

# Catalogue of free-living ciliates (Protozoa: Ciliophora) recorded from Australia

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## Abstract

All published reports of ciliated protozoan species free-living in Australia have been compiled into a taxonomic catalogue and cross-referenced bibliography. Records were extracted from 127 publications and are listed (with taxonomic authorities, synonyms, sizes, habitats and geographic locations) for ~620 ciliate species belonging to 284 genera in 130 families, 42 orders and 10 classes. Only free-living ciliate species are recorded from aquatic and terrestrial habitats (those living in association with a host are listed in another catalogue). Studies on ciliates in Australia have been sparse and fragmentary for such a vast and diverse continent, thus knowledge about the biodiversity and ecology of our ciliate fauna is limited and often speculative.

## Introduction

Ciliated protozoa (phylum Ciliophora) are unique amongst the unicellular eukaryotes because they are the only group to exhibit nuclear dualism. Individual cells possess two different types of nuclei; vegetative macronuclei and reproductive micronuclei. Asexual reproduction occurs by transverse binary fission across rows of cilia (homothetogenic fission) whereas some species exhibit sexual reproduction by the phenomenon of conjugation (temporary fusion of two conjugates which exchange micronuclei).

As their common name implies, ciliates are also characterized by the possession of simple cilia, or compound ciliary organelles, in at least one stage of their life cycles (compound subpellicular infraciliature is universally present even when cilia are absent). Cilia are elongate hair-like extensions of the cell membrane with an internal microtubular core (universal 2+9 configuration = 2 single central microtubules surrounded by 9 peripheral doublets). They are organelles of motility used for locomotion and/or feeding. Cilia (singular, cilium) are similar in ultrastructure to flagella (singular, flagellum), and they are collectively often called undulipodia (singular, undulipodium) because both use cross-linked proteins (dynein-walking mechanism) to undulate about their basal kinetosome (unlike the rotary motion unique to flagella in bacteria).

Ciliates, together with dinoflagellates and apicomplexans, possess subpellicular alveoli which are membrane-bound sacs beneath the plasma membrane. Alveoli are thought to serve many varied functions: ranging from support (helping maintain body shape, act as fulcrum for undulipodia); metabolism (storage); osmoregulation (mucocysts); excretion (extrusomes); protection (toxicysts, trichocysts); and even hunting (haptocysts).

Most ciliate species are free-living in aquatic or terrestrial habitats but many are commensals in vertebrate or invertebrate hosts and some are parasitic. Early classification systems recognized three main classes of ciliates mainly on the basis of their patterns of somatic (body) and buccal (oral) ciliation. The 'lower holotrichs' have simple body and oral ciliature; most are free-living species but some are highly specialized symbionts aiding cellulose digestion in herbivores. The 'higher holotrichs' have simple body ciliature but more specialized oral ciliature forming membranelles; most occur as free-living organisms but some live as commensals or parasites in a range of animals. The 'spirotrichs' have reduced body ciliation but well-developed oral ciliature

forming an adoral zone of membranelles; most are bactivores living in aquatic and terrestrial habitats.

More recently, ten major monophyletic lineages have been recognized on the basis of their infraciliature; i.e. the ultrastructural organization of their kinetids (comprising basal bodies (= kinetosomes) and associated microtubular ribbons and fibrils). These lineages (ranked as classes) have been well supported by modern molecular biological studies using several gene sequences. The classification scheme therefore used in this document follows that of:

Lynn, D.H. & Small, E.B. 2000. Phylum Ciliophora Doflein, 1901. In: Lee, J.J., Leedale, G.F. & Bradbury, P. (eds.), *An Illustrated Guide to the Protozoa*. Second Edition, Society of Protozoologists, Allen Press Inc., Lawrence, Kansas, Vol. 1, pp. 371-656.

The subphylum Postciliodesmatophora contains ciliates possessing somatic dikinetids with postciliodesmata or overlapping postciliary microtubular ribbons. Two classes are recognized: the Heterotrichea ('different hair') in which the left oral polykinetid does not encircle the body and the macronuclei do not divide; and the Karyorelictea ('surviving nucleus') which exhibit simple nuclear dualism and when the macronucleus divides, microtubules occur outside the macronuclear envelope. The subphylum Intramacronucleata is a diverse group, whose members are united by the presence of microtubules inside the macronuclear envelope during division. Eight classes are recognized: the Spirotrichea ('coiled hair') with conspicuous oral membranelles (previously known as polyhymenophoreans); the Litostomatea ('simple mouths') with a noncurved tubular cytopharyngeal apparatus (rhabdos); the Phyllopharyngea ('leaf throated') with cytopharyngeal phyllae; the Colpodea ('breast shaped') with reniform body profiles; the Prostomatea ('before mouth') with simple apical mouths; the Nassophorea ('pot bearer') with curved tubular cytopharyngeal apparatus (cyrtos or nasse); the Plagiopylea ('misshapen marker') with twisted oral tubes; and the Oligohymenophorea ('few membrane-bearer') with an adoral zone of three membranelles.

All records given in this catalogue have the following format: Taxon + authority [synonyms]; size; habitat; region; reference. Where information is unavailable, the abbreviation NR indicates Not Recorded. All taxa are listed as genus and species names, immediately followed by their taxonomic authorities (where, by convention, brackets indicate revision by the subsequent authority). Synonyms are given where appropriate within square brackets (complete synonymy given by abbreviation 'syn.'; partial synonymy indicated by symbol '='). When provided in the publication, ciliate size is given as the ranges in length by breadth (in micrometers). The habitat is listed for each record as freshwater, salt lake, marine (including oceanic and estuarine habitats), moss, soil (including exposed lake sediment), leaf-litter or tree-bark. The site of occurrence in Australia (Fig. 1) is given as the zoogeographic region (terrestrial drainage divisions encoded R1-R12, coastal and oceanic regions encoded R13-R30; region unspecified encoded RU). The publication from which each entry was extracted is then listed by numeric code corresponding to numbered references given at the end of the document. All records are derived from published ('peer-reviewed') material prior to 2010 (constituting books, book chapters, research papers, conference proceedings, published conference abstracts, expedition reports and society records).

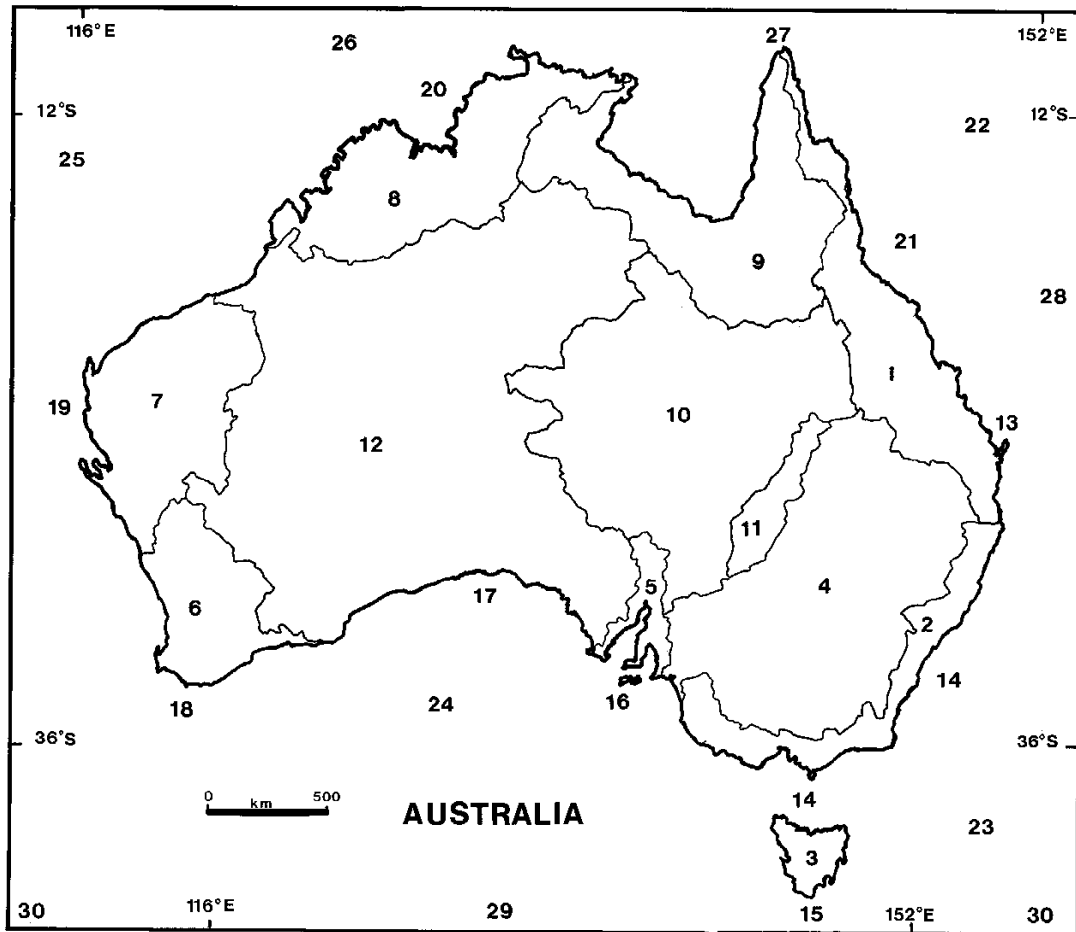


Figure 1. Regions of Australia given for each entry in checklist: R1, North-east drainage; R2, South-east drainage; R3, Tasmanian drainage; R4, Murray-Darling drainage; R5, South Australian drainage; R6, South-west drainage; R7, Far-west drainage; R8, North-west drainage; R9, Carpentarian drainage; R10, Lake Eyre drainage; R11, Bulloo-Bancannia drainage; R12, Western plateau drainage; R13, North-east coast; R14, South-east coast and Bass Strait; R15, Tasmanian coast; R16, South Australian Gulf; R17, Bight coast; R18, South-west Coast; R19, Far west coast; R20, Timoresian coast; R21, Great Barrier Reef; R22, Coral Sea; R23, Tasman Sea; R24, Great Australian Bight; R25, Indian Ocean; R26, Timor Sea/Arafura Sea; R27, Gulf of Carpentaria/Torres Strait; R28, Pacific Ocean; R29, Antarctic Region; R30, Southern Ocean.

### Taxonomic catalogue

Phylum: Ciliophora Doflein, 1901 [ciliates; with nuclear dualism, conjugation, alveoli, cilia]

Unidentified ciliate species; NR; freshwater, marine, soil; RU, R2, R4, R6, R21; 8, 15, 41, 52, 72, 77, 96, 105, 118

Subphylum: Postciliodesmatophora Gerassimova & Seravin, 1976 [somatic dikinetids with postciliodesmata]

Class: Karyorelictea Corliss, 1972 [simple nuclear dualism, vermiform bodies, often contractile]

Order: Protostomatida Small & Lynn, 1985 [oral cilia inconspicuous, or absent]

Family: Kentrophoridae Jankowski, 1980

*Tracheloraphis* Dragesco, 1958; NR; marine; RU (81)

*Tracheloraphis caudata* Dragesco & Raikov, 1966; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Family: Trachelocercidae Kent, 1881

*Trachelocerca* Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R2 (75, 81)

*Trachelocerca conifer* Kahl, 1930; 50-90  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake; R6 (85)

*Trachelocerca fusca* Kahl, 1928; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Trachelocerca olor* (Muller, 1776) Kahl, 1930 [syn. *Lacrymaria olor*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 111, 115)

Order: Loxodida Jankowski in Small & Lynn, 1985 [somatic cilia on right of flattened body]

Family: Loxodidae Butschli, 1889

*Loxodes* Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (58, 74, 124, 127)

*Remanella* Kahl, 1933; NR; marine; RU (81)

Class: Heterotrichea Stein, 1859 [heterotrichs, left oral polykinetid not encircling body]

Order: Heterotrichida Stein, 1859 [somatic kineties usually insert on oral region]

Family: Blepharismidae Jankowski, in Small & Lynn, 1985

*Blepharisma* Perty, 1849; NR; soil; R5 (84, 126)

*Blepharisma americanum* (Suzuki, 1954) Hirshfield *et al.*, 1965; 155-200 x 64-112  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R6 (1, 33)

*Blepharisma bimicronucleatum* Villeneuve-Brachon, 1940; NR; soil; R1, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Blepharisma halophila* Ruinen, 1938; 100-250 x 50  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake; R5, R6 (85, 95)

*Blepharisma hyalinum* Perty, 1849; NR; soil; R1, R2, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Blepharisma steini* Kahl, 1932; 150-200  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Blepharisma undulans* Stein, 1867; NR; soil; RU (43)

Family: Climacostomidae Repak, 1972

*Climacostomum* Stein, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2, R3, R4 (17, 86, 106, 107, 119)

*Climacostomum virens* (Ehrenberg, 1838) Stein, 1859; 100-360 x 55-150  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, soil; RU, R2 (25, 28, 35, 98)

*Fabrea* Henneguy, 1890

*Fabrea salina* Henneguy, 1890; 141-200  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake; R6 (85)

Family: Condyllostomatidae Kahl, in Doflein & Reichenow, 1929

*Condyllostoma* Bory de St. Vincent, 1826; 35-70  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine, salt lake; RU, R6 (81, 85)

*Condyllostomides* Silva Neto, 1994

*Condyllostomides trinucleatus* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 170-270 x 100-135  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R4 (1, 47)

Family: Folliculinidae Dons, 1914

'*Diafolliculina*' *nomen nudum* Hadzi, 1951; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Folliculina* Lamarck, 1816; NR; marine; RU, R14 (81, 124)

*Folliculina ampulla* Muller, 1786; NR; freshwater; R2 (7)

*Folliculina hirundo* (Kent, 1881) Kahl, 1932; NR; marine; R14 (124)

*Folliculina producta* Wright, 1859; NR; salt lake; R5 (95)

*Metafolliculina* Dons, 1925

*Metafolliculina andrewsi* Hadzi, 1938; NR; freshwater; R2 (7)

*Parafolliculina* Dons, 1914

*Parafolliculina amphora* Dons, 1913; NR; freshwater; R2 (7)

*Parafolliculina hirundo* Kent, 1882; NR; freshwater; R2 (7)

*Parafolliculina violacea* (Giard, 1888) Kahl, 1932; NR; marine; R19 (7)

Family: Peritromidae Stein, 1867

*Peritromus* Stein, 1862; NR; marine; RU (81)

Family: Spirostomidae Stein, 1867

*Gruberia* Kahl, 1932; NR; marine; RU (81)

- Spirostomum* Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (74, 123, 127)  
*Spirostomum ambiguum* Muller-Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (98, 124)  
*Spirostomum minus* Roux, 1901; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)  
*Spirostomum teres* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Family: Stentoridae Carus, 1863

- Stentor* Oken, 1815; NR; freshwater; R1, R2, R3, R4 (27, 59, 69, 73, 116, 127)  
*Stentor amethystinus* Leidy, 1880; 150-500 x 106-150 µm; freshwater; RU, R4 (45, 66)  
*Stentor barretti* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 124)  
*Stentor coeruleus* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)  
*Stentor igneus* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (103, 124)  
*Stentor polymorphus* Muller, 1773; 110 x 50 µm; freshwater; R1, R2 (59, 98, 100, 104, 124)  
*Stentor roeselii* Ehrenberg, 1835 [= *S. roeselli*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (99, 104, 111)  
*Parastentor Vuxanovici*, 1961; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

Subphylum: Intramacronucleata Lynn, 1996 [microtubules occur inside macronuclear envelope during division]

Class: Spirotrichea Butschli, 1889 [spirotrichs, with conspicuous oral polykinetids]

Subclass: Protocruziidia de Puytorac *et al.*, 1984 [cluster of paradiploid macronuclei]

Order: Protocruziida Jankowski in Small & Lynn, 1985 [typically 6 left serial oral polykinetids]

Family: Protocruziidae Jankowski, in Small & Lynn, 1985

*Protocruzia* de Faria *et al.*, 1922; NR; marine; RU (81)

Subclass: Hypotrichia Stein, 1859 [flattened rigid body; compound cilia (cirri)]

Unidentified hypotrich ciliates; NR; marine; R21 (64)

*Incertae sedis*

*Balladyna* Kowalewski, 1882; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Halterioforma* Horvath, 1956 [syn. *Jeannellia* Tucolesco, 1962]; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

Order: Kiiitrichia Nozawa, 1941 [frontoventral cirri in semicircular files]

*Incertae sedis*

Family: Transitellidae Fryd-Versavel & Tuffrau, 1978

*Balantidioides* Penard, in Kahl, 1930 [= *Transitella* Gellert, 1950]

*Balantidioides dragescoi* Foissner *et al.*, 1982; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

Order: Euplotida Small & Lynn, 1985 [frontoventral cirri never forming more than one file]

Suborder: Euplotina Small & Lynn, 1985 [no neck-like constriction]

Family: Aspidiscidae Ehrenberg, 1838

*Aspidisca* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; marine; RU, R3, R21 (3, 81, 127)

*Aspidisca cicada* (Muller, 1786) Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Aspidisca costata* (Dujardin, 1841) Kahl, 1932; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Aspidisca lynceus* (Muller, 1773) Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater, soil; RU, R2 (25, 28, 43)

*Aspidisca marsupialis* Penard, 1922; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Aspidisca turrita* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Family: Euplotidae Ehrenberg, 1838

*Euplotes* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater, marine, salt lake; RU, R2, R3, R4, R6, R21 (3, 4, 58, 69, 74, 81, 85, 127)

*Euplotes balteatus* (Dujardin 1842) Kahl, 1932; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Euplotes charon* (Muller, 1786) Stein, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)

*Euplotes eurystomus* Wrzeseniowski, 1870; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Euplotes labiatis* Ruinen, 1938; 23-45 x 16-29  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil, salt lake; R5 (1, 13, 43, 95)

*Euplotes muscicola* Kahl, 1932; NR; soil; R3, R5 (13, 43)

*Euplotes patella* (Muller, 1773) Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 124)

*Euplotopsis* Borror & Hill, 1995

*Euplotopsis muscicola* (Kahl, 1932) Borror & Hill, 1995; NR; soil; RU (47)

Family: Uronychiidae Jankowski, 1979

*Diophrys* Dujardin, 1840

*Diophrys salina* Ruinen, 1938; 30-40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake; R5 (95)

*Uronychia* Stein, 1857

*Uronychia transfuga* (Muller, 1786) Kahl, 1932; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Subclass: Choreotrichia Small & Lynn, 1985 [oral polykineties encircle anterior conical body]

Order: Tintinnida Kofoid & Campbell, 1929 [sessile; aboral attachment to lorica]

Unidentified tintinnid species; NR; marine, freshwater; R2, R18, R19, R21, R28 (57, 71, 78, 110, 117)

Family: Codonellidae Kent, 1881

*Codonella* Haeckel, 1873; NR; marine; R18 (57)

*Codonella annulata* Claparede & Lachmann, 1858; NR; marine; R14 (125)

*Codonella lagenula* Claparede & Lachmann, 1858; NR; marine; R14 (125)

*Tintinnopsis* Stein, 1867; NR; marine; R18 (57)

*Tintinnopsis compressa* Daday, 1887; 39-59  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Tintinnopsis curvicauda* Daday, 1887; NR; marine; R14 (125)

*Tintinnopsis cyathus* Daday, 1887; NR; marine; R14 (125)

*Tintinnopsis cylindrica* Daday, 1887; 144-300 x 34-45  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Tintinnopsis gracilis* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 123-177  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Tintinnopsis mortensii* Schmidt, 1902; 60-70  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Tintinnopsis radix* (Imhof, 1886) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 353-502 x 46-61  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R14, R21 (18, 19, 76)

*Tintinnopsis rotundata* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 52-57 x 26-28  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Tintinnopsis tocatinensis* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 65-92  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Tintinnopsis urnula* Meunier, 1910; NR; marine; R14 (18, 19)

*Tintinnopsis vasculum* Meunier, 1910; NR; marine; R14 (18, 19)

*Tintinnopsis ventricosa* Daday, 1887; NR; marine; R14 (125)

Family: Codonellopsidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929

*Codonellopsis* Jorgensen, 1924

*Codonellopsis brevicaudata* Brandt, 1906; 178 x 60  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Codonellopsis indica* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 73-94 x 44-54  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Codonellopsis ostenfeldtii* (Schmidt, 1902) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 99-189 x 60-65  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R14, R21 (18, 19, 76)

*Codonellopsis parvicollis* Marshall, 1934; 48-61 x 39-51  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

*Stenosemella* Jorgensen, 1924

*Stenosemella lacustris* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 40-50  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R5 (1, 33)

- Stenosemella nivalis* (Meunier, 1910) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 31-34  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Family: Cyttarocylidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Cyttarocylis* Fol, 1881; NR; marine; R22 (61)
- Cyttarocylis cassis* Haeckel, 1873; NR; marine; R14 (125)
- Cyttarocylis claparedei* Daday, 1887; NR; marine; R14 (125)
- Favella* Jorgensen, 1924; NR; marine; RU, R14, R18 (18, 57, 81)
- Favella azorica* (Cleve, 1900) Jorgensen, 1924; 73-107  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Favella campanula* (Schmidt, 1901) Jorgensen, 1924; NR; marine; R14 (18, 19)
- Family: Dictyocystidae Haeckel, 1873
- Dictyocysta* Ehrenberg, 1854; NR; marine; RU, R22 (61, 81)
- Dictyocysta elegans* Ehrenberg, 1854; NR; marine; R22 (61)
- Dictyocysta reticulata* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 58-65 x 43-48  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Dictyocysta templum* Haeckel, 1873; NR; marine; R14 (125)
- Family: Metacylididae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Climocylis* Jorgensen, 1924
- Climocylis scalaria* (Brandt, 1906) Jorgensen, 1924; 181-258  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Climocylis scalaroides* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 90-224  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Coxliella* Brandt, 1908
- Coxliella ampla* (Jorgensen, 1899) Brandt, 1908; NR; marine; R14 (18)
- Coxliella laciniosa* (Brandt, 1906) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 93-95  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Helicostomella* Jorgensen, 1924; NR; marine; R18 (57)
- Metacylis* Jorgensen, 1924
- Metacylis corbula* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 39-43 x 42-44  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Family: Petalotrichidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Craterella* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Craterella aperta* Marshall, 1934; 56-65 x 52-55  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Family: Ptychocylidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Epiplocylis* Jorgensen, 1924
- Epiplocylis blanda* (Jorgensen, 1924) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 120-155 x 65-90  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Epiplocylis constricta* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 90-112  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Epiplocylis deflexa* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 95-112 x 56-73  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Epiplocylis exigua* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 88  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Epiplocylis healdi* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 65-77  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Epiplocylis ralumensis* (Brandt, 1906) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 69-73  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Epiplocylis undella* (Ostenfeld & Schmidt, 1902) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 103-112 x 56-62  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Family: Rhabdonellidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Protorhabdonella* Jorgensen, 1924
- Protorhabdonella curt* (Cleve, 1901) Jorgensen, 1924; 39-52  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

- Protorhabdonella simplex* (Cleve, 1900) Jorgensen, 1924; 58-69  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Rhabdonella* Brandt, 1906; NR; marine; R18 (57)
- Rhabdonella amor* (Cleve, 1900) Brandt, 1906; 77-92  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Rhabdonella brandti* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 158-198  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Rhabdonella hebe* (Cleve, 1900) Brandt, 1907; NR; marine; R14 (18, 19)
- Rhabdonella quantula* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 104-172  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Rhabdonella spiralis* (Brandt, 1906) Brandt, 1907; 266-411 x 67-73  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Rhabdonellopsis* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Rhabdonellopsis intermedia* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 240-370 x 60-75  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Family: Tintinnidae Claparede & Lachmann, 1858
- Amphorella* Daday, 1887
- Amphorella brandti* Jorgensen, 1924; 107-190 x 29-35  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Amphorella ganymedes* Entz, 1884; NR; marine; R14 (125)
- Amphorella laackmanni* Jorgensen, 1924; 75-84  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Amphorella minor* Jorgensen, 1924; NR; marine; R21 (76)
- Amphorella quadrilineata* (Claparede & Lachmann, 1858) Daday, 1887; 108-145 x 38-43  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Amphorellopsis* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Amphorellopsis acuta* (Schmidt, 1902) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 116-121  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Dadayiella* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; NR; marine; R19 (78)
- Dadayiella ganymedes* (Entz, 1884) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 75-95  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Daturella* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Daturella lacunae* Marshall, 1934; 72-91  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Eutintinnus* Kofoid & Campbell, 1939; NR; marine; RU, R19 (78, 81)
- Salpingella* Jorgensen, 1924
- Salpingella subconica* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 97-131  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Steenstrupiella* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Steenstrupiella intumescens* Jorgensen, 1924; 172-238  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Steenstrupiella steenstrupii* (Claparede & Lachmann, 1858) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 84-197  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Tintinnus* Schrank, 1803; NR; freshwater, marine; R2, R14 (7, 124)
- Tintinnus apertus* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 85-103  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Tintinnus attenuatus* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 228-410  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R14, R21 (19, 76)
- Tintinnus lusus-undae* Entz Sr., 1885; 176-298  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Tintinnus pacificus* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 108-120  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Tintinnus stramentus* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 142-176  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)
- Family: Tintinnidiidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929
- Leprotintinnus* Jorgensen, 1900
- Leprotintinnus nordqvisti* (Brandt, 1906) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 125-254  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)



*Tintinnidium* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater, marine; R2, R3, R18 (57, 72, 127)

*Tintinnidium fluviatile* (Sten, 1863) Kent, 1881; 120-200 x 25-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
freshwater; RU (34)

Family: Undellidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929

*Parundella* Jorgensen, 1924; NR; marine; R19 (78)

*Proplectella* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929

*Proplectella acuta* (Jorgensen, 1924) Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 65 x 47  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
marine; R21 (76)

*Proplectella perpusilla* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 47-49 x 37-38  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
marine; R21 (76)

*Proplectella tenuis* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 69-76 x 49-56  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine;  
R21 (76)

*Undella* Daday, 1887

*Undella hemisphaerica* Laackmann, 1910; 65-69 x 62-65  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21  
(76)

*Undella turgida* Kofoid & Campbell, 1929; 37 x 35  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine; R21 (76)

Family: Xystonellidae Kofoid & Campbell, 1929

*Xystonella* Brandt, 1906; NR; marine; R14 (18)

*Xystonella lanceolata* (Brandt, 1906) Brandt, 1907; 215-275  $\mu\text{m}$ ; marine;  
R21 (76)

*Xystonella treforti* (Daday, 1887) Laackmann, 1910; 405-469 x 75-86  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
marine; R21 (76)

Order: Choreotrichida Small & Lynn, 1985 [not sessile; aloricate]

Suborder: Strobilidiina Small & Lynn, 1985 [somatic monokinetids with cortical flap]

Family: Strobilidiidae Kahl, in: Doflein & Reichenow, 1929

*Strobilidium* Schewiakoff, 1893; NR; marine, freshwater, soil; R3, R5, R21 (84,  
110, 111, 127)

Unidentified strobilidiid species; NR; marine; R19 (78)

Subclass: Stichotrichia Small & Lynn, 1985 [somatic cirri; oral collar/lapel structure]

Order: Stichotrichida Faure-Fremiet, 1961 [ventral cirri in linear files]

Family: Amphisiellidae Jankowski, 1979

*Amphisiella* Gourret & Roeser, 1888; NR; salt lake, soil; R5 (84, 126)

*Amphisiella australis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988 [= *Lamtostyla australis*];  
90-130 x 30-40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R1, R3, R5 (1, 13, 30)

*Amphisiella magnigranulosa* Foissner, 1988 [= *Uroleptoides  
magnigranulosus*]; 120-200 x 30-60  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil, moss; R1, R3 (13, 30,  
43, 47)

*Amphisiella terricola* Gellert, 1955; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Circinella* Foissner, 1994

*Circinella filiformis* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1994; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Gastrostyla* Engelmann, 1862; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Gastrostyla mystacea* (Stein, 1859) Sterki, 1878; 120-170 x 40-70  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
freshwater; RU (11)

*Gastrostyla steinii* Engelmann, 1862; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Hemiamphisiella* Foissner, 1988

*Hemiamphisiella granulifera* (Foissner, 1987) Foissner, 1988; NR; soil; RU  
(43, 47)

*Hemiamphisiella terricola* Foissner, 1988; 170-240 x 25-45  $\mu\text{m}$ ; moss; R5  
(13, 20, 30, 43, 47)

*Hemiamphisiella terricola terricola* Berger, 2008; 170-240 x 25-45  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil,  
moss; R5 (12)

*Hemiamphisiella wilberti* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1988; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Paramphisiella* Foissner, 1988

*Paramphisiella caudata* (Hemberger, 1985) Foissner, 1988; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Paragastrostyla* Hemberger, 1981; NR; salt lake, soil; R5 (84, 126)

*Uroleptooides* Wenzel, 1953

*Uroleptooides magnigranulosus* (Foissner, 1988) Berger, 2008 [syn. *Amphisiella magnigranulosa*]; 120-200 x 30-60 µm; soil, moss; R1, R3 (12)

Family: Kahliellidae Tuffrau, 1979

*Cladotricha* Gajewskaja, 1926; NR, 60-125 µm; soil, salt lake; R5, R6 (84, 85)

*Cladotricha australis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 90-130 x 25-35 µm; soil; R5 (1, 13, 43)

*Cladotricha edaphoni* Wilbert, 1995; 90-125 x 32-49 µm; salt lake; R5 (126)

*Cladotricha elongata* Ruinen, 1938; 100-150 µm; salt lake; R5 (95)

*Cladotricha halophila* Wilbert, 1995; 102-172 x 25-39 µm; salt lake; R5 (126)

*Cladotricha kahli* Ruinen, 1938; 100-150 µm; salt lake; R5 (95)

*Cladotricha koltzowii* Gajewskaia, 1925; 100-160 x 35-100 µm; salt lake; R5 (95)

*Cladotricha sigmoidea* Ruinen, 1938; 60-80 µm; salt lake; R5, R6 (85, 95)

*Cladotricha variabilis* Ruinen, 1938; 100-150 µm; salt lake; R5, R6 (85, 95)

*Deviata* Eigner, 1995

*Deviata bacilliformis* (Gelei, 1954) Eigner, 1995; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Engelmanniella* Foissner, 1982

*Engelmanniella mobilis* (Engelmann, 1862) Foissner, 1982; NR; freshwater, soil; RU, R2 (25, 28, 43)

Family: Keronidae Dujardin, 1840

*Keronopsis* Penard, 1922; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Keronopsis tasmaniensis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 160-210 x 40-70 µm; soil; R3 (13, 43)

Family: Psilotrichidae Butschli, 1889

*Psilotricha* Stein, 1859; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Psilotricha succisa* (Muller, 1786) Foissner, 1983; NR; soil; RU (43)

Family: Spirofilidae von Gelei, 1929

*Chaetospira* Lachmann, 1856; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Stichotricha* Perty, 1849; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Stichotricha aculeata* Wrzesniowski, 1866; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Stichotricha secunda* Perty, 1852; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 124)

*Strongylidium* Sterki, 1878; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

Order: Urostylida Jankowski, 1979 [frontoventral cirri in zig-zag files]

Family: Pseudoheronopsidae Borrer & Wicklow, 1983

*Tricoronella* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988

*Tricoronella pulchra* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 163-208 x 82-101 µm; soil, bark; R1 (1, 13, 43)

Family: Pseudourostylidae Jankowski, 1979

*Pseudourostyla* Borrer, 1972

*Pseudourostyla franzi* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

Family: Urostylidae Butschli, 1889

*Australothrix* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988

- Australothrix alwinae* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 200-350 x 50-110 µm; soil; R2 (13, 39, 43)
- Australothrix australis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 250-400 x 60-110 µm; bark; R1 (1, 13, 39, 43)
- Australothrix steineri* Foissner, 1995; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Bakuella* Agamaliyev & Alekperov, 1976; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Bakuella edaphoni* Song *et al.*, 1992; NR; NR; R5 (126)
- Birojimia* Berger & Foissner, 1989
- Birojimia muscorum* (Kahl, 1932) Berger & Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; R1, R2, R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Holosticha* Wrzesniowski, 1877; NR; marine; RU, R21 (3, 81)
- Holosticha adami* Foissner, 1982; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Holosticha australis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 130-190 x 30-40 µm; soil; R2, R5 (1, 13, 43, 47)
- Holosticha bergeri* Foissner, 1987; 80-100 x 15-20 µm; soil; R1 (13, 43)
- Holosticha grisea* Kahl, 1935; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Holosticha multistilata* Kahl, 1928; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Holosticha muscorum* (Kahl, 1932) Foissner, 1982; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)
- Holosticha sigmoidea* Foissner, 1982; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Holosticha stueberi* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Holosticha sylvatica* Foissner, 1982; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Holosticha tetracirrata* Buitkamp & Wilbert, 1974; 100-150 x 30-40 µm; soil; R1, R3, R10 (13, 43, 47)
- Holosticha sylvatica* Foissner, 1982; NR; soil, moss; R1, R2 (13)
- Holostichides* Foissner, 1987 [syn. *Parabakuella* Eigner, 1994]
- Holostichides chardezi* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Holostichides terricola* Foissner, 1988; 80-140 x 15-30 µm; soil; R5 (13, 30, 43, 47)
- Paruroleptus* Kahl, 1932; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Paruroleptus notabilis* Foissner, 1982; 136-198 x 23-46 µm; soil; R5 (13)
- Uroleptus* Ehrenberg, 1831 [syn. *Paruroleptus*]; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Uroleptus lepisma* (Wenzel, 1953) Foissner, 1998; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Uroleptus notabilis* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1998; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Order: Sporadotrichida Faure-Fremiet, 1961 [ventral cirri not in files]
- Family: Parakahliellidae Eigner, 1997
- Pattersoniella* Foissner, 1987
- Pattersoniella vitiphila* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Family: Trachelostylidae Small & Lynn, 1985
- Gonostomum* Sterki, 1878
- Gonostomum affine* (Stein, 1859) Sterki, 1878; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R4, R5, R10 (11, 13, 42, 43, 46, 47, 84, 126)
- Gonostomum kuehnelti* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Gonostomum strenuum* (Engelmann, 1862) Sterki, 1878; 80-130 x 25-55 µm; soil; R4 (47)
- Hemisincirra* Foissner, 1984
- Hemisincirra buitkampii* (Jankowski, 1979) Berger, 2008 [syn. *Perisincirra buitkampii*]; 80-180 µm; soil; R2 (12)
- Hemisincirra filiformis* Foissner, 1982; NR; soil; R5 (13)
- Hemisincirra gellerti* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil, moss; R1, R5 (12, 13, 43)
- Hemisincirra gellerti verrucosa* Foissner & Schade, in Foissner, 2000; NR; soil; RU (47)

- Hemisincirra gracilis* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Hemisincirra inquieta* Hemberger, 1985; 80-100 x 14-15 µm; soil, bark; R1, R2, R5 (12, 13, 42, 43, 47)
- Hemisincirra interrupta* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1984; 80-130 x 8-15 µm; soil; R5 (12, 13, 43)
- Hemisincirra similis* (Foissner, 1982) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Hemisincirra wenzeli* Foissner, 1987; 70-110 x 12-18 µm; soil; R1, R5 (12, 13, 42, 43)
- Lamtostyla* Buitkamp, 1977
- Lamtostyla abdita* Foissner, 1997; 85-120 x 20-30 µm; soil; RU, R1 (1, 42, 43)
- Lamtostyla australis* (Blatterer & Foissner, 1988) Petz & Foissner, 1996 [syn. *Amphisiella australis*]; 90-130 x 30-40 µm; soil; R2, R3, R5 (12, 43, 47)
- Lamtostyla decorata* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 100-170 x 20-35 µm; soil; R10 (12, 47)
- Lamtostyla edaphoni* Berger & Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Lamtostyla granulifera* Foissner, 1997; 120-170 x 20-55 µm; soil, litter, bark; RU, R1, R8 (12, 42, 43)
- Lamtostyla islandica* Berger & Foissner, 1988; 60-80 x 20-25 µm; soil; R5 (12, 13, 43, 47)
- Lamtostyla kirkeniensis* Berger & Foissner, 1988 [= *Lamtostylides kirkeniensis*]; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Lamtostylides* Berger, 2008
- Lamtostylides kirkeniensis* (Berger & Foissner, 1988) Berger, 2008 [syn. *Lamtostyla kirkeniensis*]; 100 x 27 µm; soil; RU (12)
- Perisincirra* Jankowski, 1978
- Perisincirra kahli* (Buitkamp, 1977) Hemberger, 1981; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Perisincirra paucicirrata* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 100 x 20 µm; soil; R2 (1, 47)
- Terricirra* Berger & Foissner, 1989
- Terricirra livida* (Berger & Foissner, 1987) Berger & Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Terricirra matsusakai* Berger & Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Terricirra viridis* (Foissner, 1982) Berger & Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Urosoma* Kowalewskiego, 1882
- Urosoma acuminata* (Stokes, 1887) Kahl, 1932; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Urosoma karinae* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Urosoma macrostyla* (Wrzesniowski, 1866) Kahl, 1932; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Urosomoida* Hemberger, in: Foissner, 1982; NR; salt lake, soil; R5 (84, 126)
- Urosomoida agiliformis* Foissner, 1982; 80-100 x 20-30 µm; soil; RU, R1, R3 (11, 42, 43, 47)
- Urosomoida agilis* (Engelmann, 1862) Hemberger, 1982; NR; salt lake, soil; R5 (43, 47, 84, 126)
- Urosomoida perthensis* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 38-70 x 15-30 µm; freshwater; R6 (11, 33)
- Family: Oxytrichidae Ehrenberg, 1838
- Australocirrus* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; NR; soil; RU (47)
- Australocirrus octonucleatus* Foissner, 1988 [syn. *Rigidocortex octonucleatus*]; 120-300 x 60-130 µm; soil; R5 (13, 30, 43)

- Australocirrus oscitans* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 180-260 x 80-120  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
soil; R2 (1, 11, 13, 43)
- Cyrtohymena* Foissner, 1989
- Cyrtohymena australis* Foissner, 1995; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Cyrtohymena candens* (Kahl, 1932) Foissner, 1989; 150-250 x 60-80  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
soil; R10 (11, 13, 42, 43, 47)
- Cyrtohymena candens depressa* (Gellert, 1942) Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; RU  
(43)
- Cyrtohymena citrina* (Berger & Foissner, 1987) Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; R2,  
R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Cyrtohymena primicirrata* (Berger & Foissner, 1987) Foissner, 1998; NR;  
soil; RU (43)
- Cyrtohymena quadrinucleata* (Dragesco & Njine, 1971) Foissner, 1989; NR;  
soil; RU (43, 47)
- Cyrtohymena tetracirrata* (Gellert, 1942) Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; R5 (13,  
43)
- Histiculus* Corliss, 1960
- Histiculus cavicola* (Kahl, 1935) Berger & Foissner, 1987 [= *Sterkiella*  
*cavicola*]; 140-220 x 70-100  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R2 (13)
- Histiculus histrio* (Muller, 1773) Corliss, 1960; 90-140 x 40-70  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
freshwater; RU (11)
- Histiculus muscorum* (Kahl, 1932) Corliss, 1960 [syn. *Sterkiella*  
*histrionuscorum*]; NR; soil, bark; R1, R3, R5 (13)
- Histrio* Sterki, 1878
- Histrio steinii* Sterki, 1878; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Laurentiella* Dragesco & Njine, 1971
- Laurentiella strenua* (Dingfelder, 1962) Berger & Foissner, 1989; 100-150  
 $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; RU (11, 43)
- Notohymena* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988
- Notohymena australis* (Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990) Berger, 1999 [syn.  
*Oxytricha australis*]; 80-140 x 30-45  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R6 (11)
- Notohymena rubescens* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 90-100 x 30-35  $\mu\text{m}$ ;  
moss; R1 (1, 11, 13, 43)
- Oxytricha* Bory de St. Vincent, in Lamouroux *et al.*, 1824; NR; freshwater; R3,  
R4 (69, 127)
- Oxytricha africana* Foissner, 1999; 80-115 x 30-40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil, litter; R1, R8  
(44, 47)
- Oxytricha auripunctata* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 80-130 x 25-35  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil,  
moss; R5 (1, 11, 13, 43)
- Oxytricha australis* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990 [= *Notohymena australis*];  
66-140 x 22-45  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R6 (1, 33)
- Oxytricha candens* Kahl, 1932; NR; soil; R5 (84)
- Oxytricha granulifera* Foissner & Adam, 1983; 80-130 x 35-50  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil,  
moss; R1, R5 (11, 13, 43, 47)
- Oxytricha granulifera quadricirrata* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988 [= *Oxytricha*  
*quadricirrata*]; 70-100 x 20-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R5 (1, 11, 13, 43, 47, 54)
- Oxytricha lanceolata* Shibuya, 1930; 90-110 x 30-50  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; RU, R3 (11,  
42, 43, 47)
- Oxytricha longa* Gelei & Szabados, 1950; 60-100 x 25-40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake, soil;  
R5 (11, 84, 126)
- Oxytricha longigranulosa* Berger & Foissner, 1989; 135 x 55  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater,  
soil, moss; R1, R2 (11, 13, 25, 28, 42, 43, 47)

- Oxytricha nauplia* Berger & Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43)  
*Oxytricha platystoma* Ehrenberg, 1831 [syn. *Steinia platystoma*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)  
*Oxytricha quadricirrata* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988 [syn. *Oxytricha granulifera quadricirrata*]; 70-100 x 20-30 µm; soil; R5 (11)  
*Oxytricha salmastra* Dragesco & Dragesco-Kerneis, 1986; 110-155 x 48-56 µm; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)  
*Oxytricha setigera* Stokes, 1891; 40-60 x 16-21 µm; soil, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5 (11, 13, 42, 43)  
*Oxytricha siseris* Vuxanovici, 1963; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Paragonostomum* Foissner *et al.*, 2002

- Paragonostomum caudatum* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 70-110 x 15-25 µm; soil; R8 (1, 47)

*Pattersoniella* Foissner, 1987

- Pattersoniella vitiphila* Foissner, 1987; 140-330 x 70-150 µm; soil; RU, R1 (11, 42)

*Rigidocortex* Berger, 1999

- Rigidocortex octonucleatus* (Foissner, 1988) Berger, 1999 [= *Australocirrus octonucleatus*]; 120-300 x 60-130 µm; soil; R5 (11, 13, 30, 43)

*Steinia* Diesing, 1866; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

- Steinia platystoma* (Ehrenberg, 1831) Diesing, 1866 [= *Oxytricha platystoma*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Sterkiella* Foissner *et al.*, 1991 [= *Histiculus*]

- Sterkiella cavicola* (Kahl, 1935) Foissner *et al.*, 1991 [= *Histiculus cavicola*]; 140-220 x 70-100 µm; soil; RU (11, 43, 47)

- Sterkiella histriomuscorum* (Foissner *et al.*, 1991) Berger, 1992 [= *Histiculus muscorum*]; 100-150 x 40-60 µm; soil, moss; RU, R1, R3 (11, 34, 42, 43, 47)

*Stylonychia* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

- Stylonychia mytilus* (Muller, 1773) Ehrenberg, 1830; 80-300 µm; freshwater; RU, R2 (5, 11, 34, 43, 98, 104, 124)

- Stylonychia nodulinucleata* Shi & Li, 1993; 270-310 x 95-110 µm; freshwater, soil; RU (11)

- Stylonychia pustulata* (Muller, 1786) Ehrenberg, 1835; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Tachysoma* Stokes, 1887; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

- Tachysoma granulifera* Berger & Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

- Tachysoma humicola* Gellert, 1957; 45-60 x 15-20 µm; soil; R1, R5 (11, 13, 43, 47)

- Tachysoma pellionellum* (Muller, 1773) Borrer, 1972; 55-100 x 15-30 µm; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Subclass: Oligotrichia Butschli, 1887 [oral polykinetids in open circle; reduced somatic cilia]

Order: Halteriida Petz & Foissner, 1992 [long somatic cilia; often cirrus-like bristles]

Family: Halteriidae Claparede & Lachmann, 1858

*Halteria* Dujardin, 1841; NR; freshwater; R2, R3, R4 (69, 74, 127)

- Halteria grandinella* (Muller, 1773) Dujardin, 1841; 20-40 µm; freshwater, soil; RU, R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 25, 28, 34, 43, 47, 74, 84, 98)

*Meseres* Schewiakoff, 1893

- Meseres corlissi* Petz & Foissner, 1992; NR; freshwater, soil, litter; R4 (56, 121, 122)

Order: Strombidiida Petz & Foissner, 1992 [short somatic cilia in girdle]

Family: Strombidiidae Faure-Fremiet, 1970

*Strombidium* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R2, R21 (3, 25, 28, 72, 81, 110, 111)

*Strombidium claparedi*, Kent, 1882 [misspelled *Strombium*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)

*Strombidium sulcatum* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; 30-40 x 20-36  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (98)

*Tontonia* Faure-Fremiet, 1961; NR; marine; R21 (111)

Unidentified strombidiid species; NR; marine; R19 (78)

*Sedis mutabilis* in Subphylum Intramacronucleata

Order: Armophorida Jankowski, 1964 [body twisted to left; oral region spiralled]

Family: Metopidae Kahl, 1927

*Bothrostoma* Stokes, 1887

*Bothrostoma mirabilis* (Kahl, 1927) Janokowski, 1964; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Metopus* Claparede & Lachmann, 1858

*Metopus contortus* Quennerstedt, 1867; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Metopus hasei* Sindheim, 1929; NR; soil; R1, R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Metopus minor* Kahl, 1927; 30-40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Metopus striatus* McMurrich, 1884; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Palmarella* Jankowski, 1975

*Palmarella (Palmarium) salina* (Gajewskaja, 1925) Jankowski, 1975; 30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake; R6 (85)

Order: Clevelandellida de Puytorac & Grain, 1976 [somatic kineties forming sutures]

Family: Nyctotheridae Amaro, 1972

*Nyctotherus* Leidy, 1849; NR; NR; R2 (68)

Order: Phacodiniida Small & Lynn, 1985 [ovoid compressed body; elongate oral membranelles]

Family: Phacodiniidae Corliss, 1979

*Phacodinium* Prowazek, 1900

*Phacodinium metschnicoffi* (Certes, 1891) Kahl, 1932; soil; R5 (13, 43)

Order: Odontostomatida Sawaya, 1940 [small compressed body, often spined; two somatic fields]

Family: Epalxellidae Corliss, 1960

*Epalxella* Corliss, 1960

*Epalxella mirabilis* (Roux, 1899) Corliss, 1960; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Epalxella striata* (Kahl, 1926) Corliss, 1960; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Pelodinium* Lauterborn, 1908

*Pelodinium reniforme* Lauterborn, 1908; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Family: Mylestomatidae Kahl, in Doflein & Reichenow, 1929

*Mylestoma* Kahl, 1928

*Mylestoma pusillum* Kahl, 1935; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Class: Litostomatea Small & Lynn, 1981 [simple mouths, with rhabdos; somatic monokinetids with tangential transverse ribbon and laterally-directed kinetodesmal fibril]

Subclass: Haptoria Corliss, 1974 [free-living species, carnivores/protistivores]

Order: Cyclotrichida Jankowski, 1980 [somatic ciliary girdle]

Family: Mesodiniidae Jankowski, 1980

*Askenasia* Blochmann, 1895; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (74, 127)

*Mesodinium* Stein, 1862; NR; aquatic, freshwater; RU, R2, R3 (60, 81, 127)

*Mesodinium pulex* Claparede & Lachmann, 1858; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Mesodinium rubrum* Lohmann, 1908 [= *Myrionectra rubrum*]; ~30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, estuarine waters, marine; R2, R28 (2, 62, 63, 117)

Order: Haptorida Corliss, 1974 [circumoral kineties surrounding cytostome]

Family: Acropisthiidae Foissner & Foissner, 1988

- Acropisthium* Perty, 1852  
*Acropisthium mutabile* Perty, 1852; NR; soil; RU (43)  
*Chaenea* Quennerstedt, 1867; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (25, 28, 127)  
*Clavoplites* Foissner *et al.*, 2002  
*Clavoplites australiensis* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 120 x 40 µm; soil; R10 (1, 47)  
*Clavoplites edaphicus* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 100 x 35 µm; soil; R10 (1, 47)  
*Clavoplites terrenum* (Foissner, 1984) Foissner *et al.*, 2002 [syn. *Enchelydium terrenum*]; NR; soil; RU (47)  
*Coriplites* Foissner, 1988  
*Coriplites australis* Foissner, in Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; NR; soil; RU, R1 (13, 47, 54)  
*Coriplites grandis* Oertel *et al.*, 2008; 150-220 x 30-40 µm; soil; R1, R10 (80)  
*Coriplites terricola* Foissner, 1988 [= *C. australis* cf. Blatterer & Foissner, 1988]; 50-80 x 10-15 µm; soil; R1, R5 (13, 30, 43, 47, 80)  
*Fuscheria* Foissner, 1983  
*Fuscheria lacustris* Song & Wilbert, 1989; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)  
*Fuscheria nodosa* Foissner, 1983; 35-46 x 18-26 µm; freshwater; R6 (1, 33, 43, 47)  
*Fuscheria terricola* Berger *et al.*, 1983; NR; soil; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 47)  
*Fuscheria uluruensis* Foissner & Gabilondo, in Gabilondo & Foissner, 2009; 80-120 x 60 µm; soil; R10 (55)  
*Sikorops* Foissner, 1999  
*Sikorops namibiensis* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 115 x 33 µm; soil; R10 (47)  
Family: Actinobolinidae Kahl, 1930  
*Belonophrya* Andre, 1914  
*Belonophrya pelagica* Andre, 1914; 50 x 30 µm; litter; R4 (45)  
Family: Apertospathulidae Foissner *et al.*, 2005  
*Apertospathula* Foissner *et al.*, 2002  
*Apertospathula inermis* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 40-75 x 8-15 µm; soil; R2 (47, 51)  
*Apertospathula cuneata* Foissner & Xu, 2006; 40-70 x 10-20 µm; soil; R1 (1, 51)  
Family: Arcuospathidiidae Foissner & Xu, 2006  
*Arcuospathidium* Foissner, 1984  
*Arcuospathidium atypicum* (Wenzel, 1953) Foissner, 1998; NR; soil; RU (43)  
*Arcuospathidium australe* Foissner, 1988; 65-100 x 20-30 µm; soil; R5 (1, 13, 30)  
*Arcuospathidium cultriforme* (Penard, 1922) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)  
*Arcuospathidium cultriforme cultriforme* (Penard, 1922) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil, litter; R5 (51)  
*Arcuospathidium cultriforme lionotiforme* (Kahl, 1930) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; RU (47)  
*Arcuospathidium cultriforme scalpriforme* (Kahl, 1930) Foissner, 2003; NR; NR; RU (51)  
*Arcuospathidium lionotiforme* (Kahl, 1930) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; RU (43)  
*Arcuospathidium multinucleatum* Foissner, 1999; 100-200 x 15-40 µm; litter, soil; R1 (44, 47, 51)  
*Arcuospathidium muscorum* (Dragesco & Dragesco-Kerneis, 1979) Foissner, 1984; 80-130 x 25-40 µm; moss, soil; RU (43, 47, 51)



- Arcuospathidium muscorum rhopaloplites* Foissner & Xu, 2006; 80-130 x 25-40 µm; soil; R10 (1, 51)
- Cultellothrix* Foissner, 2003
- Cultellothrix atypica* (Wenzel, 1953) Foissner & Xu, 2006; 65-120 x 15-30 µm; soil, litter; R5 (51)
- Family: Didiniidae Poche, 1913
- Monodinium* Fabre-Domergue, 1888; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Family: Enchelyidae Ehrenberg, 1838
- Enchelydium* Kahl, 1930; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Enchelydium blattereri* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 240 x 100 µm; soil; RU, R4 (1, 15, 47)
- Enchelydium polynucleatum* Foissner, 1984 [= *Enchelys polynucleata*]; NR; soil; R3 (13, 43)
- Enchelydium terrenum* Foissner, 1984 [= *Clavoplites terrenum*]; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Enchelys* Muller, 1773; NR; freshwater, soil; R1, R2, R3, R5 (25, 28, 58, 59, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 120, 127)
- Enchelys multinucleata* (Dragesco & Dragesco-Kerneis, 1979) Berger *et al.*, 1984; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Enchelys polynucleata* (Foissner, 1984) Foissner *et al.*, 2002 [syn. *Enchelydium polynucleatum*]; NR; soil; R3 (13, 43)
- Enchelys pupa* Ehrenberg, 1893; NR; NR; NR (98)
- Rhopalophrya* Kahl, 1926
- Rhopalophrya salina* Kirby, 1932; 37-42 µm; salt lake; R6 (85)
- Family: Lacrymariidae de Fromentel, 1876
- Lacrymaria* Bory de St. Vincent, 1824; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (74, 127)
- Lacrymaria australis* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 40-60 x 7-13 µm; freshwater; R6 (1, 33)
- Lacrymaria coronata* Claparede & Lachmann, 1858; 80-220 x 20-70 µm; freshwater; R2 (98)
- Lacrymaria olor* (Muller, 1776) Bory de St.-Vincent, 1824; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Phialina* Bory de St. Vincent, 1824
- Phialina binucleata* Berger *et al.*, 1984; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Phialinides* Foissner, 1988
- Phialinides australis* Foissner, 1988; 80-140 x 10-20 µm; soil, moss; R1, R2, R5 (13, 30, 43, 47, 54)
- Family: Pleuroplitidae Foissner, 1996
- Pleuroplites* Foissner, 1988
- Pleuroplites australis* Foissner, 1988; 35-60 x 15-25 µm; freshwater, soil; R1, R2, R5 (13, 25, 28, 30, 43, 47)
- Pleuroplites smithi* Foissner, 1996; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Family: Protospathidiidae Foissner & Xu, 2006
- Protospathidium* Dragesco & Dragesco-Kerneis, 1979; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Protospathidium arenicola* Foissner & Xu, 2006; 180-300 x 20-40 µm; soil; R10 (1, 51)
- Protospathidium bonneti* (Buitkamp, 1977) Foissner, 1981; NR; freshwater, soil, bark; R1, R2, R5 (13, 25, 28, 42, 43)
- Protospathidium serpens* (Kahl, 1930) Foissner, 1981; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Family: Pseudoholophryidae Berger *et al.*, 1984
- Paraenchelys* Foissner, 1983
- Paraenchelys terricola* Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; R1, R2, R5 (13, 43, 47)

- Paraenchelys wenzeli* Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Pseudoholophrya* Berger *et al.*, 1983
- Pseudoholophrya terricola* Berger *et al.*, 1984; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)
- Family: Spathidiidae Kahl, in Doflein & Reichenow, 1929
- Apospathidium* Foissner *et al.*, 2002
- Apospathidium atypicum* (Buitkamp & Wilbert, 1974) Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 125 x 20 µm; soil; RU (47)
- Bryophyllum* Kahl, 1931
- Bryophyllum loxophylliforme* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; R1, R2, R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Bryophyllum tegularum* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Epispathidium* Foissner, 1984
- Epispathidium amphoriforme* (Greeff, 1888) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; R1, R2 (13, 43, 47)
- Epispathidium ascendens* (Wenzel, 1955) Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; R1, R3, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)
- Epispathidium papilliferum* (Kahl, 1930) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; R1, R2 (13, 43)
- Epispathidium polynucleatum* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 130-230 x 25-40 µm; soil; R1 (47)
- Epispathidium terricola* Foissner, 1982; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)
- Perispira* Stein, 1859
- Perispira ovum* Stein, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Spathidium* Dujardin, 1841; NR; marine, freshwater; RU, R3 (81, 127)
- Spathidium aciculare* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 150 x 30 µm; soil; R8 (1, 47)
- Spathidium anguilla* Vuxanovici, 1962; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Spathidium bavariense* Kahl, 1930; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Spathidium claviforme* Kahl, 1930; NR; freshwater, soil; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 25, 28, 43, 47)
- Spathidium faurefremietii* Foissner, 2003; 160-330 x 13-47 µm; soil; R4 (49)
- Spathidium longicaudatum* (Buitkamp & Wilbert, 1974) Buitkamp, 1977; NR; soil; R3, R5 (13, 43)
- Spathidium metabolicum* Pomp & Wilbert, 1988; 220-240 x 20 µm; soil; R5 (84)
- Spathidium muscicola* Kahl, 1930; 120-140 x 27 µm; soil; R5 (43, 84, 126)
- Spathidium procerum* Kahl, 1930; NR; soil; R1, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)
- Spathidium spathula* (Muller, 1773) Moody, 1912; NR; soil, bark; R1, R3, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)
- Family: Tracheliidae Ehrenberg, 1838
- Dileptus* Dujardin, 1840; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (58, 127)
- Dileptus alpinus* Kahl, 1932; NR; soil, moss; R1, R5 (13, 42, 43)
- Dileptus americanus* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Dileptus anguillula* Kahl, 1931; NR; bark; R1 (13, 42, 43)
- Dileptus anser* Muller, 1773; NR; NR; RU (98)
- Dileptus conspicuus* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; R2 (13, 43)
- Dileptus gracilis* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; R3 (13, 43)
- Dileptus mucronatus* Penard, 1922; 150-210 x 20-25 µm; soil; R1, R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Dileptus visscheri* Dragesco, 1963; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Dimacrocaryon* Jankowski, 1967
- Dimacrocaryon amphileptoides* (Kahl, 1931) Jankowski, 1967; NR; soil; R1, R5 (13, 43)

*Paradileptus* Wenrich, 1929; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (72, 127)

*Paradileptus elephantinus* (Svec, 1897) Kahl, 1931; 100-450 x 100-240  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R4 (45)

*Teuthophrys* Chatton & Beauchamp, 1923

*Teuthophrys trisulca* (Chatton & de Beauchamp, 1923) Dragesco & Dragesco-Kerneis, 1986; 150-300 x 50-150  $\mu\text{m}$ ; litter; R4 (45)

*Trachelius* Schrank, 1803; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Trachelius ovum* (Ehrenberg, 1831) Ehrenberg, 1838; 140 x 97  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (98, 104, 124)

Family: Trachelophyllidae Kent, 1882

*Bilamellophrya* Foissner *et al.*, 2002

*Bilamellophrya australiensis* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 200 x 30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R4 (1, 47)

*Enchelyodon* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859

*Enchelyodon armatides* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 160 x 30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R8 (47, 50)

*Enchelyodon lagenula* (Kahl, 1930) Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 70-100 x 15-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; moss; R1 (1, 13, 43)

*Enchelyodon longinucleatus* Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; R3 (13, 43, 47)

*Lagynophrya* Kahl, 1927

*Lagynophrya geleii* Foissner, 1981; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Spetazoon* Foissner, 1994

*Spetazoon australiense* Foissner, 1994; 185-300 x 38-80  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R8 (1, 37, 43)

*Trachelophyllum* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Trachelophyllum apiculatum* (Perty, 1852) Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; soil; R2, R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)

Order: Pleurostomatida Schewiakoff, 1896 [pleurostomes; slit-like cytostome]

Family: Amphileptidae Butschli, 1889

*Amphileptus* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater; R2 (24, 102)

*Amphileptus anser* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)

*Amphileptus cygnus* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)

Family: Litonotidae Kent, 1882

*Acinertia* Dujardin, 1841

*Acinertia uncinata* Tucolesco, 1962; 28-60 x 7-15  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; RU, R6 (33, 40)

*Litonotus* Wresniowski, 1870; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R2, R3 (25, 28, 81, 127)

*Litonotus diaphanus* [binomen unknown]; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)

*Litonotus fasciola* (Ehrenberg, 1833) Wrzesnioski, 1870; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28, 124)

*Litonotus lamella* (Muller, 1773) Schewiakoff, 1886; 48-100 x 9-25  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2, R6 (1, 25, 28, 33; 40)

*Litonotus muscorum* (Kahl, 1931) Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 70-120 x 15-25  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R5 (1, 13, 43, 47)

*Litonotus vesiculosus* Stokes, 1885; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Loxophyllum* Dujardin, 1841; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Loxophyllum australe* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 90-126 x 28-43  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R6 (1, 33)

*Loxophyllum helus* (Stokes, 1884) Kahl, 1931; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Loxophyllum meleagris* (Muller, 1773) Dujardin, 1841; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 124)

- Class: Phyllopharyngea de Puytorac *et al.*, 1974 [cytopharynx with 'leaf-like' phyllae]  
 Subclass: Phyllopharyngia de Puytorac *et al.*, 1974 [free-living/symbiotic; cyrtos; ventral cilia]  
 Order: Chlamydodontida Deroux, 1976 [dorsoventrally flattened body; thigmotactic ventral cilia]  
 Family: Chlamydodontidae Stein, 1859  
   *Chlamydodon* Ehrenberg, 1835; NR; marine; RU (81)  
     *Chlamydodon mnemosyne* Ehrenberg, 1837; 75-96 x 50-55 µm; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)  
   *Odontochlamys* Certes, 1891  
     *Odontochlamys alpestris* Foissner, 1981; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)  
     *Odontochlamys convexa* (Kahl, 1931) Blatterer & Foissner, 1992; 30-40 x 20-30 µm; soil; R10 (14, 43, 47)  
     *Odontochlamys gouraudi* Certes, 1891; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)  
 Family: Chilodonellidae Deroux, 1970  
   *Chilodonella* Strand, 1928 [syn. *Chilodon* Ehrenberg, 1834]; NR; marine, freshwater; RU, R3 (81, 127)  
     *Chilodonella cucullulus* (Muller, 1786) Kahl, 1931 [syn. *Chilodon cucullus*, *Trithigmostoma cucullulus*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)  
     *Chilodonella uncinata* (Ehrenberg, 1838) Strand, 1928; NR; soil; R1 (13, 43, 47)  
   *Pseudochilodonopsis* Foissner, 1979; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
     *Pseudochilodonopsis mutabilis* Foissner, 1981; NR; soil; R2, R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)  
   *Trithigmostoma* Jankowski, 1967  
     *Trithigmostoma cucullulus* (Muller, 1786) Jankowski, 1967 [= *Chilodonella cucullulus*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)  
 Family: Gastronautidae Deroux, 1994  
   *Gastronauta* Butschli, 1889  
     *Gastronauta membranaceus* Engelmann, 1875; NR; soil; R3 (13)  
 Family: Lynchellidae Jankowski, 1968  
   *Chlamydonella* Deroux, 1970; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
 Order: Dysteriida Deroux, 1976 [laterally flattened body; ventral cilia not thigmotactic; attach to substrate by unciliated adhesive region or podite]  
 Family: Hartmannulidae Poche, 1913  
   *Trochilioides* Kahl, 1931; NR; marine; RU (81)  
 Family: Dysteriidae Claparede & Lachmann, 1858  
   *Dysteria* Huxley, 1857; NR; marine; RU (81)  
 Subclass: Suctoria Claparede & Lachmann, 1858 [adults unciliated, with tentacles, carnivorous]  
 Order: Exogenida Collin, 1912 [cytokinesis exogenous (budding at surface)]  
 Family: Ophryodendridae Stein, 1867  
   *Ophryodendron* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; marine; R14 (124)  
 Family: Paracinetidae Jankowski, 1978  
   *Paracineteta* Collin, 1911; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
     *Paracineteta lauterborni* Sondheim, 1929; 27-41 x 30-38 µm; soil; R2 (39, 43, 47)  
 Order: Endogenida Collin, 1912 [cytokinesis endogenous (internal budding)]  
 Family: Acinetidae Stein, 1859  
   *Acineta* Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R2, R3 (58, 81, 111, 116, 127)  
     *Acineta lemnarum* Stein, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (113)  
     *Acineta tuberosa* (Pallas, 1766) Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)  
   *Acinetopsis* Robin, 1879; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
   *Loricophrya* Matthes, 1956

- Loricophrya edmondsoni* (King, 1931) Matthes, 1956; NR; soil, moss; R1, R2, R5 (13)
- Podocyathus* Kent, 1882; NR; marine; R14 (124)
- Solenophrya* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Trematosoma* Batisse, 1973
- Trematosoma bocqueti* (Guilcher, 1950) Batisse, 1973; 20 µm; salt lake; R6 (85)
- Family: Metacinetidae Butschli, 1889
- Metacineta* Butschli, 1889; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Family: Podophryidae Haeckel, 1866
- Brachyosoma* Batisse, 1975
- Brachyosoma brachypoda mucosa* Foissner, 1999; 30-60 µm; soil, litter; R3 (44)
- Podophrya* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR, 20-50 µm; freshwater, salt lake; R2, R3, R6 (58, 85, 127)
- Podophrya cyclosum* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Podophrya elongata* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Podophrya fixa* Muller, 1786; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28, 124)
- Podophrya halophila* Kahl, 1934; 25-40 µm; soil; R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Podophrya mollis* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Podophrya tristriata* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; ~30 µm; soil; R1 (1, 47, 50)
- Sphaerophrya* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (74, 127)
- Family: Tokophryidae Jankowski, in Small & Lynn, 1985
- Tokophrya* Butschli, 1889; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Order: Evaginogenida Jankowski in Corliss, 1979 [cytokinesis begun in pouch, completed exogenously]
- Family: Discophyridae Collin, 1912
- Dendrocometes* Stein, 1852; NR; marine; RU (81)
- Discophrya* Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Class: Nassophorea Small & Lynn, 1981 [oral nematodesmata, often forming nasse or cyrtos]
- Order: Nassulida Jankowski, 1967 [dense somatic ciliation; large cyrtos]
- Family: Colpodidiidae Foissner, 1995
- Colpodidium* Wilbert, 1982
- Colpodidium caudatum* Wilbert, 1982; 55-70 x 25-35 µm; soil; R5 (13, 39, 43, 47)
- Colpodidium microstoma* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 55-80 x 23-35 µm; soil; R2 (47)
- Pedohymena* Foissner, 1995
- Pedohymena australiense* Foissner, 1995 [= *P. australiensis*]; 45-65 x 20-25 µm; soil; R8 (1, 39, 43, 47)
- Family: Furgasonidae Corliss, 1979
- Furgasonia* Jankowski, 1964; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Parafurgasonia* Foissner & Adam, 1981
- Parafurgasonia protectissima* (Penard, 1922) Foissner, 1999; 50-70 x 20-30 µm; soil, litter; R1 (44, 47)
- Parafurgasonia sorex* (Penard, 1922) Foissner & Adam, 1981; NR; soil; R1 (13, 43, 47)
- Family: Nassulidae de Fromentel, 1874

*Nassula* Ehrenberg, 1833; NR, 60-100 µm; freshwater, salt lake; R1, R2, R6 (59, 85; 114, 120)

*Nassula aurea* Ehrenberg, 1833; 180 x 100 µm; freshwater; R1 (59, 98)

*Nassula ornata* Ehrenberg, 1833; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)

*Naxella* Fryd-Versavel *et al.*, 1980

*Naxella australis* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 52-65 x 34-46 µm; freshwater; R5 (1, 33)

*Naxella faurei* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 60-75 µm; freshwater; RU (33)

Family: Orthodonellidae Jankowski, 1968

*Orthodonella* Bhatia, 1936 [syn. *Orthodon* Gruber, 1884]

*Orthodonella hamatus* (Gruber, 1884) Bhatia, 1936 [syn. *Orthodon hamatus*]; 60 x 28 µm; freshwater; R2 (98)

Order: Microthoracida Jankowski, 1967 [sparse somatic ciliation; small cyrtos]

Family: Microthoracidae Wrzesniowski, 1870

*Drepanomonas* Fresenius, 1858

*Drepanomonas* cf. *exigua* Penard, 1922; NR; soil; R5 (13)

*Drepanomonas exigua bidentata* Foissner, 1999; 15-17 x 7-10 µm; soil, litter; R5 (44, 47)

*Drepanomonas muscicola* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU, R1 (42, 43, 47)

*Drepanomonas pauciciliata* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)

*Drepanomonas revoluta* Penard, 1922; NR; freshwater, soil; RU, R1, R2 (25, 28, 42, 43, 47)

*Drepanomonas sphagni* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Leptopharynx* Mermod, 1914; NR; marine; RU; 81

*Leptopharynx costatus* Mermod, 1914; NR; freshwater, soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 25, 28, 42, 43, 47)

*Leptopharynx eurystoma* (Kahl, 1931) Foissner, 1998; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Microthorax* Engelmann, 1862

*Microthorax australis* Foissner & O'Donoghue, 1990; 17-25 x 9-15 µm; freshwater; R6 (1, 33)

*Microthorax pusillus* Engelmann, 1861; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Microthorax simulans* (Kahl, 1926) Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)

*Stammeridium* Wenzel, 1969

*Stammeridium kahli* (Wenzel, 1953) Wenzel, 1969; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Trochiliopsis* Penard, 1922

*Trochiliopsis australis* Foissner *et al.*, 1988; 35-45 x 18-30 µm; freshwater; R5 (1, 31)

Class: Colpodea Small & Lynn, 1981 [curved profile; transversodesma, freshwater/edaphic]

Order: Colpodida de Puytorac *et al.*, 1974 [stomatogenesis merotelokinetal; right oral polykinetid composed of few rows]

Family: Colpodidae Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

*Avestina* Jankowski, 1980

*Avestina ludwigi* Aesch & Foissner, 1990; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Bresslaua* Kahl, 1931

*Bresslaua vorax* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Colpoda* Muller, 1773 [syn. *Kolpoda*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (58, 74)

*Colpoda aspera* Kahl, 1926; NR; soil, moss; R1, R3, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)

*Colpoda augustini* Foissner, 1987; 30-60 x 20-40 µm; soil; RU, R3, R5 (13, 36, 43)

- Colpoda cucullus* (Muller, 1773) Gmelin, 1790; 40-120 µm; soil, moss, bark; RU, R1, R3, R5, R10 (13, 36, 42, 43, 47, 98)
- Colpoda ecaudata* (Liebmann, 1936) Foissner *et al.*, 1991; 12-54 x 7-33 µm; freshwater, soil; RU (34, 36, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda edaphoni* Foissner, 1980; 25-40 x 12-16 µm; soil, moss; RU, R1, R5 (13, 36, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda elliotti* Bradbury & Outka, 1967; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Colpoda flavicans* (Stokes, 1885) Foissner, 1993; 50-70 x 45-65 µm; moss; R1 (36, 43)
- Colpoda henneguyi* Fabre-Domergue, 1889; NR; soil, moss; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda inflata* (Stokes, 1884) Kahl, 1931; 35-90 µm; soil, moss, bark; RU, R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 36, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda lucida* Greeff, 1888; 70-110 x 65-90 µm; soil; RU, R1, R2, R5 (13, 36, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda magna* (Gruber, 1879) Lynn, 1978; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Colpoda maupasi* Enriquez, 1908 [syn. *C. fastigata*]; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda minima* (Aleksperov, 1985) Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Colpoda steinii* Maupas, 1883; 20-40 x 15-30 µm; freshwater, soil, moss, bark; RU, R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 25, 28, 36, 42, 43, 47)
- Colpoda tripartita* Kahl, 1931; 90-160 x 50-80 µm; soil, moss; RU, R3, R5 (1, 13, 36, 43)
- Kuehneltiella* Foissner, 1990
- Kuehneltiella terricola* Foissner, 1990; 115-170 x 80-120 µm; soil; R10 (32, 36, 43, 47, 52, 53)
- Krassniggia* Foissner, 1987
- Krassniggia auxiliaris* Foissner, 1987; 160-250 x 110-200 µm; soil; R8 (36, 43, 44, 53)
- Pseudomaryna* Foissner, 2003
- Pseudomaryna australiensis* Foissner, 2003; 35-60 x 20-35 µm; soil; R4 (48)
- Tillina* Gruber, 1879 [= *Colpoda*]
- Tillina flavicans* Stokes, 1885; NR; soil; R5 (13)
- Tillina magna* Gruber, 1879; NR; soil; R5 (13)
- Family: Exocolpodidae Foissner *et al.*, 2002
- Exocolpoda* Foissner *et al.*, 2002
- Exocolpoda augustini* (Foissner, 1987) Foissner *et al.*, 2002; NR; soil; RU (47)
- Family: Hausmanniellidae Foissner, 1987
- Anictostoma* Foissner, 1993
- Anictostoma grelli* Foissner, 1993; 40-70 x 15-30 µm; moss; R3 (36)
- Bressluides* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988
- Bressluides australis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 100-120 x 70-150 µm; soil, moss; R1 (1, 13, 36, 43, 53, 82)
- Bressluides terricola* (Foissner, 1987) Foissner, 1993; 150-200 x 120-170 µm; litter; R10 (36, 43)
- Corallocolpoda* Aleksperov, 1991
- Corallocolpoda grelli* (Foissner, 1993) Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Corallocolpoda pacifica* Aleksperov, 1991; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Hausmanniella* Foissner, 1984
- Hausmanniella discoidea* (Gellert, 1956) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Hausmanniella patella* (Kahl, 1931) Foissner, 1984; NR; soil; RU, R1, R3 (42, 43, 47)

Family: Marynidae Poche, 1913

*Ilsiella* Foissner, 1987

*Ilsiella elegans* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 25-40 x 18-25  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R4 (47)

*Ilsiella palustris* Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Maryna* Gruber, 1879

*Maryna umbrellata* (Gelei, 1950) Foissner, 1993; 70-120  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R2 (47)

*Mycterothrix* Lauterborn, 1898; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Mycterothrix tuamotuensis* (Balbiani, 1887) Lauterborn, 1898; 25-50 x 25-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R5 (36, 43, 84)

Order: Grossglockneriida Foissner, 1980 [small protruding cytopharynx (feeding tube)]

Family: Grossglockneriidae Foissner, 1980

*Grossglockneria* Foissner, 1980

*Grossglockneria acuta* Foissner, 1980; NR; soil; R1, R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Grossglockneria hyalina* Foissner, 1985; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Mykophagophrys* Foissner, 1995 [= *Pseudoplatyophrya* Foissner, 1980]

*Mykophagophrys terricola* (Foissner, 1985) Foissner, 1995; NR; soil; RU (42, 43, 47)

*Nivaliella* Foissner, 1980

*Nivaliella plana* Foissner, 1980; 10-25 x 6-20  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil, moss, bark; RU, R1, R3, R5, R10 (13, 36, 42, 43, 47)

*Pseudoplatyophrya* Foissner, 1980

*Pseudoplatyophrya nana* (Kahl, 1926) Foissner, 1980; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 42, 43, 47)

*Pseudoplatyophrya saltans* Foissner, 1988; 14-20 x 10-15  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil, bark; RU, R1, R2, R5 (13, 30, 36, 42, 43, 47, 54)

*Pseudoplatyophrya terricola* Foissner, 1985; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13)

Order: Cyrtolophosidida Foissner, 1978 [stomatogenesis pleurotelokinetal; micronucleus enclosed within perinuclear space of macronucleus]

Family: Cyrtolophosididae Stokes, 1888

*Cyrtolophosis* Stokes, 1885

*Cyrtolophosis acuta* Kahl, 1926; NR; soil; RU, R1 (42, 43)

*Cyrtolophosis elongata* (Schewiakoff, 1892) Kahl, 1931; 15-35 x 5-15  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, soil, bark; RU, R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 25, 28, 36, 42, 43)

*Cyrtolophosis minor* Vuxanovici, 1963; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Cyrtolophosis mucicola* Stokes, 1885; 18-39 x 9-15  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, soil, moss, bark; RU, R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 25, 28, 36, 42, 43, 47)

*Plesiocaryon* Foissner *et al.*, 2002

*Plesiocaryon elongatum* (Schewiakoff, 1892) Foissner *et al.*, 2002; NR; soil; RU (47)

*Plesiocaryon terricola* Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 60-120 x 8-12  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; RU (47)

*Pseudocyrtolophosis* Foissner, 1980

*Pseudocyrtolophosis alpestris* Foissner, 1980; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R3, R5, R10 (13, 42, 43, 47)

*Pseudocyrtolophosis terricola* Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43)

Family: Platyophryidae Puytorac *et al.*, 1979

*Cirrophrya* Gellert, 1950

*Cirrophrya australis* Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Ottowphrya* Foissner *et al.*, 2002



*Ottowphrya dragescoi* (Foissner, 1987) Foissner *et al.*, 2002 [syn. *Platyophryides dragescoi*]; 70-100 x 40-60 µm; bark; R1 (47)

*Platyophrya* Kahl, 1926

*Platyophrya macrostoma* Foissner, 1980; soil, moss; R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Platyophrya similis* (Foissner, 1980) Foissner, 1987; soil; RU (43)

*Platyophrya spumacola* Kahl, 1927; 50-80 µm; soil, moss; RU, R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 36, 43, 47)

*Platyophrya vorax* Kahl, 1926; soil, bark, R1, R3, R5, R10 (13, 42, 43, 47)

*Platyophryides* Foissner, 1987

*Platyophryides dragescoi* Foissner, 1987 [= *Ottowphrya dragescoi*]; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Platyophryides latus* (Kahl, 1930) Foissner, 1987 [syn. *P. lata*]; 65-120 µm; bark; R1 (13, 36, 43)

Family: Sagittariidae Grandori & Grandori, 1935

*Sagittaria* Grandori & Grandori, 1934

*Sagittaria australis* Pomp & Wilbert, 1988; 30-40 x 20-25 µm; salt lake, soil; R5 (36, 43, 84, 126)

*Sagittaria hyalina* Foissner *et al.*, 1981; 30-40 x 12-16 µm; soil; RU, R5 (36, 43, 47, 84)

Family: Woodruffiidae Gelei, 1954

*Rostrophrya* Njine, 1979

*Rostrophrya terricola* Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Rostrophryides* Foissner, 1987

*Rostrophryides australis* Blatterer & Foissner, 1988; 55-110 x 15-40 µm; soil; R5 (1, 13, 43, 47, 54)

*Woodruffia* Kahl, 1931

*Woodruffia australis* Foissner, 1993; 70-100 x 20-30 µm; soil; R10 (36, 43, 47)

*Woodruffia rostrata* Kahl, 1931; NR; freshwater, soil; RU, R2 (25, 28, 43, 47)

*Woodruffides* Foissner, 1987

*Woodruffides metabolicus* (Johnson & Larson, 1938) Foissner, 1987 [syn. *W. metabolica*]; 154-350 x 92-190 µm; soil; RU, R3 (13, 36, 43, 47)

*Woodruffides terricola* Foissner, 1987; NR; soil; RU (47)

*Incertae sedis*

*Notoxoma* Foissner, 1993

*Notoxoma parabryophryides* Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Semiplatyophrya* Wilbert & Kahan, 1986

*Semiplatyophrya foissneri* Wilbert & Kahan, 1986; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

Order: Bursariomorphida Fernandez-Galiano, 1978 [stomatogenesis pleurotelokinetal; deep anterior oral cavity]

Family: Bursariidae Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

*Bursaria* Muller, 1773; NR; freshwater; R2, R4 (47, 58, 69)

*Bursaria truncatella* Muller, 1773; NR; freshwater, moss; R1, R2 (13, 43, 101, 124)

Order: Sorogenida Foissner, 1985 [stomatogenesis pleurotelokinetal; oral ciliary circle; sorocarps]

Family: Sorogenidae Bradbury & Olive, 1980

*Sorogena* Bradbury & Olive, 1980

*Sorogena stoianovitchae* Bradbury & Olive, 1980; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

Order: Bryophryida de Puytorac *et al.*, 1979 [stomatogenesis pleurotelokinetal; right oral kinetids in radial rows]

Family: Bryophryidae de Puytorac *et al.*, 1979

*Parabryophrya* Foissner, 1985

*Parabryophrya penardi* (Kahl, 1931) Foissner, 1985; NR; soil; R1, R5 (13, 43)

Order: Bryometopida Foissner, 1985 [stomatogenesis pleurotelokinetal; subapical oral region with paroral rows]

Family: Bryometopidae Jankowski, 1980

*Bryometopus* Kahl, 1932

*Bryometopus atypicus* Foissner, 1980; 50-85 x 30-40 µm; soil; RU (36, 43, 47)

*Bryometopus balantidioides* Foissner, 1993; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Bryometopus pseudochilodon* Kahl, 1932; 50-80 µm; soil, moss, bark; RU, R1, R2, R5, R10 (13, 36, 42, 43, 47)

*Bryometopus sphagni* (Penard, 1922) Kahl, 1932; NR; soil; RU (43)

*Bryometopus triquestrus* Foissner, 1993; 45-55 x 25-35 µm; soil; R8 (36, 43, 47)

*Thylakidium* Schewiakoff, 1893; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Thylakidium truncatum* Schewiakoff, 1893; 60-110 x 40-60 µm; freshwater; R2 (36, 97, 98)

Family: Jaroschiidae Foissner, 1993

*Jaroschia* Foissner, 1993

*Jaroschia sumptuosa* Foissner, 1993; 70-100 x 40-50 µm; bark; R1 (36, 43, 53)

Family: Kreyellidae Foissner, 1979

*Kreyella* Kahl, 1931

*Kreyella minuta* Foissner, 1979; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Microdiaphanosoma* Wenzel, 1953

*Microdiaphanosoma arcuatum* (Grandori & Grandori, 1934) Wenzel, 1953; NR; soil; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 42, 43, 47)

*Microdiaphanosoma terricola* Foissner, 1993; 10-17 x 8-12 µm; freshwater, soil; R1, R2 (25, 28, 36, 42, 43)

Family: Tectohymenidae Foissner, 1993

*Pseudokreyella* Foissner, 1985

*Pseudokreyella australis* Foissner, 1993; 20-30 x 15-20 µm; soil; R9 (36, 43, 47)

*Pseudokreyella terricola* Foissner, 1985; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)

Family: Trihymenidae Foissner, 1988

*Trihymena* Foissner, 1988

*Trihymena terricola* Foissner, 1988; 25-35 x 10-15 µm; soil, litter; RU, R5 (13, 30, 36, 43, 47)

Class: Prostomatea Schewiakoff, 1896 [prostomes; simple apical mouths]

Order: Prostomatida Schewiakoff, 1896 [no oral kinetidal specializations]

Family: Metacystidae Kahl, 1926

*Metacystis* Cohn, 1866

*Metacystis exigua* Penard, 1922; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Metacystis truncata* Cohn, 1866; NR; salt lake; R6 (85)

Order: Prorodontida Corliss, 1974 [special oral 'brosse' kinetids]

Family: Colepidae Ehrenberg, 1838

*Coleps* Nitzsch, 1827; NR; freshwater; R1, R2, R3 (59, 75, 86, 120, 127)

*Coleps amphacanthus* Ehrenberg, 1833; 56-63 x 28-41 µm; freshwater; R2, R5 (1, 25, 28, 33)

*Coleps hirtus* Nitzsch, 1817; 40-79 x 18-43 µm; freshwater; R1, R2 (9, 25, 28, 59, 98, 124)

*Coleps uncinatus* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)

Family: Holophryidae Perty, 1852

*Holophrya* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; freshwater; R2 (9)

*Holophrya discolor* Ehrenberg, 1833; 100-140 x 50-60 µm; freshwater; R2 (98)

*Holophrya simplex* Schewiakoff, 1889; NR; soil; R5 (84, 126)

Family: Plagiocampidae Kahl, 1926

*Plagiocampa* Schewiakoff, 1893

*Plagiocampa bitricha* Foissner, 1999; 40 x 23 µm; soil; R1, R10 (44, 47)

*Plagiocampa difficilis* Foissner, 1981; NR; soil; R3, R5, R10 (13, 43, 47)

*Plagiocampa marina* Kahl, 1935; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Plagiocampa mutabile* Schewiakoff, 1893; 40-48 x 21-25 µm; freshwater; R2 (97, 98)

*Plagiocampa ovata* Gelei, 1954; NR; soil; RU (47)

*Plagiocampa rouxi* Kahl, 1926; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

Family: Prorodontidae Kent, 1881

*Prorodon* Ehrenberg, 1834 [syn. *Chilophrya* Kahl, 1930]; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Prorodon teres* Ehrenberg, 1833; 150-220 x 72-130 µm; freshwater; R2 (25, 28, 98)

*Prorodon discolor* Ehrenberg, 1831; 85-135 x 75-110 µm; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Prorodon utahensis* Pack, 1919 [= *Chilophrya utahensis*]; 30 µm; salt lake; R6 (85)

Family: Urotrichidae Small & Lynn, 1985

*Rhagadostoma* Kahl, 1926

*Rhagadostoma completum* Kahl, 1926; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Urotricha* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Urotricha farcta* Claparede & Lachmann, 1859; NR; freshwater; R3 (25)

*Urotricha furcata* Schewiakoff, 1892; 14-30 x 11-20 µm; freshwater; RU, R6 (1, 33, 38, 45)

Class: Plagiopylea Small & Lynn, 1985 [oral cavity curved; almost encircled by dikinetid files]

Order: Plagiopylida Small & Lynn, 1985 [with characters of class]

Family: Plagiopylidae Schewiakoff, 1896

*Plagiopyla* Stein, 1860

*Plagiopyla frontata* Kahl, 1932; 75-110 x 37-67 µm; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Family: Trimyemidae Kahl, 1926

*Trimyema* Lackey, 1925

*Trimyema compressum* Lackey, 1925; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Trimyema salina* Gaiewskaia, 1925; 20-70 µm; salt lake; R5 (95)

Class: Oligohymenophorea de Puytorac *et al.*, 1974 [distinct oral apparatus, right paroral membrane plus three left oral membranelles]

Subclass: Peniculia Faure-Fremiet in Corliss, 1956 [membranelles (peniculus) parallel to oral cavity]

Order: Peniculida Faure-Fremiet in Corliss, 1956 [with characters of subclass]

Suborder: Frontoniina Small & Lynn, 1985 [shallow oral cavity; ophryokineties present]

Family: Frontoniidae Kahl, 1926

*Frontonia* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; RU, R2, R3 (72, 81, 127)

*Frontonia depressa* (Stokes, 1886) Kahl, 1931; NR; soil, bark; R1, R2, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Frontonia marina* Fabre-Domerque, 1891; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Family: Lembadionidae Jankowski, in Corlis, 1979

*Lembadion* Perty, 1849; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Lembadion curvatum* Esteban *et al.*, 2000; 75-125 x 45-65  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R3 (25, 52)

Suborder: Parameciina Jankowski, in Small & Lynn, 1985 [deep oral cavity; ophryokineties absent]

Family: Urocentridae Claprede & Lachmann, 1858

*Urocentrum* Nitzsch, 1827

*Urocentrum turbo* Muller, 1786; 60-65 x 40-48  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2, R3 (98, 104, 115, 124, 127)

Family: Parameciidae Dujardin, 1840

*Paramecium* Muller, 1773 [syn. *Paramoecium*]; NR; freshwater; R1, R2, R3 (58, 59, 65, 67, 68, 74, 75, 120, 127)

*Paramecium aurelia* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28, 104, 108, 116, 124)

*Paramecium bursaria* Ehrenberg, 1838; 140 x 72-110  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R1, R2 (59, 98, 104)

*Paramecium caudatum* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R1 (10, 26)

*Paramecium multimicronucleatum* Powers & Mitchell, 1910; NR; freshwater; R2 (10, 88)

*Paramecium putrinum* Claprede & Lachmann, 1858; 120-140 x 50-70  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (98)

*Paramecium quadecaurelia* Sonneborn, 1975; NR; freshwater; R10 (88, 109)

*Paramecium tetraurelia* Sonneborn, 1975; 105-125 x 35-44  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; RU, R2 (88, 89, 109)

*Physanter* Jankowski, 1975 [= *Faurella* Roque, 1966]; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

Subclass: Scuticociliatia Small, 1967 [scuticociliates, with scuticum or scuticovestige]

Unidentified scuticociliate species; NR; freshwater; R2 (74)

Order: Philasterida Small, 1967 [short paroral dikinetid membrane]

Family: Cohnilembidae Kahl, 1933

*Cohnilembus* Kahl, 1933 [syn. *Kahlilembus* Groliere & Couteaux, 1984]; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Kahlilembus* Groliere & Couteaux, 1984 [= *Lembus* Cohn, 1866; = *Cohnilembus* Kahl, 1933]

*Kahlilembus attenuatus* (Smith, 1897) Foissner *et al.*, 1994; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)

*Kahlilembus fusiformis* (Kahl, 1926) Groliere & Couteaux, 1984; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)

Family: Cinetochilidae Perty, 1852

*Cinetochilum* Perty, 1852; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Cinetochilum australiense* Foissner *et al.*, 1994 [= *C. australis*]; NR; NR; R5 (126)

*Cinetochilum margaritaceum* (Ehrenberg, 1830) Perty, 1852; 23-36 x 14-25  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R5 (13, 25, 28, 43, 47, 59, 84, 98)

*Cinetochilum marinum* Pomp & Wilbert, 1988; 28 x 22  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R5 (43, 84)

*Platynematum* Kahl, 1931

*Platynematum sociale* (Penard, 1922) Foissner *et al.*, 1994; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Sathrophilus* Corliss, 1960

- Sathrophilus muscorum* (Kahl, 1931) Corliss, 1960; NR; freshwater, soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 25, 28, 42, 43, 47)
- Family: Loxocephalidae Jankowski, 1964
- Balanonema* Kahl, 1931
- Balanonema biceps* (Penard, 1922) Kahl, 1931; NR; freshwater; R3 (25)
- Dexiotricha* Stokes, 1885
- Dexiotricha granulosa* (Kent, 1881) Foissner *et al.*, 1994; NR; freshwater; R3 (25)
- Family: Philasteridae Kahl, 1931
- Philasterides* Kahl, 1931; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Family: Pseudocohnilembidae Evans & Thompson, 1964
- Pseudocohnilembus* Evans & Thompson, 1964
- Pseudocohnilembus marinus* Thompson, 1966; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)
- Pseudocohnilembus persalinus* Evans & Thompson, 1964; 33-41 x 21-25  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R5 (84, 126)
- Pseudocohnilembus pusillus* (Quennerstedt, 1869) Foissner & Wilbert, 1981; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Pseudocohnilembus putrinus* (Kahl, 1928) Foissner & Wilbert, 1981; NR; soil; R1, R3 (13, 43)
- Family: Uronematidae Thompson, 1964
- Homalogastra* Kahl, 1926
- Homalogastra setosa* Kahl, 1926; 30-35 x 18-25  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil, moss, bark; R1, R3, R5, R10 (13, 43, 47, 84, 126)
- Uronema* Dujardin, 1841; NR; marine; R21 (3)
- Uronema marinum* Dujardin, 1841; 30-40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; brackish water, salt lake; R2, R6 (28, 85)
- Uronema nigricans* (Muller, 1786) Thompson & Evans, 1968; 30-35  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, salt lake, soil; R2, R5 (25, 84, 126)
- Uronema ovale* Schewiakoff, 1893; 90 x 40  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (97, 98)
- Family: Urozonidae Groliere, 1975
- Urozona* Schewiakoff, 1889
- Urozona buetschlii* Schewiakoff, 1889; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Order: Pleuronematida Faure-Fremiet in Corliss, 1956 [paroral cilia forming curtain-like velum]
- Family: Ctedoctematidae Small & Lynn, 1985
- Ctedoctema* Stokes, 1884; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Ctedoctema acanthocryptum* Stokes, 1884; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Family: Cyclidiidae Ehrenberg, 1838
- Cristigera* Roux, 1899; NR; freshwater; R3 (25, 127)
- Cristigera cirrifera* Kahl, 1928; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Cristigera media* Kahl, 1928; NR; freshwater; R3 (25)
- Cristigera setosa* Kahl, 1928; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Cyclidium* Muller, 1786 [= *Kerona* Muller, 1786]; 20-25 x 18-23  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, soil; RU, R2, R5 (75, 81, 84, 126)
- Cyclidium bonneti* Groliere, 1980; NR; soil; R5 (84)
- Cyclidium candens* Kahl, 1928; 40-50 x 12-15  $\mu\text{m}$ ; salt lake; R5 (95)
- Cyclidium citrillus* Cohn, 1865; 25-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2, R3 (25, 28)
- Cyclidium glaucoma* Muller, 1773; 12-36 x 6-14  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater, soil; R1, R2, R3, R5 (25, 28, 29, 59, 84, 98)
- Cyclidium muscicola* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil, moss, bark; R1, R2, R3, R5, R10 (13, 43, 47)
- Cyclidium porcatum* Esteban *et al.*, 1993; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Cyclidium terricola* Kahl, 1931; NR; soil; R3, R5 (13, 43)

*Protocyclidium* Alekperov, 1993

*Protocyclidium muscicola* (Kahl, 1931) Foissner *et al.*, 2002; NR; soil; RU (47)

*Protocyclidium terricola* (Kahl, 1931) Foissner *et al.*, 2002; 28-40 x 15-20  $\mu\text{m}$ ; soil; R10 (47)

Family: Pleuronematidae Kent, 1881

*Pleuronema* Dujardin, 1836; NR; freshwater; RU, R3 (81, 127)

*Pleuronema chrysalis* Perty, 1852; 100 x 66  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (98)

*Pleuronema coronatum* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

Subclass Hymenostomatia Delage & Herouard, 1896 [right paroral dikinetid plus 1-3 left polykinetids]

Order: Hymenostomatida Delage & Herouard, 1896 [preoral suture, somatic monokinetids]

Unidentified hymenostomids; NR; marine; R21 (4)

Suborder: Ophryoglenina Canella, 1964 [with organelle of Lieberkuhn (watchglass organelle)]

Family: Ophryoglenidae Kent, 1881

*Ophryoglena* Ehrenberg, 1831

*Ophryoglena atra* Ehrenberg, 1833; 120-270 x 50-160  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (98, 99, 104)

Suborder: Tetrahymenina Faure-Fremiet, in Corliss, 1956 [no organelle of Lieberkuhn]

Family: Glaucoridae Corliss, 1971

*Dichilum* Schewiakoff, 1893

*Dichilum cuneiforme* Schewiakoff, 1893; 40 x 24  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (97, 98)

*Glaucoma* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

*Glaucoma reniformis* Schewiakoff, 1893 [syn. *G. reniforme*]; 35-65 x 20-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; RU, R2 (38, 97, 98)

*Glaucoma scintillans* Ehrenberg, 1830; 37-55 x 25-30  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (75, 98)

*Glaucoma setosa* Schewiakoff, 1893; 37 x 16  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (97, 98)

*Physalophrya* Kahl, 1931; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)

Family: Tetrahymenidae Corliss, 1952

*Deltopylum* Faure-Fremiet & Mugard, 1946

*Deltopylum rhabdoides* Faure-Fremiet & Mugard, 1946; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)

*Tetrahymena* Furgason, 1940 [syn. *Leucophrys* Ehrenberg, 1830]; NR; freshwater; R2 (58)

*Tetrahymena australis* Nanney & McCoy, 1976; NR; freshwater; RU (79)

*Tetrahymena capricornis* Nanney & McCoy, 1976; NR; freshwater; RU (79, 87)

*Tetrahymena pyriformis* (Ehrenberg, 1830) Lwoff, 1947; 10-90  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; RU, R1, R2, R9 (21, 22, 23, 24)

*Tetrahymena rostrata* (Kahl, 1926) Corliss, 1952; NR; soil, moss; R1, R2, R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)

*Incertae sedis*

*Blepharostoma* Schewiakoff, 1893

*Blepharostoma glaucoma* Schewiakoff, 1893; 15 x 12  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (97, 98)

Family: Turaniellidae Didier, 1971

*Colpidium* Stein, 1860; NR; freshwater; R3, R4, R5 (69, 91, 127)

Subclass: Peritrichia Stein, 1859 [peritrichs, lack somatic kineties, oral cilia extend from infundibulum, predominantly bacterivores, often stalked]

Order: Sessilida Kahl, 1933 [mature trophont sessile]

- Family: Astylozoidae Kahl, 1935  
*Astylozoon* Engelmann, 1862  
*Astylozoon faurei* Kahl, 1935; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Family: Epistylididae Kahl, 1933  
*Campanella* Goldfuss, 1820; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
*Epistylis* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater; RU, R1, R2, R3, R4 (16, 27, 59, 69, 72, 81, 111, 127)  
*Epistylis alpestris* Foissner, 1978; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)  
*Epistylis flavicans* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (99, 104)  
*Epistylis plicatilis* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; freshwater; R2 (99, 124)  
*Heteropolaria* Foissner & Schubert, 1977; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
*Rhabdostyla* Kent, 1881 [syn. *Opisthostyla* Stokes, 1886]; NR; freshwater, marine; R2, R3, R14 (124, 127)
- Family: Operculariidae Faure-Fremiet, in Corliss, 1979  
*Opercularia* Goldfuss, 1820; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
*Opercularia arboricola* (Biegel, 1954) Foissner, 1981; NR; soil; R3 (13)  
*Opercularia articulata* Goldfuss, 1820; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)  
*Opercularia curvicaule* (Penard, 1922) Foissner, 1998; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)  
*Opercularia nutans* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 124)  
*Propygidium* Corliss, 1979 [syn. *Pyxidium* Kent, 1881]  
*Propygidium inclinans* (Fromentel, 1874) [syn. *Pyxidium inclinans* Penard, 1912]; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)
- Family: Ophrydiidae Ehrenberg, 1838  
*Ophrydium* Bory de St. Vincent, 1826; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
*Ophrydium sessile* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater; R2 (99, 104)
- Family: Opisthnectidae Foissner, 1976  
*Opisthnecta* Faure-Fremiet, 1906; NR; freshwater; R2 (74)
- Family: Lagenophryidae Butschli, 1889  
*Stylohedra* Kellicott, 1884; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Family: Vaginicolidae de Fromentel, 1874  
*Cothurnia* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R2, R3 (7, 81, 124, 127)  
*Cothurnia amphorella* Maskell, 1887; 75-90 x 16-34  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; R2 (83)  
*Cothurnia imberbis* Ehrenberg, 1838; NR; freshwater; R2 (113)  
*Cyclodonta* Matthes, 1958; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
*Platycola* Kent, 1882; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)  
*Platycola dilatata* Kent, 1882; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)  
*Platycola longicollis* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)  
*Pyxicola* Kent, 1882; NR; freshwater, marine; R2, R3, R14 (111, 115, 124, 127)  
*Pyxicola affinis* Kent, 1882; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)  
*Pyxicola carteri* Kent, 1886; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)  
*Pyxicola furcifer* Hutton, 1878; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)  
*Thuricola* Kent, 1881; NR; freshwater; R2, R3 (7, 27, 102, 127)  
*Thuricola folliculata* Kent, 1881; 240-420  $\mu\text{m}$ ; freshwater; RU (35)  
*Thuricola operculata* (Gruber, 1879); NR; freshwater; R2 (104)  
*Thuricola valvata* Wright, 1858; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)  
*Vaginicola* Lamarck, 1816; NR; freshwater; RU, R2, R3 (7, 81, 104, 111, 115, 127)  
*Vaginicola crystallina* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28, 99, 104, 124)  
*Vaginicola grandis* Perty, 1852; NR; freshwater; R2 (104)
- Family: Vorticellidae Ehrenberg, 1838  
*Carchesium* Ehrenberg, 1830; NR; freshwater, marine; R2, R3, R14 (27, 113, 124, 127)

- Carchesium polypinum* Linnaeus, 1758 [= *C. polypium*]; NR; freshwater; R2 (99, 104, 124)
- Epicarchesium* Jankowski, 1985
- Epicarchesium pectinatum* (Zacharias, 1897) Foissner *et al.*, 1999; 40-70 µm; freshwater; R4 (45)
- Haplocaulus* Precht, 1935 cf. Warren, 1988 [syn. *Spastostyla* Entz, 1884]; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Haplocaulus terrenus* Foissner, 1981; NR; moss; R1 (13, 43)
- Pseudocarchesium* Sommer, 1951 [= *Carchesium*]
- Pseudocarchesium claudicans* (Penard, 1922) Foissner, 1989; NR; soil; RU (43)
- Vorticella* Linnaeus, 1767; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R1, R2, R3, R4, R14 (6, 16, 59, 69, 70, 72, 74, 75, 81, 86, 99, 111, 113, 115, 116, 120, 124, 127)
- Vorticella aquadulcis* Stokes, 1887; 15-55 x 10-35 µm; freshwater; RU (45)
- Vorticella astyliformis* Foissner, 1981; NR; soil, moss; R1, R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Vorticella campanula* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; freshwater; R2 (104, 124)
- Vorticella chlorostigma* Ehrenberg, 1831; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Vorticella dilatata* Fromentel, 1874; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Vorticella infusionum* Dujardin, 1841; NR; soil; R3, R5 (13, 43, 47)
- Vorticella microstoma* Ehrenberg, 1830; 36-67 x 18-30 µm; freshwater, soil; R2, R5 (25, 27, 28, 58, 75, 84, 98)
- Vorticella monilata* Tatem, 1869; NR; freshwater; R2 (124)
- Vorticella nana* Kahl, 1932; NR; freshwater; R2 (25, 28)
- Vorticella nebulifera* Muller, 1773; NR; freshwater; R2 (27, 124)
- Vorticella similis* Stokes, 1887; NR; soil; R5 (13, 43)
- Vorticella striata* Dujardin, 1841; NR; soil; R5 (84)
- Pseudovorticella* Foissner & Schiffmann, 1975; NR; freshwater; R3 (127)
- Pseudovorticella sphagni* Foissner & Schiffmann, 1974; NR; soil; RU (43, 47)
- Family: Zoothamniidae
- Zoothamnium* Bory de St. Vincent, 1826; NR; freshwater, marine; RU, R2, R3, R14 (81, 102, 124, 127)
- Zoothamnium arbuscula* (Ehrenberg, 1831) Ehrenberg, 1838; 200-250 x 180 µm; freshwater; RU (35)

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