ガボン前期原生代フランスヴィル層群の炭酸塩炭素同位体層序 Carbonate carbon isotope stratigraphy of the Paleoproterozoic Francevillian Group in Gabon

*佐藤 友彦¹、澤木 佑介²、浅沼 尚²、上田 修裕¹、丸山 茂徳¹ *Tomohiko Sato¹, Yusuke Sawaki², Hisashi Asanuma², Hisahiro Ueda¹, Shigenori Maruyama¹

1. 東京工業大学、2. 東京大学

1. Tokyo Institute of Technology, 2. The University of Tokyo

The large fluctuations of δ 13C_carb in the Paleoproterozoic are important in terms of the speculation on the atmospheric oxygen level and the global stratigraphic correlations. The interval characterized by the generally high values of δ 13C_carb up to +10 ‰ is called Lomagundi-Jatuli Event (L)E; ca. 2.2-2.0 Ga) and interpreted as reflecting high rates of oxygen production (e.g. Karhu & Holland, 1996; Martin et al., 2011). The drop of δ 13C_carb and δ 13C_org at the end of LIE are reported from Shunga in Fennoscandia, and the negative shift of δ 13C_org is correlated with that of Franceville in Gabon (Kump et al., 2011); however, the δ 13C_carb data in Gabon is still missing because of the scarcity of the carbonate rocks. The Paleoproterozoic Francevillian Group in Gabon consists of FA (fluvial sandstones), FB (black shales/carbonates), FC (cherts), FD (black shales), and FE (sandstones) in ascending order. The lithostratigraphic correlation between the Franceville, Lastoursville, and Okondja basins suggests that the FA-FB-FC units are in different depositional settings and the FD-FE units are in common facies, which indicates the final opening of the intracratonic basins. In order to explore the global correlation of δ 13C_carb, the analyses in the FD-FE units are required. In this study, we conducted two drillings in the Lastoursville and Okondja basins to obtain the fresh core-samples of FD. The lithological observations clarified that numbers of carbonate layers are intercalated in black shales in the FD unit in the both areas. We analyzed δ 13C_carb of these carbonate layers, and filled in the stratigraphic blanks in the FD unit. In this presentation, we will discuss the propriety of the δ 13C_carb stratigraphic correlations.

キーワード : 前期原生代、炭素同位体比、ガボン Keywords: Paleoproterozoic, carbon isotope, Gabon