

The Eastern View Group, which includes sediments from post-rift Upper Cretaceous through Upper Eocene, comprises a sequence of clastic sediments. Sandstones, which are potential reservoirs, are extensive throughout the sequence; and interbedded siltstone, shale and coal contain a considerable amount of organic matter, commonly in the form of coal, to act as a potential source of hydrocarbons; they also provide interbedded top seals. One of the major sources of the clastics is the southern margin, adjacent to the north coast of Tasmania [15].