

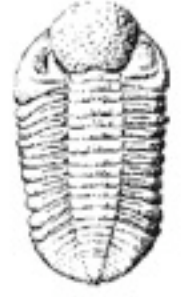


Index Fossils

Table of Index Fossils		
		
Eospirifer	Manticoceras	Phacops

Identification	Eospirifer	Manticoceras	Phacops
Identification Letter			
Eon			
Era			
Period			
Epoch			
Important Geo Event			
Landscape Where They Lived			

1. Why are index fossils important in determining age of rocks?

2. What are the 2 criteria that is special to an index fossil?

3. What was another method discussed in class (very similar to index fossils) that helps geologists determine age of rocks? _____