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UFO dust a puzzle, say cops

TESTS on the ash-like substance scattered by Australia's car-snatching UFO left police scientists baffled yesterday.

The dust was found all over Faye Knowles's new Ford after she claimed it was lifted off the road by aliens.

A spokesman at the police forensic laboratory in Adelaide said a series of tests failed to identify the black ash and university chemists were being called in to help.

He added: "If our scientists don't know what it is, then it will be examined by others until someone comes up with an answer."

IN BRITAIN, bookies William Hill have reduced odds against a UFO being authenticated from 250-1 to 200-1.