

Re: 500 million year old poo and Oxygen

A worm is a tenuous description. Sewer worms, tube worms and the weird worms of the black smoker regions can actually be poisoned by too high levels of oxygen. High sulfur water is not a restrictive factor to animals adapted to it. Cueva Villa Luz in Mexico (home of snotites) have such high levels of sulfur/ and depressed oxygen (episodic– 9–14% in the air) that SCBA is used, with high sulfur water being practically oxygen–free. This cave supports a species of fish which the locals harvest in some sort of festive atmospher