

# Rhisnes Formation - RHI

**Authors:** Malaise, 1902; Lacroix, 1999c.

**Description:** Consists mainly of a nodular brachiopod limestone, dolomitized at some levels. In some localities the middle part either consists of bedded bioclastic limestones overlaid by coral and stromatoporoid beds or of black micritic limestones.

**Type areas:** Sennette Valley north of Ecaussinnes and Samme Valley north-east of Feluy. Because of the discontinuous nature of the exposures a formal stratotype cannot be designated.

**Area:** Central and western part of the northern border of the Namur Synclinorium.

**Thickness:** About 60 to 90 m.

**Age:** Middle Frasnian, laterally equivalent to the Huccorngne Fm (Lacroix, 1999).