

# BGS Zone 23 (=UKB19 of Hart et al., 1989)

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**Base:** Inception of *Bolivinoides draco miliaris* and *B. sidestrandensis*.

**Top:** Inception of *Bolivinoides peterssoni*.

## Biomarkers:

- *Heterohelix complanata* has its inception at the base of the zone.
- *Reussella szajnochae szajnochae* occurs in flood proportion immediately below the Maastrichtian.
- A number of species become extinct at the upper boundary of the foraminifera zone, including *Reussella szajnochae szajnochae*, *Neoflabellina rugosa*, *Gavelinella monterelensis*, *Globorotalites hiltermanni* and *Osangularia cordieriana*.

**Macrofaunal correlation:** upper *B. mucronata* Zone (= Paramoudra Chalk of East Anglia)

**Age:** Latest Campanian

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