

***Bradocryphaeus neptuni*** van Viersen & Bignon, 2011 (TH571c)

***Bradocryphaeus*** → Phacopida → Phacopina → Acastoidea → Acastidae → Asteropyginae

**Provenance** : Belgium; Nismes (behind church)

**Formation** : ? Fm [Boussu en Fagne Mbr of Grand Breux Fm according to van Viersen & Bignon, 2011]

**Age** : Upper Devonian (Middle Frasnian)

**Details** : Two cephalons (internal moulds) of which one fairly complete. A fairly rare species also found at the Lion Quarry of Frasnes. According to van Viersen & Bignon, 2011, the species "...does not come particularly close to any of the previously recorded species of this genus in the Ardennes. Only its pygidium is generally similar to that of *B. vanherlei* sp. nov. yet easily distinguished through its more widely rounded outline, the presence of fenestrae, and proximally robust pleural spines".

**Bought on** : 13/11/2022

**Bought at** : De Mixx, Herselt

**Event** : PaleoTime 2022

