

Supplementary information for
**A MIDDLE PERMIAN (ROADIAN) LUNGFISH AESTIVATION BURROW
FROM THE RIO DO RASTO FORMATION (PARANÁ BASIN, BRAZIL) AND
ASSOCIATED U-Pb DATING**

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This file contains supplementary text, tables and figure in order to improve the discussion of the main text.

Comments on the Sample MGS1

Zircons of the sample MGS1 are all inherited having ages in the range of 357–1838 Ma (Supp. Fig. 2). Only eleven ages were obtained because the main aim of this investigation was to determine the age of the mudstone containing pyroclastic material. Eleven analyses are not enough for a consistent interpretation of the sources of the detrital zircons. However, some conclusions are evident. The zircon having a Mesoproterozoic age of 1433 Ma is correlated to the Sunsás orogeny, which is located to the west of the Amazon and La Plata cratons (Pertille et al., 2017), whereas the Paleoproterozoic zircon of 1,838 Ma is comparable to the age of the Juruena orogen of the south Amazon Craton. Three Ediacaran zircons are Brazilian (629, 621, and 554 Ma) in age and certainly derived from rocks of the Brazilian orogen of south Brazil and Uruguay. Two Cambrian zircons (527 and 512 Ma) may be derived from the Pampean orogen in eastern Argentina. Three zircons of 490, 481, and 474 Ma are interpreted as derived from rocks formed during the Famatinian orogeny in Argentina. The youngest grain of 357 Ma (Achalán) is also interpreted as derived from rocks present to the west in Argentina.

Since the mineral concentrate also has rutile, several grains of this mineral were mounted together with zircon to be tested. Rutile, in contrast to detrital zircons present in this sample, could be magmatic (volcanic) and therefore useful to establish the age of the tonstein. Rutile is not very common in non hydrothermalized felsic volcanic rocks (Meinhold, 2010) and usually is very poor in U making its dating difficult. Two grains were dated using $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ ratios. They are very poor in U (estimated at 5–10 ppm) and also poor in common lead. Their $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ ratios are around 0.138 indicating an age of about 2200 Ma, suggesting a comparison to Early Rhyacian rocks such as the Encantadas Complex of south Brazil.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1—Vertebrate body and trace fossil record of the Rio do Rasto Formation (Serrinha and Morro Pelado members).

BODY FOSSIL RECORD					
VERTEBRATE RECORD		OUTCROP	REGION	LITHOLOGY	REFERENCE
Chondrichthyes	Chondrichthyes indet.	Santo Antônio Farm	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Cisneros and Dentzien-Dias, 2008
	Xenacanthiformes indet.	Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Pauliv et al., 2016
	<i>Xenacanthus ragonhai</i>	BR-153, Km 20	Jacarezinho, PR	Serrinha Member	Pauliv et al., 2014
	<i>Xenacanthus santosi</i>	BR-153, Km 158 ¹	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member ¹	Würdig-Maciél, 1975
	<i>Triodus richterae</i>	Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Pauliv et al., 2017
	<i>Sphenacanthus riorastoensis</i>	BR-153, Km 20	Jacarezinho, PR	Serrinha Member	Pauliv et al., 2012
	Hybodontiformes indet.	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Richter and Langer, 1998
		EFCP railway ²	Ortigueira, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Laurini, 2010
		Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Henkin et al., 2016
Hybodontioidea indet.	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Malabarba et al., 2003	
Actinopterygii	Palaeonisciformes indet.	BR-153, Km 158 ¹	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member ¹	Würdig-Maciél, 1975
		Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Richter and Langer, 1998
		Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Henkin et al., 2016
		PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Silva et al., 2012
	<i>Paranaichthyes longianalis</i>	BR-153, Km 42	Santo Antônio da Platina, PR	Serrinha Member	Dias, 2012
	<i>Rubidus pascoalensis</i>	São Pascoal brook	São Pascoal, SC	?	Richter, 2002
	Species A	BR-153, Km 42	Santo Antônio da Platina, PR	Serrinha Member	Vega-Dias et al., 2000
Species B	BR-153, Km 42	Santo Antônio da Platina, PR	Serrinha Member	Vega-Dias et al., 2000	
Species C	BR-153, Km 42	Santo Antônio da Platina, PR	Serrinha Member	Vega-Dias et al., 2000	
Sarcopterygii	Dipnoi indet.	BR-153, Km 42	Santo Antônio da Platina, PR	Serrinha Member	Ragonha, 1989
		Unnamed outcrop	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Figueiredo et al., 2009
		Unnamed outcrop	Hulha Negra, RS	Morro Pelado Member	
	?Gnathorhizidae	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Richter and Langer, 1998
Acnistia indet.	Serra do Espigão	Monte Castelo and Santa Cecília, SC	Morro Pelado Member	Figueroa et al., 2016	

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BODY FOSSIL RECORD					
VERTEBRATE RECORD		OUTCROP	REGION	LITHOLOGY	REFERENCE
Temnospondyli		PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Ramos and Vega, 2011; Silva et al., 2012
	Temnospondyli indet.	Unnamed outcrop	Cândido de Abreu, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Pereira, 2013
		Unnamed outcrop	Otacílio Costa, SC	?	Signorelli, 2005
		Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Malabarba et al., 2003
		Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Strapasson et al., 2015a
	<i>Rhinesuchus</i> -like	EFCP railway ³	Ortigueira, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Barberena et al., 1980 Barberena and Dias, 1998
	<i>Australerpeton cosgriffi</i>	EFCP railway ⁴	Ortigueira, PR São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Barberena, 1998 Silva et al., 2012;
		PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Azevedo et al., 2017
		Monjolo	Mauá da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Eltink and Langer, 2014
	<i>Bageherpeton longignathus</i>	BR-153, Km 158 ¹	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member ¹	Dias and Barberena, 2001
<i>Parapytanga catarinensis</i>	Serra do Espigão	Monte Castelo and Santa Cecília, SC	Morro Pelado Member	Strapasson et al., 2015b	
Pareiasauria	<i>Konzhukovia sangabrielensis</i>	Boqueirão Farm	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Pacheco et al., 2017
	<i>Provelosaurus americanus</i>	BR-153, Km 204	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Araújo, 1985
		Santo Antônio Farm	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Cisneros & Dentzien-Dias, 2010
		Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Malabarba, et al., 2003; Cisneros et al., 2005
Diapsida	Archosauromorpha indet.	Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Martinelli et al., 2017
Dinocephalia	Dinocephalia indet.	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Langer, 2000
	Titanosuchidae indet.	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Langer, 2000
	Anteosauroida indet.	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Langer, 2000
	Brithopodinae indet.	Posto Queimado	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Langer, 2000
	Tapinocephalidae indet.	EFCP railway ⁵	Ortigueira, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Boos et al., 2015
	<i>Pampaphonaeus biccai</i>	Boqueirão Farm	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Cisneros et al., 2012
Anomodontia	<i>Tiarajudens eccentricus</i>	Barro Alto	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Cisneros et al., 2011
	<i>Endothiodon</i> sp.	EFCP railway ⁶	Ortigueira, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Barberena et al., 1980
	<i>Rastodon procurvidens</i>	Boqueirão Farm	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Boos et al., 2016

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1–Cont.

TRACE FOSSIL RECORD

	VERTEBRATE RECORD	OUTCROP	REGION	LITHOLOGY	REFERENCE
Tracks	Swimming traces	BR-153, Km 20	Jacarezinho, PR	Serrinha Member ⁷	Leonardi, 1987
		Coproland	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Francischini et al., 2015
	<i>Procolophonichnium</i> isp.	PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Leonardi et al., 2002; Silva et al., 2012
	<i>Rhynchosauroides gangresci</i>	PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Leonardi et al., 2002; Silva et al., 2012
	<i>Dicynodontipus penugnu</i>	PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Leonardi et al., 2002; Silva et al., 2012
Coprolites	Morphotype indet.	PR-090	São Jerônimo da Serra, PR	Morro Pelado Member	Silva et al., 2012
	Heteropolar morphotype	Coproland	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Dentzien-Dias et al., 2012
		Santo Antônio Farm	Aceguá, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Cisneros and Dentzien-Dias, 2008
	Heteropolar edge morphotype	Coproland	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Dentzien-Dias et al., 2012
	Knot morphotype	Coproland	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Dentzien-Dias et al., 2012
Burrow	Amphipolar morphotype	Coproland	São Gabriel, RS	Morro Pelado Member	Dentzien-Dias et al., 2012
	Lungfish aestivation burrow	BR-153, Km 659.5	Aceguá, RS	Serrinha Member	This paper

Notes: ¹See discussion about the stratigraphy and age of this outcrop in the main text. ²South entrance of an unknown tunnel (Km 500.2). Locality informally known as “Tubarão”. ³Unknown entrance of tunnel 12. ⁴Specific locality unknown. ⁵South entrance of the tunnel 1V. ⁶South entrance of the tunnel 22. ⁷Although not explicitly mentioned, we infer that this record comes from the Serrinha Member due to the lithological description provided by the author.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2—U-Pb SHRIMP data of the tonstein from the Serrinha Member deposits of Aceguá (Rio Grande do Sul, southern Brazil).

Spot	U	Th	²³² Th/ ²³⁸ U	²⁰⁶ Pb*	comm ²⁰⁶ Pb	²³⁸ U/ ²⁰⁶ Pb* error	²⁰⁷ Pb/ ²⁰⁶ Pb* error	²⁰⁷ Pb/ ²³⁵ U* error	²⁰⁶ Pb/ ²³⁸ U* error	error corr.	²⁰⁶ Pb / ²³⁸ U error	²⁰⁷ Pb / ²⁰⁶ Pb error	Disc.
	ppm	ppm		ppm	%	%	%	%	%	ρ (rho)	age 1ρ	age 1ρ	%
MGS1													
a.1-1	176	58	0.34	15.3	-0.07	9.8927 1.18	0.06366 3.54	0.8873 3.73	0.1011 1.18	0.316	620.8 7.0	730 75	+16
a.2-1	177	120	0.70	48.3	0.13	3.1468 1.09	0.11237 0.83	4.9237 1.37	0.3178 1.09	0.795	1779.5 16.2	1838 15	+4
a.2-2	535	335	0.65	35.6	0.00	12.9146 0.85	0.05720 1.12	0.6106 1.41	0.0774 0.85	0.604	480.8 3.9	499 25	+4
a.3-1	264	29	0.11	17.3	0.16	13.1200 1.59	0.05482 2.00	0.5761 2.55	0.0762 1.59	0.623	473.5 7.3	405 45	-18
a.3-2	370	149	0.42	28.5	0.13	11.1603 0.87	0.05934 1.58	0.7332 1.81	0.0896 0.87	0.484	553.2 4.6	580 34	+5
a.4-1	169	125	0.76	33.5	0.00	4.3340 1.20	0.09033 1.06	2.8738 1.60	0.2307 1.20	0.748	1359.4 14.8	1433 20	+7
a.4-2	149	153	1.06	13.0	0.29	9.8452 1.30	0.06001 3.24	0.8404 3.49	0.1016 1.30	0.372	623.6 7.7	604 70	-3
a.4-3	334	295	0.91	22.8	0.00	12.6171 0.97	0.05853 3.03	0.6397 3.18	0.0793 0.97	0.306	491.7 4.6	550 66	+11
a.5-1	119	169	1.46	8.7	0.00	11.7312 1.39	0.06014 2.21	0.7068 2.61	0.0852 1.39	0.532	527.3 7.0	608 48	+14
a.6-1	296	144	0.50	14.5	0.22	17.5824 1.00	0.06186 2.35	0.4851 2.55	0.0569 1.00	0.392	356.6 3.5	669 50	+48
a.8-1	97	48	0.52	6.9	0.32	12.0864 1.78	0.05534 4.30	0.6313 4.65	0.0827 1.78	0.382	512.4 8.7	426 96	-21
MGS2													
b.1-1	341	235	0.71	12.4	0.00	23.6040 0.91	0.05192 2.19	0.3033 2.37	0.0424 0.91	0.381	267.5 2.4	282 50	+5
b.1-2	413	264	0.66	15.3	0.65	23.1306 1.59	0.04726 4.86	0.2817 5.11	0.0432 1.59	0.310	272.8 4.2	62.6 116	-343
b.1-3	536	338	0.65	19.8	0.17	23.2709 0.81	0.05042 2.39	0.2987 2.53	0.0430 0.81	0.322	271.2 2.2	214 55	-27
b.1-4	361	130	0.37	14.6	0.53	21.1718 4.26	0.05208 4.10	0.3391 5.91	0.0472 4.26	0.720	291.04 5.44	289 94	-3
b.1-5	502	395	0.81	18.2	0.00	23.6266 0.82	0.05329 1.82	0.3110 1.99	0.0423 0.82	0.410	267.2 2.1	341 41	+22
b.1-6	436	230	0.55	15.8	0.46	23.6170 0.85	0.04865 3.32	0.2840 3.43	0.0423 0.85	0.249	267.3 2.2	131 78	-106
b.2-1	457	246	0.55	16.8	0.26	23.3255 0.83	0.05237 2.53	0.3096 2.67	0.0429 0.83	0.313	270.6 2.2	301 58	+10
b.2-2	304	114	0.39	129.3	0.01	2.0196 2.28	0.17375 1.44	11.8624 2.70	0.4951 2.28	0.845	2592.9 48.7	2594 24	+0
b.3-1	360	244	0.70	13.3	0.16	23.2446 0.89	0.04771 4.31	0.2830 4.40	0.0430 0.89	0.203	271.5 2.4	85.0 102	-224
b.3-2	500	430	0.89	18.3	0.22	23.4261 1.34	0.04956 2.60	0.2917 2.92	0.0427 1.34	0.457	269.5 3.5	175 61	-56
b.3-3	299	133	0.46	11.0	0.00	23.2262 0.89	0.05282 2.13	0.3136 2.31	0.0431 0.89	0.386	271.7 2.4	321 48	+16
b.4-1	474	279	0.61	17.6	0.28	23.1717 0.82	0.04809 2.83	0.2861 2.94	0.0432 0.82	0.280	272.4 2.2	104 67	-167
b.4-2	851	603	0.73	31.1	0.31	23.5402 0.93	0.05079 3.14	0.2975 3.27	0.0425 0.93	0.284	268.2 2.4	231 72	-16
b.4-3	426	403	0.98	15.4	0.62	23.8003 0.87	0.04841 4.09	0.2805 4.18	0.0420 0.87	0.208	265.3 2.3	119 96	-125
b.5-1	431	210	0.50	16.0	0.06	23.1294 0.83	0.05016 2.13	0.2990 2.29	0.0432 0.83	0.362	272.9 2.2	203 49	-35
b.5-2	772	545	0.73	28.7	0.00	23.1307 0.78	0.05267 1.53	0.3140 1.72	0.0432 0.78	0.454	272.8 2.1	315 35	+14
b.5-3	440	241	0.57	15.7	0.00	24.0272 0.84	0.05450 1.85	0.3127 2.03	0.0416 0.84	0.411	262.9 2.2	392 42	+34

Notes: (*) ratios are radiogenic component, all corrected for common lead; common ^{206}Pb calculated from measured ^{204}Pb ; disc. = discordance, as $100 - 100\{t[^{206}\text{Pb}/^{238}\text{U}]/t[^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}]\}$; selected ages are in bold face.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3—Comparison between LGP–H429 and vertebrate burrow ichnotaxa (ordered by age). Asterisks indicate ichnotaxa in which the architect was preserved inside the burrow.

Ichnotaxa	Architecture	Presence of chambers	Presence of branching	Cross-section	Orientation	Surface features	Age and locality	Probable producer	Reference
<i>Torridorefugium eskridgensis</i> *	Vertical shafts tapering downwards	No	No	Elliptical	Nearly vertical	Irregularly spaced nodes (only in Type II burrows)	Cisuralian of Kansas, USA	Lysorophid amphibians (<i>Brachydectes</i>)	Hembree et al., 2005
<i>Reniformichnus katikatii</i>	Subhorizontal, slightly sinuous shaft	No	No	Reniform	Subhorizontal (< 30°)	Scratches subparallel to tangential to the main axis of the burrow	Early Triassic of South Africa and Antarctica	Indeterminate tetrapods (cynodonts, proclophionids, dicynodonts, etc)	Krummeck and Bordy, 2017
<i>Redondarefugium abercrombieorum</i>	Vertical to oblique simple shafts with a flask-shaped terminus	Yes	No	Circular	Vertical to oblique	Wrinkle-like ornamentation	Late Triassic of New Mexico, USA	Lungfishes	Gobetz et al., 2006; Lucas et al., 2010
<i>Ichnogyrus nididensis</i>	Helical	Enlargement of the coils suggests the presence of chambers	No	Unknown	Unknown (specimen found <i>ex situ</i>)	No	Early Eocene	Indeterminate mammal	Bown and Kraus, 1983
<i>Daimonelix</i> isp.*	Helical	Yes	No	Nearly circular	25°–30° coils	Incisor and claw traces	Late Oligocene–early Miocene of Nebraska, USA	Beavers (<i>Palaeocastor</i>)	Barbour, 1892, 1895; Martin and Bennett, 1977

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3—Cont.

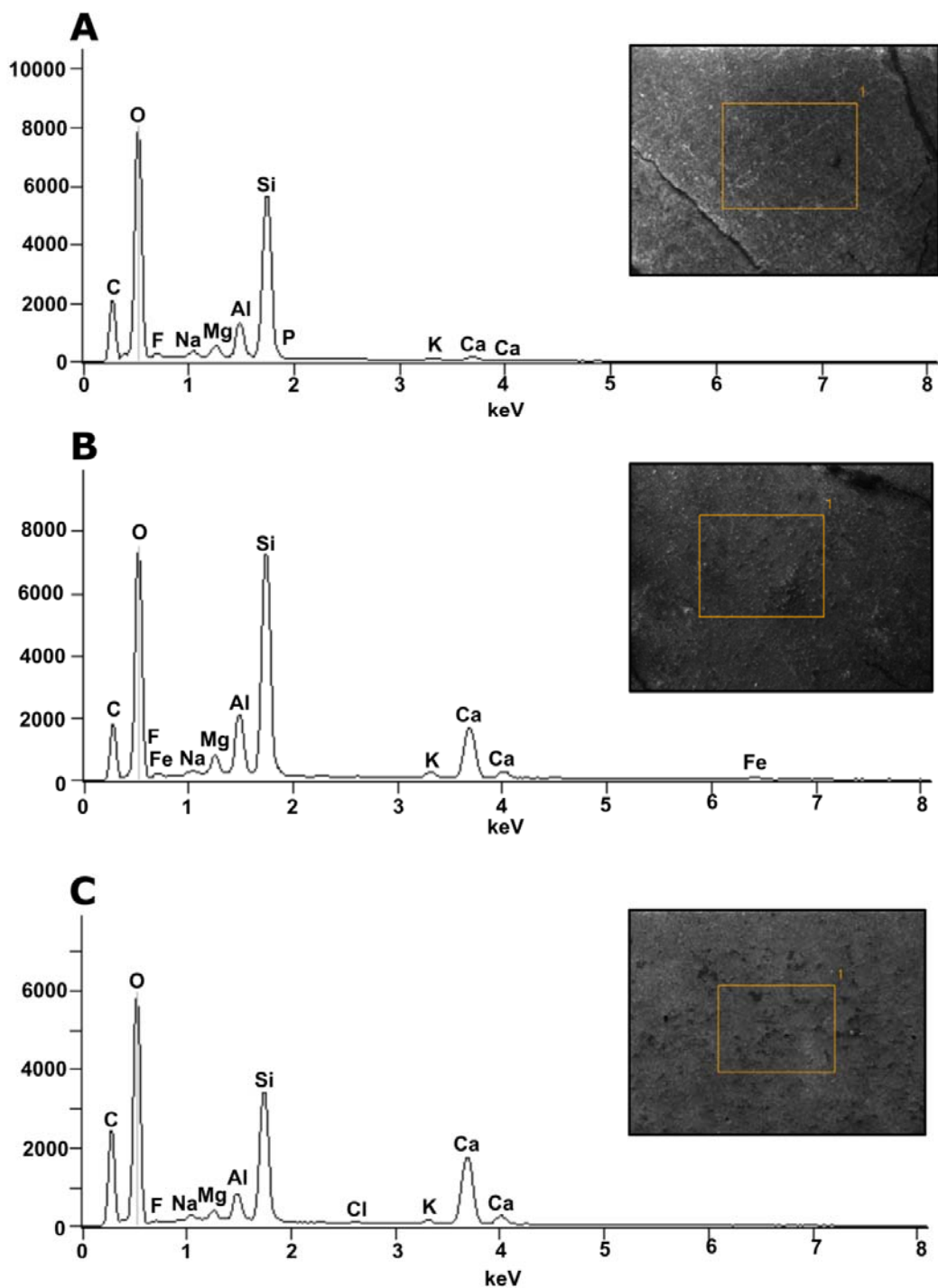
<i>Alezichnos trogodont</i>	Sinuuous, rambling or weakly helical	Yes	Yes	Nearly circular	Variable	Paired grooves (incisors) on the ceiling and upper walls and ridges (claws) on the floors and lower walls	early Miocene of Nebraska, USA	Rodents (<i>Gregorymys</i>)	Gobetz and Martin, 2006
<i>Alezichnos</i>	Sinuuous	Unknown	Occasionally	Slightly	Variable	Sets with two or three	Miocene, of	Rodents	Gobetz,

<i>chelecharatos</i>				ovate		parallel ridges	Colorado, USA	(<i>Pterogaulus</i>)	2006
<i>Daimonelix petalichnus</i>	Helical	Yes	No	?	5°–30° coils	No	Miocene of Colorado, USA	Mustelids	Hembree and Hasiotis, 2008
<i>Kladosystemites homocylindrachus</i>	Boxwork of interconnected horizontal tunnels and short subvertical shafts	No	Yes, Y-shaped	Circular to elliptical	Horizontal and subvertical shafts	No	Miocene of Colorado, USA	Amphisbaenians	Hembree and Hasiotis, 2008
<i>Katarrhedrites athesphatichnus</i>	Subhorizontal tunnels with terminal chamber	Yes	No	?	10°–15° near the surface and 1°–5° near base	No	Miocene of Colorado, USA	Canids or ursids	Hembree and Hasiotis, 2008
<i>Katarrhedrites atypichnus</i>	Subhorizontal tunnels with terminal chamber	Yes	No	?	40°–50° shafts	No	Miocene of Colorado, USA	Indeterminate reptiles or mammals	Hembree and Hasiotis, 2008
SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3–Cont.									
<i>Polychoredrites tetrachelichnus</i>	Interconnected system of tunnels	Yes	Yes	Elliptical	10°–20°	Three to four parallel striae (scratch traces)	Miocene of Colorado, USA	Rodents or mustelids	Hembree and Hasiotis, 2008
<i>Nagtuichnus meuleni</i>	Meniscate tunnels	No	No	Nearly circular	Subhorizontal	Parallel ridges. Paired pits on the concave surface of the menisci	Miocene–Holocene of La Pampa and Río Negro, Argentina	Pink fairy armadillos (<i>Chlamyphorus</i>)	Melchor et al., 2012

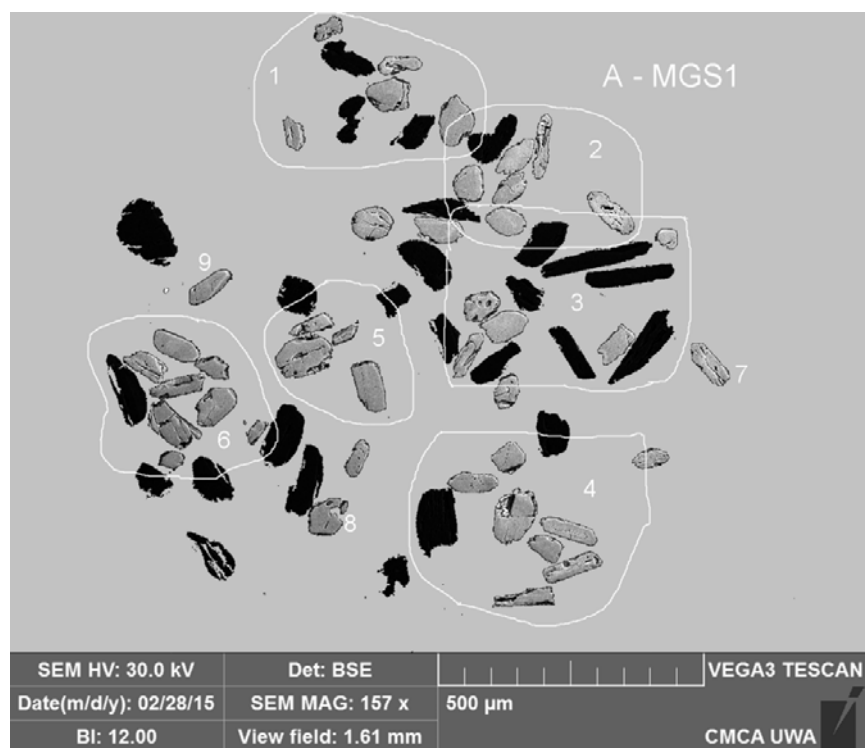
<i>Megaichnus major</i>	Complex system of tunnels and chambers	Yes	Yes	Subcircular to subelliptical	Subhorizontal	Scratches (claw traces) and smooth walls and ceiling	Plio–Pleistocene of South and southeastern Brazil and northwestern Argentina	Ground sloths, giant armadillos or pampatherids	Lopes et al., 2017
<i>Megaichnus minor</i>	Complex system of tunnels and chambers	Yes	Yes	Subcircular to subelliptical	Horizontal to sloped	Grooves (claw traces) and osteoderm marks and impressions	Plio–Pleistocene of South and southeastern Brazil and northwestern Argentina	Ground sloths, giant armadillos or pampatherids	Lopes et al., 2017
LGP–H429 (no ichnotaxon attributed)	Vertical simple shaft	No	No	Circular	32°	No	Early Guadalupian of Southern Brazil	Lungfish	This paper

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4–Semiquantitative proportions (in %) of the main elements of each paleosol level, obtained by Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS).

	Paleosol Type 1	Paleosol Type 2	Paleosol Type 3
C	16.31	10.89	13.58
O	55.51	49.56	54.76
Ca	1.15	10.74	14.90
Si	20.08	19.63	12.09
Mg	1.35	1.55	0.83
Al	3.68	4.75	2.32
K	0.56	0.90	0.65
Na	0.86	0.65	0.68
F	0.34	-	-
P	0.16	-	-
Fe	-	1.31	-
Cl	-	-	0.18



SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 1–Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) profiles of each paleosol level. A) Paleosol Type 1. B) Paleosol Type 2. C) Paleosol Type 3.



SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 2– BSE image of the grains of sample MGS1. The light grey grains are zircon whereas the dark grains are rutile.

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