

Resserops (Perrector) falloti (Hupé, 1953) (TH229)

Perrector → Redlichiida → Redlichiina → Redlichioidea → Saukiandidae → Resseropinae

Provenance : Morocco; Tazemmourte

Formation : Ihandar Fm

Age : Lower Cambrian

Details : A somewhat damaged and therefore incomplete specimen : the genal spines are usually about 2/3 of the body length, and additionally there's only a ghost image of the enlarged spines on the 11th thorax segment (right side of the trilo). From Wikipedia : the species lived during the middle of the Atdabadian or the early part of the Botomian Stage (lasted ca 524 to 518.5 MY ago = 2nd half of the Lower Cambrian). It has been found in southern Morocco, in the *Daguinaspis* and *Resserops* zones near Tazemmourt, Amouslek, and Oujjiane. It was originally described as *Resserops falloti*. The Treatise considers *Resserops* and *Richterops* subgenera of *Perrector*, which name was proposed by Hupe in the same publication, but appears above it, and would have preference. Later publications however, use *Resserops* & *Richterops* as separate genera.

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