

Interactive comment on “First magmatism in the New England Orogen, Australia: Forearc and arc-backarc components in the Bakers Creek Suite gabbros” by Seann J. McKibbin et al.

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This is an interesting paper. I am wondering where is the early Permian arc preserved. Is it possible to preserve in the Gympie terrane? You may check the recent paper in tectonics:

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