

# **APPENDIX L**

**TOC, Rock Eval Results and Geochemistry  
Permian Samples  
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Please find enclosed thirteen rock samples for TOC, and Rock Eval analysis if TOC is appropriate.

Sample numbers

S3  
S4  
S5  
Q1 146.6m  
Q2 158.66m  
Q3 126.4m  
Q4 120m  
Q5 110m  
Q6 100m  
H1 859.2m  
H2 874.4m  
H3 940m  
H4 964.9m

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Attention: Catherine Reid

**REPORT LQ12012**

**CLIENT REFERENCE:** 38424

**WELL NAME/RE:**

**MATERIAL:** Rock

**WORK REQUIRED:** TOC & Rock Eval analysis

**AUTHOR'S NAME:** Carmelina Valente

Please direct technical enquiries regarding this work, to the signatory below, under whose supervision the work was carried out. This report relates specifically to the sample or samples submitted for testing.



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Rock-Eval Pyrolysis

Report # LQ12012

Client: University of Tasmania

Well: -

Depth (m)	T Max	S1	S2	S3	S1+S2	PI	S2/S3	PC	TOC	HI	OI
S3	449	1.01	1.47	0.18	1.19	0.41	8.16	0.2	0.99	148	18
S4	388	0.28	0.62	0.22	0.90	0.31	2.81	0.07	0.39	158	56
S5	515	0.50	0.95	0.07	1.45	0.35	13.57	0.12	1.00	95	7
Q1									0.22		
Q2									0.13		
Q3	542	0.07	0.20	0.22	0.27	0.27	0.90	0.02	1.26	15	17
Q4	418	0.06	0.08	0.20	0.14	0.43	0.40	0.01	1.37	5	14
Q5	443	0.09	0.17	0.20	0.26	0.35	0.85	0.02	1.11	15	18
Q6	486	0.11	0.50	0.21	0.61	0.18	2.38	0.05	0.79	63	326
H1	458	0.41	1.49	0.10	1.90	0.22	14.90	0.15	2.24	66	4
H2	447	0.36	1.01	0.20	1.37	0.26	5.05	0.11	1.26	80	15
H3	457	0.48	0.95	0.36	1.43	0.34	2.63	0.11	0.97	97	37
H4	453	2.61	24.97	0.73	27.58	0.09	34.20	2.29	8.10	308	9

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**Project** 02PEAD05369  
Client Ref: letter 14/11/02

Customer Sample ID S8

Test/Reference	Unit	
<b>Rock-Eval Pyrolysis</b>		
Depth	m	0
T Max		466
S1- Hydrocarbon per Rock		0.35
S2- Hydrocarbon per Rock		0.76
S3- Carbon Dioxide per Rock		0.22
S1 + S2- Hydrocarbon per Rock		1.11
PI		0.32
S2/S3		3.45
PC- Hydrocarbon per Rock		0.09
TOC	%	0.60
HI- Hydrocarbon per Rock		126
OI- Carbon Dioxide per Rock		36

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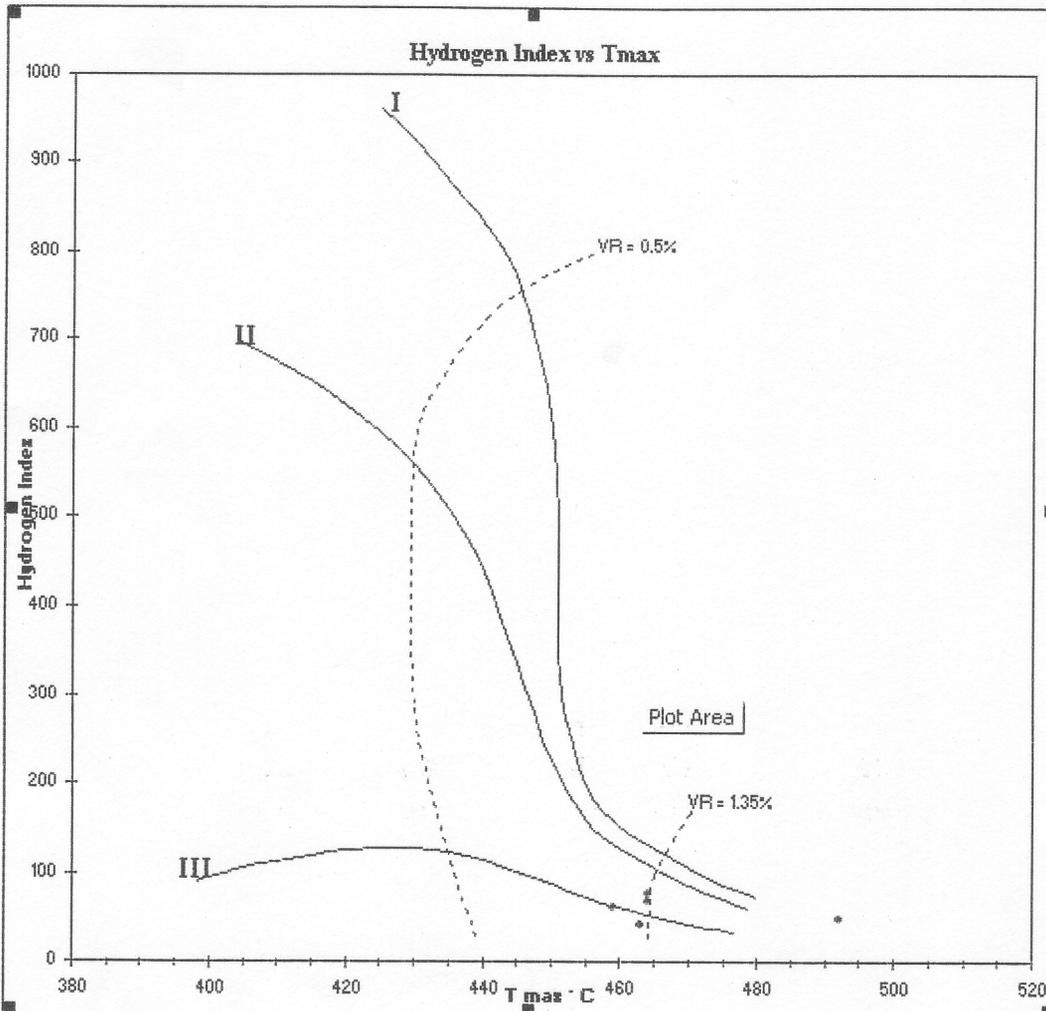
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Project **03PEAD00681**  
 Client Ref: Letter 21/01/03

Customer Sample ID		H5	H6	H7
Test/Reference	Unit			
<b>Rock-Eval Pyrolysis</b>				
T Max	°C	459	-	463
S1- Volatile Hydrocarbons	mg/g	0.54	-	0.46
S2- HC Generating Potential	mg/g	1.90	-	1.24
S3- Organic Carbon Dioxide	mg/g	0.34	-	0.26
S1 + S2- Potential Yield	mg/g	2.44	-	1.70
PI - Production Index		0.22	-	0.27
S2/S3		5.58	-	4.76
PC- Pyrolyzied Carbon	mg/g	0.20	-	0.14
TOC - Total Organic Carbon	Weight %	3.10	-	2.90
HI- Hydrogen Index		61	-	42
OI- Oxygen Index		10	-	8
<b>Total Organic Carbon</b>				
Total Organic Carbon	Weight %	3.10	0.22	2.90



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Authorised By: Carmelina Valente  
Petroleum Chemist

Signature:

Final Report

- Indicates Not Requested

\* Indicates NATA Accredited Test

Samples will be discarded after 30 days unless otherwise notified.

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The samples were not collected by Amdel staff.

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21<sup>st</sup> January 2003

Please find enclosed six rock samples for TOC, and Rock Eval analysis if TOC is appropriate.

Sample numbers

H5	850.15m
H6	850.5m
H7	845.6m
H8	856.5m
H9	869.5m
H10	828.5m

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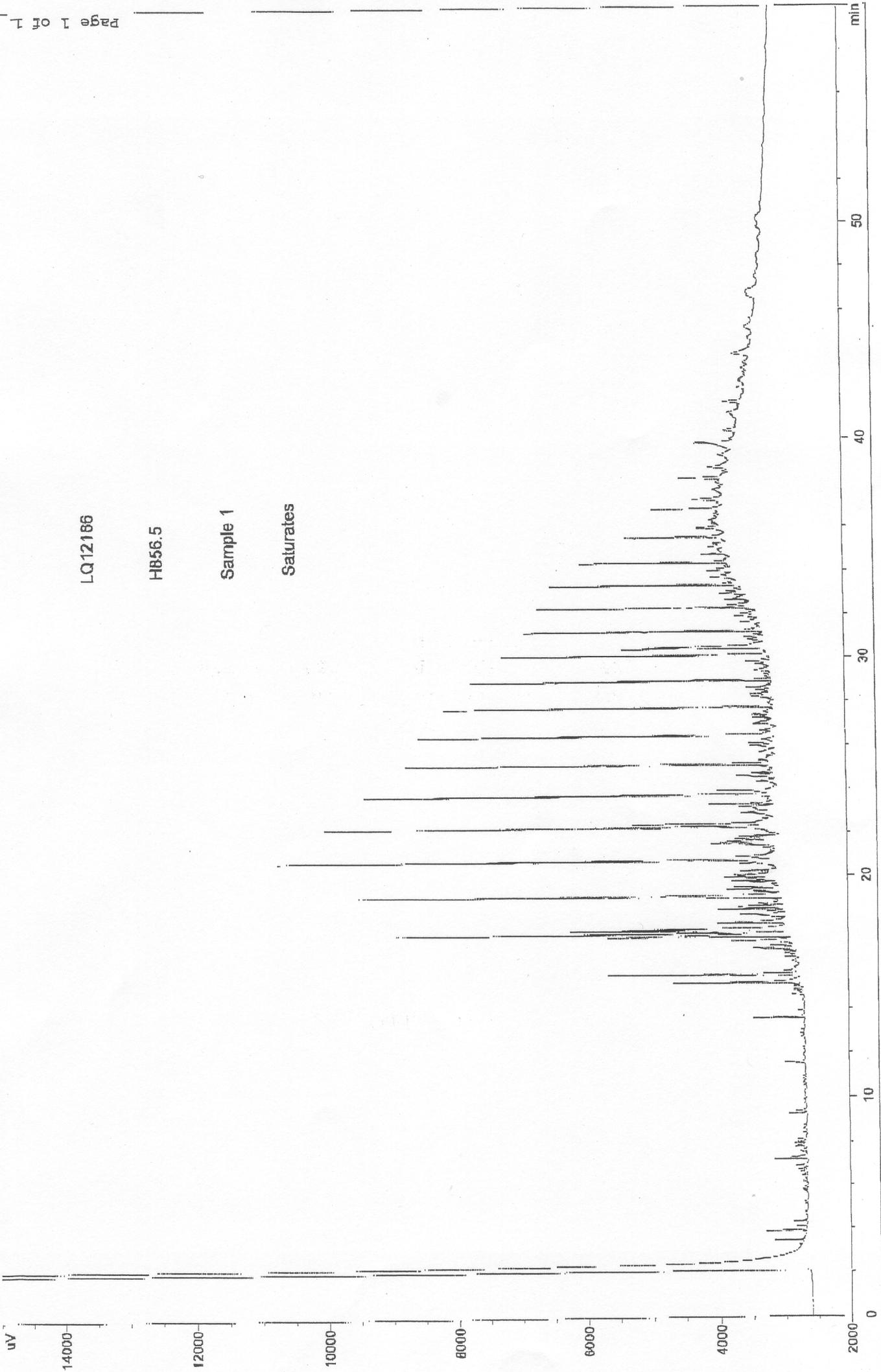
TABLE I  
C<sub>12+</sub> BULK COMPOSITION AND ALKANE RATIOS

Sample	EOM (ppm)	Composition (%)			Alkane Ratios			
		Sats	Arom	NSO	Np/Pr	Pr/Ph	Pr/n-C <sub>17</sub>	Ph/n-C <sub>18</sub>
		H856.5	44	17	39	0.47	2.50	0.32
H859.2	34	26	40	0.45	2.20	0.22	0.11	
H874.4	55	19	26	0.60	2.14	0.29	0.14	
S3	78	14	8	0.77	1.56	0.40	0.29	

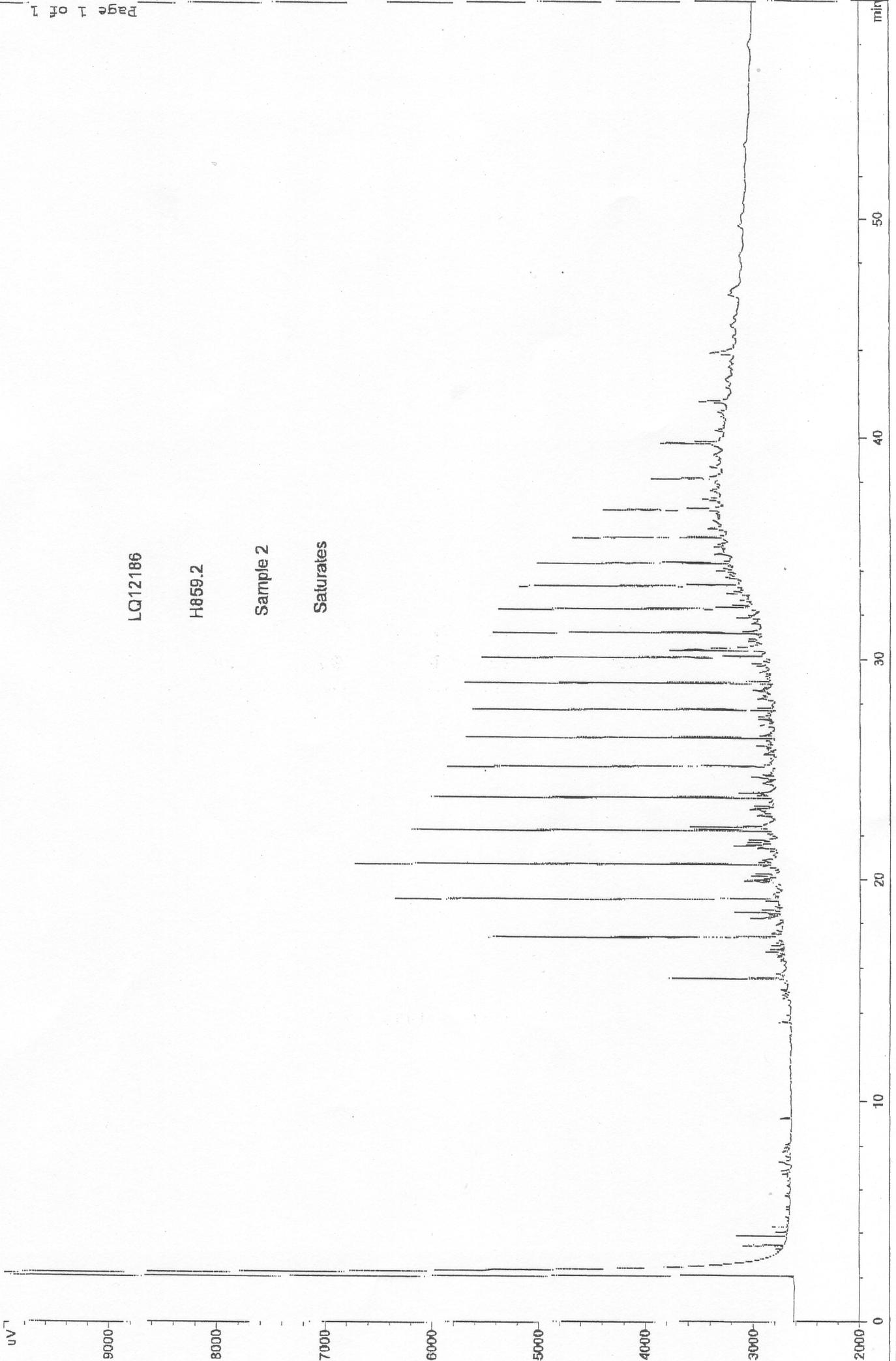
EOM = extractable organic matter  
 Sats = saturated hydrocarbons  
 Arom = aromatic hydrocarbons  
 NSO = compounds containing nitrogen, sulphur and oxygen

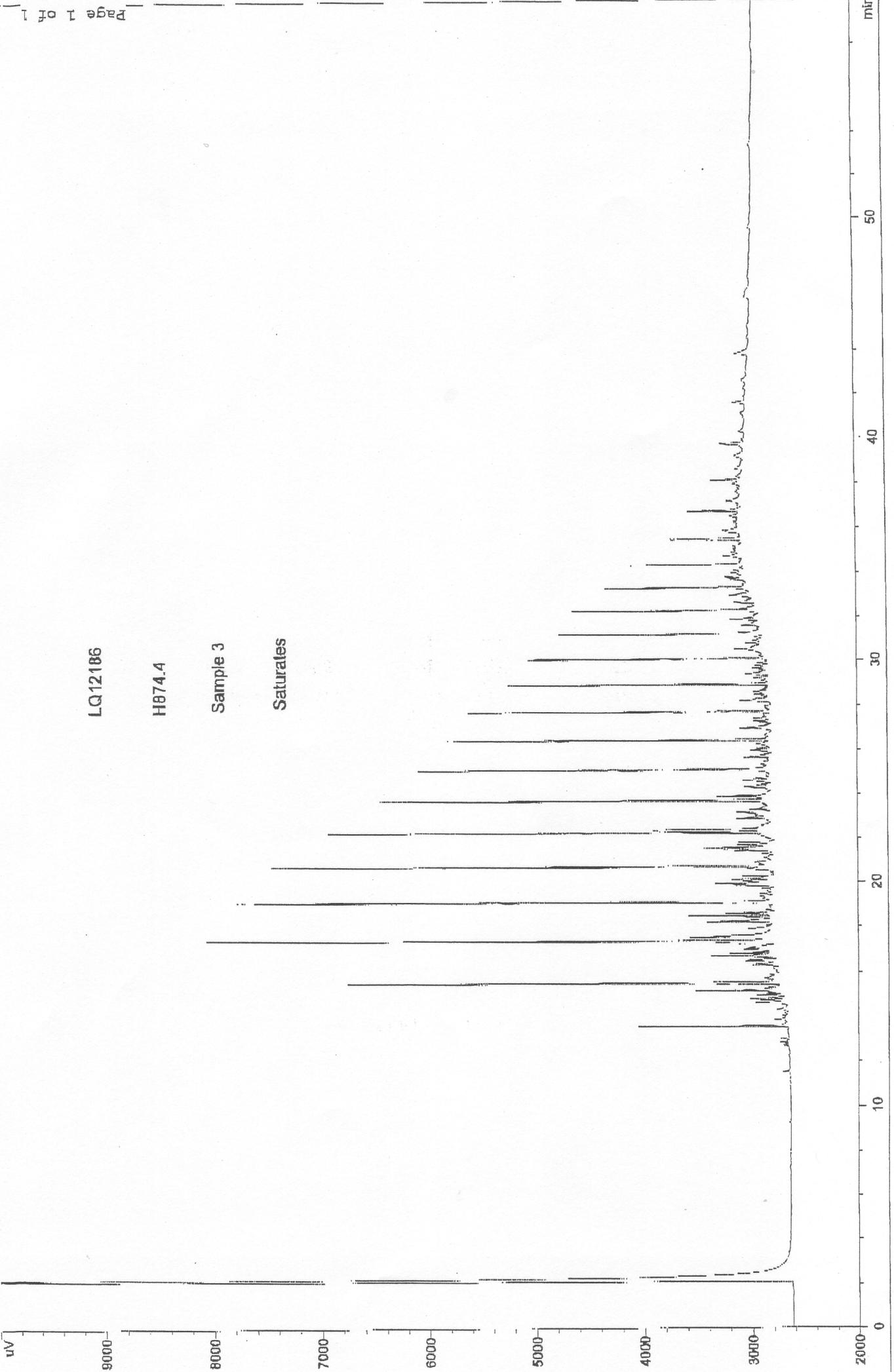
Np = norpristane  
 Pr = pristane  
 Ph = phytane  
 n-C<sub>17</sub> = n-heptadecane  
 n-C<sub>18</sub> = n-octadecane

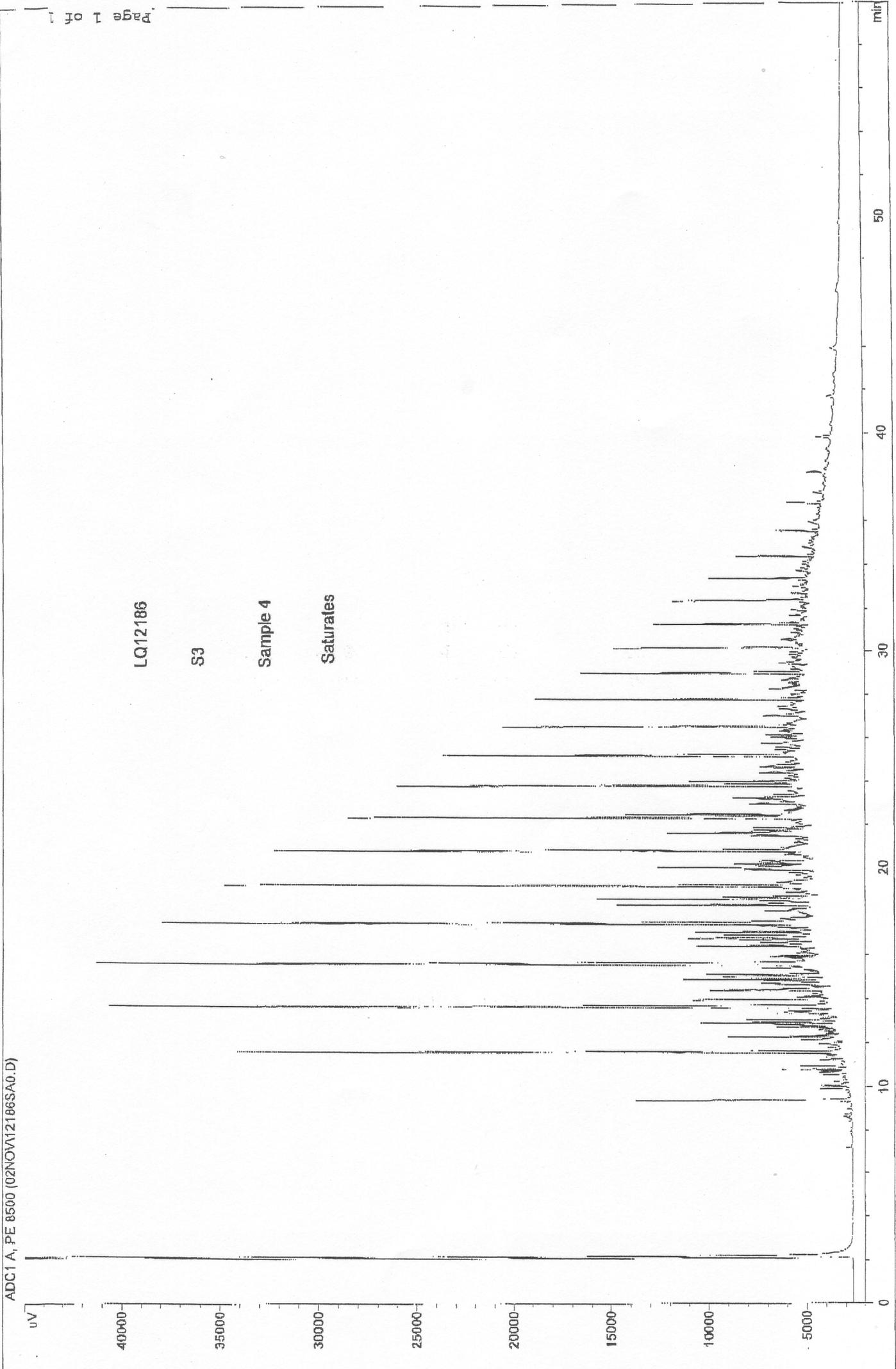
ADC1 A, PE 8500 (02NOV12166SA1.D)



ADC1 A, PE 8500 (02NOV121855AZ.D)







ADC1 A, PE 8500 (02NOV12186SA0.D)

**TABLE 2**  
**BIOMARKER PARAMETERS OF SOURCE, MATURITY, MIGRATION AND BIODEGRADATION, ATP-269-P(1) OILS**

Sample	Steranes							Terpanes							Acyclic Alkanes			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
H856.5		3.11	1.66	0.64	0.64	0.66	0.33	0.14	0.83	0.27	0.11	1.37	0.19	2.50	0.32	0.14		
H859.2		1.91	2.47	1.03	1.44	1.04	0.35	0.25	0.49	0.64	0.15	1.33	0.13	0.22	0.22	0.11		
H874.4		2.68	1.75	0.80	1.33	0.87	0.29	0.25	0.54	0.56	0.18	1.42	0.16	0.29	0.29	0.14		
S3		2.58	1.33	0.59	1.23	0.79	0.60	0.15	1.38	0.32	0.11	1.30	0.21	0.40	0.40	0.29		

- = not determined

## KEY TO BIOMARKER PARAMETERS OF SOURCE, MIGRATION AND BIODEGRADATION

Parameter	Derivation*	Specificity
1	$C_{27}/C_{28}:C_{29}$	Source
2	$5\alpha(H)14\alpha(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ steranes	Source
3	$C_{29} 5\alpha(H)14\alpha(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ sterane/ $C_{27} 5\alpha(H)14\alpha(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ sterane	Source
4	$13\beta(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ diasterane/ $C_{27} 13\beta(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ diasterane	Maturity, Biodegradation
5	$5\alpha(H)14\alpha(H)17\alpha(H)20S$ sterane/ $C_{29} 5\alpha(H)14\alpha(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ sterane	Maturity
6	$13\beta(H)17\alpha(H)20S$ diasterane/ $C_{27} 13\beta(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ diasterane	Maturity, Migration
7	$5\alpha(H)14\beta(H)20R$ sterane/ $C_{29} 5\alpha(H)14\alpha(H)17\alpha(H)20R$ sterane	Migration, Source
8	$13\beta(H)17\alpha(H)20R+20S$ diasteranes/ $C_{29} 5\alpha(H)$ steranes	Maturity, Source
9	$18\alpha(H)-30$ -normeohopane ( $C_{29}Ts$ )/ $C_{29} 17\alpha(H)$ hopane + $C_{29}Ts$	Source, Maturity
10	$17\alpha(H)$ dihopane/ $18\alpha(H)-30$ -normeohopane ( $C_{30}^*/C_{29}Ts$ )	Maturity, Source
11	$C_{27} 18\alpha(H)-22,29,30$ -trisorhopane ( $Ts$ )/ $C_{17} 17\alpha(H)-22,29,30$ -trisorhopane ( $Trn$ )+ $Ts$	Maturity
12	$T_s/C_{30} 17\alpha(H)21\beta(H)$ hopane	Maturity
13	$C_{32} 17\alpha(H)21\beta(H)22S$ homohopane/ $C_{32} 17\alpha(H)21\beta(H)22R$ homohopane	Maturity
14	$C_{30} 17\beta(H)21\alpha(H)$ moretane/ $C_{30} 17\alpha(H)21\beta(H)$ hopane	Maturity
15	pristane/phytane	Source
16	pristane/n-heptadecane phytane/n-octadecane	Source, Biodegradation, Maturity

\* Ratios calculated from peak areas as follows:

Parameters	1-7	$m/z = 217, 218, 259$	mass fragmentograms
Parameters	8 - 13	$m/z = 191$	mass fragmentogram
Parameters	14 - 16		capillary gas chromatogram of alkanes or whole oil/extract

**TABLE**  
**AROMATIC MATURITY DATA**

Depth (m)	MPI	MPR	DNR	MPDF	VR CALC (%)					
					A	B	C	D	E	F
H856.5	0.994	1.875	-	0.596	1.00	1.70	1.21	-	0.92	1.17
H859.2	0.894	1.908	-	0.591	0.94	1.76	1.22	-	0.85	1.16
H874.4	0.952	1.510	-	0.553	0.97	1.73	1.12	-	0.89	1.07
S3	0.934	1.352	-	0.471	0.96	1.74	1.07	-	0.87	0.89

**KEY TO AROMATIC MATURITY INDICATORS**

Methylphenanthrene index (MPI), methylphenanthrene ratio (MPR), dimethylnaphthalene ratio (DNR) and calculated vitrinite reflectance ( $VR_{calc}$ ) are derived from the following equations (after Radke and Welte, 1983; Radke *et al.*, 1984):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MPI} &= \frac{1.5(2\text{-MP} + 3\text{-MP})}{P + 1\text{-MP} + 9\text{-MP}} \\ \text{VR}_{calc} \text{ (a)} &= 0.6 \text{ MPI} + 0.4 \text{ (for } VR < 1.35\%) \\ \text{VR}_{calc} \text{ (b)} &= -0.6 \text{ MPI} + 2.3 \text{ (for } VR > 1.35\%) \\ \text{MPR} &= \frac{2\text{-MP}}{1\text{-MP}} \\ \text{VR}_{calc} \text{ (c)} &= 0.99 \log_{10} \text{ MPR} + 0.94 \text{ (VR} = 0.5\text{-}1.7\%) \\ \text{DNR} &= \frac{2,6\text{-DMN} + 2,7\text{-DMN}}{1,5\text{-DMN}} \\ \text{VR}_{calc} \text{ (d)} &= 0.46 \text{ DNR} + 0.89 \text{ (for } VR = 0.9\text{-}1.5\%) \end{aligned}$$

Where

P	=	phenanthrene
1-MP	=	1-methylphenanthrene
2-MP	=	2-methylphenanthrene
3-MP	=	3-methylphenanthrene
9-MP	=	9-methylphenanthrene
1,5-DMN	=	1,5-dimethylnaphthalene
2,6-DMN	=	2,6-dimethylnaphthalene
2,7-DMN	=	2,7-dimethylnaphthalene

Peak areas measured from  $m/z$  156 (dimethylnaphthalene),  $m/z$  178 (phenanthrene) and  $m/z$  192 (methylphenanthrene) mass fragmentograms of diaromatic and triaromatic hydrocarbon fraction isolated by thin layer chromatography.

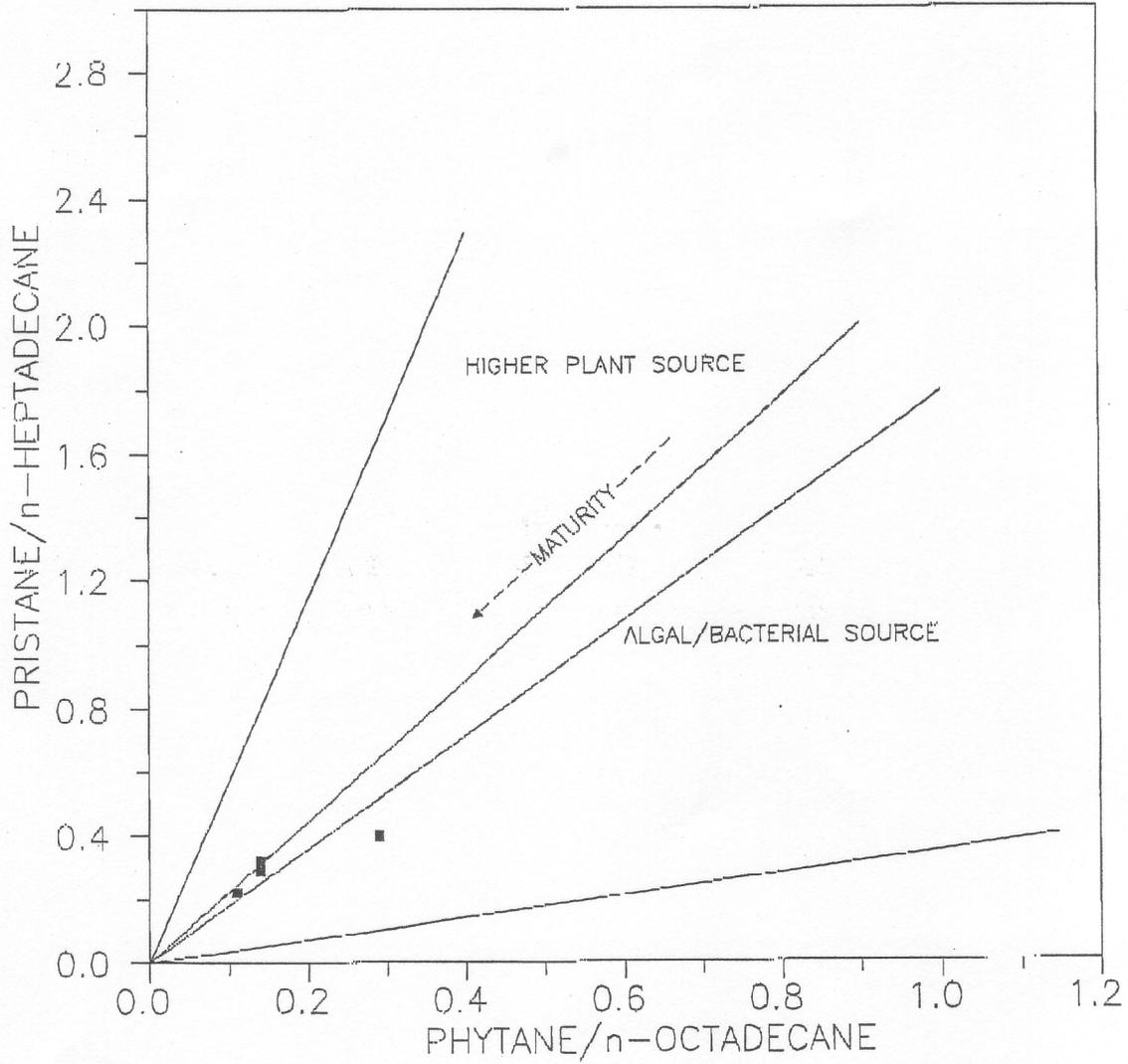
Recalibration of the methylphenanthrene index using data from a suite of Australian coals has given rise to another equation for calculated vitrinite reflectance (after Borcham *et al.*, 1988):

$$\text{VR}_{calc} \text{ (e)} = 0.7 \text{ MPI} + 0.22 \text{ (for } VR < 1.7\%)$$

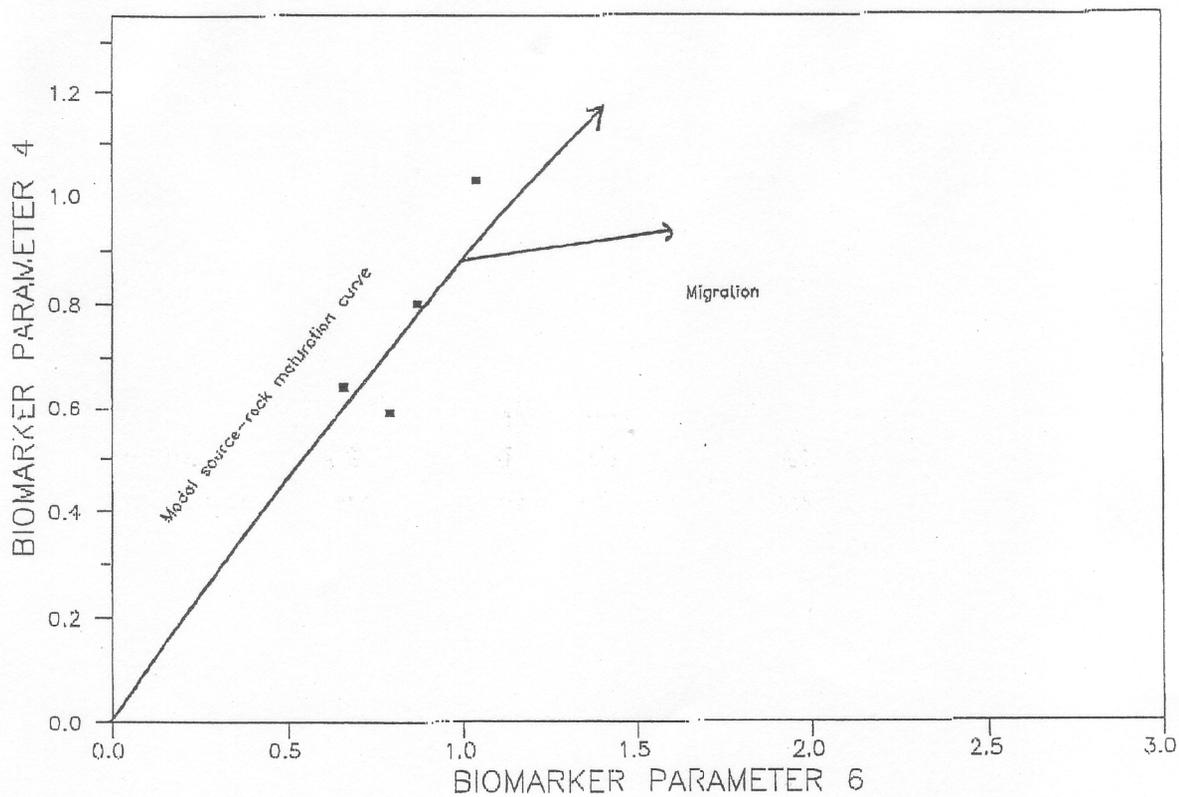
The methylphenanthrene distribution ratio (MPDF) and calculated vitrinite reflectance  $VR_{calc}$  (f) is derived from the following equation (after Kvalheim *et al.*, 1987):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MPDF} &= \frac{(2\text{-MP} + 3\text{-MP})}{(2\text{-MP} + 3\text{-MP} + 1\text{-MP} + 9\text{-MP})} \\ \text{VR}_{calc} \text{ (f)} &= -0.166 + 2.242 \text{ MPDF} \end{aligned}$$

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### C<sub>29</sub> STERANE MATURITY - MIGRATION PLOT



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