

# Download Himalayan Cambrian Trilobites

The evolution of fish began about 530 million years ago during the Cambrian explosion. It was during this time that the early chordates developed the skull and the vertebral column, leading to the first craniates and vertebrates. The first fish lineages belong to the Agnatha, or jawless fish. Early examples include Haikouichthys. During the late Cambrian, eel-like jawless fish called the conodonts ... The Cenozoic Era is the last and most recent of the geologic eras. Its name means "new life" coming from the Greek root kainos, meaning "new," and zoic, "life." While this new life came to refer to mammals—thus coined The Age of Mammals—this new life could have just as easily been the angiosperm or flowering plants, the insects, the newest fish (teleostei) or modern birds. The Neogene Period Major Changes For Planet Earth. The Neogene Period began about 24 million years ago and it continues up to the present time. The name "Neogene" is a new name for part of the old Tertiary Period and includes the old Quaternary Period. Scientists changed the names of the periods when they learned new information about the age of the earth. The earliest group of fish to be found as fossils are classified as agnathans. In Wyoming, USA, small pieces of bone from these fish are earliest vertebrate remains in rocks of Cambrian age - Himalayan Cambrian Trilobites