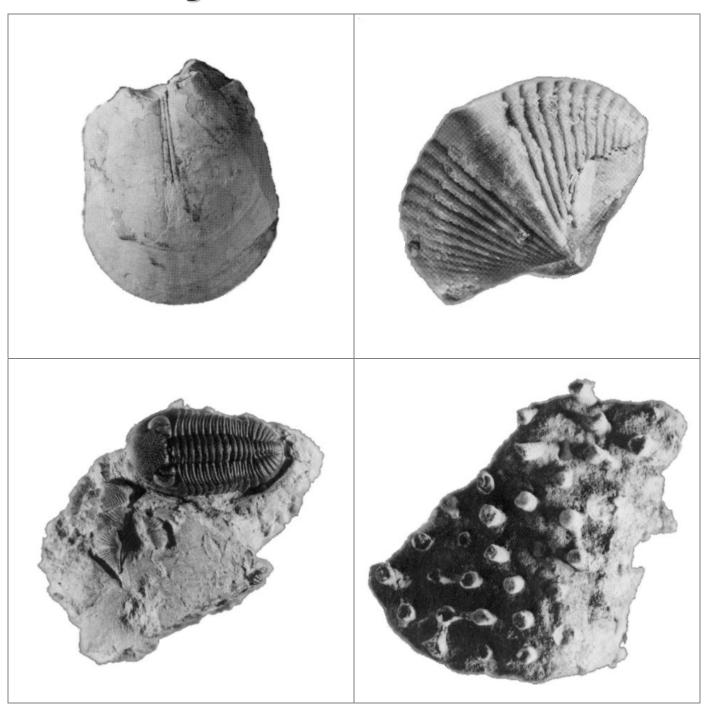
Michigan Fossil Flashcards - A



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BRACHIOPOD, invertebrate,

Position on poster A2

Genus and species: Mucrospifier profundus

Geologic formation: Silica formation

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Washtenaw County

Size: 50 mm, calcite replacement,

From the R. Milstein collection

BRACHIOPOD, invertebrate,

Position on poster A1

Genus and species: Pentamerus sp.

Geologic formation: Cordell dolomite

Geologic age: Silurian age, 410 to 440 million

years ago

Location: Chippewa County

Size: 65 mm, internal cast or steinkern,

om the R. Elowski collection

CORAL or COLONIAL CORAL, invertebrate,

Position on poster A4

Genus and species: Syringopora sp.

Geologic formation: Cordell dolomite

Geologic age: Silurian age, 410 to 440 million

years ago

Location: Chippewa County

Size: 125 mm, siliceous replacement,

From the R. Milstein collection

TRILOBITE, invertebrate,

Position on poster A3

Genus and species: Phacops rana

Geologic formation: Silica formation

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Washtenaw County

Size: 70 mm, calcite replacement,

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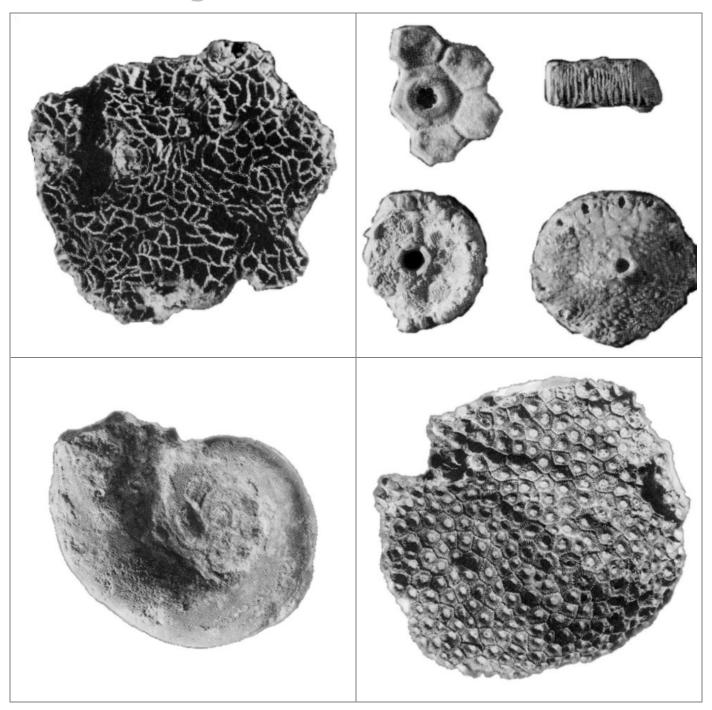
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Michigan Fossil Flashcards - B

CRINOID pieces, invertebrate,

Position on poster B2

Genus and species: Megistocrinus sp.?

Geologic formation: Alpena limestone

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Alpena County

Size: 30 mm (lower right), calcite replacement,

From the GSD collection

CORAL or CHAIN CORAL, invertebrate,

Position on poster B1

Genus and species: Halysites sp.

Geologic formation: Cordell dolomite

Geologic age: Silurian age, 410 to 440 million

years ago

Location: Chippewa County

Size: 110 mm, siliceous replacement,

om the R. Milstein collection

CORAL or COLONIAL CORAL
Petoskey Stone, invertebrate,

Position on poster B4

Genus and species: Hexagonaria percarinata

Geologic formation: Alpena Limestone

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Charlevoix County

Size: 200 mm, calcite replacement,

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SNAIL or GASTROPOD, invertebrate,

Position on poster B3

Genus and species: genus not determined

Geologic formation: Cordell dolomite

Geologic age: Silurian age, 410 to 440 million

years ago

Location: Chippewa County

Size: 75 mm, internal cast or steinkern,

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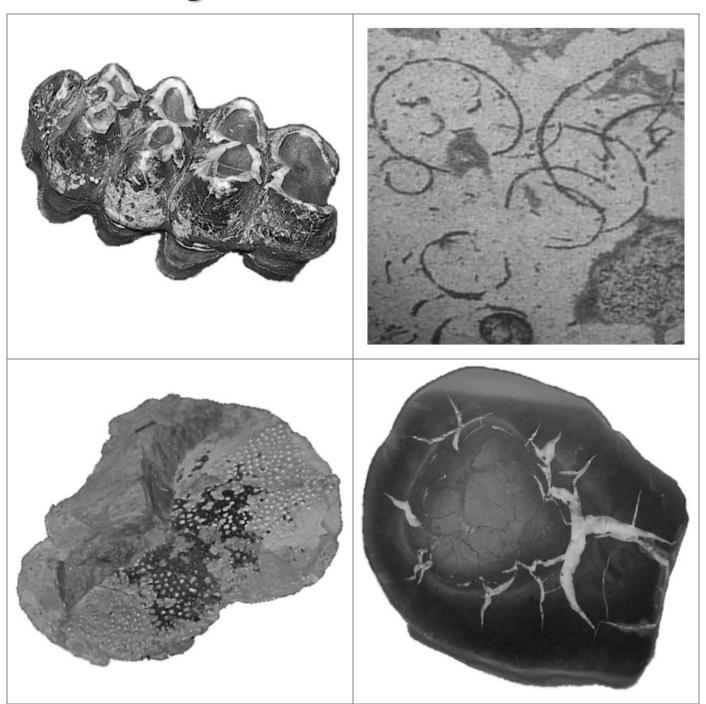
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Michigan Fossil Flashcards - C

EUCARYOTIC algae filaments, plant,

Position on poster C2

Genus and species: Grypania spiralis

Geologic formation: Negaunee Iron Formation

Geologic age: Precambrian age, 2,300 million

years ago

Location: Marquette County

Size: large loop about 20 mm, oldest

macrofossil,

From the GSD collection

MASTODON Tooth, vertebrate,

Position on poster C1

Genus and species: Mammut americanum

Geologic formation: Glacial deposit

Geologic age: Quaternary age, 1.8 to 0.0 million

years ago

Location:

Size: 200 mm long, the "Michigan State

Fossil",

From the Central Michigan University Rowe

Museum collection

Septarian nodule, pseudofossil,

Position on poster C4

Genus and species: pseudo fossil

Geologic formation:

Geologic age:

Location: Ottawa County

Size: 75 mm, Looks like a fossil, but it is not.

From the S. Wilson collection

Fish plate, vertebrate,

Position on poster C3

Genus and species: genus not determined

Geologic formation: Alpena Limestone

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Alpena County

Size: 200 mm at widest point, calcite

replacement,

From the S. Wilson collection

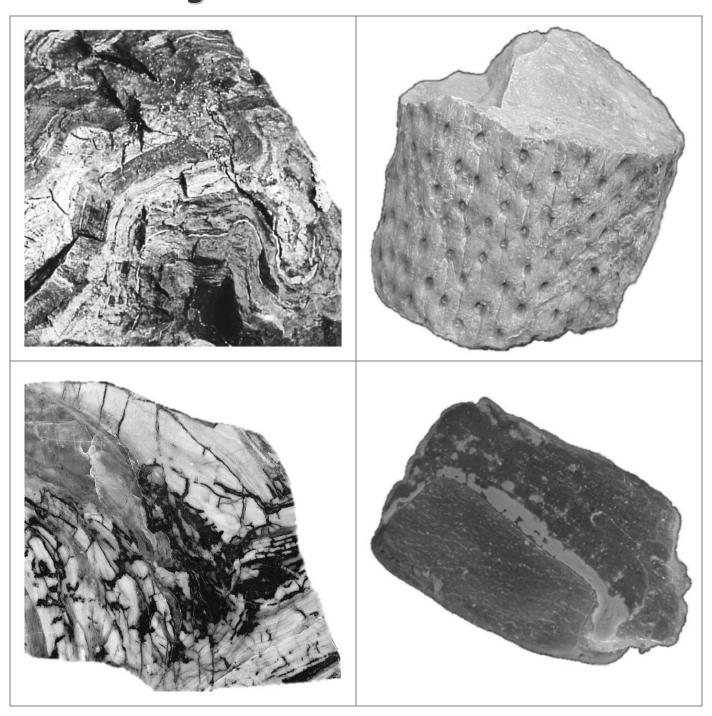
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Michigan Fossil Flashcards - D

PLANT root section, plant,

Position on poster D2

Genus and species: Stigmaria, genus not

determined

Geologic formation: Saginaw Formation

Geologic age: Pennsylvanian age, 320 to 285

million years ago

Location: Eaton County

Size: 150 mm in diameter, internal cast,

From the T. Godbold collection

fossils,

BANDED IRON FORMATION (BIF), from

Position on poster D1

Genus and species: result of Grypania and

others

Geologic formation: Banded Iron Formation

Geologic age: Precambrian age, 1,800 to 2,500

million years ago

Location: Marquette County

Size: 600 mm, from the rock walkway at the,

om the Eddy Discovery Center, Rock Walkway

collection

Algal stromatolite, plant,

Position on poster D4

Genus and species: Collenia undosa

Geologic formation: Copper Harbor

Conglomerate

Geologic age: Precambrian age, 1,100 million

years ago

Location: Keweenawan County

Size: 100 mm,

From the S. Wilson collection

Kona Dolomite, plant,

Position on poster D3

Genus and species: Algal in origin

Geologic formation: Kona Formation

Geologic age: Precambrian age, 2,200 million

years ago

Location: Marquette County

Size: 150 by 200 mm, metamorphosed to a

marble.

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Michigan Fossil Flashcards - E

CORAL or COLONIAL CORAL, invertebrate,

Position on poster E1

Genus and species: Favosites sp.

Geologic formation: Cordell dolomite

Geologic age: Silurian age, 410 to 440 million

years ago

Location: Chippewa County

Size: 70 mm, siliceous replacement,

om the GSD collection

CRINOID, invertebrate,

Position on poster E2

Genus and species: Megistocrinus concava

Geologic formation: Thunder Bay limestone

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Alpena County

Size: 30 mm, calcite replacement,

From the S. Wilson collection

CEPHALOPOD, invertebrate,

Position on poster E4

Genus and species: Michelinoceras sp.

Geologic formation: Ogontz limestone

Geologic age: Ordovician age, 440 to 505

million years ago

Location: Alger County

Size: 100 mm, internal cast or steinkern,

From the R. Milstein collection

BRACHIOPOD, invertebrate,

Position on poster F2

Genus and species: Mucrospifler mucronatus

Geologic formation: Silica formation

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Washtenaw County

Size: 90 mm, calcite replacement,

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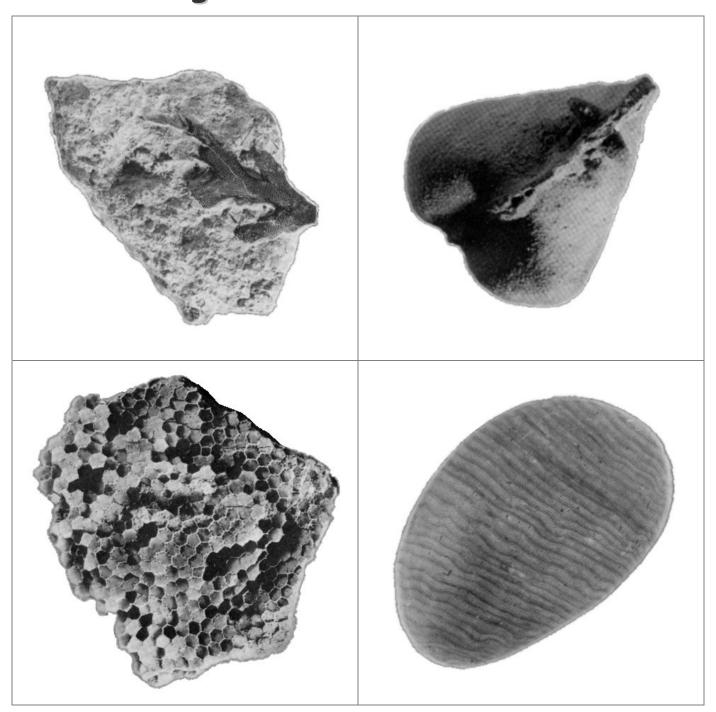
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CLAM or PELECYPOD, invertebrate,

Position on poster E3

Genus and species: Megalomus canadensis

Geologic formation: Cordell dolomite

Geologic age: Silurian age, 410 to 440 million

years ago

Location: Chippewa County

Size: 60 x 75 mm, internal cast or steinkern,

From the GSD collection

BRYOZOAN, invertebrate,

Position on poster F1

Genus and species: Sulcoretepora deissi

Geologic formation: Silica formation

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Washtenaw County

Size: 25 mm, calcite replacement,

From the S. Wilson collection

STROMATOPOROID, invertebrate,

Position on poster F3

Genus and species: genus not determined

Geologic formation: Alpena Limestone

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Charlevoix County

Size: 125 mm, calcite replacement,

From the GSD PO41 collection

CORAL or COLONIAL CORAL, invertebrate,

Position on poster F4

Genus and species: Favosites sp.

Geologic formation: Alpena Limestone

Geologic age: Devonian age, 360 to 410 million

years ago

Location: Charlevoix County

Size: 100 mm (shown), siliceous replacement,

From the R. Reszka collection

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