1.11	198	5	IIIa
SD1678	770.34	441	0.04	0.97	0.08	1.01	12.13	0.04	0.08	0.90	107	8	IIIb
SD1677	772.05	439	0.05	1.11	0.08	1.16	13.88	0.04	0.10	0.98	113	8	IIIb
SD1675	900.43	437	0.05	0.14	0.09	0.19	1.56	0.26	0.02	0.23	60	39	IIIb
SD1674	913.75	436	0.10	0.24	0.61	0.34	0.39	0.29	0.03	0.27	88	225	IIIb
SD1673	938.28	444	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.07	1.00	0.57	0.01	0.09	33	33	IIIb
SD1672	969.15	435	0.10	1.46	1.27	1.56	1.15	0.06	0.13	2.08	70	61	IIIb
SD1671	1010.89	442	0.11	1.12	0.06	1.23	18.67	0.09	0.10	1.65	67	3	IIIb
SD1670	1045.03	435	0.10	5.31	0.15	5.41	35.40	0.02	0.45	3.07	172	4	IIIa
SD1669	1095.96	436	0.15	4.72	0.14	4.87	33.71	0.03	0.40	3.50	134	3	IIIa
SD1668	1103.95	438	0.79	21.75	0.44	22.54	49.43	0.04	1.87	13.20	164	3	IIIa
SD1667	1156.28	447	0.04	0.38	0.01	0.42	38.00	0.10	0.03	1.03	36	1	IIIb
SD1666	1216.86	440	0.04	0.91	0.01	0.95	91.00	0.04	0.08	0.79	115	1	IIIa
SD1665	1241.59	432	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.67	0.33	0.00	0.12	16	25	IIIb
SD1663	1268.44	489	0.15	0.42	0.05	0.57	8.40	0.26	0.05	1.17	35	4	IIIb
SD1661	1290.46	435	0.02	0.03	0.09	0.05	0.33	0.40	0.00	0.10	30	90	IIIb

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Tmax = Max. temperature S2
 S1 = Volatile hydrocarbons (HC)
 S2 = HC generating potential
 S3 = Organic carbon dioxide
 S1+S2 = Potential yield
 S2/S3 = Quality index

PI = Production index
 PC = Pyrolysable carbon
 TOC = Total organic carbon
 HI = Hydrogen index
 OI = Oxygen index

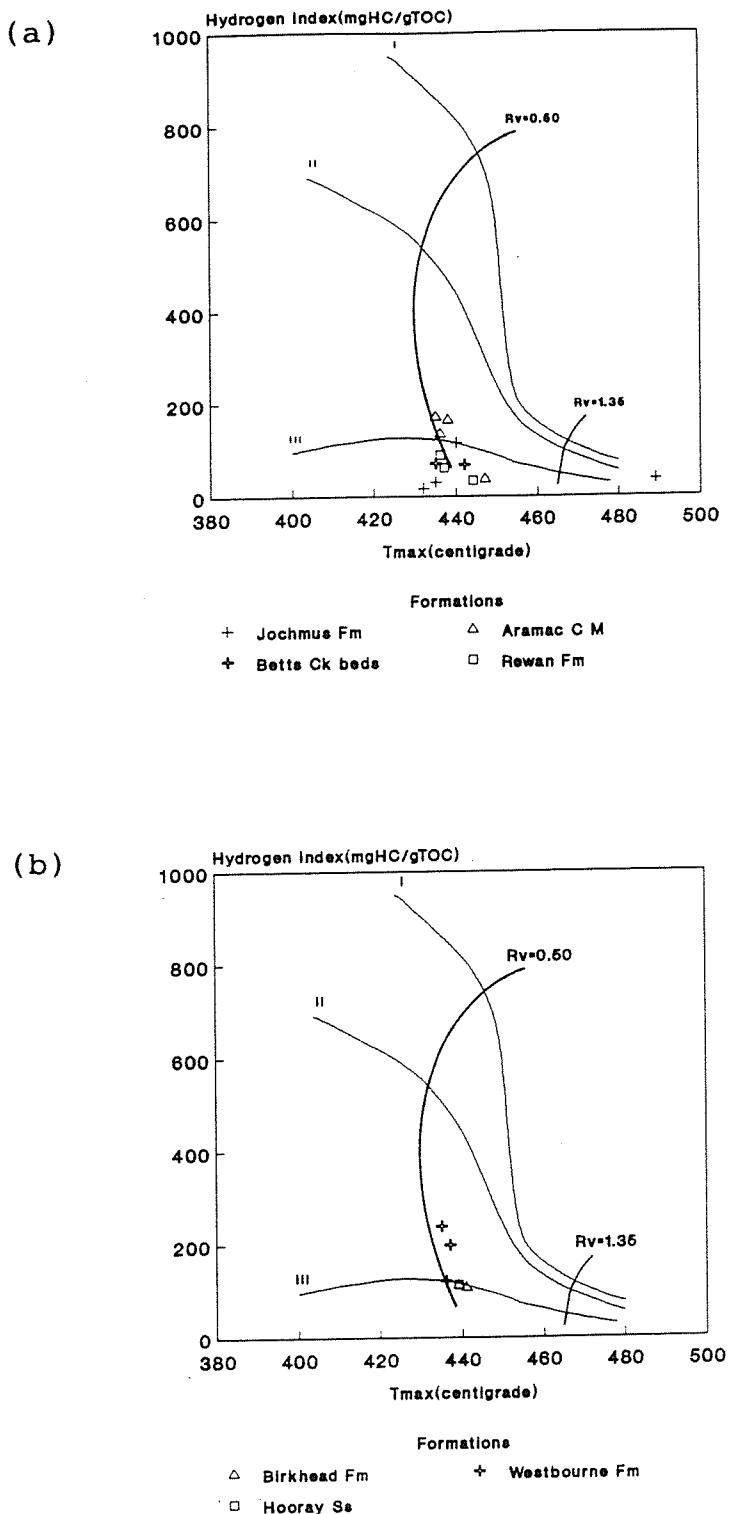
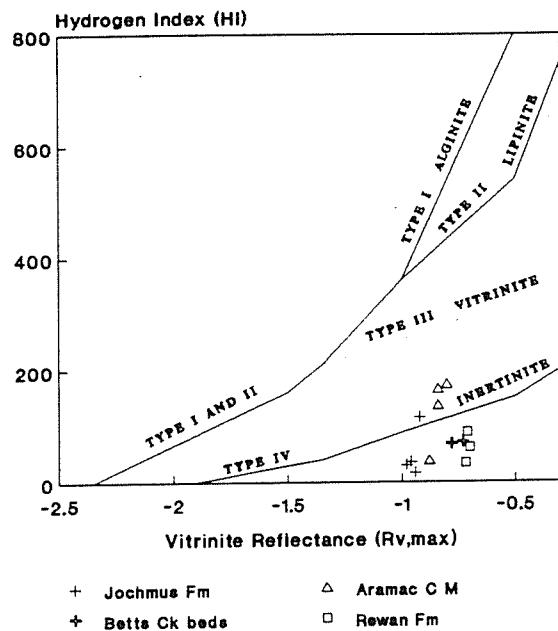


Figure 8 a,b. Hydrogen index versus Tmax crossplots - GSQ Muttaburra 1 : (a) Galilee Basin sequence; (b) Eromanga Basin sequence.

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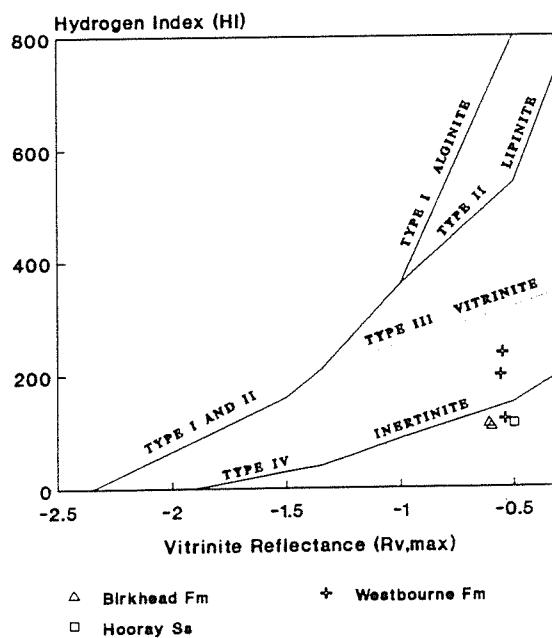


Figure 9 a,b. Kerogen quality from hydrogen index versus vitrinite reflectance crossplots - GSQ Muttaburra 1 (Modified after Ower & Cooper, 1985) : (a) Galilee Basin sequence; (b) Eromanga Basin sequence.

PETROPHYSICS

A total of thirty-four core samples were sent to Amdel Core Services, Brisbane for analysis of porosity, permeability and grain density. The petrophysical results from GSQ Muttaburra 1 core samples are listed in Table 9.

A crossplot of depth versus porosity (Figure 10) illustrates a general decrease in porosity with depth. However, when crossplotting depth versus Galilee Basin porosities and depth versus Eromanga Basin porosities, different trends are observed. The Galilee Basin samples tend to increase in porosity with depth (Figure 10b), contrary to Figure 10a. Figure 10c shows the Eromanga Basin porosities to be scattered with no obvious trend to the data. The average porosities for the Eromanga and Galilee Basin samples are 22.6 per cent and 19.4 per cent respectively, therefore suggesting a general decrease in porosity with depth.

Horizontal and vertical permeabilities are plotted against porosity on Figures 11 and 12 respectively. Samples from the Galilee Basin have lower permeabilities than those from Eromanga Basin sediments drilled in GSQ Muttaburra 1. Within the Galilee Basin, samples from the Aramac Coal Measures display the lowest permeabilities. Eromanga Basin sample permeabilities have the greatest distribution of values. The greatest permeabilities in the Eromanga Basin sequence are from the Hutton and Hooray Sandstones. Permeabilities from these formations are considerably higher than those from the Adori Sandstone, which agrees with flow rates calculated from drill-stem tests (Table 4).

MUDROCK MINERALOGY

The mineralogy of 25 mudrock units has been determined using X-ray powder diffraction (XRD) analyses. The relative percentages of the minerals in the whole-rock samples and the clay minerals in the clay-sized fraction are listed in Tables 10 and 11.

A reference intensity ratio method was used to determine the mineral percentages in the whole-rock samples. The whole-rock samples were prepared as randomly oriented cavity mounts and scanned from 5° to 76° 2-theta using cobalt radiation. The clay-sized fractions were prepared as oriented mounts and scanned from 4° to 30° 2-theta after ethylene glycol solvation and after heating at 375°C.

The total quartz content of the mudrocks increases with depth (Figure 13). This is attributed to the release of silica from the smectite to illite conversion, which proceeds with increasing depth of burial, along with the formation of authigenic quartz.

Table 9: Petrophysics - GSO Muttaburra 1

Sample no.	Depth (m)	Porosity (%)	Horizontal permeability (md)	Vertical permeability (md)	Grain density (g/cm³)
SD1659	600.78	25.2	2629	429	2.65
SD1658	606.03	22.7	3501	1562	2.65
SD1657	621.40	24.7	314	178	2.66
SD1656	632.72	27.5	1686	2302	2.65
SD1655	642.99	24.3	1013	224	2.65
SD1654	661.44	20.2	0.54	0.54	2.64
SD1653	677.51	19.6	309	321	2.65
SD1652	728.51	23.5	9.2	6.1	2.65
SD1651	730.46	21.6	1.1	1.1	2.65
SD1650	748.32	22.2	8.3	4.0	2.66
SD1649	762.82	17.5	0.25	0.24	2.67
SD1648	767.67	28.9	926	269	2.72
SD1647	796.85	22.6	367	314	2.65
SD1646	817.21	26.3	1181	784	2.65
SD1645	827.10	27.0	5729	1976	2.65
SD1644	841.18	22.6	90	27	2.65
SD1643	861.66	23.8	301	154	2.65
SD1660	874.57	16.9	5521	4558	2.65
SD1642	886.54	12.2	3.8	1.1	2.66
SD1641	906.37	18.2	76	7.0	2.65
SD1640	919.00	17.2	472	80	2.66
SD1639	929.30	20.3	309	30	2.65
SD1638	953.07	19.8	3.0	2.1	2.69
SD1637	978.40	18.1	60	46	2.64
SD1636	993.44	21.7	1507	189	2.65
SD1635	1029.09	19.5	90	19	2.65
SD1634	1056.83	19.7	39	13	2.65
SD1633	1086.14	20.6	6.3	6.3	2.64
SD1632	1114.33	19.9	2.1	0.75	2.64
SD1631	1134.05	17.7	1.1	1.2	2.65
SD1630	1164.40	16.2	0.43	0.25	2.64
SD1629	1198.94	17.9	1.1	0.39	2.65
SD1628	1252.64	21.8	94	58	2.59
SD1627	1296.08	21.9	121	24	2.56

Note : md = $1/1000$ Darcy

(One Darcy equals the permeability of a medium through which the rate of flow of a fluid of one centipoise viscosity under a pressure gradient of one atmosphere per centimetre would be one cubic centimetre per second per square centimetre cross section.)

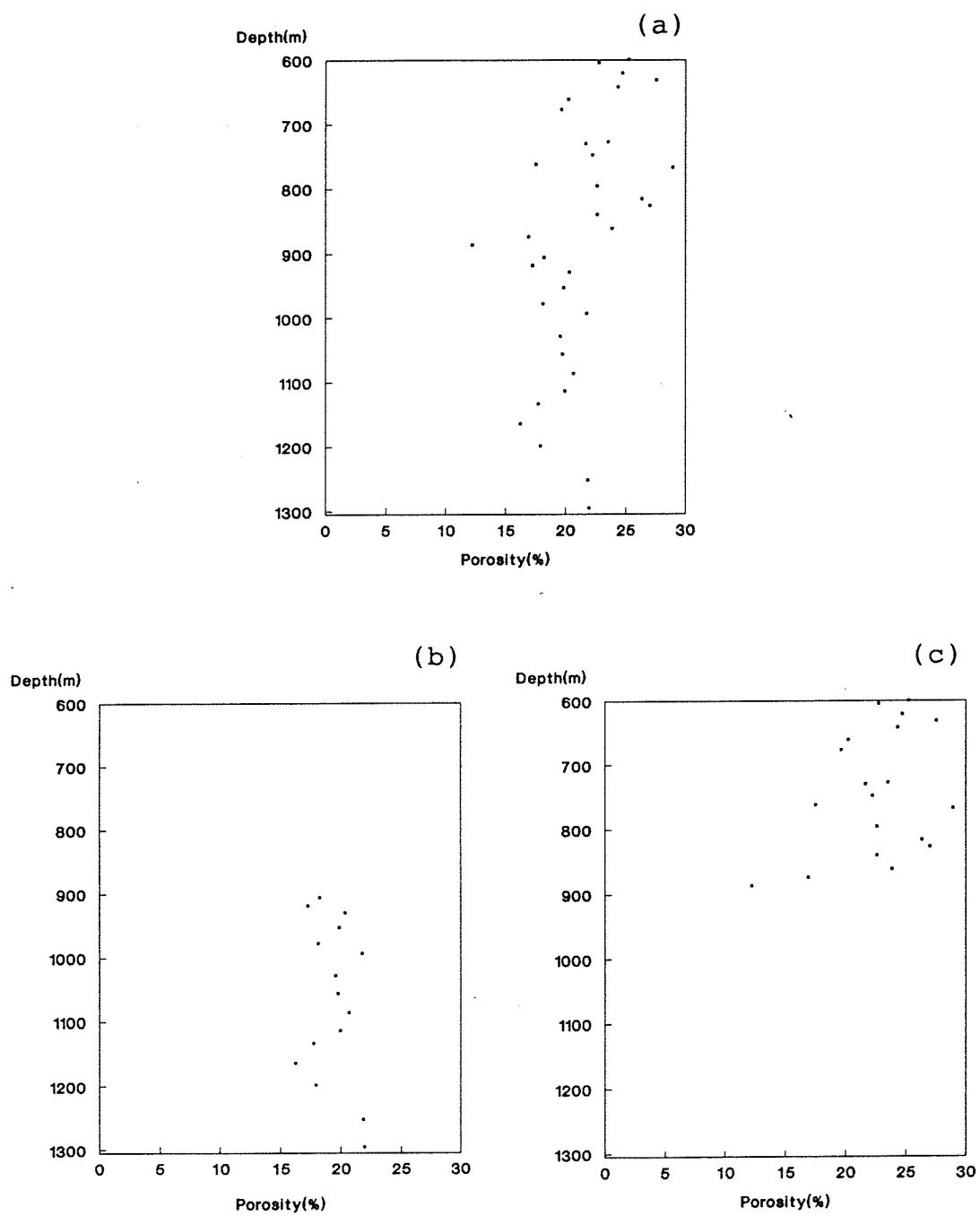
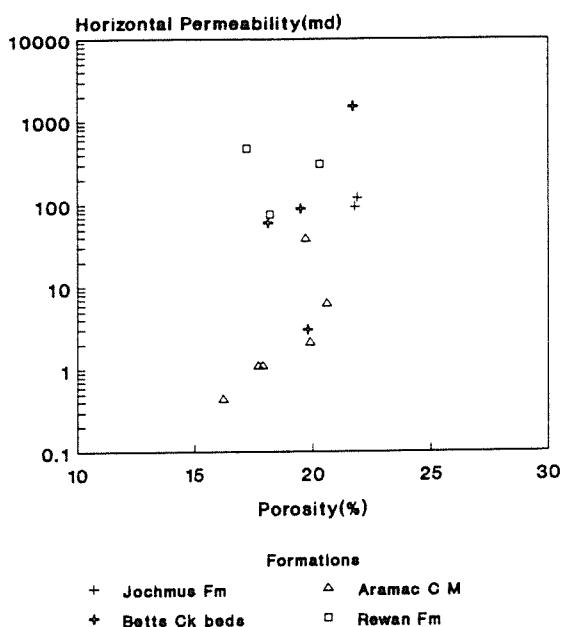


Figure 10 a-c. Porosity versus depth crossplots - GSQ Muttaburra
1 : (a) full suite of samples analysed; (b) 15 samples from
Galilee Basin sequence; (c) 19 samples from Eromanga Basin
sequence.

(a)



(b)

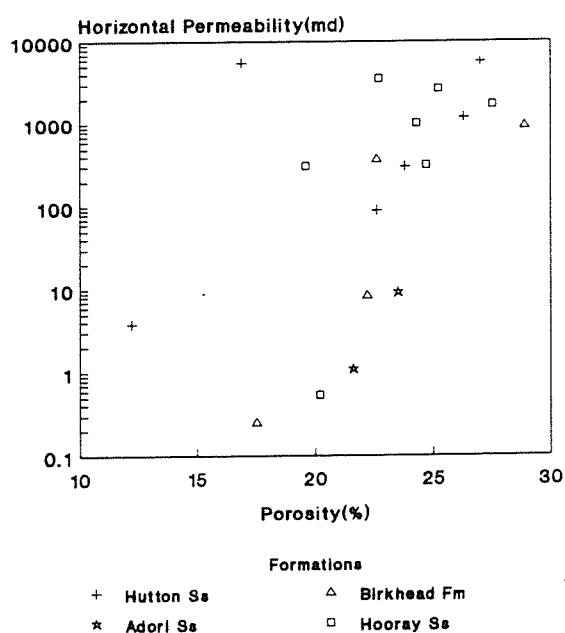
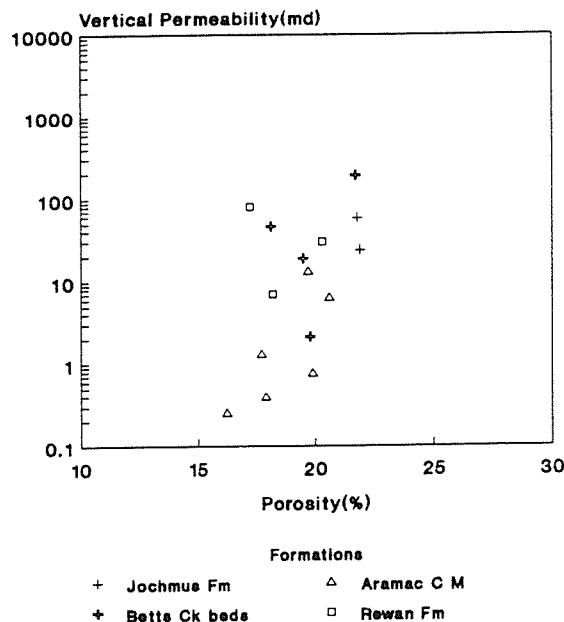


Figure 11 a,b. Horizontal permeability versus porosity crossplots - GSQ Muttaburra 1 : (a) Galilee Basin sequence; (b) Eromanga Basin sequence.

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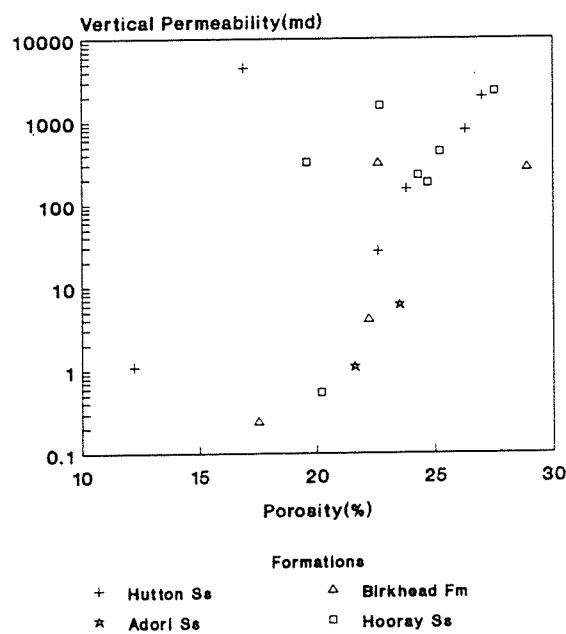


Figure 12 a,b. Vertical permeability versus porosity crossplots - GSQ Muttaburra 1 : (a) Galilee Basin sequence; (b) Eromanga Basin sequence.

Table 10: Whole-rock mineralogy - GSO Muttaburra 1

Depth(m)	Formation	Q%	K%	C%	I%	I/S%	P%	K-F%	Ca%	Py%
74.79	Mackunda Formation	31	9	4	6	27	13	4	1	5
134.20	Mackunda Formation	31	9	4	8	26	15	4	1	2
187.08	Allaru Mudstone	35	9	4	10	18	17	4	1	2
256.64	Allaru Mudstone	32	7	4	11	21	15	4	3	3
338.47	Allaru Mudstone	38	9	5	11	17	16	4	0	0
388.07	Allaru Mudstone	36	11	4	10	22	15	0	1	0
415.79	Toolebuc Formation	26	6	2	7	11	9	0	36	3
462.14	Wallumbilla Formation	35	9	0	11	21	15	4	1	4
521.10	Wallumbilla Formation	34	9	4	16	15	15	4	1	2
592.37	Wallumbilla Formation	46	10	0	6	21	13	4	0	0
613.10	Hooray Sandstone	47	31	0	5	5	6	6	0	0
686.80	Westbourne Formation	42	23	6	19	6	0	4	0	0
715.87	Westbourne Formation	44	23	6	15	8	0	4	0	0
772.05	Birkhead Formation	47	13	5	8	11	12	4	0	0
830.18	Hutton Sandstone	36	30	5	15	9	0	5	0	0
900.43	Rewan Formation	57	26	0	10	5	0	2	0	0
938.28	Rewan Formation	52	24	0	14	6	0	4	0	0
1010.89	Betts Creek beds	49	18	3	25	3	0	2	0	0
1045.03	Aramac Coal Measures	52	19	0	24	3	0	2	0	0
1103.95	Aramac Coal Measures	67	15	0	8	7	0	3	0	0
1156.28	Aramac Coal Measures	52	12	0	25	7	0	4	0	0
1216.86	Jochmus Formation	51	8	3	9	16	8	5	0	0
1241.59	Jochmus Formation	53	9	0	7	18	8	5	0	0
1268.44	Edie Tuff Member	39	8	3	16	11	18	5	0	0
1290.46	Edie Tuff Member	40	9	3	12	17	14	5	0	0

Legend: Q = quartz, K = kaolinite, C = chlorite, I = mica/illite,
 I/S = smectite or illite/smectite, P = plagioclase feldspar,
 K-F = K-feldspar, Ca = calcite, Py = pyrite.

Table 11: Clay minerals, clay fraction - GSO Muttaburra 1

Depth(m)	Formation	I%	C%	K%	I/S%	IL%	Interstrat type
74.79	Mackunda Formation	17	5	15	63	6	R
134.20	Mackunda Formation	19	5	17	59	0	-
187.08	Allaru Mudstone	21	6	14	59	20	R
256.64	Allaru Mudstone	20	5	15	60	20	R
338.47	Allaru Mudstone	18	5	15	62	25	R
388.07	Allaru Mudstone	19	5	20	56	20	R
415.79	Toolebuc Formation	30	7	16	47	38	R
462.14	Wallumbilla Formation	18	6	16	60	29	R
521.10	Wallumbilla Formation	18	5	10	67	40	R
592.37	Wallumbilla Formation	16	6	9	69	33	R
613.10	Hooray Sandstone	9	0	75	16	55	R
686.80	Westbourne Formation	22	4	59	15	69	R/IS
715.87	Westbourne Formation	20	3	60	17	69	R/IS
772.05	Birkhead Formation	15	4	19	62	57	R/IS
830.18	Hutton Sandstone	23	3	51	23	75	IS
900.43	Rewan Formation	16	0	65	19	78	n.d.
938.28	Rewan Formation	27	0	47	26	78	IS/ISII
1010.89	Betts Creek beds	39	0	45	16	n.d.	n.d.
1045.03	Aramac Coal Measures	44	0	44	12	n.d.	n.d.
1103.95	Aramac Coal Measures	35	0	55	10	n.d.	n.d.
1156.28	Aramac Coal Measures	38	0	17	45	80	IS
1216.86	Jochmus Formation	36	3	4	57	78	IS
1241.59	Jochmus Formation	23	0	8	69	76	IS
1268.44	Edie Tuff Member	39	2	3	56	74	IS
1290.46	Edie Tuff Member	20	0	7	73	80	IS/ISII

Legend: I = mica/illite, C = chlorite, K = kaolinite, I/S = smectite or illite/smectite, IL = illite layers in illite/smectites, n.d. = no data, Interstrat type = interstratification type of illite/smectite.

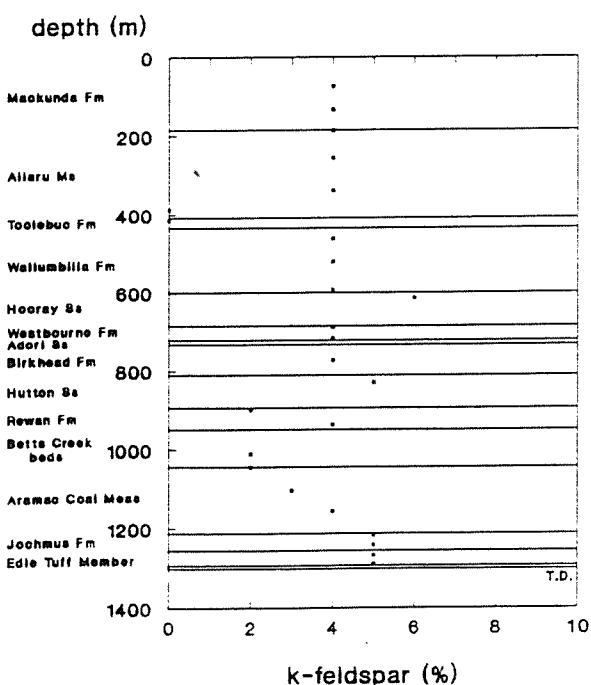
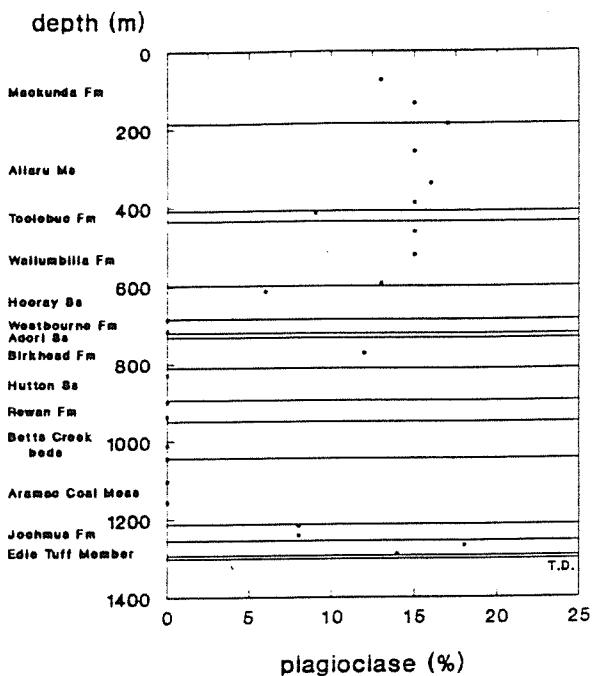
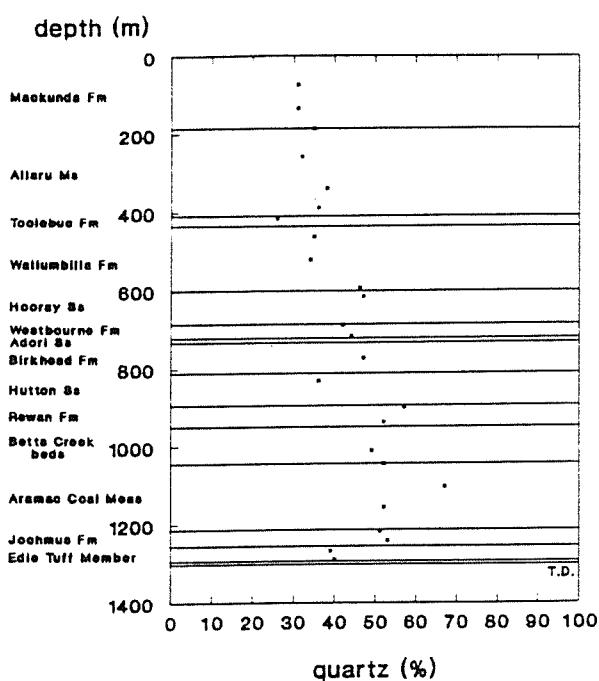


Figure 13. Quartz, plagioclase and k-feldspar versus depth in whole-rock - GSQ Muttaburra 1.

The two mudrocks from the Edie Tuff Member have quartz contents 15 to 20 per cent less than expected from an extrapolation of the quartz trend. This may be due to an initial quartz deficiency in the volcanic-sourced mudstones.

Plagioclase feldspar is common in the marine-deposited sediments of the Mackunda Formation, Allaru Mudstone, Toolebuc Formation and the Wallumbilla Formation, averaging 15 per cent (Figure 13). The underlying continental-deposited sediments have no plagioclase except for the Hooray Sandstone, Birkhead and Jochmus Formations and the Edie Tuff Member. The plagioclase present in the mudrocks of the Birkhead Formation, Jochmus Formation and Edie Tuff Member is most likely derived from a volcanic source.

The absence of plagioclase in the majority of the continental sediments may be due to an initial lack of plagioclase in the source areas or to harsher weathering conditions at the surface and possible reworking of the sediment compared to the marine environment. The presence of K-feldspar in the continental sediments suggests that weathering is not the dominant mechanism for the lack of plagioclase, rather provenance.

The K-feldspar content of the mudrocks does not vary greatly with depth (Figure 13) or have significant changes in content across formation boundaries to be of diagnostic use.

Calcite and pyrite, common minor constituents in the marine-deposited mudrocks, are absent in the mudrocks below the Wallumbilla Formation (Table 10).

Plots of clay minerals in the clay-sized fraction of the mudrocks versus depth are shown in Figure 14. Three broad groups of different clay mineral compositions are recognised.

Group 1 comprises the Mackunda Formation, Allaru Mudstone, Toolebuc Formation and the Wallumbilla Formation. These marine-deposited mudrocks are characterised by high illite/smectite compositions ranging from 47 to 69 per cent, low kaolinite content of 9 to 20 per cent, low illite content ranging from 16 to 30 per cent and relatively high chlorite content from 5 to 7 per cent.

Group 2 comprises continental-deposited mudrocks of the Hooray Sandstone, Westbourne Formation, Birkhead Formation, Hutton Sandstone, Rewan Formation, Betts Creek beds and the upper subdivision of the Aramac Coal Measures (above 1117.95m). Except for the volcanic-sourced Birkhead Formation mudstones, the illite/smectite content for this group is low with values ranging from 10 to 26 per cent. Kaolinite content is high with values ranging from 44 to 75 per cent. The illite content increases with depth from 9 to 44 per cent and the chlorite content varies from 0 to 4 per cent in the Eromanga Basin sequence with no chlorite present in the Galilee Basin sequence of this group.

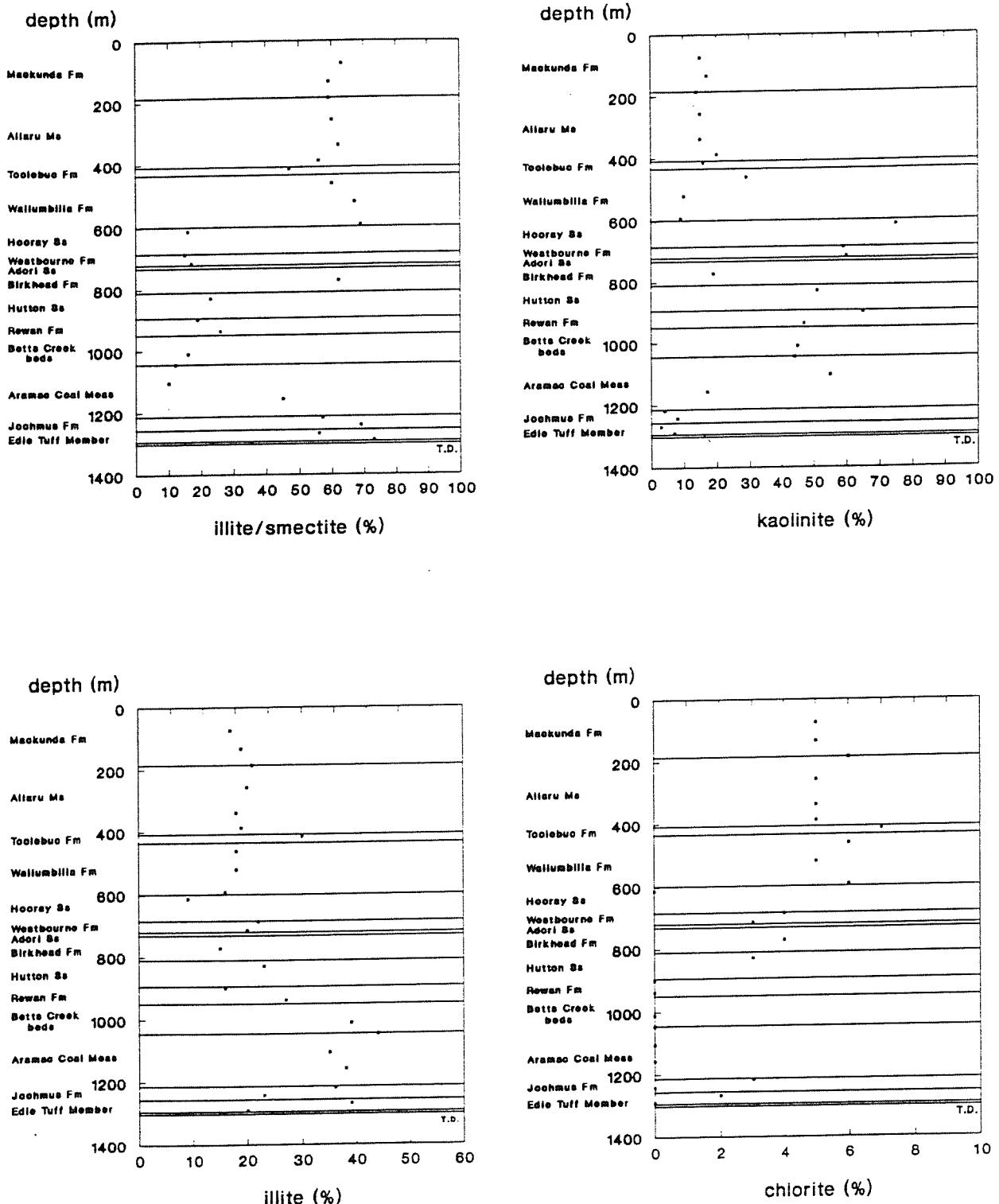


Figure 14. Clay minerals, clay fraction versus depth - GSQ
Muttaburra 1.

Group 3 comprises continental-deposited mudrocks of the lower subdivision of the Aramac Coal Measures (below 1117.95m), Jochmus Formation and Edie Tuff Member. This group has high illite/smectite contents from 45 to 73 per cent, low kaolinite contents from 3 to 17 per cent, variable illite contents from 20 to 39 per cent and variable chlorite contents from 0 to 3 per cent.

The different clay mineral assemblages in these three groups are attributed largely to provenance changes and varying depositional environments. The high illite/smectite compositions of the mudrocks in Groups 1 and 2 suggest a substantial input of volcanic material.

Unconformities present in this bore are not reflected by noticeable changes in the clay mineral compositions of the mudrocks. However, there is a major change in clay mineralogy of the mudrocks at the boundary between the upper and lower subdivisions of the Aramac Coal Measures.

The illite layer percentage in the mixed-layer illite/smectite clays (Table 11) can be used as an inorganic indicator of thermal maturity of the mudrocks. Illite layer percentages versus depth are shown in Figure 15. Regionally, for the Eromanga Basin, north of 24°S, illite layer values of 52 per cent are equivalent to vitrinite reflectance values of 0.7 R_{v,max} (Carmichael & Shield, 1991). Illite layer values of 52 per cent to 79 per cent are within the peak oil generation window. Accordingly, mudrocks from the Westbourne Formation and below are considered to be within the peak oil generation window.

FLUORESCENCE

Continuous monitoring of core for hydrocarbon indications was carried out from 596.70m to total depth. No hydrocarbon indications were recorded. Procedure for testing core for hydrocarbons followed that outlined by Wyman and Castano (1974).

CONCLUSIONS

Strata drilled in GSQ Muttaburra 1, in addition to those in GSQ Longreach 1-1B have provided useful fully-cored sections of the Eromanga and Galilee Basin sequences in the central and southern regions of the Koburra Trough.

Palynofloras from the Galilee Basin sequence range in age from a maximum of Late Carboniferous-Early Permian at 1241.32m to Early Triassic at 936.76m; and, for the Eromanga Basin, from Middle

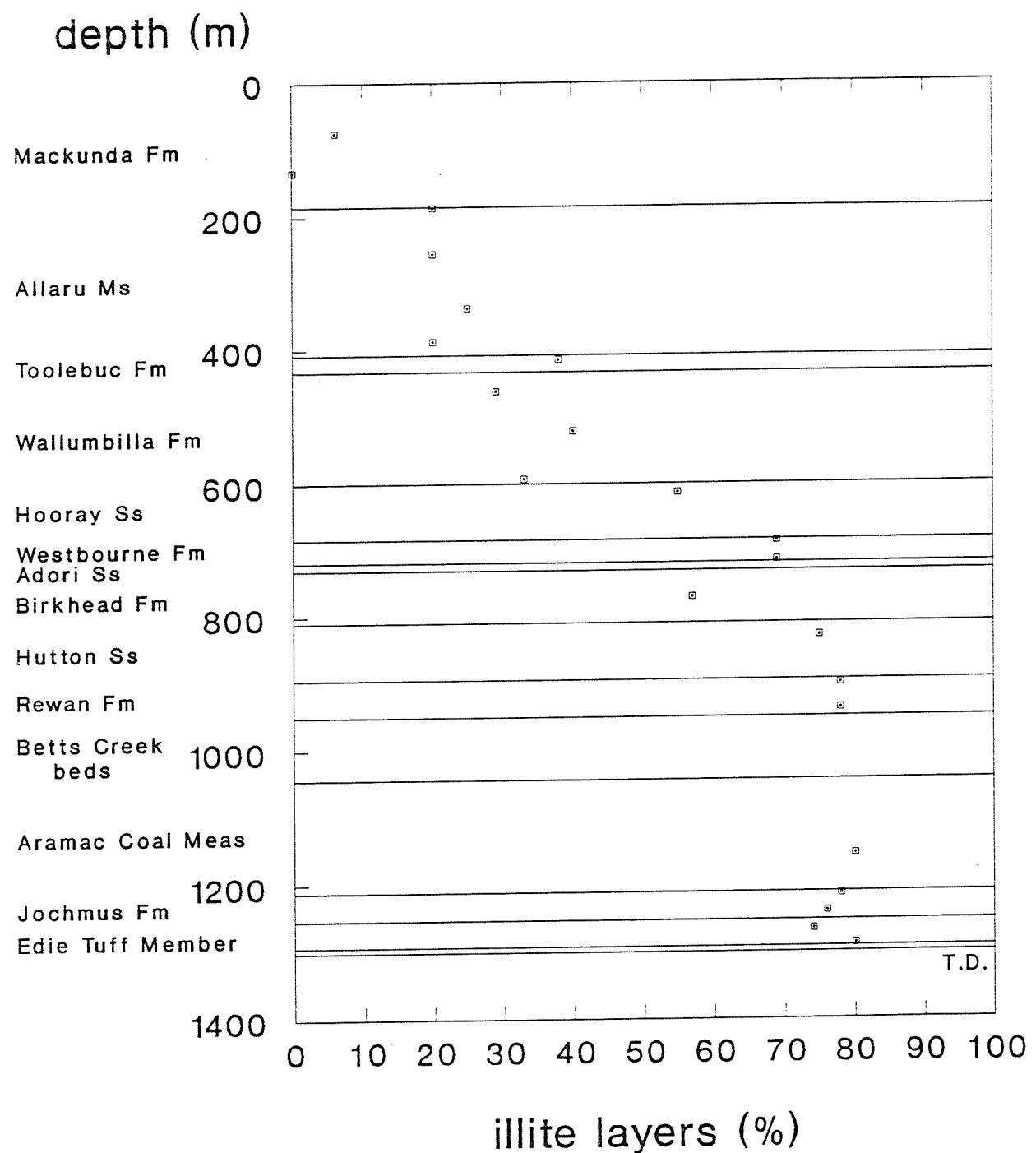


Figure 15. Illite layers in illite/smectite clays versus depth
- GSQ Muttaburra 1.

Jurassic at 867.23m to Barremian-early Aptian at 597.96m.

Unit APP3 has not been reported previously in the Galilee Basin, as strata associated with unit APP2 are unconformably overlain by strata of unit APP5 in most areas. This intrabasinal hiatus, if present, in GSQ Muttaburra 1, occurs between 1032.23m (APP4.2-APP5, ?APP5) and 1055.02m (unit APP3.1). These unit APP3 strata represent a previously unknown upward extension of the Aramac Coal Measures.

The hiatus between the Galilee and Eromanga Basins occurs between 936.76m (Early Triassic) and 867.23m (Middle Jurassic) based on palynological assemblages from core samples.

A younger age (APP3) for the upper part of the Aramac Coal Measures has been determined by palynological studies. Strata of this age were not reported within the type section of the Aramac Coal Measures.

The dominantly fluvial sandstone, siltstone, mudstone, and coal interval drilled in the Galilee Basin intersected in GSQ Muttaburra 1 provides one of the most continuous stratigraphic records fully cored in the Koburra Trough based on results from palynological age determinations to date.

Aquifers within the Hooray and Hutton Sandstones have the greatest porosities and permeabilities within the bore and flowed water to surface at rates in excess of 105 cubic metres per day. No hydrocarbon shows were recorded in the bore.

Downhole temperatures indicate a change in the geothermal gradient at the base of the Wallumbilla Formation.

Vitrinite reflectance and pyrolysis results suggest that source rocks within the Galilee Basin are mature and those within the Eromanga Basin are immature for oil generation. The Aramac Coal Measures offer the best source rocks in the Galilee Basin sequence.

Clay mineral assemblages have identified three distinct groups of mudrocks attributed to changes in provenance of source material. A major change in clay mineralogy occurs between the upper and lower subdivisions of the Aramac Coal Measures.

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APPENDIX 1: Lithologic log - GSQ Muttaburra 1

Lithologic log - key to
abbreviations and symbols

	claystone/mudstone/shale	CY/MS/SH
	siltstone	SL
	sandstone	SS
	conglomerate	CG
	coal	CL
	limestone	LS (see below)
	tuff	TF
	volcanics	VL
	igneous intrusives	IG
	metamorphics (undiff.) metasandstone/argillite	MT metaSS/AR

	cone-in-cone limestone		granules/pebbles/cobbles
	shell layer		calcite nodule
	silt/mud clasts		phosphate nodule
	coal clasts		ooliths
	breccia/brecciated zone		coquinite (CQ)
	calcareous		
	calcareous lens/bed		
	unconformity		
	erosional contact		
	sharp loaded contact		
	sharp irregular contact		
	sharp planar contact		
	unknown contact		

Limestones

Limestones are subdivided into the following categories (after Dunham, R.J., 1962: Classification of carbonate rocks according to depositional texture. American Association of Petroleum Geologists, Memoir 1, 108-121)

Mudstone	MS
Wackestone	WKS
Packstone	PKS
Grainstone	GNS
Boundstone	BDS
Crystalline carbonate	Cryst

Grain-size qualifiers

Very fine	vf
Fine	f
Medium	md
Coarse	c
Very coarse	vc
Granule	grn
Pebble	pbl
Cobble	cbl

Lithological qualifiers

clayey	cly	pebbly	pby
muddy	mdy	cobbly	cbly
silty	sly	carbonaceous	carb
sandy	sdy	tuffaceous	tfc
granular	grl	calcareous	calc

Sorting

g	good
f	fair
p	poor
b	bimodal

Composition

Siliciclastic rocks (after Crook, K.A.W., 1960: Classification of arenites. American Journal of Science, 258, 419-28)

q	quartzose
sl	sublabil
la	labil

qualifying terms

f	feldspathic
lf	lithofeldspathic
fl	feldspatholithic
li	lithic

eg. f,la = feldspathic labile
sl-la = sublabil to labile

Colour

wh	white	gn	green
cm	cream	kh	khaki
bf	buff	ol	olive
yw	yellow	gy	grey
pk	pink	bl	blue
rd	red	bk	black
or	orange	pu	purple
bn	brown		

lt	light
md	medium
dk	dark

Visible porosity



General abbreviations

abd	abundant
ang	angular
com	common
frag	fragment
grad	gradational
IB	interbedded
IL	interlaminated
intraform	intraformational
lam	laminae
metased	metasediment
min	minor
occ	occasional
rd	rounded
sbang	subangular
sbrd	subrounded
scatt	scattered
sl	slight
slicks	slickensides
sps	sparse
ssd	soft sediment deformation
struc	structure
tab	tabular
t/o	throughout
w	with
X-bed/lam	cross-bedding/lamination

Minor components

anhy	anhydrite	kaol	kaolinite
ap	arsenopyrite	lim	limonite
bi	biotite	mg	magnetite
ca	calcite	mi	mica
chl	chlorite	mu	muscovite
cpy	chalcopyrite	ph	phosphate
daw	dawsonite	py	pyrite
ep	epidote	q	quartz
gl	glaucous	s	sulphur
gt	garnet	sel	selenite
gyp	gypsum	si	silica
hem	hematite	sid	siderite
H.M.	heavy minerals	zr	zircon

Matrix/cement

ar	argillaceous
ca	calcareous
chl	chloritic
fe	ferruginous
si	siliceous

Fossils

	leaves, general plant remains
	logs, wood
	roots
	algae
	burrow
	trail
	macroinvertebrates
	pelecypods
	gastropods
	echinoderms
	microinvertebrates
	vertebrates
	fish remains

GSQ STRATIGRAPHIC DRILLING LITHOLOGIC LOG

GSQ Muttaburra 1

Hole :

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
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W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 8/8/90

Formation	Depth m	Graphic	Lithology	Texture		Sedimentary structures			Composition	Fossils	Colour	Visible porosity	Dip	Remarks
				Grain size	Sorting	Bedding	X-bed							
MACKUNDA Formation.	10	No	SS	mud silt f m c vc granule pebble cobble	laminated thin medium flaser wavy lenicular graded small medium large low angle	Current lineation Ripplemarks Soft sed. deform. Erosive structures Churned	Burrows/trails	QFR or Grain type	Minor compn. Matrix/Cement	Flora Fauna				OPEN HOLE NO RECOVERY. 6.00
	20	SS/MS	g											Weathered, bedding gen. massive.
	30		g											14.31
	40	SS	g											SS dominated interval. Bedding appears massive. Mica only in trace amounts. V. rare shell frago (innocerams & others) over the interval 36.67 - base. (No conclusive evidence to suggest WINTON For other than lack of fine gr. sediments).
	50		g											gry-ign MS at 46.12 m.

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Date : 9/8/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture		Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks																	
			Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed																				
			mud	silt		thin	medium	wavy.	lenticular	graded	small	medium	large	low-angle	Current lineation	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structures	Churned	Burrows/trails	Chemical	Off or Grain type	Minor compn.	Matrix/Cement	Flora	Fauna	Colour	Visible porosity
		SS			g																							
		SL/MS			g																							
	60	SS mnr MS			g	.	.																					
MACKUNDIA FORMATION.	70																											
	80																											
	85	sdy SL MS			g																							
	90																											
	95																											
	100																											

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Hole .

GSQ Muttburra 1

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

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Date : 9/8/90

GSQ STRATIGRAPHIC DRILLING LITHOLOGIC LOG

Hole :

GSQ Muttaburra 1

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 20, 25/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks
				Grain size	Sorting	Bedding	X-bed			
MACKUNDIA FORMATION.			Graphic	mud sh f m c vc granule pebble cobble	thin medium flaser lenticular graded small	wavy current lineation ripplemarks	low-angle soft sed. deform. erusive structure churned	Burrows/trails Chemical QFR or Grain type Minor compn. Matrix/Cement	Flora Fauna	Colour Visible porosity Dip
			Textural name							
			g							4cm carbonite at base. 151.33
										r. shell frags t/o. Disturbed graded bedding in pt. (? bioturbated).
										155.68 - .86m indurated ? SL & Ca cement.
										157.07m incoherentes frag. 157.97
										? bioturbated interval. 159.35
	160									load casts in ms's in pt. Rare -few shell frags t/o.
										? Carbonaceous specks en bedding. Large burrow at 167.20 (sdy SL infilled).
										168.87
	170									Few shell frags t/o carb. wisps & frags 180.86 - .63m
										Sediment is slightly churned (bioturbated)
										Rare burrows.
										Graded bedding uncommon.
	180									First appearance of graded bedding at base of unit. 184.95
ALLARI MUDSTONE	190									Discont. vf sdy SS beds / lam gen. disturbed. Unit becomes siltier twards top.
										t. shell frags t/o.
										Gen more SL than underlying unit.
										24cm Calcareous band & synapses cracks at 190.00m
										Calcareous band at 187.39m (10cm)
	200									

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Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 20/6/90

Formation	Depth m	m	Lithology	Texture		Sedimentary structures			Composition	Fossils	Remarks	
				Graphic	Textural name	Grain size	Sorting	Bedding	X-bed			
				mud		v						
				slf		f						
						m						
						c						
						vc						
						grnule						
						pebble						
						cobble						
ALLARI MUDSTONE												
	210	-	sity MS		g							As above.
	210	-	MS		g							202.90
	210	-										
	220	-	sity MS		g							Discont. vf sity SS beds / lam.
	220	-	MS		g							207.49
	220	-										
	230	-										
	240	-	LS									
	240	-	MS									
	240	-										
	240	-	sity MS		g							234.80
	240	-	MS		g							
	240	-										
	250	-	sity MS		g							
	250	-	MS		g							
	250	-										

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Date : 20/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture		Sedimentary structures		Composition	Fossils	Remarks
			Graphic	Textural name	Grain size	Sorting			
			mud						
			soft						
			thin						
			Y						
			m						
			c						
			vc						
			granule						
			pebble						
			cobble						
ALLARO MUDSTONE	260	Silty MS		g					Rare shell frags +/o. Rare w rd calc nodules up to 3cm top half of unit. Top half of unit virtually devoid of sdy sediments. Discnt. vf silty SS lam basal half of unit (< 5%).
									1bn calc thin bed at 268.4 (?sec replacement).
									Abd-num carb lam 269.89 - .94m
									6cm vf silty SS (lgry gy) at base of unit (first appearance)
	270								271.38
									Rare thin (1-2mm) Ca lam vary in orientation from 0 - 90°.
	280	Silty MS		g					
	290	Silty MS		g					
	300								

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Hole :

GSQ Muttaburra 1

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Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 13, 20/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures		Composition	Fossils	Dip	Remarks
				Grain size	Sorting				
				mud silt lt m c vc granule pebble cobble	laminated thin medium flaser wavy lenticular graded small medium large low-angle	Current lineation Ripplemarks Soft sed. deform. Erosive structure Churned Burrows/trails Chemical	QFR or Grain type Minor compon. Matrix/Cement Flora Fauna		
ALLARU MUDSTONE		Sly MS							
	310								Essentially same as underlying unit although lbn (?so) bands are generally only found twards the base + are rare + not as well developed (ie not as sideritic as those below).
									V rare shell frags Vf sly ss's are not as common as in unit below
									315.11
	320								Few - common lbn ? so thin beds. Top of unit marked by such a bed.
		Sly MS							Few - rare Ca bands (commonly < 2 cm) + commonly displaying C-in-C. MS is greener up. Overall unit contains few - rare lam of ? ripple bedded v.f. sly ss.
	330								Shell frags are generally v rare
									333.87
	340	MS	g			sd:	dgy		hard lbn so band twds base. ca 335.12 bands twds base
									V. rare shell frags.
	350	Sly MS	g						R. thin beds + lam of Ca (Some c-in-c) R. lgy sly SL lam +/o, some of which displays ripple laminations

GSQ STRATIGRAPHIC DRILLING LITHOLOGIC LOG

Hole : GSQ Muttaburra 1

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : T.J.Brain Date : 12, 13/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures								Composition	Fossils	Dip	Remarks		
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed		Current lineation	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structure			
				Graphic	Textural name		thin	medium	flaser	wavy	lenticular						
		mud silt				g											
		-	-	-	-	g										gy lgry	
		SHy MS															few -com. lbn ?SD thin beds. Mi on bedding in addition to ?carb matter (disseminated) 353.60
	360	MS v. mnr SL				g											few lbn indurated ?tuffaceous, ?SD thin beds t/o. R. calcite (c-in-c). Core is fretted.
ALLARI MUDSTONE	370	MS/ sdy SL				g											Few lam lgry sdy SL tufs base. 364.78
	380					g											Generally same as underlying unit, although sdy SL is less common. Few -can lbn thin beds (same as underlying unit). C-in-c LS at 366.76, 368.56, 369.72, 372.50, 373.81, 376.00m.
	390	MS/ sdy SL				g											Shell frags at 361.71, 368.79 R. Mica t/o. 382.83
	400	MS mnr sly MS				g											Rippling evident in some sdy SL lam. Inoceramus frags at 388.44, 388.63, 389.43, 390.89, 392.36, 393.10m. Few lbn thin beds indurated, ?tuff, ?SD. Ca at 383.04, 386.76 m. 394.66

GSQ STRATIGRAPHIC DRILLING LITHOLOGIC LOG

Hole :

GSQ Muttaburra 1

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 29/5, 12/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures		Composition	Fossils	Remarks			
				Grain size	Sorting						
ALLARU MS.		MS/ mr sly MS		mud silt m c vc granule pebble cobble	laminated thin medium flaser wavy lenticular graded small medium large low-angle			Ca band at 401.90m Innoceramus frag at 401.41m. 1bn SL at base 402.68			
	410	MS/ mr sly MS			g			Core very broken. Few thin bds dgy SL throughout. ? Innoceramus frag at 402.95m. Gy sly ms at base. 408.24			
Shelly MS	420				g			? Innoceramus frag abundant t/o. Abundance decreases towards top. Rare shell fragments in basal 0.5m of interval.			
TOOLEBUCK FORMATION.	430	MS			g			424.92			
WALLUMBILLA FORMATION.	440	MS/ SL			g			Few shell frags. Py nodules up to 2cm. General lack of Innoceramus frags - generally a uniform MS. Abundant brown shell frags at base. 433.32			
	450	MS			g			SL's are sly + variably calc ip. Minor ? soft sed deformation ? burrow at 440.21m Rare small py nodules on bedding. 444.69			
	No							Rare ? shell frags. Rare py nodules. 449.32 68 cm CORE LOSS.			

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Hole : GSQ Muttaburra 1

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
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Logged by : T.J.Brain Date : 28, 29/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures								Composition	Fossils	Remarks		
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed		Current lamination	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structure	Churned	
				Graphic	Textural name		Laminated	thin	medium	flaser	wavy-					
		MS		g											dgy	OPEN HOLE. 450.10 Few py nodules. 452.49
	460	MS/ mnr SL		g											dgy 97	Rare graded beds to ~ 461 m. Calc 1bn thin bedded SL at 453.37, 454.82 & 456.70 m (com. 2 vert. Ca veins). 1bn ?diagenetic pods sl calc, some cont. shell frags at 459.37, 460.82, 460.95 m. Some SL beds disp. rip lam. Shell frags + ?ammonites at 459.06 m R. py +/o 466.67
	470	sdY SL MS		g										?gl	gn dgy	SdY SL less com tuds top. SL calc ip. 468.63
	470	MS		g											dgy	Tending to sity MS at base of Graded beds 470.08
WALLUMBILLA FORMATION.		MS		g												Gen. a uniform MS. Ca lam at 471.34, 471.38, 472.16 m.
	480			g												?MICROMICACEOUS. Py nodules 472.83 - 473.75 m, 474.50 m. Ca on obliqu joints tuds base. 482.10
		MS		g										g1 ca	gn dgy	Faulted + Ca Veins top 34 cm. R. py. 483.54
		MS/ SL		g											dgy 97	R. ca cm lam + lenses Calc ? nod. at 486.35 m. ?G1 in Some SL lam. R. mica. 487.97
	490	SL/ MS		g										Mi	g1 ca	Few py nodules Greenish tinge to SL. Churned interval ?bioturbated. SdY gl SL lam tuds 492.89 m. pbl CG at 492.89 m. 495.05
		SL/MS		g										?gl	m1 dgy	burrow at 496.20 m. 496.33
		SL/MS		g											g1 dgy	SL sl gl. Py as lenses & nodules. SL w/ calc cm ip. 498.18
	500	MS/SL		g										?gl		SL com. gl + i.p. pyritic.

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Date : 25, 28/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks	
				Grain size	Sorting	Bedding	X-bed				
				mud sl t m c vc granule pebble cobble		thin medium flaser wavy- lenticular graded medium large	low-angle Current lineation Ripplemarks Soft sed. deform. Erosive structure Churned	Burrows/trails Chemical QFR or Grain type	Minor compon. Matrix/Cement Flora Fauna	Colour Visible porosity BASE	Dip
AA									g!	dgy dgy	500.43
		SL/MS									py present 501.90
		MS									R. py nodules, lenses in SL. R. gl in SL Poss. C-in-C LS at 509.15m
510											
		MS/SL		g						dgy g	H lbn calc SL at 506.90 m (thin bed).
											511.32
											512.72
		MS/v mr SL		g							Thin beds lbn calc SL at 515.02, 520.27, 521.17 m. ?Inoceramus frag at 517.50, 520.25, 520.33, 521.16 m. ?Gl present in some SL. R. pyrite.
520											
		MS/SL		g						dgy g	522.08 522.46
		MS/ mr SL		g							Rare pyrite.
530		MS/SL		g					g! mi	dgy g	528.40 529.90 530.18 533.45
		SS		g							?Slump at top + into overlying unit. Few shell fossils.
		MS/ SL		g						dgy g	
540		MS		g						dgy	Evidence of graded bedding in pt t/o unit. R. shell fossils. R. oblique slicks; ca on some. ?Belemnite at 541.85 m.
		SS		f					g!		543.34
		MS/SL		g					g! g		?Belemnite at 546.59m. Bedding indistinct due to SSD.
550		sdg SL								g	546.99 547.70
										H	Slight greenish tinge.

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Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures						Composition	Fossils	Remarks		
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed					
				Graphic	Textural name		laminated	thin	medium	wavy				
				mud	silt									
				m	m									
				c	vc									
				vc	granule									
				pebble	pebble									
				cobble	cobble									
							laminated	thin	medium	large	low-angle			
							Current	lineations	Ripplemarks					
							lenticular	graded	soft sed. deform.					
							graduated	medium	medium	large				
							wavy	graded	eroded structure					
							laminated	medium	Churned					
							thin	large	Burrows/trails					
							medium	large	Chemical					
							large	large	QFR or					
							large	large	Grain type					
							large	large	Minor compaction					
							large	large	Matrix/Cement					
							large	large	Flora					
							large	large	Fauna					
							large	large	Colour					
							large	large	Visible porosity					
							large	large	BASE					
							large	large	Dip					
FORMATION														
WALLUMBILLA FORMATION														
560														
MS														
570														
MS														
580														
MS														
590														
MS														
596.70														
SS														
597.61														
MS														
598.30														
SS														
599.14														
SS														
few cl frags. + lo.														

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				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed		Current lamination	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structure						
				mud	soft		thin	medium	flaser	wavy-	lenticular	graded	small	medium	large	low-angle				
<i>HOOKEY SANDSTONE</i>				SS				f				q				Beds defined by g. size variance.				
610				CG				P				I				606.94				
610				SL				f-g				q				Co frags +/o. 608.33m w.r. q pbls wr q pbls tuds base. 609.64				
616				SS				f-g				q				Few small sc. faults Few plant frags Load casts 610.20m Few dry MS beds (5-15 cm). M. root tuds b. 614.16				
616				SL				f-g				q				SL + carb lam depict SS beds. 616.20				
620				SS				f-g				q				Ripple lam top 40cm Non wt pbls basal 40cm.				
622				SS				f-g				q				622.01				
622				SS				f-g				q				R carb lam f/o. R wh Mi t/o (More com. on carb lam) Beds defined by g. size variance. SS filled burrow in SL lam at 630.54m.				
630				SS				f-g				q				SS appears massive- bedded, f. carb lam 634.55				
636				SS				f-g				q				R coal frags. Mi - on slty carb lam 636.12				
637				SS				f				q				Carb lam. Pbls + rock frag at base. 637.19				
639				SS				g				q				Ripple x lam ip? ?massive bedding A. carb lenses base 639.68				
640				SS				g				q				Few coal + slty frags t/o				
649				SS				g				q				R gt3 pbls. 4cm pbl band 15cm above base. 649.27				
650				CG												gt3 + SS clasts.				

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Date : 20, 22/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures			Composition	Fossils	Remarks			
				Grain size		Sorting						
				Graphic	Textural name							
WE ST BOURNE FORMATION.	690	MS / Shy SS	P	thin	laminated							
	693.50			medium	medium							
	696.48			large	large							
	698.43			low angle	low angle							
	701.00											
HOORAY SANDSTONE.	660	SS	P	thin	laminated							
	662.75			medium	medium							
	664.67			large	large							
	665.90			low angle	low angle							
	667.35											
	668.33											
	669.41											
	670	SS	P	thin	laminated							
	672.78			medium	medium							
	674.25			large	large							
	675.50			low angle	low angle							
	676.35											
	678.81											
	680.56	SS	f-g	thin	laminated							
	682.25			medium	medium							
	683.35			large	large							
	684.24			low angle	low angle							
	686.48											
	688.43											
	693.50											
	700.88											

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Date : 23, 24/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures			Composition	Fossils	Colour	Visible porosity	Dip	Remarks
				Grain size	Sorting	Bedding						
WESTBOURNE FORMATION.												
M5/ Silt SS	110		mud soft yellow m c vc granule pebble cobble	laminated thin medium flaser wavy lenticular graded small medium large	low-angle Current lineation Ripplemarks Soft sed. deform. Erosive structure Churned		Burrows/trails Chemical QFR or Grain type	Mi		dgy		h
	120											
SL/SS	120											
SS	120				g					19y 9y		G
	120											
ADORI SANDSTONE.												
SS	120				g							
	130				g							
SS	130				g							
	130				f-g							
SL	130				g							
	130				g							
SL/SS	130				g	;	;					
SS/SL	130				g	;	;					
SS	130				g							
	130				g							
BIRKHEAD FORMATION.												
SS	130											
	140											
SS	140				g	;	;					
	140				g	;	;					
SS	140				g							
	140				g							
SS	140											
	150											
	150											

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Date : 24-26/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures		Composition	Fossils	Remarks															
				Grain size	Sorting																		
				mm sd sf m c vc granule pebble cobble	laminated thin medium flaser wavy- lenticular graded small medium large low-angle	Bedding	X-bed	Current lineation	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structure	Churned	Burrows/trails	Chemical	QFR or Grain type	Minor compn.	Matrix/Cement	Flora	Fauna	Colour	Visible porosity	BASE	Dip
			ss		g																		
					f																		
	760		ss		g																		
			ss		g																		
					f																		
			ss		g																		
					f																		
	770		ss		g																		
					sd																		
			SL		g																		
			ss		g																		
					SL/SS																		
	780		ss/SL		g																		
			ss		g																		
					p																		
	790		ss/CG		g																		
			ss		g																		
					g																		
			ss		g																		
					f																		
	800		ss		g																		

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Locality "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 27, 28/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures						Composition	Fossils	Remarks			
				Grain size		Bedding	X-bed	Sorting	Current lineation						
				mud	silt	wavy	lenticular	graded	low-angle	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structure			
BIRKHEAD Fm.	810	SS	g								q-s1	Ar	lgry	S	Few ang gy SL clasts at 801.15m 801.50
		SS	f								q-s1	-	lgry	?E	SL clasts basal 802.29
		SS	g								q-s1	-	lgry	-	Poor φ. Num SL clasts 804.19 - 804.71m. Thin beds of SL clasts at 806.19, 806.64, 807.71, & 808.34
		mar SL	tr												Ripple lam tufts base. 809.83
		SS	g								q		lgry	-	SS appears thickly bedded. R carb plant remains. Rare garnet. 812.98
		SS	g								q		lgry	-	common carb lam. 815.00
	820	SS	g								q		lgry	-	R. garnet t/o SS is med-thickly bedded. Few thin-med beds of v.f. SS - carb lam. Few coaly frags 817.95 - 818.51m.
Hutton SANDSTONE.	830	CG									q		lgry	E	Abundant gt in part. t/o 827.48
		SS CG									q		lgry	S	Erosive base probable. 828.20
		SS	f								q		lgry	S	829.13
		CG	p								q		lgry	S	R coaly frags 829.99
		SS/SL	g								Mi		lgry	-	Plant frags on bedding.
													gry	-	833.05
		SS	f								q		lgry	-	carb x lam t/o R garnets. 834.72
		SS	f								q		lgry	-E	R coaly frags. 836.25
	840	SS	f-g								q		lgry	-	V rare garnets t/o SS appears thickly bedded 839.80 - 842.86 m
															843.02
		SS	f-p								q		lgry	-	F. coaly frags. R. garnets t/o. 846.05
		SS	f								q		lgry	-	Bedding appears thick-massive. R garnet t/o 849.49
	850	SS	g								q		lgry	-	

GSQ STRATIGRAPHIC DRILLING LITHOLOGIC LOG

Hole : **GSQ Muttaburra 1**

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : T.J.Brain

Date : 28, 30/5/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks
				Grain size	Bedding	X-bed	Sorting			
HUTTON SANDSTONE.	860	SS	g	thin	laminated			q	lgry	SS generally thickly bedded. R. garnets t/o. Carb frags 851.50-851.84m, + 854.63. CG basal 15 cm. 855.34
				medium	thin					
				fine	medium					
				medium	flaser					
				coarse	wavy					
				very coarse	lenticular					
				pebbles	graded					
				cobbles	churned					
					medium					
					large					
					low-angle					
REWAN F.M.	870	SL/SS	g	Current lamination				q	lgry	Few carb x lam. Thin bedded f-c ss at 857.75m 857.85
				Ripples/marks						
				Soft sed. deform.						
				Erosive structure						
				Churned						
				Burrows/trails						
				Chemical						
				QFR or						
				Grain type						
				Minor compon.						
REWAN F.M.	880	CG	q	Matrix/Cement				q	lgry	Thickly bedded. 863.02
				Flora						
				Fauna						
				Colour						
				Visible porosity						
				BASE						
				Dip						
REWAN F.M.	890	SS	q					q	lgry	Thin bedded i.p. CO frag. at base. 867.44
REWAN F.M.	900	SL/SS	g					q	lgry	conglomeratic i.p.. 870.40
REWAN F.M.	900	SS	q					q	lgry	?Thickly bedded. SC clasts at base. 880.77
REWAN F.M.	900	SL	q					q	lgry	?Co frags + carb lam. basal half. 876.00
REWAN F.M.	900	SS	f					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 873.18
REWAN F.M.	900	CG	f					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 871.16
REWAN F.M.	900	SL	q					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 870.40
REWAN F.M.	900	SS	f					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 868.60
REWAN F.M.	900	CG	f					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 867.44
REWAN F.M.	900	SL	q					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 866.30
REWAN F.M.	900	SS	f					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 865.97
REWAN F.M.	900	SL/SS	g					q	lgry	Co frags twds top. Grain supported Co frags + carb lam basal half. 865.34

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Hole : **GSQ Muttaburra 1**

Locality : "Warrandaroo"
ESSO seismic line
W80A-17, sp 4150

Logged by : **T.J.Brain**

Date : **12-14/6/90**

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks			
				Grain size		Bedding	X-bed						
				Sorting	laminated								
			Graphic	mild soft m c vc granule pebble cobble	thin medium flaser lenticular graded small medium large	low-angle	Current lineation Ripplemarks Soft sed. deform. Erosive structure Channeled Burrows/trails	Chemical QFR or Grain type	Minor compn. Matrix/Cement	Flora Fauna	Colour Visible porosity BASE Dip		
REWAN FORMATION		SS/SL		g					Mi				
		SS		f-p				q-s1	Ar	cm lgry	905.69		
	910	SS/SL		g				q-s1		cm lgry gy	SS beds defined by grain size variance. 907.75		
		SS		p				q-s1		cm lgry	SS's are non-calcareous.		
		SL		g				Mi		gy	910.88		
		SS		p				q-s1		lgry cm	V poor φ, V slight Ar matrix SS becomes conglomeratic. 913.16		
		SL		g				Mi		gy	914.40		
		SS		p				q-s1	Ar	lgry cm	CG in pt. few platy gy SL clasts base. 916.00		
		SL		g				Mi		gy	SS content incr. tuffs base. 917.15		
	920	SS		f-p				q	Ar	lgry cm	V. slight Ar matrix V. slight φ, CG in pf 919.63		
REWAN FORMATION		SS		g	"			q-s1		lgry cm	Med - thick bedded V. slight Ar matrix V poor φ.		
		SS		f-p				q		lgry cm	925.04		
	930	SS		g				q		lgry cm	Slight φ, slight Ar matrix. Py nodule at 928.46m.		
		SS/SL		g	:	:		q	Ar	lgry cm	1am gy SL at top 930.85		
		SS		g	:	:		q		lgry cm	932.68		
		SS		g	:	:		q		lgry cm	Platy gy SL clast at base. 934.64		
		SS		g	:	:		q	Mi	lgry	Ab. SL clasts tuffs base 937.68		
		SL		g						lgry	939.34		
	940	SS		g				q	Mi	lgry	Silty lam 939.95 - 940.05m. Brown grains top 1.35m. Carb x lam at 940.69, base. 943.10		
		SS		f-g				q	Ar	lgry	Com co frags top 0.19m. SL clasts ip. 945.26		
950		SL		f-g				Mi		lgry lgry	946.90		
		SS		g				q	Ar	lgry	SS appears thickly bedded. 948.40		
	950	SL/SS		g						lgry lgry	few SS filled burrows.		

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GSQ Muttaburra 1

Hole :

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Date : 14, 15/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures						Composition	Fossils	Remarks		
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed					
				mud	silt		thin	medium	wavy					
BETTS CREEK BEDS.														950.05
			SS								Mi	Ar		
			SS/SL							q-s1	-	-	Igy	
			SS							q-s1	-	-	Igy	S
960			SS							q-s1	-	-	Igy	?
			SS							q	Ar	ca	Igy	S
			CL/CM							q	-	-	Igy	E
			MS/SL							Mi	-	-	bk	Dull + bright banded. 965.50
			SS								-	-	bk	cm at top. Brown mottled. 965.70m. 966.90
			SL								-	-	bk	num carb rip. 967.72
970			SS								-	-	bk	Brown matter at 968.30m. V minor vfl Igy SS lam to. ?bioturbated. 971.14
			SS							q-s1	CaI	Ar	Igy	
			CL								-	-	bk	Dull + br banded. 972.83 - base. Brown mottled in 97 SL at 972.81m 974.66
			SS/SL							q	-	-	bk	com. carb lam. vfl SS's are laminated. 980.14
980			CL/CM								-	-	bk	Dull + br bands. com. lbn matter in coal. ?tuffaceous ms. 982.41
			MS								-	-	bk	Dull/inferior. 983.00
			CL								-	-	bk	Dense inferior eo at top. 985.13
			SL/SS							Mi	-	-	Igy	?
			SS								-	-	Igy	SEAT earth at top. Brown matter tuff top. Bedding is sl. disturbed. 988.43
990			SS							q	Ar	-	Igy	E
			SS							q	Mi	-	Igy	
			SS								-	-	Igy	com carb X lam. 993.44
1000			CL							q	-	-	Igy	V sl. carb matter on r. lam. Co frags 40cm from top. Pebble CG towards base. 999.07
											-	-	bk	Dull coal

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Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks		
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding					
				mud	silt		thin					
BETTS CREEK BEDS.	1010	CL								bk	Broken core, inferior ip. 1001.30	
		SL							x	97 dgy	Vert. joint & H.o. Carb tufts top. 1002.66	
		SS		g	f	laminated	low-angle	thin	Mi Ar	197	Carb material on few X-beds. 1006.70	
		SL		g	f	medium	Current lamination	medium				
		SS		g	f	lenticular	Ripplemarks	wavy-				
		MS		g	f	graded	Soft sed. deform.	lenticular				
		CL		g	f	small	Erosive structure	graded				
		SL		g	f	medium	Churned	small				
		SS		g	f	large	Burrows/trails	large				
							Chemical	low-angle				
							QFR or	current				
							Grain type	laminations				
							Minor compn.	laminations				
							Matrix/Cement	laminations				
							Flora	laminations				
							Fauna	laminations				
							Colour	laminations				
							Visible porosity	laminations				
							BASE	laminations				
							Dip	laminations				
ARAMAC C.M.	1020	CL										
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		CL CM										
		SS SL										
		MS SL										
		SL SS										
		SL SS										
		MS / SL										
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		CL		g	f							
		SL CG		g	f							
		CL SS		g	f							
		SL / SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
		SS		g	f							
1030												
1040												
1050												

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Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures						Composition	Fossils	Remarks			
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding	X-bed	Current lineation						
				clay	silt		thin	medium	flaser	wavy	lenticular	graded	large	low-angle	
		CL	Graphic	SS/SL	g	laminated						q	Ar	1050.02 inf. cl at base. 1050.48	
		SL		g		thin								dgy	1053.10 V. mar SS.
		SS		g	f	medium						q	Mi Ar	1055.22 ?Churned SL at top. Mi on r. carb lam in lf-f SS.	
1060		SS/SL		g		medium								1059.35 1060.15 dgy bc	40 cm dull cl. 1060.96
		SS		g		medium						q	Mi Ar	1063.40 1063.96 m. Disturbed lam.	
		SL		g		medium						q	Ar	1066.461 Dull cl. 1066.461	
		SS		g		medium						q	Mi Ar	1068.02 1068.39	
		CL		SS/SL	g	medium						q	Ar	1070.58 SS ? flaser bedded. SL is lam + SL incl twds top. 1070.58	
1070		SS		g		medium						q-s	Mi Ar	1074.45 - 1074.92 m	
		CG		g	b	medium								1080.49 1081.11 Dull, lbn SL ip.	
		SS		g	b	medium						q	Mi Ar	1082.22 Dgy ms at top.	
		CG		g	b	medium						Li	Mu E	~ nil of Com. mi on r. carb lam.	
		CL		g		medium								1086.49 Dull, lbn SL ip.	
		SL		g		medium								1087.31 11 cm dull cl at top.	
		SS		g		medium						q-s	Mi Ar	1089.10 Com carb r.p. x lam + o.	
1090		1084/SS		g		medium								1092.62 Com cl frags in CG beds.	
		SL		g		medium						q-s	Mi Ar	1094.09 w.r. ign. pbs at base.	
		SS		g		medium								1095.18 Dull cl. Lam. SL twds top.	
		SL		g		medium								1097.47 ?Tuffaceous Seds in part.	
		CL		g		medium								CM - inferior/dull cl in pt.	
		SL CM		g		medium								SL tuffaceous.	
1100		MS		g		medium									

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Date : 19, 20/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures					Composition	Fossils	Remarks			
				Grain size		Sorting								
				Graphic	Textural name		Bedding	X-bed						
				mud	mud		thin							
				soft	soft		medium							
				l	l		faser							
				m	wavy.									
				c	lenticular									
				vc	graded									
				granule	medium									
				pebble	large									
				cobble	low-angle									
					Current /lineation									
					Ripplemarks									
					Soft sed. deforma.									
					Erosive structure									
					Churned									
					Burrows/trails									
					Chemical									
					QFR or Grain type									
					Minor compn.									
					Matrix:Cement									
					Flora									
					Fauna									
					Colour									
					Visible porosity									
					BASE									
					Dip									
ARANAC	COAL MEASURES.													
1140		CL												
		SL												
		SS												
1130		SS												
1120		SS												
1110		SS												
1100		SS												
1090		SS												
1080		SS												
1070		SS												
1060		SS												
1050		SS												

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 Hole : **GSQ Muttaburra 1**

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Date : 21, 22/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures								Composition	Fossils	Remarks		
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed		Current orientation	Ripplemarks	Soft sed. deform.	Erosive structure		
				mud	soft		thin	medium	wavy	lenticular	graded	small	medium	large	low-angle	
ARAMAC COAL MEASURES.																
	1150	SS		g	g	laminated						s1	Ar		Cm & SL clasts frwd. top 1151.13	
	1151	SS		g	.							s1			SL clasts frwd. top 1152.24	
	1152	cm		g	.										cm is bioturbated	
	1153	SS / SL		g	.										SL as thin lam dgy SL is bioturbated in part. 1155.87	
	1154	co SL SS		g	.										17 cm dull coal at top. Fin. wavy. 1157.43	
	1160	SS		g	.										SL lam are disturbed few carb lam. SS appears to loss qtz content. 1161.65	
	1161	Mnr SL		g	.							s1	Ar		SS med-thick l. banded, few carb xlam & mica.	
	1162	SS		g	.										11 cm lam SL at top. Gv SL clasts at 1164.66, 1167.42 m CL lenses L 4mm at 1164.66, 1164.85, 1167.06 m. Gv SL clasts 0.65 + 0.19 m from base. 1171.80	
	1170	CM cl.		g	.										gvy gk G Mnr gty SL 1172.65	
	1171	SS / SL		g	.										1173.79	
	1172	SL		g	.										1174.45	
	1173	SS / SL		g	.										1175.21	
	1180	SS		g	.							s1	Ar		SS is generally thickly bedded. Visible & is Nil. ?EROSIVE base. 1179.63	
	1181	SL		g	.										12 cm dull inferior CL 13 cm from top. 1181.11	
	1182	SS		g	.										Microflora at 1183.9m non SS filled burrows	
	1183	Mnr SL		g	.										com thin-discont. dgy SL lam below bioturbated zone 14 cm lam dgy SL at base. 1187.27	
	1190	SS		g	.							s1	Ar		Thick-massive bedding. Few siltty ms clasts basal 0.35m. 1191.20	
	1191	SL / SS		g	.										25 cm. Bed boundaries not distinct, thickly bedded. 1192.57	
	1192	SS		g	.							s1	Ar		?Root traces top	
	1200	SS		g	.										Thick-massive bedding. 1196.92	

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Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures										Composition	Fossils	Remarks					
				Grain size		Sorting	Bedding		X-bed		Current lineation		Ripplemarks		Soft sed. deform.		Erosive structure				
				mud	silt		thin	medium	flaser	wavy	lenticular	graded	small	medium	large	low-angle	Current	lineation	Churned	Burrows/trails	
ARAMAC c.m.	1200	SS	g																		
	1210	SS	g																		
	1210	CG	f																		
	1210	SL	g																		
	1210	SL	g																		
	1210	SS	g																		
	1210	SL/SS	g																		
JOCHEMUS FORMATION (Copper)	1220	SL	g																		
	1220	mr MS	g																		
	1220	SL	g																		
	1220	SS	g																		
	1220	SL	g																		
	1230	SS	g																		
	1230	SL	g																		
	1230	SS	g																		
	1230	SL	g																		
	1230	SS	g																		
	1240	SL	g																		
	1240	SS	g																		
	1240	ndy SL	g																		
	1250	SS	g																		
	1250	SS	f																		
	1250	SS	fg																		

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GSQ Muttaburra 1

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Date : 23-25/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture		Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks
			Graphic	Textural name	Grain size	Sorting	Bedding	X-bed			
					mid size v f m c vc granule pebble cobble		laminated thin medium flaser wavy lenticular graded shallow medium large low-angle				
		SS		f g					1a f	1gy 1gn	S
		MS		g					Si	gy gn	G
		TF(MS)		g					Ze	rd 1gy cm	rd zoolites. 1255.16.
		SL		g					Ze	rd 1gy cm	rd colour fades tucks top. 1cm cm tf at base. Dist. bedding ip. 1258.35
1260		MS		g					Ze	1gy gr rd	?
		SS		g					Ar	1gy	lensoidal lam depicted by colour variation at 1259.39 m. 1260.97
		SL		g					Si	1gy	Thickly bedded Rd colour ip.. Carb lam 1264.43 m. Tuffaceous matrix ip. 1264.49
1270		SL		g					Si	1gy (ms dgy)	Massive & thin lenticular bedding ip.
		SS		g					Si	1gy	Rd grains in some vf. ss. Com. carb flecks +lo. 1271.48
		SL		g					Si	1gy gr (rd, ip)	SL rd, matting. SL clasts base 1272.70
1280		SS		g					Ar	1gy	Rd tinge tucks top. SL clasts 1274.93 m. Bedding not well defined. Rd grains 1274.62 - .93 m. 1271.05
		SS		g					Ar	1gy	thickly bedded. SL clasts at base. 1279.70
		SL		g					Si	1gy gr	1280.31
		SS		g					Ar	1gy gr	Carb matter ip. Lent. lam 1282.09 - .27 m. Rd colouration 1281.59 - .67 m 1283.27
		SS/SL		g					Si	1gy gr	Plant frags, Redish lam ip. Num ce frags tucks base. 1286.72
		SL		g					Ar	1gy gr	1287.92
1290		SS		g					Si	1gy gr	Bedding poorly developed (churned ip) Tuffaceous at 1289.80 m. 1292.02
		SL		g					Ar	1gy gr	Rd tinge top 54cm. 1293.24
		SS/SL		g					Si	1gy gr	1294.79
		MS/SL		g					Ar	1gy gr	Massive bedding. Bn + wh mica.
1300		SS		f g					Ar	1gy	

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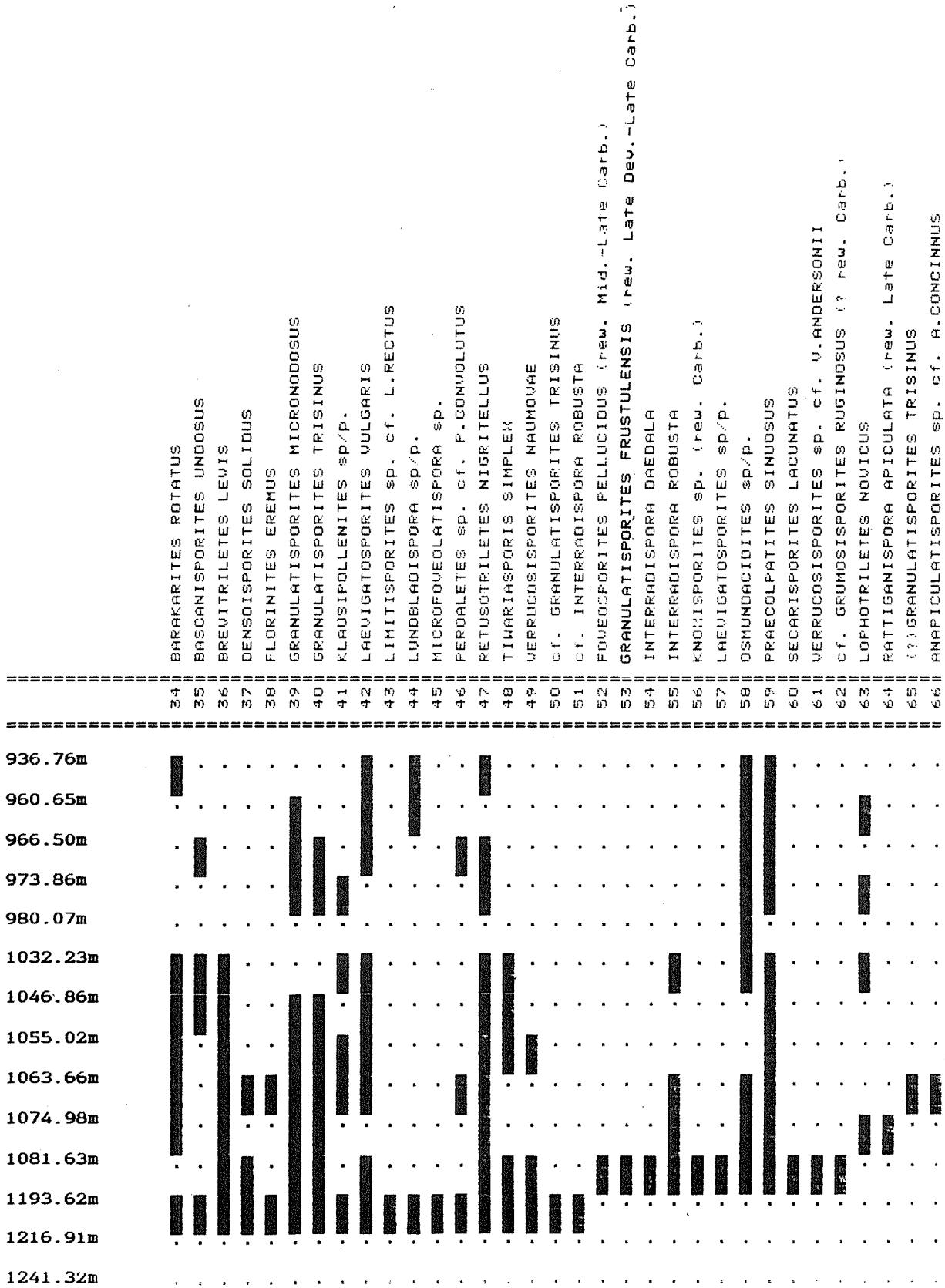
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Date : 25/6/90

Formation	Depth m	Lithology	Texture	Sedimentary structures				Composition	Fossils	Remarks
				Grain size	Bedding	X-bed	Sorting			
Jochimus Fm	1310	• •	SL/SS	mud silt vt f m c vc graveline lenticular cobble	thin medium flaser wavy. lenticular graded small medium large low-angle	Current linearation Ripplemarks Soft sed. deform. Erosive structure Churned Burrows/trails	laminated laminated medium flaser wavy. lenticular graded small medium large low-angle	QFR or Grain type	Minor compon. Matrix/Cement	Flora Fauna Colour Visible porosity BASE
		• •		g	.:.				97,97	?E h Carb lam. 1300.93 Carb frags on bed. 1301.69 10 cm core loss.

**APPENDIX 2: Palynomorph range chart of presence/absence by
lowest appearance in GSQ Muttaburra 1.
(Galilee Basin section)**

936.76m	1 ALISPORITES SP/P.
960.65m	2 CANNANDROFOLLIS SP/P.
966.50m	3 CYCADOPITES FOLLICULARIS
973.86m	4 DELTOIDSPOORA DIRECTA
980.07m	5 INFERTUOPOLLENITES SP/P.
1032.23m	6 PLICATIPOLLENITES SP/P.
1046.86m	7 POTONIEISPORITES SP/P.
1055.02m	8 PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS SP/P.
1063.66m	9 SCHEURINGIPOLLENITES DVATUS
1074.98m	10 ACHANTHOTRILETES TERETEANGULATUS
1081.63m	11 ANAPICULATISPORITES SP. CF. O.ERICIANUS
1193.62m	12 APICULATISPORIS CORNUTUS
1216.91m	13 DIATOMOZONOTRILETES TOWNROWII
1241.32m	14 GONDISPORITES SP/P.
	15 HORRIDOTRILETES RAMOSUS
	16 INDOTIRADITES SP/P.
	17 LIMBOSPORITES SP/P.
	18 MARSUPIPOLLENITES STRIATUS
	19 MARSUPIPOLLENITES TRIRADIATUS
	20 MICROBACULISPORA TENTULA
	21 NEORASTRICKIA SP/P.
	22 PSEUDORETICULATISPOORA PSEUDORETICULATA
	23 PUNCTATISPORITES SP/P.
	24 SCHEURINGIPOLLENITES MAXIMUS
	25 STRIATOBALITES MULTISTRATIATUS
	26 STRIATOPODOCARPITES SP/P.
	27 STRIOMONDSACCITES SP/P.
	28 VERRUCOSISPORITES ANDERSONII
	29 VITREISPORITES SIGNATUS
	30 WEYLANDITES LUCIFER
	31 (?) PHASELISPORITES CICATRICOSUS
	32 (?) PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS
	33 ACHANTHOTRILETES FILIFORMIS



	67	CONVERRUCOSISPORITES PUSTULATUS
	68	DENSISPORITES sp./p.
	69	GONDISPORITES IMBRICATUS
	70	INDOSPORA sp.
	71	LIMITISPORITES MOERENSIS
	72	PHASELISPORITES CICATRICOSUS
	73	STEREISPORITES sp./p.
	74	(?) INTERRADISPORA VERSUS
	75	PSEUDORETICULATISPORA sp. cf. P. PSEUDORETICULATA
	76	TRIADISPORA sp. cf. T. EPIGONA
	77	BREVITRILETES HENNELLYI
	78	DIATOMOZONOTRILETES sp.
	79	GRANULATISPORITES sp. cf. MICROBACULISPORA INDICA
	80	INTERRADISPORA VERSUS
	81	LIMITISPORITES RECTUS
	82	FILASPORITES sp. cf. P. CALCULUS
	83	PLATYSACCUS LESCHIKII
	84	POLYPODIALISPORITES sp. cf. P. MULTICELLUS
	85	PRAECOLPATES sp. cf. P. SINUANSUS
	86	STRIATOPODOCARPITES CANCELLOATUS
	87	VERRUCOSISPORITES sp./p.
	88	c. INTERRADISPORA VERSUS
	89	c. PSEUDORETICULATISPORA PSEUDORETICULATA
	90	BALMEDOSPORA GLIKSONIAE
	91	BIPARTITISPORIS sp. cf. U. TRISECATUS (of Foster), 1979
	92	DIDECITRILETES ERICIANUS
	93	DULHUNTYSPORA INORNATA
	94	INDOSPORA RETICULATA
	95	INTERRADISPORA sp. cf. C. PUSTULATUS
	96	PILASPORITES CALCULUS
	97	PRETRICOLPIPOLLENITES sp.
	98	ACANTHOTRILETES SUPERBUS
936.76m		
960.65m		
966.50m		
973.86m		
980.07m		
1032.23m		
1046.86m		
1055.02m		
1063.66m		
1074.98m		
1081.63m		
1193.62m		
1216.91m		
1241.32m		

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	100	cf. DIDECTRILETES ERICIANUS
	101	ACANTHOTRILETES SP. cf. A. SUPERBUS
	102	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES MORTONII
	103	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS MICROCORPUS
	104	SECARISPORITES SP.
	105	CHORDASPORITES SP./P.
	106	CONCAVISMISPORITES GRUMULUS
	107	CRUSTASPORITES SP.
	108	DENSOISPORITES PLAYFORDII
	109	DIDECTRILETES SP. cf. D. ERICIANUS
	110	INDOSPORA CLARA
	111	LUECKISPORITES SP.
	112	LUNATISPORITES NOVIARULENSIS
	113	LUNATISPORITES NOVIARULENSIS
	114	NEVESISPORITES FOSSULATUS
	115	NEVESISPORITES LIMATULUS
	116	PLAYFORDIHSPORA CRENULATA
	117	REMNISPORA FOVEOLATA
	118	SECARISPORITES SP. cf. S. LACUNATUS
	119	THYMOSPORA IPSUVICENSIS
	120	THYMOSPORA SP. cf. IPSUVICENSIS
	121	TRIPLEWISPORITES PLAYFORDII
	122	cf. NEVESISPORITES FOSSULATUS (cf de Jersey, 1979)
	123	CORNUHITINA SP.
	124	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES HARRISII
	125	GRANULATISPORITES SP. cf. G. MICRONODOSUS
	126	LUNATISPORITES PELLUCIDUS
	127	POLYCYINGULATISPORITES DEJERSEYI
	128	PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS (FORM 2)
	129	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS SAMOILOWITCHII
	130	TUBERCULATOSPORITES SP.
	131	BUTRYDOCCUS SP.
	132	HAPLOCYSTIN PELLUCIDA

	133	LEIOSPHAERIDIUM sp.	
	134	MACULATASPORITES MINIMUS	
	135	TETRAPORINA sp./p.	
	136	MACULATASPORITES AMPLUS	
	137	MACULATASPORITES sp./p.	
	138	BRAZILEA SCISSA	
	139	QUADRISPORITES HORRIDUS	
	140	BRAZILEA PLURIGENUS	
	141	MEHLISPAERIDIUM FIBRATUM	
	142	FELTAGYSTIA sp./p.	
	143	CIRCULISPORITES PARVUS	
	144	MEHLISPAERIDIUM sp.	
936.76m	.	.	936.76m
960.65m	.	.	960.65m
966.50m	■	.	966.50m
973.86m	■	.	973.86m
980.07m	■	.	980.07m
1032.23m	■	.	1032.23m
1046.86m	■	.	1046.86m
1055.02m	■	.	1055.02m
1063.66m	■	.	1063.66m
1074.98m	■	.	1074.98m
1081.63m	■	.	1081.63m
1193.62m	■	.	1193.62m
1216.91m	■	.	1216.91m
1241.32m	■	.	1241.32m

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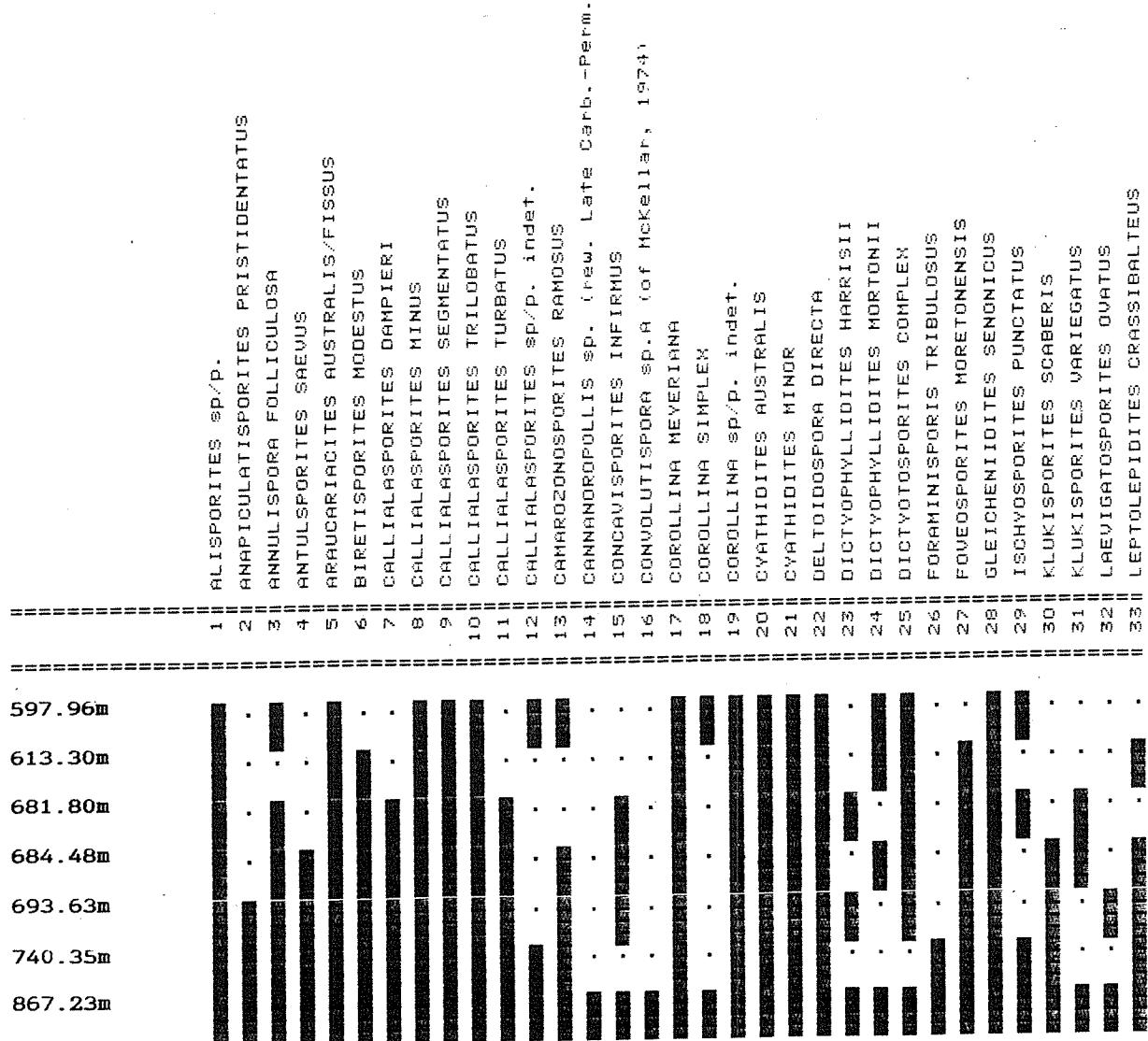
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74	(?) INTERRADISPORA VERSUS
31	(?) PHASELISPORITES CICATRICOSUS
32	(?) PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS
33	ACANTHOTRILETES FILIFORMIS
98	ACANTHOTRILETES SUPERBUS
10	ACANTHOTRILETES TERETEANGULATUS
101	ACANTHOTRILETES sp. cf. A. SUPERBUS
1	ALISPORITES sp/p.
66	ANAPICULATISPORITES sp. cf. A. CONCINNUS
11	ANAPICULATISPORITES sp. cf. D. ERICIANUS
12	APICULATISPORIS CORNUTUS
90	BALMEOSPORA GLIKSONIAE
34	BARAKARITES ROTATUS
35	BASCANISPORITES UNDOSUS
91	BIPARTITISPORIS sp. cf. V. TRISECATUS (of Foster, 1979)
131	BOTRYOCOCCUS sp.
140	BRAZILEA PLURIGENUS
138	BRAZILEA SCISSA
77	BREVITRILETES HENNELLYI
36	BREVITRILETES LEVIS
2	CANNANOROPOLLIS sp/p.
105	CHORDASPORITES sp/p.
143	CIRCULISPORITES PARVUS
106	CONCAVISSIMISPORITES GRUMULUS
67	CONVERRUCOSISPORITES PUSTULATUS
123	CORDAITINA sp.
107	CRUSTAESPORITES sp.
3	CYCADOPITES FOLLICULARIS
4	DELTOIDOSPORA DIRECTA
108	DENOISPORITES PLAYFORDII
37	DENOISPORITES SOLIDUS
68	DENOISPORITES sp/p.
13	DIATOMOZONOTRILETES TOWNROWII
78	DIATOMOZONOTRILETES sp.
124	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES HARRISII
102	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES MORTONII
92	DIDECTRILETES ERICIANUS
109	DIDECTRILETES sp. cf. D. ERICIANUS
93	DULHUNTYISPORA INORNATA
99	DULHUNTYISPORA PARVITHOLUS
38	FLORINITES EREMUS
52	FOVEOSPORITES PELLUCIDUS (rew. Mid. -Late Carb.)
69	GONDISPORITES IMBRICATUS
14	GONDISPORITES sp/p.
53	GRANULATISPORITES FRUSTULENSIS (rew. Late Dev.-Late Carb.)
39	GRANULATISPORITES MICRONODOSUS
40	GRANULATISPORITES TRISINUS
125	GRANULATISPORITES sp. cf. G. MICRONODOSUS
79	GRANULATISPORITES sp. cf. MICROBACULISPORA INDICA
132	HAPLOCYSTIA PELLUCIDA
15	HORRIDITRILETES RAMOSUS
5	INAPERTUROPOLLENITES sp/p.

INDEX NUMBER	SPECIES
110	INDOSPORA CLARA
94	INDOSPORA RETICULATA
70	INDOSPORA sp.
16	INDOTRIRADITES sp/p.
54	INTERRADISPORA DAEDALA
55	INTERRADISPORA ROBUSTA
80	INTERRADISPORA VERSUS
95	INTERRADISPORA sp. cf. C. PUSTULATUS
41	KLAUSIPOLLENITES sp/p.
56	KNOXISPORITES sp. (rew. Carb.)
42	LAEVIGATOSPORITES VULGARIS
57	LAEVIGATOSPROITES sp/p.
133	LEIOSPHAERIDIA sp.
17	LIMBOSPORITES sp/p.
71	LIMITISPORITES MOERENSIS
81	LIMITISPORITES RECTUS
43	LIMITISPORITES sp. cf. L. RECTUS
63	LOPHOTRILETES NOVICUS
111	LUECKISPORITES sp.
112	LUNATISPORITES NOVIAULENSIS
126	LUNATISPORITES PELLUCIDUS
113	LUNATISP RRITES sp/p.
44	LUNDBLADISPORA sp/p.
136	MACULATASPORITES AMPLUS
134	MACULATASPORITES MINIMUS
137	MACULATASPORITES sp/p.
18	MARSUPIPOLLENITES STRIATUS
19	MARSUPIPOLLENITES TRIRADIATUS
141	MEHLISPHAERIDIUM FIBRATUM
144	MEHLISPHAERIDIUM sp.
20	MICROBACULISPORA TENTULA
45	MICROFOVEOLATISPORA sp.
21	NEORAISTRICKIA sp/p.
114	NEVESISPORITES FOSSULATUS
115	NEVESISP RITES LIMATULUS
58	OSMUNDACIDITES sp/p.
142	PELTACYSTIA sp/p.
46	PEROALETES sp. cf. P. CONVOLUTUS
72	PHASELISPORITES CICATRICOSUS
96	PILASPORITES CALCULUS
82	PILASPORITES sp. cf. P. CALCULUS
83	PLATYSACCUS LESCHIKII
116	PLAYFORDIASPORA CRENULATA
6	PLICATIPOLLENITES sp/p.
127	POLYCINGULATISPORITES DEJERSEYI
84	POLYPODIISPORITES sp. cf. P. MUTABILIS
7	POTONIEISPORITES sp/p.
59	PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS
128	PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS (?FORM 21)
85	PRAECOLPATITES sp. cf. P. SINUOSUS
97	PRETRICOLPIPOLLENITES sp.
103	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS MICROCORPUS
129	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS SAMOLOVITCHII
8	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS sp/p.
22	PSEUDORETICULATISPORA PSEUDORETICULATA

INDEX NUMBER	SPECIES
75	PSEUDORETICULATISPORA sp. cf. P. PSEUDORETICULATA
23	PUNCTATISPORITES sp/p.
139	QUADRISPORITES HORRIDUS
64	RATTIGANSPORA APICULATA (rew. Late Carb.)
47	RETUSORTILETES NIGRITELLUS
117	REWANISPORA FOVEOLATA
24	SCHEURINGIPOLLENITES MAXIMUS
9	SCHEURINGIPOLLENITES OVATUS
60	SECARISPORITES LACUNATUS
104	SECARISPORITES sp.
118	SECARISPORITES sp. cf. S. LACUNATUS
73	STEREISPORITES sp/p.
25	STRIATOABIEITES MULTISTRIATUS
86	STRIATOPODOCARPIES CANCELATUS
26	STRIATOPODOCARPIES sp/p.
27	STRIOMONOSACCITES sp/p.
135	TETRAPORINA sp/p.
119	THYMOSPORA IPSVICIENSIS
120	THYMOSPORA sp. cf. IPSVICIENSIS
48	TIWARIASPORIS SIMPLEX
76	TRIADISPORA sp. cf. T. EPIGONA
121	TRIPLEXISPORITS PLAYFORDII
130	TUBERCULATOSPRORITES sp.
28	VERRUCOSISPORITES ANDERSONII
49	VERRUCOSISPORITES NAUMOVAE
61	VERRUCOSISPORITES sp. cf. V. ANDERSONII
87	VERRUCOSISPORITES sp/p.
29	VITREISPORITS SIGNATUS
30	WEYLANDITES LUCIFER
100	cf. DIDECTRILETES ERICIANUS
50	cf. GRANULATISPORITES TRISINUS
62	cf. GRUMOSISPORITES RUGINOSUS (? rew. Carb.)
51	cf. INTERRADISPORA ROBUSTA
88	cf. INTERRADISPORA VERSUS
122	cf. NEVESISPORITS FOSSULATUS (of de Jersey, 1979)
89	cf. PSEUDORETICULATISPORA PSEUDORETICULATA

**APPENDIX 3: Palynomorph range chart of presence/absence by
lowest appearance in GSQ Muttaburra 1.
(Eromanga Basin section)**



	34	LEPTOLEPIDITES VERRUCATUS
	35	NEORAI STRICKIA ELONGATA
	36	NEORAI STRICKIA SURATENSIS
	37	NEORAI STRICKIA SP. B
	38	NEORAI STRICKIA SP. D
	39	NEORAI STRICKIA SP./P. indet.
	40	OSMUNDACIDITES WELLMANII
	41	PERINOPOLLENITES ELATOIDES
	42	PERDALETTES ALLENII
	43	PODOCARPIDITES SP./P.
	44	PODOSSPORITES VARIABILIS
	45	POLYCYNGULATISPORITES CRENULATUS
	46	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS SP./P. (rew. Late Carb.-Perm.)
	47	RETITRILETES AUSTRALIAVITIDITES
	48	RETITRILETES CIRCOLUMENUS
	49	RETITRILETES HUTTONENSIS
	50	RETITRILETES ROSEWOODENSIS
	51	RETITRILETES SEMIMURIS
	52	RETITRILETES SP./P. indet.
	53	ROGALSKIISPORITES CICATRICOSUS
	54	STAPLINISPORITES CAMINUS
	55	STEREISPORITES ANTIQUASPORITES
	56	STEREISPORITES PSILATUS
	57	STRIATELLA SP./P. indet.
	58	Striatiti indet. (rew. Late Carb.-Perm.)
	59	TODISPORITES MINOR
	60	TRILOBOSPORITES ANTIQUUS
	61	VERRUCOSISPORITES VARIANS
	62	VITREISPORITES SIGNATUS
597.96m		
613.30m		
681.80m		
684.48m		
693.63m		
740.35m		
867.23m		
	63	aff. RUGULATISPORITES SP. (cf. McKellar, 1974)
	64	HEQUITIRADITES NORRISII
	65	ANAPICULATISPORITES DAWSONENSIS
	66	ANNULISPORA MICROANNULATA

597.96m	67	ANTULSPORTITES sp. cf. A.VARIGRANULATUS
613.30m	68	ANTULSPORTITES sp.p. (of McKellar, 1974)
681.80m	69	BACULATISPORTITES COMAUMENSIS
684.48m	70	CALLIALASPORTITES sp. cf. C.SEGMENTATUS
693.63m	71	CONCHIASSIMISPORITES PUNCTATUS
740.35m	72	CONTIGNISPORTITES GLEBULENTUS
867.23m	73	CONTIGNISPORTITES sp. cf. C.COOKSONIAE
	74	CONTIGNISPORTITES sp.p. indet.
	75	COROLLINA TOROSA
	76	CYCADOPITES FOLLICULARIS
	77	INDUSISPORITES PARVISACCATUS
	78	KRAEUSELISPORITES WHITFORDENSIS
	79	LYCOPODIACIOTITES ASPERATUS
	80	MARSUPIFOLLENITES STRIATUS (rew. Perm.)
	81	MATONISPORITES CRASSIANGULATUS
	82	MUROSPORA FLORIDA
	83	NEORAHISTRICKIA TRUNCATA
	84	NEVESISPORITES VALLATUS
	85	RETITRILETES FACETUS
	86	RETITRILETES NODOSUS
	87	ROGALSKAISPORITES CANALICULUS
	88	RUBINELLA MAJOR
	89	RUGULATISPORITES NEUQUENENSIS
	90	STAPLINISPORITES MANIFESTUS
	91	VELDOSPORITES TRIQUETRUS
	92	"CONCAUSSIMISPORITES" INFORMIS
	93	(?) MUROSPORA FLORIDA
	94	ANNULISPORA sp.p.A
	95	CONCHIASSIMISPORITES VERRUCOSUS
	96	CORONATISPOREA PERFORATA
	97	CORONATISPOREA TELATA
	98	DENDROSPORITES MELATUS
	99	DICTYOTOSPORITES PSEUDOPHYLLANTHUS

	100	ISCHYOSPORITES VOLKHEIMERI
	101	JANUASPORITES MULTISPINUS
	102	KLUKISPORITES LACUNUS
	103	KLUKISPORITES sp. cf. K. VARIEGATUS
	104	LYCOPODIACIDITES sp. cf. L. ASPERATUS
	105	MICROACHYRIDITES ANTARCTICUS
	106	Monoasaccites indet. (rew. Late Carb. ~Perm.)
	107	NEORHISTRICKIA EQUALIS
	108	NEORHISTRICKIA TRICHOSEA
	109	POLYPODIISPORITES IPSUVIENSIS
	110	RETITRILETES EMINULUS
	111	RETITRILETES WATHEROENSIS
	112	RETITRILETES sp. D
	113	RETITRILETES sp. E
	114	SESTROSPIRITES PSEUDOVALVEOLATUS
	115	STEREISPORITES FOGOKII
	116	STRIGELLA SEEBERGENSIS
	117	VELOSPORITES sp. B cf. V. TRIQUETRUS
	118	CONCAVIMISSISPORITES sp. D
	119	CONTIGNISPORITES BURGERI
	120	DICTYOPHYLLIDIITES EQUIERINUS
	121	NEORHISTRICKIA LEVENSIS
597.96m	122	PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS (rew. Perm.)
613.30m	123	PSEUDORETICULATISPORA PSEUDORETICULATA (rew. Perm.)
681.80m	124	RETITRILETES sp. cf. R. WATHEROENSIS
684.48m	125	RETITRILETES sp. I
693.63m	126	STEREISPORITES sp. A
740.35m	127	UVASEPORITES sp. A
867.23m	128	ANNULISPORA sp./p. indet.
	129	CICATRICOSISPORITES HUGHESII
	130	CICATRICOSISPORITES LUDBROOKIAE
	131	CICATRICOSISPORITES sp. cf. C. LUDBROOKIAE
	132	CICATRICOSISPORITES sp./p. indet.

	133	CONTIGNISPORITES COOKSONIAE
	134	CONTIGNISPORITES CRENATUS
	135	FORAMINISPORITES DAILYI
	136	FOVEOSPORITES CANALIS
	137	IMPARDECISPORA APIVERRUCATA
	138	MARRATTISPORITES SCABRATUS
	139	POLYPODIIDITES HORRIDUS
	140	STEREISPORITES REGIUS
	141	UVASEPORITES VERRUCOSUS
	142	AEGUITRIRADITES VERRUCOSUS
	143	AEGUITRIRADITES sp./p. indet.
	144	CICATRICOSISPORITES AUSTRALIENSIS
	145	CONTIGNISPORITES sp. cf. C. GLEBULENTUS
	146	POLYINGULATISPORITES CLAVUS
	147	RETICULOIDSISPORITES ARCUS
	148	ROUSEISPORITES RETICULATUS
	149	STEREISPORITES sp./p.
	150	STOVERISPORITES LUNARIS
597.96m		151 TRILITES sp. cf. T. TUBERCULIFORMIS
		152 cf. NEVESISPORITES SP.B
		153 CYCLOSPORITES HUGHESII
		154 DULHUNTYISPORA PARVITHOLA (rew. Late Perm.)
		155 FORAMINISPORIS sp. cf. F. WONTHAGGIENSIS
		156 LYCOPODIUMSPORITES SOLIDUS
		157 PILOSISPORITES sp. cf. P. INGRAMII
		158 POLYINGULATISPORITES sp.
		159 RETICULATISPORITES PUDENS
		160 RETITRILETES DOUGLASII
		161 VELOSPORITES sp.C cf. V. TRIQUETRUS
		162 BOTRYOCOCUS sp.
		163 LEIOSPHAERIDIA sp./p.
		164 SIGMOPOLLIS sp. cf. S. CARBONIS
		165 "CYCLONEPHELIUM" ASYMMETRICUM
613.30m		
681.80m		
684.48m		
693.63m		
740.35m		
867.23m		

	166	APTEA ATTADALICA
	167	APTEDODINUM SP.
	168	BATIACASPHAERA MACROGRANULATA
	169	BATIACASPHAERA SP.
	170	BATIOLADINUM MICROPODUM (?)
	171	CALLAIOSPHAERIDUM SP.
	172	CASSICULOSPHAERIDIA DELICATA
	173	CASSICULOSPHAERIDIA MAGNA (?)
	174	CHLAMYDOPHORELLA AMBIGUA
	175	CHLAMYDOPHORELLA NYEI
	176	CIRCULODINUM COLLIVERI
	177	CLEISTOSPHAERIDUM SP.
	178	DINGODINUM CERVICULUM
	179	DISSILIODINUM SP.
	180	FROMEA AMPHORA
	181	GARDODINUM TRABECULOSUM
	182	GONYULACYSTA DIAPHANIS
	183	GONYULACYSTA EDWARDSSII
	184	GONYULACYSTA HELICOIDEA
	185	HETEROSPHAERIDUM HETERACANTHUM
	186	HETEROSPHAERIDUM SP.
	187	HYSTRICHODINUM SP.
	188	HYSTRICHOGONYAULAX SP.
	189	KALLOSPHAERIDUM ROMENNIS
	190	KALYPTEA MONOCERAS
	191	LEPTODINUM SP.
	192	MEIOUROGONYAULAX SP.
	193	MUDERONGIA AUSTRALIS
	194	MUDERONGIA TETRACHANTA
	195	MUDERONGIA SP.
	196	ODONTOCHITINA OPERCULATA
	197	OLIGOSPHAERIDUM ANTHOPHORUM
	198	OLIGOSPHAERIDUM DICTYOPHORUM
597.96m		
613.30m		
681.80m		
684.48m		
693.63m		
740.35m		
867.23m		

	199	PAREDDINIA CERATOPHORA	
	200	PARVULODINUM sp.	
	201	PTERODINUM sp.	
	202	SCRINIODINUM sp.	
	203	SENTUSIDINUM APTIENSE	
	204	SENTUSIDINUM HYSTRIX--PILOSA group	
	205	SPINIFERITES RAMOSUS	
	206	TRICHOEDINUM INTERMEDIUM	
	207	TRICHOEDINUM sp.	
	208	c.f. APTEDODINUM GRANULATUM	
	209	c.f. ASCODINUM sp.	
	210	c.f. CRIBROPERIDINUM ASAROTUM	
	211	c.f. CRIBROPERIDINUM PERFORANS	
	212	c.f. DINGODINUM JURASSICUM	
	213	c.f. FUSIFORMACYSTA sp.	
	214	c.f. LEPTODINUM SIMPLEX	
	215	BALTISPHAERIDIUM sp./p.	
	216	CIRCULISPORITES PARVUS	
	217	MICRHYSTIDIUM sp./p.	
	218	PTEROSPERMELLA AUSTRALIENSIS	
	219	VERYHACHIUM sp./p.	
597.96m			597.96m
613.30m			613.30m
681.80m			681.80m
684.48m			684.48m
693.63m			693.63m
740.35m			740.35m
867.23m			867.23m

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165	"CYCLONEPHELIUM" ASYMMETRICUM
93	(?) MUROSPORA FLORIDA
64	AEQUITRIRADITES NORRISII
142	AEQUITRIRADITES VERRUCOSUS
143	AEQUITRIRADITES sp/p. indet.
1	ALISPORITES sp/p.
65	ANAPICULATISPORITES DAWSONENSIS
2	ANAPICULATISPORITES PRISTIDENTATUS
3	ANNULISPORA FOLLICULOSA
66	ANNULISPORA MICROANNULATA
94	ANNULISPORA sp.A
128	ANNULISPORA sp/p. indet.
4	ANTULISPORITES SAEVUS
67	ANTULISPORITES sp. cf. A. VARIGRANULATUS
68	ANTULISPORITES sp.A. (of Mckellar, 1974)
166	APTEA ATTADALICA
167	APTEODINIUM sp.
5	ARAUCARIACITES AUSTRALIS/FISSUS
69	BACULATISPORITES COMAUMENSIS
215	BALTISPHAERIDIUM sp/p.
168	BATIACASPHAERA MACROGRANULATA
169	BATIACASPHAERA sp.
170	BATIOLADINIUM MICROPODUM(?)
6	BIRETISPORITES MODESTUS
162	BOTRYOCOCCUS sp.
171	CALLAIOSPHAERIDIUM sp.
7	CALLIALASPORITES DAMPIERI
8	CALLIALASPORITES MINUS
9	CALLIALASPORITES SEGMENTATUS
10	CALLIALASPORITES TRILOBATUS
11	CALLIALASPORITES TURBATUS
70	CALLIALASPORITES sp. cf. C. SEGMENTATUS
12	CALLIALASPORITES sp/p. indet.
13	CAMAROZONOSPORITES RAMOSUS
14	CANNANOPOLLIS sp. (rew. Late Carb.-Perm.)
172	CASSICULOSPHAERIDIA DELICATA
173	CASSICULOSPHAERIDIA MAGNA(?)
174	CHLAMYDOPHORELLA AMBIGUA
175	CHLAMYDOPHORELLA NYEI
144	CICATRICOSISPORITES AUSTRALIENSIS
129	CICATRICOSISPORITES HUGHESII
130	CICATRICOSISPORITES LUDBROOKIAE
131	CICATRICOSISPORITES sp. cf. C. LUDBROOKIAE
132	CICATRICOSISPORITES sp/p. indet.
216	CICULISPORITES PARVUS
176	CIRCULODINIUM COLLIVERI
177	CLEISTOSPHAERIDIUM sp.
15	CONCAVISPORITES INFIRMUS
71	CONCAVISSIMISPORITES PUNCTATUS
95	CONCAVISSIMISPORITES VERRUCOSUS
118	CONCAVISSIMISPORITES sp.D
119	CONTIGINISPORITES BURGERI

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133	CONTIGNISPORITES COOKSONIAE
134	CONTIGNISPORITES CRENUSTUS
72	CONTIGNISPORITES GLEBULENTUS
73	CONTIGNISPORITES sp. cf. C. COOKSONIAE
145	CONTIGNISPORITES sp. cf. C. GLEBULENTUS
74	CONTIGNISPORITES sp/p. indet.
16	CONVOLUTISPORA sp.A. (of McKellar, 1974)
17	COROLLINA MEYERIANA
18	COROLLINA SIMPLEX
75	COROLLINA TOROSA
19	COROLLINA sp/p. indet.
96	CORONATISPORA PERFORATA
97	CORONATISPORA TELATA
20	CYATHIDITES AUSTRALIA
21	CYATHIDITES MINOR
76	CYCADOPITES FOLLICULARIS
153	CYCLOSPORITES HUGHESII
22	DELTOIDOSPORA DIRECTA
98	DENSOISPORITES VELATUS
120	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES EQUIEXINUS
23	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES HARRISII
24	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES MORTONII
25	DICTYOPHYLLIDITES COMPLEX
99	DICTYOTOSPORITES PSEUDOPHYLLANTHUS
178	DINGODINIUM CERVICULUM
179	DISSILIODINIUM sp.
154	DULHUNTYISPORA PARVITHOLA (rew. Late Perm.)
135	FORAMINISPORIS DAILYI
26	FORAMINISPORIS TRIBULOSUS
155	FORAMINISPORIS sp. cf. F. WONTHAGGIENSIS
136	FOVEOSPORITES CANALIS
27	FOVEOSPORITES MORETONENSIS
180	FROMEA AMPHORA
181	GARDODINIUM TRABECULOSUM
28	GLEICHENIIDITES SENONICUS
182	GONYAULACYSTA DIAPHANIS
183	GONYAULACYSTA EDWARDSII
184	GONYAULACYSTA HELICOIDEA
185	HETEROSPHAERIDIUM HETERACANTHUM
186	HETEROSPHAERIDIUM sp.
187	HYSTRICHODINIUM sp.
188	HYSTRICHOGONYAULAX sp.
137	IMPARDECISPORA APIVERRUCATA
77	INDUSISPORITES PARVISACCATUS
29	ISCHYOSPORITES PUNCTATUS
100	ISCHYOSPORITES VOLKHEIMERI
101	JANUASPORITES MULTISPINUS
189	KALLOSPHAERIDIUM ROMAENSIS
190	KALYPTEA MONOCERAS
102	KLUKISPORITES LACUNUS
30	KLUKISPORITES SCABERIS
31	KLUKISPORITES VARIEGATUS
103	KLUKISPORITES sp. cf. K. VARIEGATUS
78	KRAEUSELISPORITES WHITFORDENSIS
32	LAEVIGATOSPORITES OVATUS

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163	LEIOSPHAERIDIA sp/p.
191	LEPTODINIUM sp.
33	LEPTOLEPIDITES CRASSIBALTEUS
34	LEPTOLEPIDITES VERRUCATUS
79	LYCOPODIACIDITES ASPERATUS
104	LYCOPODIACIDITES sp. cf. L. ASPERATUS
156	LYCOPODIUMSPORITES SOLIDUS
138	MARATTISPORITES SCABRATUS
80	MARSUPIPOLLENITES STRIATUS (rew. Perm.)
81	MATONISPORITES CRASSIANGULATUS
192	MEIOUROGONYAULAX sp.
217	MICRYHSTRIDIUM sp/p.
105	MICROCACHYRIDITES ANTARCTICUS
193	MUDERONGIA AUSTRALIS
194	MUDERONGIA TETRACANTHA
195	MUDERONGIA sp.
82	MUROSPORA FLORIDA
106	Monosaccites indet. (rew. Late Carb.-Perm.)
35	NEORAISTRICKIA ELONGATA
107	NEORAISTRICKIA EQUALIS
121	NEORAISTRICKIA LEVIDENSIS
36	NEORAISTRICKIA SURATENSIS
108	NEORAISTRICKIA TRICHOSA
83	NEORAISTRICKIA TRUNCATA
37	NEORAISTRICKIA sp.B
38	NEORAISTRICKIA sp.D
39	NEORAISTRICKIA sp/p. indet.
84	NEVESISPORITES VALLATUS
196	ODONTOCHITINA OPERCULATA
197	OLIGOSPHAERIDIUM ANTHOPHORUM
198	OLIGOSPHAERIDIUM DICTYOPHORUM
40	OSMUNDACIDITES WELLMANII
199	PAREODINIA CERATOPHORA
200	PARVULODINIUM sp.
41	PERINOPOLLENITES ELATOIDES
42	PEROALETES ALLENII
157	PILOSISPORITES sp. cf. P. INGRAMII
43	PODOCARPIDITES sp/p.
44	PODOSPORITES VARIABILIS
146	POLYCINGULATISPORITES CLAVUS
45	POLYCINGULATISPORITES CRENULATUS
158	POLYCINGULATISPORITES sp.
139	POLYPODIIDITES HORRIDUS
109	POLYPODIISPORITES ISPVICIENSIS
122	PRAECOLPATITES SINUOSUS (rew. Perm.)
46	PROTOHAPLOXYPINUS sp/p. (rew. Late Carb.-Perm.)
123	PSEUDORETICULATISPORA PSEUDORETICULATA (rew. Perm.)
201	PTERODINIUM sp.
218	PTEROSPERMELLA AUSTRALIENSIS
159	RETICULATISPORITES PUDENS
147	RETICULOIDSPORES ARCUS
47	RETITRILETES AUSTROCLAVATIDITES
48	RETITRILETES CIRCOLUMENUS
160	RETITRILETES DOUGLASII
110	RETITRILETES EMINULUS

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49	RETITRILETES HUTTONENSIS
86	RETITRILETES NODOSUS
50	RETITRILETES ROSEWOODENSIS
51	RETITRILETES SEMIMURIS
111	RETITRILETES WATHEROOENSIS
124	RETITRILETES sp. cf. R. WATHEROOENSIS
112	RETITRILETES sp.D
113	RETITRILETES sp.E
125	RETITRILETES sp.I
52	RETITRILETES sp/p. indet.
87	ROGALSKAISPORITES CANALICULUS
53	ROGALSKAISPORITES CICATRICOSUS
148	ROUSEISPORITES RETICULATUS
88	RUBINELLA MAJOR
89	RUGULATISPORITES NEUQUENENSIS
202	SCRINIODIUM sp.
203	SENTUSIDINIUM APTIENSE
204	SENTUSIDINIUM HUSTRIC-PILOSA group
114	SESTROSPORITES PSEUDOALVEOLATUS
164	SIGMOPOLLIS sp. cf. S. CARBONIS
205	SPINIFERITES RAMOSUS
54	STAPLINISPORITES CAMINUS
90	STAPLINISPORITES MANIFESTUS
55	STEREISPORITES ANTIQUASPORITES
115	STEREISPORITES POCOCKII
56	STEREISPORITES PSILATUS
140	STEREISPORITES REGIUS
126	STEREISPORITES sp.A
149	STEREISPORITES sp/p.
150	STOVERISPORITES LUNARIS
116	STRIATELLA SEEBERGENSIS
57	STRIATELLA sp/p. indet
58	Striatiti indet. (rew. Late Carb.-Perm.)
59	TODISPROITES MINOR
206	TRICHODINIUM INTERMEDIUM
207	TRICHODINIUM sp.
151	TRILITES sp. cf. T. TUBERCULIFORMIS
60	TRILOBOSPROITES ANTIQUUS
141	UVAESPORITES VERRUCOSUS
127	UVAESPORITES sp.A
91	VELOSPROITES TRIQUETRUS
117	VELOSPORITES sp.B cf. V. TRIQUETRUS
161	VELOSPORITES sp.C. cf. V. TRIQUETRUS
61	VERRUCOSISPORITES VARIANS
219	VERYHACHIUM sp/p.
62	VITREISPORITES SIGNATUS
63	aff. RUGULATISPORITES sp. (of McKellar, 1974)
208	cf. APTEODINIUM GRANULATUM
209	cf. ASCODINIUM sp.
210	cf. CRIBROPERIDINIUM ASAROTUM
211	cf. CRIBROPERIDINIUM PERFORANS
212	cf. DINGODINIUM JURASSICUM
213	cf. FUSIFORMACYSTA sp.
214	cf. LEPTODIUM SIMPLEX
152	cf. NEVESISPORITES sp.B

**APPENDIX 4: Guidelines for evaluating vitrinite reflectance
and pyrolysis data.**

TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON (TOC)

TOC CONCENTRATION Mass %	RICHNESS
0.1 - 0.5	Lean (non-source)
0.5 - 1.0	Fair (marginal)
1.0 - 2.0	Average (good)
2.0 - 4.0	Above average (rich)
> 4.0	Excellent

* From Ower & Cooper (1982) and ANALABS (1983)

VOLATILE HYDROCARBONS (S1)

S1 (mg HC/g rock)	CLASSIFICATION
0.0 - 0.2	Poor
0.2 - 0.4	Fair
0.4 - 0.8	Good
0.8 - 1.6	Very good
> 1.6	Excellent

* From unpublished ANALABS (WA) guide: Theory and methods

HYDROCARBON GENERATING POTENTIAL

S2 (mg HC/g rock)	CLASSIFICATION
0.0 - 2.5	Poor
2.5 - 5.0	Fair
5.0 - 10.0	Good
> 10.0	Very good

* From Peters (1986)

POTENTIAL YIELD (S1+S2)

S1+S2 (mg HC/g rock)	CLASSIFICATION
0.00 - 1.00	Poor
1.00 - 2.00	Marginal
2.00 - 6.00	Moderate
6.00 - 10.00	Good
10.00 - 20.00	Very good
> 20.00	Excellent

* From unpublished Analabs (W.A.) guide: Theory and Methods

QUALITY INDEX (S2/S3)

S2/S3	TYPE OF HYDROCARBON
0 - 3	Gas
3 - 5	Gas and Oil
> 5	Oil

* From Peters (1986)

HYDROGEN INDEX (HI)

HI (mg HC/g Rock)	TYPE OF HYDROCARBON
0 - 150	Gas
150 - 300	Gas and Oil
> 300	Oil

* From Peters (1986)

PRODUCTION INDEX (PI)

PI	LEVEL OF MATURITY
< 0.1	Immature
0.1 - 0.4	Mature
> 0.4	Over Mature

* From unpublished Analabs (W.A.) guide: Theory and Methods

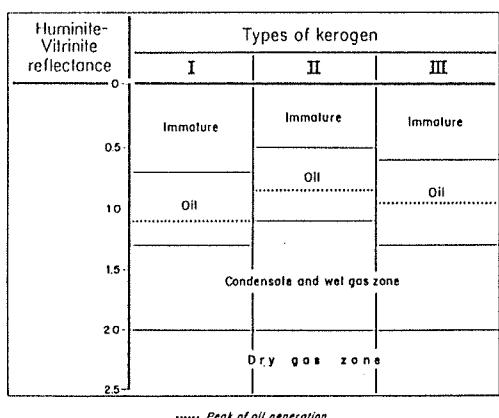
Kerogen Classification Scheme (Ower & Cooper, 1982):

Type I = alginite
 Type II = liptinite
 Type IIIa = vitrinite
 Type IIIb = inertinite

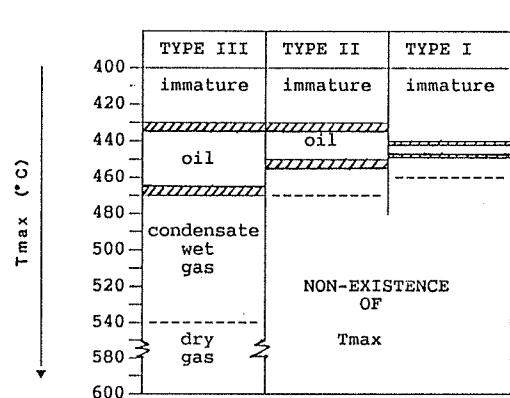
MATURATION LEVEL

VITRINITE REFLECTANCE Rv %	STAGES OF KEROGEN EVOLUTION FOR TYPE II
0.4-0.5	Inception of catagenesis (oil generation)
0.7	Inception of peak oil generation
0.9-1.1	Peak oil concentration in source, major oil migration from source
1.5	Top of wet gas zone
2.0	Top of dry gas zone
3.0	Top of rock metamorphism, hydrocarbon limit

* From Ower & Cooper (1982)



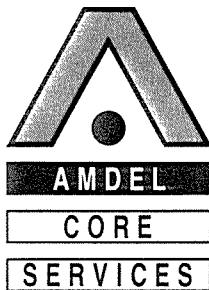
Maturation zones in terms of vitrinite reflectance and kerogen types (Tissot & Welte, 1978)



Maturation zones in terms of Tmax and kerogen types (Espitalie & others, 1985)

APPENDIX 5: Conventional core analysis

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Brisbane**



26 September 1990

Department of Resource Industries
GPO Box 194
BRISBANE QLD 4000

Attention: T A Noon

REPORT: 002/116

CLIENT REFERENCE: Order No 49304

MATERIAL: Muttaburra #1

LOCALITY: GSQ

WORK REQUIRED: Conventional Core Analysis

Please direct technical enquiries regarding this work to the signatory below (phone (07) 355 7033), under whose supervision the work was carried out.

BILL DERKSEMA
Laboratory Supervisor
on behalf of Amdel Core Services Pty Ltd

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Attention: T A Noon

FINAL DATA REPORT - CONVENTIONAL CORE ANALYSIS

REPORT: 002/116 - MUTTABURRA #1

Selected samples from Muttaburra #1, Department of Resource Industries were received at AmdeI Core Services, Brisbane Laboratory.

The following report includes tabular data of permeability to air, helium injection porosity, and density determinations. Data presented graphically includes a porosity versus permeability to air plot.

The data contained in this report has been derived by the following methods:

1. PLUG CUTTING & DRYING

Two 1" diameter plugs were taken using tap water as the bit lubricant. One plug was taken parallel to the bedding plane and the second plug in the vertical direction with respect to core orientation. Samples were trimmed square and offcuts retained. The plugs were dried in a controlled humidity environment at temperatures not exceeding 100°C and stored in an airtight plastic container and allowed to cool to room temperature.

2. PERMEABILITY TO AIR

A plug sample is used for this measurement and is placed in a Hassler cell to which a confining pressure of 200 psig (1380 kpa) is applied; this pressure is used to prevent bypassing of air around the sides of the sample when the measurement is made. A known pressure is then applied to the upstream sample face and the differential pressure (between the upstream and downstream faces) is monitored at the downstream face. Permeability is then calculated using Darcy's Law.

3. HELIUM INJECTION POROSITY

The porosity of a clean dry core plug is determined as follows: it is first placed in a matrix cup where the grain volume is measured by helium injection: a known volume of helium at a known pressure is expanded into the matrix cup which contains the core plug; the resulting pressure is recorded and the unknown volume (that is, the volume of the grains) is determined using Boyle's Law. The bulk volume is determined by mercury immersion. The difference between the grain volume and the bulk volume is the pore volume and from this the porosity is calculated as the volume percentage of pores with respect to the bulk volume.

4. APPARENT GRAIN DENSITY

The apparent grain density is derived from the measurements described in Section 3, above, and is the ratio of the weight of the core plug divided by the grain volume determined as in paragraph 3.

5. ROLLING AVERAGE

These averages of both Helium injection porosity and permeability are obtained by using a "rolling" three (3) point method. In the case of porosity a weighted arithmetic average is used:

$$\phi_{av(i+1)} = [\phi_i + 2\phi_{(i+1)} + \phi_{(i+2)}] / 4$$

In the case of permeability a weighted geometric average is used:

$$K_{av(i+1)} = 10^{[(\log_{10} K_i + 2 \log_{10} K_{(i+1)} + \log_{10} K_{(i+2)}) / 4]}$$

At any sample point, excluding the first and last, a rolling average is obtained by using the value at the specified sample point, the value before it and the value of the sample point after it. In the cases of the first and last sample points, only 2 sample points are used.

Using porosity as an example, the average of the first data point is obtained from the formula:

$$\phi_{av(i)} = [2\phi_i + \phi_{(i+1)}] / 3$$

The average at the final data point is obtained by:

$$\phi_{av(f)} = [\phi_{(f-1)} + 2\phi_{(f)}] / 3$$

The same method is used for permeability averages. At any break in the data the rolling averages are "re-started".

Data Key:

ϕ	=	porosity
K	=	permeability
i	=	initial
av	=	average
f	=	final

On completion of analysis, the core samples and 1" plugs were re-packed into their original boxes.

We have enjoyed working for DRI on this project and look forward to working with you again in the near future.

Yours faithfully,

BILL DERKSEMA
Laboratory Supervisor

CONVENTIONAL CORE ANALYSIS

Company: DEPT OF RESOURCE INDUSTRIES Report: 002/116
 Well: MUTTABURRA NO 1 Date: 14/9/90
 Field: GSQ Core Intervals: Various
 Location: QUEENSLAND
 Country: AUSTRALIA

Sample Number	Depth (m)	Porosity (%)		Density		Permeability (md)		Summation of Fluids			Remarks
		He Inj	Roll Av	Nat	Grain	Ka	Roll Av Ka	Por %	Oil %	Water %	

1627	21.9	21.9		2.56	121		111				
1628	21.8	20.9		2.59	94		33				
1629	17.9	18.5		2.65	1.1		2.7				
1630	16.2	17.0		2.64	0.43		0.70				
1631	17.7	17.9		2.65	1.1		1.0				
1632	19.9	19.6		2.64	2.1		2.3				
1633	20.6	20.2		2.64	6.3		7.5				
1634	19.7	19.9		2.65	39		31				
1635	19.5	20.1		2.65	90		148				
1636	21.7	20.2		2.65	1507		333				
1637	18.1	19.4		2.64	60		64				
1638	19.8	19.5		2.69	3.0		20				
1639	20.3	19.4		2.65	309		108				
1640	17.2	18.3		2.66	472		269				
1641	18.2	16.5		2.65	76		57				
1642	12.2	16.6		2.66	3.8		24				
1643	23.8	20.6		2.65	301		75				
1644	22.6	24.0		2.65	90		344				
1645	27.0	25.7		2.65	5729		1367				
1646	26.3	25.6		2.65	1181		1309				
1647	22.6	25.1		2.65	367		620				
1648	28.9	24.5		2.72	926		94				
1649	17.5	21.5		2.67	0.25		4.7				
1650	22.2	20.9		2.66	8.3		2.1				
1651	21.6	22.2		2.65	1.1		3.1				
1652	23.5	22.0		2.65	9.2		13				
1653	19.6	20.7		2.65	309		26				
1654	20.2	21.1		2.64	0.54		17				
1655	24.3	24.1		2.65	1013		175				
1656	27.5	26.0		2.65	1686		975				
1657	24.7	24.9		2.66	314		873				
1658	22.7	23.8		2.65	3501		1783				
1659	25.2	22.5		2.65	2629		3399				
1660	16.9	19.7		2.65	5521		4311				

VF = Vertical Fracture; HF = Horizontal Fracture; MP = Mounted Plug; SP = Short Plug;
 C# = Top of Core; B# = Bottom of Core; OWC = Probable Oil/Water Contact;
 Tr = Probable Transition Zone; GC = Probable Gas Cap;

CONVENTIONAL CORE ANALYSIS

Company: DEPT OF RESOURCE INDUSTRIES Report: 002/116
 Well: MUTTABURRA NO 1 Date: 14/9/90
 Field: GSQ Core Intervals: Various
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Sample Number	Depth (m)	Porosity (%)		Density		Permeability (md)		Summation of Fluids			Remarks
		He Inj	Roll Av	Nat	Grain	Ka	Roll Av Ka	Por %	Oil %	Water %	
1627V				24							
1628V				58							
1629V					0.39						
1630V					0.25						
1631V					1.2						
1632V					0.75						
1633V					6.3						
1634V					13						
1635V					19						
1636V					189						
1637V					46						
1638V					2.1						
1639V					30						
1640V					80						
1641V					7.0						
1642V					1.1						
1643V					154						
1644V					27						
1645V					1976						
1646V					784						
1647V					314						
1648V					269						
1649V					0.24						
1650V					4.0						
1651V					1.1						
1652V					6.1						
1653V					321						
1654V					0.54						
1655V					224						
1656V					2302						
1657V					178						
1658V					1562						
1659V					429						
1660V					4558						

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CORE PLUG DESCRIPTION

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Sample Number	Depth	Description
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1627		Sst: lt gry, f-med gr, sbang-sbrndd, prly cmt, tr Mic, Biot, lse fri
1627V		As in plug 1627
1628		Sst: lt gry, med gr, sbang-sbrndd, prly cmt, tr Mic, lse fri
1628V		As in plug 1628
1629		Sst: lt med gry, vf-f gr, sbang-ang, wl cmt wh Cly Mtrx, tr Mic, frm hd
1629V		As in plug 1629
1630		Sst: lt gry, vf f gr, sbang-ang, wl cmt wh Cly mtrx hd
1630V		Sst: as in plug 1630
1631		Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr, sbang-ang, mod-wl cmt wh Cly Mtrx, frm hd
1631V		Sst: as in plug 1631
1632		Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr sbang-ang, firm hd
1632V		As in plug 1632
1633		Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr, occ med gr, sbang-ang, mod cmt, hd
1633V		As in plug 1633
1634		Sst: lt gr, vf-f gr, mod prly cmt, wh Cly Mtrx
1634V		As in 1634
1635		Sst: lt gry, f-med gr, occ crs gr, sbang-ang mod cmt, wh Cly Mtrx, frm-fri
1635V		Sst: as in plug 1635
1636		Sst: lt brn-gry, f-med-crs, sbang ang, prly srt prly cmt, fri-frm

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1636V Sst: as in 1636

1637 Sst: lt brn-gry, med-crs gr, sbang-ang, prly srt mod-prly cmt, firm-fri

1637V As in plug 1637

1638 Sst: lt gry, vf-fn gr, sbang-ang mod w cmt, wh Cly Mtrx tr Mic, tr Lit, frm-hd

1638V Sst: as in plug 1638

1639 Sst: lt brn-gry, f-med gr, sbang-ang, prl srt, mod cmt, frm

1639V As in plug 1639

1640 Sst: lt brn-gry, f-med gr, occ crs gr, sbang-ang prly srt, mod w cmt, fri-frm

1640V Sst: as in plug 1640

1641 Sst: lt brn-gry, vf-med gr, sbang-ang prly srt, mod-w cmt hd

1641V AS in plug 1641

1642 Sst: lt gr, tn, vf-f gr occ med gr, sbang-ang prly srt, wl cmt, hd

1642V As in plug 1642

1643 Sst: lt brn-gr, f-med gr, sbang-ang, mod-wl srt prly cmt, frm hd

1643V Sst: as in plug 1643

1644 Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr, sbang-ang, mod-wl srt w cmt, wh Cly Matrix, hd

1644V Sst: as in plug 1644

1645 Sst: lt brn-gry, trnls clr, med-crs gr, occ v crs gr sbang-ang, prly srt, mnry Cly Mtrx, lse fri

1645V Sst: as in plug 1645

1646 Sst: lt br-gry, f-med gr, sbang-ang, mod-w srt mod-wl cmt, frm hd

1646V Sst: as in plug 1646

1647 Sst: lt gry, f-med gr, sbang-ang, mod srt, mod cmt, frm hd

1647V Sst: as in plug 1647

1648 Sst: med gry-grnsh, sbang-ang, f-med gr, mod srt, gry Cly Mtrx, frm hd

1648V Sst: as in plug 1648

1649 Sst: lt gry, vf-f-gr, sbang-ang, wl srt, abd wh Cly Mtrx hd

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1649V		Sst: as in plug 1649
1650		Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr, sbang-ang, w srt wl cmt, hd
1650V		Sst: as in plug 1650
1651		Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr, sbang-ang, mod srt, w cmt abd wh Cly Mtrx, hd
1651V		Sst: as in plug 1651
1652		Sst: lt gry, vf-f gr, sbang-ang, mod srt mod-w cmt, wh Cly Mtrx hd
1652V		Sst: as in plug 1652
1653		Sst: lt brn-gry, f-med-crs gr, prly srt, mod cmt, mnr wh Cly Mtrx, frm
1653V		Sst: as in plug 1653
1654		Sst: lt gr, vf-f gr, slty, sbang-ang, wl cmt abd wh Cly Mtrx v hd
1654V		Sst: as in plug 1654
1655		Sst: lt brn-gry, vf-f gr, occ med gr, sbang-ang mod-w srt, mod-prly cmt, fri hd
1655V		Sst: as in plug 1655
1656		Sst: lt gry-tn, fn-med gr, sbang-ang, w srt, mnr wh Mtrx, frm fri
1656V		Sst: as in plug 1656
1657		Sst: lt gry, f-med gr, sbang-ang mod w srt
1657V		As in plug 1657 mod-wl cmt, frm hd
1658		Sst: lt brn-gry, clr, f-med-crs gr, occ v crs, sbang-ang prly srt, prly cmt, frm-fri
1658V		Sst: as in plug 1658
1659		Sst: lt brn-gry clr, fn-med gr sbang-ang mod-w srt, mnr wh Cly Mtrx, fri-fri
1659V		As in plug 1559
1660		Sst: lt brn gry, clr, med crs v crs gr, prly srt, prly cmt, frm-fri
1660V		Sst: as in plug 1660

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