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RE: Palynology Analysis of 10 Jurassic Outcrop samples: ES21505-1, -2, -3, -4, -5, -6, BF21605-1, -2, 3, and BF21705-1.

PALYNOLOGY REPORT

Ten samples were processed and analyzed for palynomorphs. The samples were all barren of palynomorphs. An estimate of the total organic recovery, kerogen content and age is provided below.

1. ES21505-1, Romana Sandstone, 2.5' from top of Entrada.

Barren of Palynomorphs, weathered sample, Mostly extant soil organics

HCI Reaction: None

Total Organic Recovery: Trace

Kerogen Content: Indeterminate

T.A.I: Indeterminate

AGE: Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT: Indeterminate

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2. ES21505-2, Romana Sandstone, 25.5' from top of Entrada

Barren of Palynomorphs, weathered sample, Mostly extant soil organics

HCI Reaction:

None

Total Organic Recovery:

Trace

Kerogen Content:

Indeterminate

T.A.I:

Indeterminate

AGE:

Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT:

Indeterminate

3. ES21505-3, Romana Sandstone, 45.5' from top of Entrada.

Barren of Palynomorphs, weathered sample, Mostly extant soil organics

HCI Reaction:

Strong

Total Organic Recovery:

Trace

Kerogen Content:

Indeterminate

T.A.I:

Indeterminate

AGE:

Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT:

Indeterminate

4. ES21505-4, Romana Sandstone, 0.5" below top of Romana.

Barren of Palynomorphs, weathered sample, Mostly extant soil organics

HCI Reaction:

Strong

Total Organic Recovery:

Trace

Kerogen Content:

Indeterminate

T.A.I:

Indeterminate

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Total Organic Recovery:

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Kerogen Content:

Indeterminate

T.A.I:

Indeterminate

AGE:

Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT:

Indeterminate

8. BF21605-2, Tidwell Fm, 30' below Salt Wash Member of the Morrison.

Barren of Palynomorphs, weathered sample, Mostly extant soil organics

HCI Reaction:

Weak

Total Organic Recovery:

Trace

Kerogen Content:

Indeterminate

T.A.I:

Indeterminate

AGE:

Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT:

Indeterminate

9. BF21605-3, Tidwell Fm, 23.5' below Salt Wash Member of the Morrison.

Barren of Palynomorphs, weathered sample, Mostly extant soil organics

HCI Reaction:

Very Strong

Total Organic Recovery:

Trace

Kerogen Content:

20% Cuticular and 80% Woody

T.A.I:

2.5 (0.4-0.5% Estimated R₀)

AGE:

Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT:

Indeterminate

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10. BF21705-2, Late Jurassic?, 37° 48.65'N 110° 37.90'W elevation 5280.

Barren of Palynomorphs.

HCI Reaction:

None

Total Organic Recovery:

Good

Kerogen Content:

1% Cuticular and 99% Woody

T.A.I:

2.5 (0.4-0.5% Estimated R₀)

AGE:

Indeterminate

ENVIRONMENT:

Nonmarine, Fluvial/Deltaic

Analysis By:

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Waanters report of March 11,05 all barren

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- 1. **Sample ES21505-1**, 2.5 feet from the top of the Entrada Sandstone in the Romana Mesa Sandstone, Upper Middle Jurassic, no exact GPS location, but SW of Cat Pasture off of hole in the Rock Road approximately 37° 27' 30" N. and 111° 15' 10" W, sampled from unit 2 of the measured section south of Cat Pasture.
- 2. **Sample ES21505-2**, 25.5 feet from the top of the Entrada Sandstone in the Romana Mesa Sandstone, Upper Middle Jurassic, no exact GPS location, but SW of Cat Pasture off of hole in the Rock Road approximately 37° 27' 30" N. and 111° 15' 10" W, sampled from unit 6 of the measured section south of Cat Pasture..
- 3. **Sample ES21505-3**, approximately 40.5 feet from the top of the Entrada Sandstone in the Romana Mesa Sandstone, Upper Middle Jurassic, no exact GPS location but SW of Cat Pasture off of hole in the Rock Road approximately 37° 27' 30" N. and 111° 15' 10" W, sampled from unit 7 of the measured section south of Cat Pasture.
- 4. **Sample ES21505-4**, 0.5 inch below the top of the Romana Mesa Upper Middle Jurassic at Redwell Road turnoff, approximately 37° 23' 35" N 111° 11' 42" W.
- 5. **Sample ES21505-5**, Upper middle Jurassic, lower of two green bands at the base of Romana Mesa approximately 100 yards south of ES21505-4.
- 6. **Sample ES21505-6**, middle Jurassic, upper of two green bands at the base of Romana Mesa approximately 100 yards south of ES21505-4.
- 7. **Sample BF21605-1**, 1.5 feet below the base of the Salt Wash Member of the Morrison Formation in the Tidwell, Late Jurassic, near bullfrog creek. Sampled from unit 35 of the Bullfrog Creek measured section.
- 8. **Sample BF21605-2**, 30 feet below the base of the Salt Wash Member of the Morrison Formation in the Tidwell, Late Jurassic, near bullfrog creek. Sampled from unit 28 of the Bullfrog Creek measured section.
- 9. Sample BF21605-3, 23.5 feet below the base of the Salt Wash Member of the Morrison Formation in the Tidwell, Late Jurassic, near bullfrog creek. Sampled from unit 32 of the Bullfrog Creek measured section.
- 10. Sample BF21705-1, 37° 48.65' N 110° 37.90' W elevation 5280 Late Jurassic?