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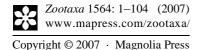
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Abstract

Phylum Rotifera comprises about 2030 known species classified in three main groups, the marine Seisonida (3 species), the Monogononta (1570 species) and the unique, exclusively parthenogenetic Bdelloidea with 461 clonal species. Here I present an annotated checklist of the taxon, giving the global distribution of the valid species. This checklist contains over 3,000 available names at the genus- and species-group level, including valid names and a non-comprehensive list of synonyms. A number of taxonomic and nomenclatural suggestions following from the review is presented. Suggestions include several new synonyms and two *nomina nova: Dissotrocha kostei* for *Dissotrocha aculeata* Koste, 1996 non Ehrenberg, 1838 (*stat. nov.*, ex. *Dissotrocha hertzogi aculeata*) and *Lepadella zigzag* for *Lepadella bractea* Myers, 1934 non (Ehrenberg, 1838). This contribution also describes features of an on-line, global names database of the Rotifera, on which this checklist is based.

Key words: biodiversity, biogeography, Rotifera

Introduction

In recent years science has witnessed a rapid evolution from print to electronic media in the production of taxonomic resources. This inevitable evolution (see Godfray, 2002) is fostered by a large number of initiatives
like the Global Biodiversity Information Facility (GBIF, http://www.gbif.org/), the Integrated Taxonomic
Information System (ITIS, http://www.itis.usda.gov/), Species2000 (http://www.sp2000.org), and Universal
Biological Indexer and Organizer (uBIO: http://www.ubio.org), to name a few. Even long-established
resources like the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature (ICZN, 1999; see http://
www.iczn.org/) are turning towards the World Wide Web, (e.g., with the ZooBank initiative: http://
www.zoobank.org/; Polaszek, 2005) notwithstanding the obvious difficulty the ephemeral character of electronic media pose to a stable scientific nomenclature.

Acknowledging this development, I present a checklist of the Rotifera of the world, extracted from a data-base compiled in the framework of the project `Freshwater Animal Diversity Assessment' (see http://FADA.biodiversity.be).

In addition to the checklist I provide a short overview of a number of features of the database and some taxonomic and nomenclatural changes resulting from the literature review required to prepare the list. The present paper, together with the analysis of the diversity and biogeography of the Rotifera (Segers, in press), are intended as citable source for the database.

Approach

The checklist is based on the taxonomy of rotifers as presented in monographs listed in Table 1, and numerous recent publications. For practical reasons, only names or taxonomic changes published before November 1, 2006 are included.

Considering that subsequent lumping of distributional data is easy whereas the inverse is not, a splitting rather than lumping approach to taxonomy has been adopted. As a consequence, the diversity of rotifers turns out to be higher than previous estimates. This is especially so for genera like Lepadella and Lecane. In Lepadella, the lack of any comprehensive revision is responsible for the discrepancy, while Lecane is exemplary of the tendency towards a less inclusive species concept in Rotifera during recent years. This approach has been corroborated by recent research using molecular (e.g., Goméz et al., 2002) or detailed morphological techniques (Giri & José de Paggi, 2006), or combining different approaches (Ricci, 2001) and biogeography (Segers & Shiel, 2003), showing that diversity has generally been underestimated in Rotifera. On the other hand, many rotifer taxa exhibit wide morphological variability, either as a result of phenotypic plasticity and/ or distortion during fixation or dehydration. Although this has long been known and is well documented (see Dumont, 1983; Koste & Shiel, 1989c; Segers, 1998), variants are still frequently being described as subspecies of common species. Such taxa, together with insufficiently described ones, are included in the present checklist as their names are available, but are tagged species inquirenda in the absence of a critical taxonomic revision. Names listed as referring to unrecognizable taxa in recent revisions listed in Table 1 have not been included. The taxonomy reflected in the list may not be satisfactory, especially in taxa for which no recent comprehensive reviews are available (e.g., Brachionidae, Lepadellidae, and Notommatidae).

The treatment of synonyms in the database is not comprehensive, but focuses on synonyms that occur in recent literature or that are occasionally listed as valid taxa. Older synonyms (especially in the morphologically variable Brachionidae: *Brachionus* and *Keratella*) can be found in Harring (1913) and Wiszniewski (1954). When necessary, care was taken to correct names in accordance with the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature (ICZN, 1999). Incorrect subsequent spellings are generally not taken into account unless they have some nomenclatural significance beyond their mere existence: keeping track of published spelling variants and *nomina nuda* in the vast ecological literature on rotifers is a daunting task with dubious relevance.

Data on distribution are presented for taxa considered valid only. This information is mostly drawn from the literature as in Table 1 and, as much as feasible, included only after critical assessment. A more complete analysis of the biodiversity and distribution of the rotifers, based on the data presented here, is as in Segers (in press).

Scope

The checklist and database, in its present version, contain 2127 species-level taxa of Rotifera, of which 109 are presently considered *species inquirenda*, and some 800 synonymous or alternative genus- and species-

level names. The vast majority of the valid names belong to Monogononta (1566), whereas Bdelloidea (461) and, especially, Seisonida (3) are much less diverse. The following information is provided:

Valid names of genus- and species-level taxa with authority, and the original combination of species-level names. Genera and species within genera are arranged alphabetically in the checklist in order to facilitate information retrieval. This ordering is consistent with Harring (1913) and Wiszniewski (1954).

Names with authority of synonyms of available genus-and species-level names, the latter in their original combination. The synonymy is incomplete for taxa in which a high number of older synonyms exist. For these I refer to Harring (1913) and Wiszniewski (1954).

Names with authority of some *species inquirendae* not included in recent revisions (see Table 1).

Taxonomic comments. This includes indication of taxonomically problematic cases, or instances where synonyms are in use as names of infrasubspecific variants. Unavailable names of infrasubspecific taxa are added in comments, except for those in genera like *Brachionus* and *Keratella*, where citing the exceedingly high number of names of variants, forms etc. would only add to confusion.

Occurrence in eight large biogeographical regions (Palearctic, Afrotropical, Oriental, Nearctic, Neotropical, Australian, Pacific and Antarctic), as circumscribed in Martens et al. (in press; see Figure 1), for all valid and recognisable species-level fresh- and/or brackishwater taxa. Marine, parasitic and interstitial taxa are mentioned as such. If relevant, a comment on distribution is added, mostly indicating that a regional record of a species is dubious, or that such a record may result from species introduction.

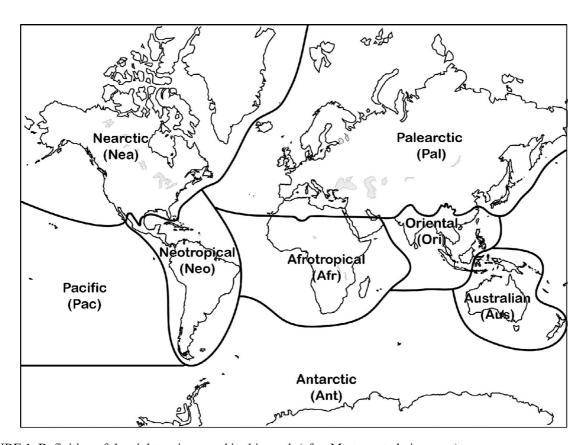


FIGURE 1. Definition of the eight regions used in this work (after Martens et al., in press.)

In addition, the database includes a higher-level classification of the free-living rotifers, after Segers (2002) and Wallace et al. (2006). The Acanthocephala, of which several authors argue that they are highly adapted parasitic representatives of the group (Mark Welch, 2000; see also Garcia-Varela *et al.*, 2000; Giribet *et al.*, 2000), are excluded.

The goal of the databasing exercise was not to introduce taxonomic or nomenclature novelties. However, a number of instances was found in which a change in taxonomy appeared warranted. In addition, some actual or potential homonyms were found. Many of the latter concern cases of congeneric, but not conspecific, subspecies with identical subspecies names. Because of the principle of coordination in zoological nomenclature, such cases are better avoided, or at least monitored. Especially, the subspecies rank of many rotifer subspecies is exclusively based on the consideration that there is a morphological resemblance between taxa. We now know that cryptic speciation occurs, and may be common, in Rotifera; hence such arguments for attributing subspecific rank are losing what little ground they ever had. Moreover, there are indications that what were once thought to be mere infrasubspecific variants could be taxonomically relevant entities (e.g., Giri & José de Paggi, 2006). Here, replacement names are only suggested for those junior homonyms that denote valid taxa. Other cases are listed as caution against potential future confusion.

The following are some suggestions on taxonomy and nomenclature:

Anchitestudinella mekongensis Bērziņš, 1973

Bērziņš (1973) contains two alternative spellings for the single species of *Anchitestudinella*: *mekogensis* and *mekongensis*. Subsequent authors have used either spelling, but none has ever clarified which of the two should be considered the correct spelling. Considering the etymology of the name, which is derived from River Mekong, I suggest treating the latter, with -n-, as correct original spelling under Art. 24.2.3 of the ICZN.

Brachionus inermispinosus De Smet, 1989 = *Epiphanes brachionus spinosa* Rousselet, 1901 (**new synonym**).

The detailed description and, especially, figures of the habitus and trophi of *B. inermispinosus* by De Smet (1989) reveal that the animal does not belong in *Brachionus*; rather, it is an *Epiphanes* and, most likely, synonymous with *E. brachionus spinosa*.

Brachionus anchorporus Xu, Chen & Rao, 1997 = B. durgae Dhanapathi, 1974 (new synonym).

The description by Xu et al. (1997) undoubtedly depicts B. durgae, a taxon of which these authors were apparently unaware.

Brachionus angularis orientalis Sudzuki, 1989 = B. angularis Gosse, 1851

The name *B. angularis orientalis* is a potential junior homonym of *B. orientalis* Rodewald, 1937, if the name would ever be used at the species level. Sudzuki's (1989) species, however, is based on a relatively common variant of *B. angularis* and is treated as a synonym rather than a different subspecies. This is in agreement with Sudzuki's (1998) treatment of the taxon as of infrasubspecific rank, although he reverts to listing it as a subspecies in Sudzuki (1999).

Brachionus angularis pseudokeikoa Sudzuki, 1992; B. angularis pyriformis Sudzuki & Huang, 1997; B. angularis donghuensis Sudzuki & Huang, 1997; B. morondavaensis Sudzuki, 1998 = B. angularis Gosse, 1851 (new synonyms)

Sudzuki (1999) cites the three subspecies listed above as species, in which case Sudzuki & Huang's (1997) *B. pyriformis* would have to be treated as a junior homonym of *B. pyriformis* Barrois & Daday, 1894, an established junior synonym of *B. angularis*. All four fall within the range of variability of *B. angularis*; *B. angularis donghuensis* is a poorly contracted specimen of *B. angularis bidens*, according to a photograph in Sudzuki (1999). A fifth taxon, *B. angularis daitojimensis* Sudzuki, 1992 is listed as an infrasubspecific variant, hence a synonym, of *B. angularis* by Sudzuki (1999) himself.

B. dimidiatus isigakiensis Sudzuki, 1992; B. cluniorbicularis isigakiensis Sudzuki 1992 and B. durgae isigakiensis Sudzuki 1992

Sudzuki (1992) named three new *Brachionus* subspecies "*isigakiensis*". All three are easily recognized as belonging to previously established taxa, as far as can be judged from the relevant descriptions and photographs in Sudzuki (1992, 1999):

B. dimidiatus isigakiensis Sudzuki, 1992 (*Brachionus isigakiensis* in Sudzuki 1998, 1999) is a poorly contracted *B. bennini* Leissling (**new synonym**).

B. cluniorbicularis isigakiensis Sudzuki 1992 is an unspined variant (f. cluniorbicularis) of B. quadridentatus Hermann (new synonym).

B. durgae isigakiensis Sudzuki 1992 falls within the range of variability of the nominal species, hence it is here considered a synonym of *B. durgae* Dhanapathi (**new synonym**).

As all three enter into synonymy, there appears to be no imminent danger of nomenclatural confusion between the three potential homonyms.

Brachionus brevispinus Sudzuki & Huang, 1997 = B. huangi Zhuge & Koste, 1996 (new synonym).

Although the taxonomic separation of the short-spined *B. huangi* and *B. brevispinus* versus *B. diversicornis* Daday may require substantiation, *B. huangi* and *B. brevispinus* are obviously identical. As *B. brevispinus* Sudzuki & Huang, 1997 enters into synonymy, there is no danger of confusion with its senior homonym *B. brevispinus* Ehrenberg, 1832, itself a synonym, and representing a well-known and common infrasubspecific variant, of *B. quadridentatus* Hermann.

Brachionus lyratus yonaguniensis Sudzuki, 1992 = B. angularis Gosse, 1851 (new synonym).

This taxon, listed as *B. yonaguniensis* by Sudzuki (1999), appears to be yet another variant of *B. angularis*. An appurtenance to *B. lyratus* is not evident from the available description and photographs.

Brachionus variabilis kasumigaurensis Sudzuki, 1998 = B. rubens Ehrenberg, 1838 (new synonym).

The available pictures of *B. variabilis kasumigaurensis* (see Sudzuki, 1999), especially the shape of antero-dorsal spines and minute size of the rounded process on the dorsal foot aperture margin reveal a synonymy with *B. rubens*.

Encentrum grande (Western, 1891) and Encentrum kulmatyckii (Wiszniewski, 1953)

De Smet *in* De Smet & Pourriot (1997) argued that the description of *Encentrum grande* (Western) is unrecognisable, and proposed to refer to Harring & Myers' (1928) description as reference for the taxonomic identity of *E. grande*. Considering the poor quality of many original descriptions of Rotifera and the absence of type material, this is common practice in rotifer taxonomy. However, he further retained *E. grande* (Western) as *species inquirenda*, and included a *E. grande* Harring & Myers, 1928 in his treatment. This confusingly results in the recognition of two homonymous taxa, one *E. grande* (Western) and *E. grande sensu* Harring & Myers (1928) which, in fact, should be attributed to De Smet (1997). The name *Encentrum kulmatyckii* (Wiszniewski, 1953), a junior synonym of *E. grande sensu* Harring & Myers (1926), is available for the latter taxon.

Koste's (1996) taxon has distinct body outgrowths (none in *D. hertzogi*), and lacks the extraordinarily long rostrum ciliae and offset spur tips of *Dissotrocha hertzogi* (see Donner, 1965). These morphological differences are of a nature and magnitude that is generally considered relevant at the species level in bdelloid rotifer taxonomy. In addition, it is particularly difficult to conform a species, let alone a subspecies, definition to an exclusive parthenogenetically reproducing taxon. I therefore suggest treating the two as separate species-level taxa and, because of the homonymy of Koste's name with Ehrenberg's, I have the pleasure to suggest the name *Dissotrocha kostei*, honouring Dr h.c. W. Koste, as replacement name for the taxon (*nomen novum*).

Keratella heywoodi Dartnall, 2005 = K. kostei Paggi, 1981 (**new synonym**)

Both Dartnall's (2005) and Paggi's (1981) descriptions point to the absence of a foundation pattern on the dorsal lorica, small size of antero-median and antero-intermedian, but large and ventrally-pointed antero-lateral spines as characteristic features of their new species. As Dartnall (2005) does not mention *K. kostei* in his text, he may not have been aware of the existence of that name. The species occurs in Patagonia, Argentina (Paggi, 1981), and on the Falkland Islands and South Georgia (Dartnall, 2005).

Pompholyx acutangula Wu, 1981 = Testudinella brevicaudata Yamamoto, 1951 (new synonym).

Wu's (1981) clear and detailed illustrations depict an animal with a large foot aperture. It therefore does not belong to *Pompholyx*, rather it is a previously described *Testudinella*, *T. brevicaudata*.

Testudinella tridentata obtusa Wu, 1981 = Testudinella greeni Koste, 1981 (new synonym).

The figures and photographs of Wu's *T. tridentata obtusa* unmistakably depict a *T. greeni*. Apparently, Wu (1981) was not aware of the latter species.

Hemimonostyla blachei tutiurensis Sudzuki, 1998 = Lecane stenroosi Meissner, 1908 (new synonym).

The photograph of *H. blachei tutiurensis* by Sudzuki (1998) leaves no doubt as to its synonymy with *L. stenroosi*.

Lecane kasumiensis Sudzuki, 1998 = Lecane papuana (Murray, 1913) (new synonym).

Again, the photograph of *L. kasumiensis* by Sudzuki (1998) leaves no doubt as to its synonymy with *L. papuana*.

Lepadella bractea Myers, 1934 versus Squamella bractea Ehrenberg, 1838.

Myers' name is threatened by its homonymy with *Squamella bractea* Ehrenberg, an established junior synonym of *Lepadella patella* Müller, 1786. Here, a replacement name is in order as confusion between the two has occurred (Nogrady *in* Boyko, 1994), notwithstanding that Ehrenberg's name is hardly ever found in combination with the genus name *Lepadella*. Myers' (1934) animal is a remarkable but rare Northeast North American endemic that is unmistakable by the prominent zig-zag crest on its dorsal lorica. I suggest the name *Lepadella zigzag* as *nomen novum* for the taxon.

Lepadella parvula De Graaf, 1956 is a junior homonym of Lepadella parvula Bryce, 1893 and of the previously replaced L. parvula Montet, 1915 (valid name: Lepadella minuta Weber & Montet, 1919). As Lepadella parvula De Graaf is an established junior synonym of Lepadella patella Müller, there is no imminent need for a replacement name.

Macrotrachela ligulata Haigh, 1965; Macrotrachela nana ligulata Schulte, 1954; Macrotrachela quadricornifera ligulata Bērziņš, 1950

Awaiting a revision of the large and complex genus *Macrotrachela*, I merely point out that *Macrotrachela quadricornifera ligulata* Bērziņš, 1950 and *M. nana ligulata* Schulte, 1954 are potential senior homonyms of *M. ligulata* Haigh, 1965, if any or both of the first-mentioned ones would ever be raised to species rank.

The genus *Diplois* Gosse, and its single species *D. daviesae* Gosse are here considered *genus et species inquirendae*. Scrutiny of the available literature on the taxon, and consultation with colleagues revealed that only Gosse's description exists, and that there are no reliable records or sightings of the species (W.H. De Smet, *in lit.*, R.J. Shiel, *in lit.*, C. Jersabek, *in lit.*). The description of *Pseudoembata parasitica* by Wycliffe & Michael (1968) does not enable recognition of the taxon; the arguments for erection of a new genus are not supported in the literature (see Donner, 1965). Also this taxon is therefore considered *genus et species inquirendae*.

Future prospects

The database mentioned here will be made freely accessible through the World Wide Web. In a first phase, researchers will be offered the possibility to select and extract a structured name list from the database. By this service, it is hoped to reduce the number of misspellings and other inconsistencies in the published literature.

In a second phase, the possibility will be offered to submit and save regional or local (georeferenced) checklists to the database, together with metadata on these checklists. One of the goals of the database is to provide a resource to as reliable as possible data on the distribution of Rotifera. Hence, we envisage installing a system comparing submitted lists with reviewed distributional data so that new regional species records will be highlighted and, eventually, reviewed by peers. This review process may involve submitting material enabling the positive identification of the species concerned and, if this is possible by the nature of the taxon, by illustrating remarkable records through relevant photographs or original drawings on the web site.

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Higher-level classification: Segers (2002); Wallace et al. (2006).

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Bdelloidea: Donner (1965) (taxonomy), Bērziņš (1982) (*Dissotrocha aculeata* group), Fontaneto et al. (in press) and Ricci et al (2003) (distribution).

Monogononta: Koste (1978) (taxonomy), De Ridder (1986, 1991, 1993), De Ridder & Segers (1997) and Jersabek (2003) (distribution).

Asciaporrectidae: De Smet (2006)

Asplanchnidae: José de Paggi in Nogrady & Segers (2002)

Brachionidae: Koste (1978), Koste & Shiel (1987). Also: Ahlstrom (1940, 1943)

Clariaidae: Kutikova et al. (1990) Conochilidae: Segers & Wallace (2001) Dicranophoridae: De Smet & Pourriot (1997)

Epiphanidae: Koste & Shiel (1987)

Euchlanidae: Koste (1978), Koste & Shiel (1989a)

Gastropodidae: Radwan & Bielanska-Grajner in Nogrady & Segers (2002)

Ituridae: De Smet & Pourriot (1997) Lecanidae: Segers (1995a, 1995b) Lepadellidae: Koste & Shiel (1989b)

Lindiidae: Segers *in* Nogrady & Segers (2002) Microcodidae: De Smet *in* Nogrady & Segers (2002)

Mytilinidae: Koste & Shiel (1989a) Notommatidae: Nogrady et al. (1995)

Proalidae: De Smet (1996)

Scaridiidae: Segers in Nogrady et al. (1995)

Synchaetidae: Hollowday in Nogrady & Segers (2002)

Trichocercidae: Koste (1978) Segers (2003)

Trichotriidae: Koste & Shiel (1989a)

Trochosphaeridae: Segers in Nogrady & Segers (2002), Sanoamuang in Nogrady & Segers (2002)

Table 2. Checklist of the Rotifera

Legend: AFR: Afrotropical region; ANT: Antarctic region; AUS: Australian region; NEA: Nearctic region; NEO: Neotropical region; ORI: Oriental region; PAC: pacific region; PAL: Palearctic region (see Figure 1).

Abrochtha Bryce, 1910

Abrochtha carnivora Ricci, Melone & Walsh, 2001: NEO Abrochtha intermedia (de Beauchamp, 1909): NEA, PAL Philodina intermedia de Beauchamp, 1909

Acyclus Leidy, 1882

Hyalocephalus Lucks, 1911

Acyclus inquietus Leidy, 1882: NEA, ORI, PAL Acyclus trilobus (Lucks, 1911): PAL Hyalocephalus trilobus Lucks, 1911

Adineta Hudson & Gosse, 1886

Adineta acuticornis Haigh, 1967: AUS

Adineta barbata Janson, 1893: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Adineta bartosi Wulfert, 1960: PAL

Adineta cuneata Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Adineta elongata Rodewald, 1935: PAL

Adineta glauca Wulfert, 1942: AUS, PAL

Adineta gracilis Janson, 1893: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Adineta grandis Murray, 1910: AFR, ANT

Adineta longicornis Murray, 1906: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Adineta oculata (Milne, 1886): NEO, PAL

Callidina oculata Milne, 1886

Syn.: Adineta alluandi Certes, 1903

Adineta ricciae Segers & Shiel, 2005: AUS

Adineta steineri Bartoš, 1951: ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Adineta tuberculosa Janson, 1893: AFR, AUS, PAL

Adineta vaga (Davis, 1873)

Callidina vaga Davis, 1873

Adineta vaga major Bryce, 1893: NEA, ORI, PAL

Adineta vaga minor Bryce, 1893: AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Adineta vaga rhomboidea Bērziņš, 1950: PAL

Adineta vaga tenuicornis Bryce, 1926: PAL

Adineta vaga vaga (Davis, 1873): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Albertia Dujardin, 1838

Albertia crystallina Schultze, 1851 (Endoparasitic in marine and brackish water Oligochaeta)

Albertia naidis Bousfield, 1886 (Endoparasitic in freshwater Oligochaeta)

Syn.: Albertia bernardi Hlava, 1904

Syn.: Albertia caudata Manfredi, 1927

Syn.: Albertia intrusor Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Albertia soyeri Coineau & Kunst, 1964

Albertia ovagranulata Valovaya, 1991 (Endoparasitic in marine Oligochaeta)

Albertia reicheltae Koste, 1970 (Endoparasitic in freshwater Oligochaeta)

Albertia typhlina Harring & Myers, 1928 (Ecology unknown)

Albertia vermiculus Dujardin, 1938 (Endoparasitic in terrestrial Oligochaeta and Mollusca)

Albertia woronkowi Zenkewitsch, 1922 (Endoparasitic in freshwater Oligochaeta; Baikal endemic)

Anchitestudinella Bērziņš, 1973

Anchitestudinella mekongensis Bērziņš, 1973: ORI

Anomopus Piovanelli, 1903

Anomopus chasmagnathi Mane-Garzon & Montero, 1973: NEO Anomopus telphusae Piovanelli, 1903: AFR, PAL

Anuraeopsis Lauterborn, 1900

Anuraeopsis coelata de Beauchamp, 1932: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Anuraeopsis lata singapurensis Sudzuki, 1989

Anuraeopsis coelata coelata de Beauchamp, 1932

Anuraeopsis coelata kehjengi Sudzuki, 1989 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis cristata Bērziņš, 1956: ORI

Anuraeopsis fissa Gosse, 1851: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Anuraeopsis hypelasma Gosse, 1886

Anuraeopsis fissa beauchampi Bērziņš, 1962 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis fissa donghuensis Sudzuki & Huang, 1997 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis fissa fissa Gosse, 1851

Anuraeopsis fissa haueri Bērziņš, 1962 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis fissa neali Bērziņš, 1962 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis fissa pseudonavicula Sudzuki & Huang, 1997 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis lata Bērziņš, 1962 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis miracleae Koste, 1991: PAL

Anuraeopsis navicula Rousselet, 1911: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Anuraeopsis congolensis Evens, 1947

Syn.: Anuraeopsis racenisi Bērziņš, 1962

Anuraeopsis navicula berzinsi Sudzuki, 1998 (species inquirenda)

Anuraeopsis navicula navicula Rousselet, 1911

Anuraeopsis quadriantennata (Koste, 1974): NEO

Paranuraeopsis quadriantennata Koste, 1974

Anuraeopsis siolii Koste, 1972: NEO

Anuraeopsis urawensis Sudzuki, 1957: NEO, PAL

Anuraeopsis wulferti Sudzuki, 1998 (species inquirenda)

Asciaporrecta De Smet, 2006

Asciaporrecta arcellicola De Smet, 2006: NEA, PAL Asciaporrecta difflugicola De Smet, 2006: NEA, PAL Asciaporrecta hyalina (Wulfert, 1939): PAL Pleurotrocha hyalina Wulfert, 1939

Ascomorpha Perty, 1850

Chromogaster Lauterborn, 1893 Sacculus Gosse, 1851

Ascomorpha agilis Zacharias, 1893: AFR, PAL

Ascomorpha dumonti De Smet, 1992: AFR

Ascomorpha ecaudis Perty, 1850: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Ascomorpha germanica Leydig, 1854

Syn.: Ascomorpha helvetica Perty, 1852

Syn.: Sacculus viridis Gosse, 1851

Ascomorpha klementi (Hauer, 1965): NEO

Chromogaster klementi Hauer, 1965

Ascomorpha minima Hofsten, 1909: NEA, PAL

Ascomorpha ovalis (Bergendal, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Anapus ovalis Bergendal, 1892

Syn.: Sacculus cuirassis Hood, 1894

Syn.: Chromogaster testudo Lauterborn, 1893

Ascomorpha saltans Bartsch, 1870

Ascomorpha saltans indica Wulfert, 1966: AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Ascomorpha saltans Bartsch, 1870: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Sacculus hyalinus Kellicott, 1888

Ascomorpha tundisii Segers & Dumont, 1995: NEO, PAL

Ascomorphella Wiszniewski, 1953

Hertwigella Voigt, 1957 Hertwigia Plate, 1886 non Schmidt, 1880

Ascomorphella volvocicola (Plate, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Hertwigia volvocicola Plate, 1886

Syn.: Proales parasita Gosse, 1852 (non Ehrenberg (1838))

Aspelta Harring & Myers, 1928

Aspelta alastor Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Aspelta angusta Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Aspelta aper (Harring, 1913): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Encentrum aper Harring, 1913

Aspelta beltista Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Aspelta bidentata Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Aspelta chorista Harring & Myers, 1942: NEA

Aspelta circinator (Gosse, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Diglena circinator Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Diglena giraffa Gosse, 1886

Aspelta clydona Harring & Myers, 1928 (marine)

Syn.: Aspelta antonowiezae d'Hondt, 1970

Aspelta curvidactyla Bērziņš, 1949: AFR, NEA, PAC, PAL

Aspelta egregia Myers, 1936: NEA, PAL

Aspelta europaea Hauer, 1939: PAL (marine and freshwater)

Aspelta harringi Remane, 1929 (marine)

Aspelta imbuta Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, NEO

Syn.: Aspelta ecuadoriensis Koste, 1992

Aspelta intradentata Bērziņš, 1949: PAL

Aspelta labri Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Aspelta lestes Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Aspelta macra Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Aspelta pachida (Gosse, 1887) (marine)

Diglena pachida Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Pleurotrocha littoralis Levander, 1894

Aspelta psitta Harring & Myers, 1928: AUS, NEA, PAL

Aspelta reibischi (Remane, 1929) (marine)

Encentrum reibischi Remane, 1929

Aspelta tilba Koste & Shiel, 1987: AUS

Asplanchna Gosse, 1850

Asplanchnella Sudzuki, 1964

Asplanchna asymmetrica Shiel & Koste, 1985: AUS

Asplanchna brightwellii Gosse, 1850: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Asplanchna sieboldii urawaensis Sudzuki, 1956

Asplanchna girodi de Guerne, 1888: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Asplanchna herrickii de Guerne, 1888: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Asplanchna intermedia Hudson, 1886: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Asplanchna priodonta Gosse, 1850: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Asplanchna priodonta sirakabana Sudzuki, 1964

Asplanchna sieboldii (Leydig, 1854): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata sieboldii Leydig, 1854

Asplanchna silvestrii Daday, 1902: NEA, NEO (doubtful Oriental record)

Asplanchna tropica Koste & Tobias, 1989: AFR, ORI

Asplanchnopus de Guerne, 1888

Asplanchnopus bhimavaramensis Dhanapathi, 1975: ORI

Asplanchnopus dahlgreni Myers, 1934: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (non-American records require confirmation)

Asplanchnopus hyalinus Harring, 1913: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Asplanchnopus multiceps (Schrank, 1793): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Brachionus multiceps Schrank, 1793

Atrochus Wierzejski, 1893

Atrochus tentaculatus Wierzejski, 1893: AUS, ORI, PAL

Balatro Claparède, 1867

Balatro aciliatus (Radkewitsch, 1870) (Endoparasitic in terrestrial Oligochaeta)

Albertia aciliatus Radkewitsch, 1870

Balatro anguiformis Issel, 1904 (Endoparasitic in terrestrial Oligochaeta)

Balatro calvus Claparède, 1867 (Endoparasitic in terrestrial Oligochaeta)

Balatro fridericiae Kunst, 1954 (Endoparasitic in terrestrial Oligochaeta)

Beauchampia Harring, 1913

Beauchampia crucigera (Dutrochet, 1812): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Rotifer crucigere Dutrochet, 1812

Syn.: Cephalosiphon candidus Hudson, 1886 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant

of B. crucigera)

Syn.: Melicerta cephalosiphon Gosse, 1862

Beauchampiella Remane, 1929

Eudactylota Manfredi, 1927 non Walsingham, 1911

Manfredium Gallagher, 1957

Beauchampiella eudactylota (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Eudactylota eudactylota Gosse, 1886

Birgea Harring & Myers, 1922

Birgea enantia Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Brachionus Pallas, 1766

Brachionus adisi Koste & Hardy, 1984: NEO

Brachionus africanus Segers, Mbogo & Dumont, 1994: AFR (single Thai record a result of sample contamination)

Brachionus ahlstromi Lindeman, 1939: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Brachionus caudatus var. personatus Ahlstrom, 1940

Syn.: Brachionus havanaensis var. ahlstromi Lindeman, 1939

Brachionus amazonicus Koste, 1983: NEO

Syn.: Brachionus urceolaris amazonica Koste, 1983

Brachionus amsterdamensis De Smet, 2001: ANT (Kerguelen islands)

Brachionus angularis Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Brachionus angularis orientalis Sudzuki, 1989

Brachionus angularis angularis Gosse, 1851: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus daitojimensis Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: Brachionus donghuensis Sudzuki & Huang, 1997

Syn.: Brachionus lyratus yonaguniensis Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: Brachionus minimus Bartsch, 1877

Syn.: Brachionus morondavaensis Sudzuki, 1998

Syn.: Brachionus papuanus Daday, 1897

Syn.: Brachionus pseudokeikoa Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: Brachionus pyriformis Sudzuki & Huang, 1997

Syn.: Brachionus syennensis Schmarda, 1859

Syn.: Brachionus testudo Herberg, 1853

Brachionus angularis bidens Plate, 1886: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL (taxon occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of the nominal taxon)

Syn.: Brachionus kasadensis Sudzuki, 1976

Brachionus asplanchnoides Charin, 1947: PAL

Brachionus austrogenitus Ahlstrom, 1940: NEO (single unconfirmed AUS record)

Brachionus baylyi Sudzuki & Timms, 1977: AUS

Brachionus bennini Leissling, 1924: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus dimidiatus isigakiensis Sudzuki, 1992

Brachionus bennini beauchampi Sudzuki, 1997 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus bennini bennini Leissling, 1924

Brachionus bidentatus Anderson, 1889

Brachionus bidentatus bidentatus Anderson, 1889: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus bidentatus var. crassispinus Hauer, 1963

Syn.: Brachionus furculatus Thorpe, 1891

Syn.: *Brachionus furculatus inermis* Rousselet, 1906 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *inermis*) of *B. bidentatus*)

Syn.: *Brachionus furculatus testudinarius* Jakubski, 1912 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *testudinarius*) of *B. bidentatus*)

Syn.: Brachionus furculatus var. jirovci Bartoš, 1946

Brachionus bidentatus minor Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS

Brachionus bidentatus senegalensis Koste & De Ridder, 1985 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus budapestinensis Daday, 1885: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus similis Leissling, 1914

Brachionus calyciflorus Pallas, 1766: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (The taxonomy of *B. calyciflorus* is particularly confused. Validation of the numerous proposed subspecies and infrasubspecific variants awaits a thorough revision of the taxon)

Brachionus calyciflorus calyciflorus Pallas, 1766

Syn.: Brachionus amphiceros Ehrenberg, 1838 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f.

amphiceros) of B. calviflorus)

Syn.: *Brachionus dorcas* Gosse, 1851 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *dorcas*) of *B. caly-ciflorus*)

Syn.: Brachionus gillardi Hauer, 1966

Syn.: Brachionus pala Ehrenberg, 1838

Syn.: *Brachionus pala anuraeiformis* Brehm, 1909 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *anuraeiformis*) of *B. calyciflorus*)

Brachionus calyciflorus gigantea Koste & Shiel, 1987 (subspecies inquirenda)

Brachionus caudatus Barrois & Daday, 1894: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (The taxonomy of *B. caudatus* is particularly confused. Validation of the numerous proposed subspecies and infrasubspecific variants awaits a thorough revision of the taxon)

Syn.: Brachionus caudatus singapurensis Sudzuki, 1989

Brachionus charini Kutikova, Kosova & Khodorevsky, 1976: PAL

Brachionus dichotomus Shephard, 1911

Brachionus dichotomus dichotomus Shephard, 1911: AUS

Brachionus dichotomus reductus Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS, ORI

Brachionus dimidiatus Bryce, 1931: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Brachionus inermis* Schmarda, 1894 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *inermis*) of *B. dimidiatus*)

Brachionus diversicornis (Daday, 1883): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Schizocerca diversicornis Daday, 1883

Brachionus dolabratus Harring, 1914: NEO (doubtful PAL record)

Brachionus donneri Brehm, 1951: ORI (single unconfirmed record from Panama canal waters, introduction?)

Brachionus donneri bifurcus Wu, 1981 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus donneri donneri Brehm, 1951

Brachionus durgae Dhanapathi, 1974: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus anchorporus Xu, Chen & Rao, 1997

Syn.: Brachionus durgae isigakiensis Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: Brachionus moronensis Kuczynski, 1991

Brachionus falcatus Zacharias, 1898: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Brachionus falcatus reductus* Koste & Shiel, 1987 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of the nominal taxon)

Brachionus forficula Wierzejski, 1891: AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL (introduced in NEA, doubtful NEO record)

Brachionus havanaensis Rousselet, 1911: NEA, NEO (introduced in ORI and PAL)

Syn.: Brachionus trahea Murray, 1913

Brachionus huangi Zhuge & Koste, 1996: PAL

Syn.: Brachionus brevispinus Sudzuki & Huang, 1997

Brachionus ibericus Ciros-Peréz, Gómez & Serra, 2001: PAL

Brachionus incertus Hauer, 1953: NEO

Brachionus josefinae Silva-Briano & Segers, 1992: NEA

Brachionus keikoa Koste, 1979: AUS

Brachionus kostei Shiel, 1983: AUS, ORI, PAL (Unpublished North-east Chinese record)

Brachionus kultrum Paggi, 1981: NEO

Brachionus leydigii Cohn, 1862

Brachionus leydigii leydigii Cohn, 1862: AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus quadratus Rousselet, 1889 (non Müller, 1786. Synonym considered an infrasubspecific

variant (f. quadratus) of B. leydigii)

Syn.: *Brachionus quadratus tridentatus* Zernov, 1901 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *tridentatus*) of *B. leydigii*)

Brachionus leydigii rotundus Rousselet, 1907: AUS, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Brachionus quadratus rotundus* Rousselet, 1907 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *rotundus*) of *B. leydigii*)

Brachionus lyratus Shephard, 1911

Brachionus lyratus lyratus Shephard, 1911: AUS, ORI

Brachionus lyratus tasmaniensis Koste & Shiel, 1986: AUS

Brachionus mirus Daday, 1905: NEO

Syn.: Brachionus mirus angustus Koste, 1972 (synonym probably represents an infrasubspecific variant)

Syn.: Brachionus mirus reductus Koste, 1972 (synonym probably represents an infrasubspecific variant)

Syn.: Brachionus voigti Hauer, 1961

Brachionus murphyi Sudzuki, 1989: ORI

Syn.: Brachionus niwati Sanoamuang, Segers & Dumont, 1995

Brachionus nilsoni Ahlstrom, 1940: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Brachionus novaezealandiae Morris, 1913: AFR, AUS, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus novaezealandiae var. hungaricus Nogrady, 1957

Brachionus orientalis Rodewald, 1937 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus pinneenaus Koste & Shiel, 1983: AUS

Brachionus plicatilis Müller, 1786 (The *B. plicatilis* group is an as yet incompletely resolved cryptic species group)

Brachionus plicatilis colongulaciensis Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS

Brachionus plicatilis decemcornis Fadeev, 1925 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus plicatilis ecornis Fadeev, 1925 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus plicatilis estoniana Sudzuki, 1987 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus plicatilis longicornis Fadeev, 1925 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus plicatilis murrayi Fadeev, 1925 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus plicatilis plicatilis Müller, 1786: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus hepatotomus Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Brachionus muelleri Ehrenberg, 1834

Brachionus postcurvatus Kuczynski, 1991: NEO

Brachionus pseudonilsoni Sudzuki, 1992: PAL

Brachionus pterodinoides Rousselet, 1913: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus westphali Carlin-Nilson, 1935

Brachionus quadridentatus Hermann, 1783

Brachionus quadridentatus melhemi Barrois & Daday, 1894: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Brachionus quadridentatus mirabilis Daday, 1897: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Brachionus variegatus Krau, 1962

Brachionus quadridentatus quadridentatus Hermann, 1783: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: *Brachionus ancylognathus* Schmarda, 1859 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *ancylognathus*) of *B. quadridentatus*)

Syn.: *Brachionus brevispinus* Ehrenberg, 1832 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *brevispinus*) of *B. quadridentatus*)

Syn.: Brachionus capsuliflorus Pallas, 1766

Syn.: *Brachionus cluniorbicularis* Skorikov, 1894 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *cluniorbicularis*) of *B. quadridentatus*)

Syn.: Brachionus cluniorbicularis isigakiensis Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: *Brachionus rhenanus* Lauterborn, 1893 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *rhenanus*) of *B. quadridentatus*)

Brachionus rotundiformis Tschugunoff, 1921: AFR, NEA, ORI, PAL

Brachionus rubens Ehrenberg, 1838: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus variabilis kasumigaurensis Sudzuki, 1998

Brachionus satanicus Rousselet, 1913: NEA, NEO

Brachionus schwoerbeli Koste, 1988: ORI

Brachionus sericus Rousselet, 1907: AFR, AUS, PAL

Brachionus sessilis Varga, 1951: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Brachionus spatiosus Rousselet, 1912: NEA

Brachionus srisumonae Segers, Kotethip & Sanoamuang, 2004: ORI

Brachionus urceolaris Müller, 1773

Syn.: Brachionus urceolaris semicircularis Sudzuki, 1989

Brachionus urceolaris reductispinis Kuczynski, 1991: NEO

Brachionus urceolaris urceolaris Müller, 1773: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Tubipora urceus Linnaeus, 1758

Brachionus variabilis Hempel, 1896: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Brachionus variabilis kohamensis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Brachionus variabilis variabilis Hempel, 1896

Brachionus zahniseri Ahlstrom, 1934: NEA, NEO

Syn.: Brachionus gessneri Hauer, 1956

Bradyscela Bryce, 1910

Bradyscela clauda (Bryce, 1893): AUS, NEO, PAL Adineta clauda Bryce, 1893 Bradyscela granulosa De Koning, 1947: PAL

Bryceella Remane, 1929

Bryceella stylata (Milne, 1886): NEA, PAC, PAL

Stephanops stylatus Milne, 1886

Bryceella tenella (Bryce, 1897): AUS, NEO, PAL

Stephanops tenellus Bryce, 1897

Syn.: Bryceella agilis Neiswestnowa-Shadina, 1935

Cephalodella Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Metadiaschiza Fadeew, 1925 Paracephalodella Bērziņš, 1976 Cephalodella ablusa Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella abstrusa Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella akrobeles Myers, 1934: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella anebodica Bērziņš, 1976: PAL

Cephalodella angusta Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella apocolea Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Cephalodella arcuata Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Cephalodella asarcia Myers, 1942: NEA

Cephalodella asta Donner, 1970: PAL

Cephalodella astricta Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella auriculata (Müller, 1773): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Vorticella auriculata Müller, 1773

Syn.: Cephalodella prompta Neiswestnova-Shadina, 1935

Cephalodella balatonica Zsuga, 1996 (species inquirenda)

Cephalodella belone Myers, 1924: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cephalodella bertonicensis Manfredi, 1927 (species inquirenda. Tentatively considered a synonym of C. stenroosi by Koste (1978))

Cephalodella biungulata Wulfert, 1937: AUS, NEO, PAL

Cephalodella boettgeri Koste, 1988: NEO, ORI

Cephalodella brandorffi Koste, 2000: NEO, ORI

Cephalodella calosa Wulfert, 1956: PAL

Cephalodella carina Wulfert, 1959: PAL

Cephalodella catellina (Müller, 1786): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant *minor* Zawadovsky, 1926)

Cercaria catellina Müller, 1786

Syn.: Cephalodella armata Rudescu, 1960

Syn.: Cephalodella botezati Rodewald, 1935

Syn.: Cephalodella catellina natans Bērziņš, 1976

Syn.: Cephalodella myersi Wiszniewski, 1934

Cephalodella celeris Myers, 1937: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella clara Wulfert, 1944: NEO, PAL

Cephalodella collactea Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella compacta Wiszniewski, 1934: PAL

Cephalodella compressa Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella conica Nogrady, 1962: PAL

Cephalodella conjuncta Myers, 1940: NEA

Cephalodella crassipes (Lord, 1903): NEA, PAL

Diaschiza crassipes Lord, 1903

Cephalodella cyclops Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Cephalodella decidua Rodewald, 1935: PAL

Cephalodella delicata Wulfert, 1937: NEA, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella eudelicata Wulfert, 1961

Cephalodella dentata Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Cephalodella derbyi (Dixon-Nuttall & Freeman, 1903): NEA

Diaschiza derbyi Dixon-Nuttall & Freeman, 1903

Cephalodella dixonnuttalli Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella dora Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Cephalodella doryphora Myers, 1934: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella dorystoma Myers, 1934: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella dorseyi Myers, 1924: PAL

Cephalodella edax Hollowday, 1993: PAL (Parasitic in Uroglena volvox)

Cephalodella elegans Myers, 1924: NEA, NEO, PAL

Cephalodella elongata Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella euderbyi Wulfert, 1940: PAL

Cephalodella euknema Myers, 1934: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella eunoma Myers, 1940: NEA

Cephalodella eupoda Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella eurynota Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella eva (Gosse, 1887): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Furcularia eva Gosse, 1887

Cephalodella evabroedae De Smet, 1988: NEO, PAL

Cephalodella exigua (Gosse, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diaschiza exigua Gosse, 1886

Cephalodella fluviatilis (Zawadovsky, 1926): AFR, PAL

Diglena fluviatilis Zawadovsky, 1926

Syn.: Cephalodella elmenteita de Beauchamp, 1932

Cephalodella forceps Donner, 1950: PAL

Cephalodella forficata (Ehrenberg, 1832): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Notommata forficata Ehrenberg, 1832

Cephalodella forficula (Ehrenberg, 1830): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Distemma forficula Ehrenberg, 1830

Cephalodella friebei Koste, Robertson & Hardy, 1984: NEO

Cephalodella gibba (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Furcularia gibba Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: Cephalodella microdactyla Koch-Althaus, 1963

Cephalodella gibboides Wulfert, 1950: PAL

Cephalodella gigantea Remane, 1933: NEO, ORI, PAL

Cephalodella gisleni Bērziņš, 1953: AUS

Cephalodella glandulosa Koch-Althaus, 1962: PAL

Cephalodella globata (Gosse, 1887): AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Diaschiza globata Gosse, 1887

Cephalodella glypha Wulfert, 1950: PAL

Cephalodella gobio Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Cephalodella gracilis (Ehrenberg, 1830) (Variable taxon. Includes the infrasubspecific variants lenticulare

Wulfert, 1938; sigmoides Wulfert, 1950)

Furcularia gracilis Ehrenberg, 1830

Cephalodella gracilis gracilis (Ehrenberg, 1830): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella sagitta Wulfert, 1956

Cephalodella gracilis keta Reed, 1978: PAL

Cephalodella graciosa Wulfert, 1956: PAL

Cephalodella gusuleaci Rodewald, 1935: PAL

Cephalodella harringi Smirnov, 1927: PAL

Cephalodella hiulca Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella hollowdayi Koste, 1986: NEO

Cephalodella hoodii (Gosse, 1886): NEA, ORI, PAL

Diaschiza hoodii Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Cephalodella remanei Wiszniewski, 1934

Syn.: Cephalodella strigosa Myers, 1924

Cephalodella hyalina Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella horni Wulfert, 1960

Cephalodella incila Wulfert, 1937: NEA, PAC, PAL

Cephalodella innesi Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella inquilina Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella inquila auct.

Cephalodella intuta Myers, 1924

Cephalodella intuta intuta Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Cephalodella intuta jamaicaiensis Koste, Janetzky & Vareschi, 1993: NEO

Cephalodella irisae Koste, Janetzky & Vareschi, 1993: NEO

Cephalodella jakubskii Wiszniewski, 1953: PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella donneri Hauer, 1959

Cephalodella labiosa Wulfert, 1940: PAL

Cephalodella laisa Hauer, 1935: PAL

Cephalodella latifulcrum (Bērziņš, 1976): PAL

Paracephalodella latifulcrum Bērziņš, 1976

Cephalodella lepida Myers, 1934: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella licina Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Cephalodella licinia Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella limosa Wulfert, 1937: NEO, PAL

Cephalodella lindamayae Koste & Shiel, 1986: AUS

Cephalodella lipara Myers, 1924: AUS, PAL

Cephalodella macrodactyla (Stenroos, 1898): NEA, PAL

Furcularia macrodactyla Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Cephalodella strepta Myers, 1924

Cephalodella maior (Zawadovsky, 1926): AFR, PAL

Diglena maior Zawadovsky, 1926

Syn.: Cephalodella wiszniewskii Edmondson & Hutchinson, 1934

Cephalodella marina Myers, 1924: NEA

Syn.: Cephalodella epitedia Myers, 1924

Cephalodella megalocephala (Glascott, 1893): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Furcularia megalocephala Glascott, 1893

Cephalodella megalotrocha Wiszniewski, 1934: NEO, PAL

Cephalodella melia Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella mineri Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella minora Wulfert, 1960: PAL

Cephalodella mira Myers, 1934: NEA, NEO, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella nidicola Bērziņš, 1976

Cephalodella misgurnus Wulfert, 1937: AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cephalodella monica Koste & Tobias, 1998: AFR

Cephalodella montana Myers, 1942: NEA

Cephalodella mucosa Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella mucronata Myers, 1924: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cephalodella mus Wulfert, 1956: PAL

Cephalodella nana Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Cephalodella nelitis Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella obesa Donner, 1949: PAL

Cephalodella obvia Donner, 1950: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella oxydactyla Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Cephalodella pachydactyla Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella nodosa Wulfert, 1937

Cephalodella pachyodon Wulfert, 1937: PAL

Cephalodella paggiae Koste & Robertson, 1983: NEO

Cephalodella panarista Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cephalodella papillosa Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella parasitica (Jennings, 1894): AUS, NEA, PAL

Pleurotrocha parasitica Jennings, 1894

Cephalodella paxi Wulfert, 1959: PAL

Cephalodella paxilla Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella pentaplax Wulfert, 1943: PAL

Cephalodella pheloma Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, PAL

Cephalodella physalis Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, PAL

Cephalodella planera Myers, 1940: NEA

Cephalodella plicata Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, PAL

Cephalodella poitera Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella praelonga Myers, 1934: NEA

Cephalodella psammophila Koch-Althaus, 1962: PAL

Cephalodella pseudeva Bērziņš, 1976: PAL

Cephalodella qionghaiensis Koste & Zhuge, 1998: ORI

Cephalodella reimanni Donner, 1950: PAL

Cephalodella retusa Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella rigida Donner, 1950: PAL

Cephalodella rostrum Reed, 1978: PAL

Cephalodella rotunda Wulfert, 1937

Cephalodella rotunda bryophila Pawłowski, 1938: ANT, PAC, PAL

Cephalodella rotunda rotunda Wulfert, 1937: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella segersi De Smet, 1998: PAL

Cephalodella somniculosa Margalef, 1948: PAL

Cephalodella songkhlaensis Segers & Pholpunthin, 1997: ORI

Cephalodella speciosa Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella stenroosi Wulfert, 1937: NEO, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella bertonicensis Manfredi, 1927

Syn.: Cephalodella deformis Donner, 1950

Syn.: Cephalodella var. austriaca Donner, 1978

Cephalodella sterea (Gosse, 1887): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (Morphologically variable and complex taxon. Includes the infrasubspecific variants *mutata*, *minor*, *dentata* Donner, 1950; and f. nov. Donner,

1964)

Furcularia sterea Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Cephalodella sterea exoculis Bērziņš, 1976

Syn.: Cephalodella serrata Wulfert, 1937

Cephalodella strigosa Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella subsecunda Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella tachyphora Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella tantilla Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Cephalodella galbina Myers, 1924

Syn.: Cephalodella sabulosa Myers, 1942

Cephalodella tantilloides Hauer, 1935: AUS, PAL

Cephalodella tecta Donner, 1950: PAL

Cephalodella tempesta Wulfert, 1956: PAL

Cephalodella tenuior (Gosse, 1886): ANT, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant pigmentata Wulfert, 1951)

Diaschiza tenuior Gosse, 1886

Cephalodella tenuis Koch-Althaus, 1962: PAL

Cephalodella tenuiseta (Burn, 1890): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Furcularia tenuiseta Burn, 1890

Syn.: Cephalodella tenuiseta simplex Bērziņš, 1976

Cephalodella theodora Koch-Althaus, 1961: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella tinca Wulfert, 1937: AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant conspicual Donner, 1950)

Cephalodella tincaformis Koste, 1992: NEO

Cephalodella trigona (Rousselet, 1895): PAL

Diplois trigona Rousselet, 1895

Syn.: Furcularia leptodactyla Hauer, 1922

Syn.: Diplois sculpturata Daday, 1897

Cephalodella unguitata Hauer, 1935: PAL

Cephalodella vacuna Myers, 1924: NEA

Cephalodella ventripes (Dixon-Nuttall, 1901): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant angustior Donner, 1950)

Diaschiza ventripes Dixon-Nuttall, 1901

Cephalodella vitella Wulfert, 1956: PAL

Cephalodella vittata Kutikova, 1985: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Cephalodella volvocicola (Zawadovsky, 1916): NEA, PAL

Diglena volvocicola Zawadovsky, 1916

Cephalodella wrighti Wulfert, 1960: PAL

Cephalodella xenica Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Cephalodella zeteta Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Ceratotrocha Bryce, 1910

Ceratotrocha cornigera (Bryce, 1893): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina cornigera Bryce, 1893

Ceratotrocha franzi Donner, 1949: PAL

Claria Kutikova, Markevich & Spiridonov, 1990

Claria segmentata Kutikova, Markevich & Spiridonov, 1990 (Endoparasitic in terrestrial Oligochaeta)

Collotheca Harring, 1913

Collotheca ambigua (Hudson, 1883): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Floscularia ambigua Hudson, 1883

Syn.: Floscularia algicola Hudson, 1886

Syn.: Floscularia minor Hudson, 1886 (proposed as ssp.)

Collotheca annulata (Hood, 1888): AFR, PAL

Floscularia annulata Hood, 1888

Syn.: Floscularia uniloba Wierzejski, 1893

Collotheca atrochoides (Wierzejski, 1893): NEA, NEO, PAL

Floscularia atrochoides Wierzejski, 1893

Collotheca balatonica Varga, 1936: PAL

Collotheca bilfingeri Bērziņš, 1951: PAL

Syn.: Floscularia calva Bilfinger, 1894 (non Hudson (1885))

Collotheca bulbosa Bērziņš, 1951: PAL

Collotheca calva (Hudson, 1885): NEO, PAL

Floscularia calva Hudson, 1885

Collotheca campanulata (Dobie, 1849): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Floscularia campanulata Dobie, 1849

Syn.: Collotheca gracilipes Edmondson, 1939 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. cam-panulata*)

Syn.: Floscularia longicaudata Hudson, 1883 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. cam-panulata*)

Collotheca coronetta (Cubitt, 1869): AFR, AUS, NEO, PAL

Floscularia coronetta Cubitt, 1869

Syn.: *Collotheca coronetta weberi* Summerfield-Wright, 1961 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. coronetta*)

Syn.: Stephanoceros horatii Cubitt, 1871

Syn.: Floscularia longilobata Bartsch, 1877

Collotheca crateriformis Offord, 1934: PAL

Collotheca cucullata (Hood, 1894): PAL

Floscularia cucullata Hood, 1894

Collotheca cucullata cucullata (Hood, 1894)

Floscularia cucullata cucullata Hood, 1894

Collotheca cucullata smolandica Bērziņš, 1951: PAL

Collotheca discophora (Skorikov, 1903): PAL

Floscularia discophora Skorikov, 1903

Collotheca edentata (Collins, 1872): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Floscularia edentata Collins, 1872

Syn.: Collotheca breviciliata Bērziņš, 1951 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of C. edentata)

Collotheca edmondsoni Bērziņš, 1951: PAL

Collotheca epizootica (Monard, 1922): PAL

Floscularia epizootica Monard, 1922

Collotheca evansonii (Anderson & Shephard, 1892): AUS

Floscularia evansonii Anderson & Shephard, 1892

Collotheca ferox (Penard, 1914): PAC, PAL

Floscularia ferox Penard, 1914

Collotheca gossei (Hood, 1892): PAL

Floscularia gossei Hood, 1892

Collotheca heptabrachiata (Schoch, 1869): AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Floscularia heptabrachiata Schoch, 1869

Syn.: Floscularia diadema Petr, 1890 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of C. heptabrachiata)

Syn.: Floscularia regalis Hudson, 1883

Collotheca hoodi (Hudson, 1883): NEA, PAL

Floscularia hoodi Hudson, 1883

Collotheca judayi Edmondson, 1940: NEA, NEO

Collotheca lettevalli Bērziņš, 1976: PAL

Collotheca libera (Zacharias, 1894): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Floscularia libera Zacharias, 1894

Collotheca minuta (Milne, 1905): AFR, PAL

Floscularia minuta Milne, 1905

Collotheca monoceros (Zacharias, 1912): PAL

Floscularia monoceros Zacharias, 1912

Collotheca moselii (Milne, 1905): AFR, PAL

Floscularia moselii Milne, 1905

Collotheca mutabilis (Hudson, 1885): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Floscularia mutabilis Hudson, 1885

Collotheca ornata (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Floscularia ornata Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Floscularia appendiculata Leydig, 1854 (synonym of C. ornata f. cornuta)

Syn.: Floscularia cornuta Dobie, 1849 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of C. ornata)

Syn.: Floscularia cyclops Cubitt, 1871 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of C. ornata)

Syn.: Floscularia mira Hudson, 1885

Syn.: *Floscularia ornata natans* Tschugunoff, 1921 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. ornata*)

Syn.: Floscularia pentacornis Costa, 1838

Syn.: *Collotheca volutata* Sebestyén & Varga, 1950 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. ornata*)

Collotheca pelagica (Rousselet, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Floscularia pelagica Rousselet, 1893

Syn.: Collotheca liepetterseni Bērziņš, 1951 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of C. pelagica)

Syn.: *Collotheca tubiformis* Nipkow, 1961 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. pelagica*) *Collotheca polyphema* Harring, 1914: NEA, NEO

Collotheca quadrilobata (Hood, 1892): PAL

Floscularia quadrilobata Hood, 1892

Collotheca quadrinodosa Summerfield-Wright, 1961: PAL

Syn.: *Collotheca bjoerki* Bērziņš, 1975 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. quadrinodosa*, as var. *bicornuta* Koste, 1978)

Collotheca rasmae Bērziņš, 1951: PAL

Collotheca riverai Vilaclara & Sládeček, 1989: NEA

Collotheca sessilis (Milne, 1905): AFR, PAL

Floscularia sessilis Milne, 1905

Collotheca spinata (Hood, 1893): PAL

Floscularia spinata Hood, 1893

Collotheca stephanochaeta Edmondson, 1936: NEA, PAL

Collotheca tenuilobata (Anderson, 1889): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Floscularia tenuilobata Anderson, 1889

Syn.: Collotheca corynetis Edmondson, 1939

Collotheca thunmarki Bērziņš, 1951: PAL

Collotheca torquilobata (Thorpe, 1891): PAL

Floscularia torquilobata Thorpe, 1891

Collotheca trifidlobata (Pittock, 1895): PAL

Floscularia trifidlobata Pittock, 1895

Collotheca trilobata (Collins, 1872): AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Floscularia trilobata Collins, 1872

Syn.: Floscularia trifolium Hudson, 1881

Syn.: Floscularia uniloba Wierzejski, 1893

Collotheca undulata Sládeček, 1968: PAL

Collotheca vargai Nogrady, 1976: NEA

Collotheca wiszniewskii Varga, 1938: PAL

Syn.: *Collotheca wiszniewskii venusta* Bērziņš, 1951 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *C. wiszniewskii*)

Colurella Bory de St. Vincent, 1824

Colurus Ehrenberg, 1830

Colurella adriatica Ehrenberg, 1831: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variants *angusta* Donner, 1964; *lata* Donner, 1964 and α, β, γ Hauer (1924), marine and brackish water)

Syn.: Monura bartonia Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Colurus caudatus Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Monura dulcis Ehrenberg, 1838

Syn.: Colurus leptus Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Colurus navalis Lord, 1884

Colurella anodonta Carlin, 1939: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Colurella aquaeducti Török, 1956: PAL

Colurella collaris Wulfert, 1965: AFR

Colurella colurus (Ehrenberg, 1830)

Monura colurus Ehrenberg, 1830

Colurella colurus (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Syn.: Colurus amblytelus Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Colurus grallator Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Monura loncheres Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Colurella longidigita Mola, 1930

Syn.: Colurus rotundatus Daday, 1890

Colurella colurus compressa (Lucks, 1912): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Colurus compressus Lucks, 1912

Colurella denticauda Carlin, 1939: NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Colurella dicentra (Gosse, 1887): NEA, NEO, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Colurus dicentrus Gosse, 1887

Colurella geophila Donner, 1951: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (taxonomic status uncertain; includes the infrasubspecific variants gracilis Althaus, 1957; halensis Althaus, 1957; limnetica Althaus, 1957)

Syn.: Colurella gracilis Althaus, 1957 (non Hilgendorf (1899))

Syn.: Colurella subtilis Althaus, 1957

Colurella halophila Wulfert, 1942: PAL

Colurella hindenburgi Steinecke, 1917: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Colurella gastracantha Hauer, 1924 (synonym mostly considered an infrasubspecific variant of the nominal taxon; confuse taxonomy)

Colurella marinovi Althaus, 1957 (marine)

Colurella mucronulata Ahlstrom, 1938: NEA

Colurella oblonga Donner, 1943: PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant glabra Klement, 1959 of unclear taxonomic status)

Colurella obtusa (Gosse, 1886) (taxonomic status uncertain; includes the infrasubspecific variants aperta Hauer, 1936; clausa Hauer, 1936; oxicauda Carlin, 1939)

Colurus obtusus Gosse, 1886

Colurella obtusa colpotum Bērziņš, 1982: AFR

Colurella obtusa obtusa (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Colurella paludosa Carlin, 1939: NEA, PAL

Colurella psammophila Segers & Chittapun, 2001: ORI

Colurella salina Althaus, 1957: ANT, AUS, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Colurella sanoamuangae Chittapun, Pholpunthin & Segers, 1999: ORI

Colurella sinistra Carlin, 1939: AFR, NEA, ORI, PAL

Colurella sulcata (Stenroos, 1898): AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Metopidia sulcata Stenroos, 1898

Colurella tesselata (Glascott, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Colurus tesselatus Glascott, 1893

Colurella uncinata (Müller, 1773)

Brachionus uncinatus Müller, 1773

Colurella uncinata bicuspidata (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Colurus bicuspidatus Ehrenberg, 1832

Colurella uncinata deflexa (Ehrenberg, 1834): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Colurus deflexus Ehrenberg, 1834

Colurella uncinata ornata Fadeew, 1927: AFR, PAL

Colurella uncinata uncinata (Müller, 1773): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Colurus dumnonius* Gosse, 1887 Syn.: *Monura micromela* Gosse, 1887

Colurella unicauda Eriksen, 1968: PAL (marine and brackish water)

Conochilopsis Segers & Wallace, 2001¹

Conochilopsis causeyae (Vidrine, McLaughlin & Willis, 1985): AUS, NEA Lacinularia causeyae Vidrine, McLaughlin & Willis, 1985

Conochilus Ehrenberg, 1834

subgenus Conochiloides Hlava, 1904

Conochilus (Conochiloides) coenobasis (Skorikov, 1914): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Conochiloides coenobasis Skorikov, 1914

Conochilus (Conochiloides) deltaicus (Rudescu, 1960) (species inquirenda)

Conochiloides deltaicus Rudescu, 1960

Conochilus (Conochiloides) dossuarius Hudson, 1885: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Conochilus (Conochiloides) exiguus Ahlstrom, 1938: NEA

Conochilus (Conochiloides) natans (Seligo, 1900): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Tubicularia natans Seligo, 1900

subgenus Conochilus Ehrenberg, 1834

Conochilus (Conochilus) hippocrepis (Schrank, 1803): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Linza hippocrepis Schrank, 1803

Syn.: Conochilus volvox Ehrenberg, 1834

Conochilus (Conochilus) unicornis Rousselet, 1892: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Conochilus leptopus Forbes, 1893

Syn.: Conochilus limneticus Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Conochilus norvegicus Burckhardt, 1943 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of C. unicornis)

Cupelopagis Forbes, 1882

Apsilus Metchnikov, 1866 non Cuvier & Valenciennes, 1830 Dictyophora Leidy, 1857 non Germar, 1883

Cupelopagis vorax (Leidy, 1857): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dictyophora vorax Leidy, 1857

Syn.: Cupelopagis bucinedax Forbes, 1882

Syn.: Apsilus lentiformis Metchnikov, 1866

^{1.} Segers & Wallace contains a reference as if it were published in 2000. However, the actual date of publication is January, 2001.

Cyrtonia Rousselet, 1894

Cyrtonia tuba (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL Notommata tuba Ehrenberg, 1834

Dicranophoroides De Smet, 1997

Dicranophoroides australiensis (Koste & Shiel, 1980): AUS

Dicranophorus australiensis Koste & Shiel, 1980

Dicranophoroides caudatus (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diglena caudatus Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Diglena biraphis Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Dicranophorus caudatus braziliensis Koste, 1972

Dicranophoroides claviger (Hauer, 1965): AFR, NEO, ORI

Itura claviger Hauer, 1965

Dicranophoroides venezueliensis (Pourriot & Zoppi de Roa, 1981): AFR, NEO

Dicranophorus venezueliensis Pourriot & Zoppi de Roa, 1981

Dicranophorus Nitzsch, 1827

Dicranophorus alcimus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Dicranophorus artamus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Dicranophorus lepsii Rodewald, 1935

Dicranophorus aspondus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus biastis Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Dicranophorus bulgaricus Althaus, 1957 (marine psammon)

Dicranophorus cambari Wulfert, 1957: PAL

Dicranophorus capucinus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Dicranophorus capucinoides Wiszniewski, 1932

Dicranophorus colastes Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus corystis Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus difflugiarum (Penard, 1914): PAL

Diglena difflugiarum Penard, 1914

Dicranophorus dolerus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, ORI

Dicranophorus edestes Harring & Myers, 1928: AFR, NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus epicharis Harring & Myers, 1928: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dicranophorus esox Hauer, 1938: PAL

Dicranophorus facilis Kutikova, 1985: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Dicranophorus facinus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus forcipatus (Müller, 1786)

Cercaria forcipata Müller, 1786

Dicranophorus forcipatus forcipatus (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Notommata oculifera Zavadowski, 1926

Syn.: Dicranophorus remanei Wulfert, 1936

Dicranophorus forcipatus parvidentatus Bērziņš, 1982: AFR (Madagascar)

Dicranophorus grandis (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Diglena grandis Ehrenberg, 1832

Dicranophorus grypus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Dicranophorus halbachi Koste, 1981: AFR, AUS

Dicranophorus haueri Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus hauerianus Wiszniewski, 1939: AUS, NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus hercules Wiszniewski, 1932: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Syn.: Dicranophorus hercules adenta Wulfert, 1961

Syn.: Dicranophorus hercules intermedia Wiszniewski, 1934

Syn.: Dicranophorus novemdentatus Neiswestnowa-Shadina, 1935

Dicranophorus isothes Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus kostei Pourriot & Zoppi de Roa, 1981: NEO

Dicranophorus lenapensis Myers, 1938: NEA

Dicranophorus leptodon Wiszniewski, 1934: PAL

Dicranophorus liepolti Donner, 1964: PAL

Dicranophorus luetkeni (Bergendal, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Arthroglena luetkeni Bergendal, 1892

Dicranophorus mesotis Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Dicranophorus minutes Myers, 1937: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus myriophylli (Harring, 1913): NEA, ORI

Encentrum myriophylli Harring, 1913

Dicranophorus pauliani Bērziņš, 1982: AFR (Madagascar)

Dicranophorus pennatus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Dicranophorus ponerus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus prionacis Harring & Myers, 1928: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dicranophorus proclestes Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus riparius Kutikova, 1985: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Dicranophorus robustus Harring & Myers, 1928: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Dicranophorus robustus minor Bērziņš, 1949

Dicranophorus rostratus (Dixon-Nuttall & Freeman, 1902): NEA, NEO, PAL

Diglena rostrata Dixon-Nuttall & Freeman, 1902

Syn.: Dicranophorus cernuus Harring & Myers, 1928

Dicranophorus saevus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus scotius Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus sebastus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, NEO

Dicranophorus secretus Donner, 1951: AFR, PAL

Dicranophorus semnus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus siedleckii Wiszniewski, 1953: PAL

Dicranophorus sigmoides Wulfert, 1950: PAL

Dicranophorus spiculatus Myers, 1938: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus strigosus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Dicranophorus stultus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Dicranophorus tegillus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, ORI

Dicranophorus thysanus Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Didymodactylos Milne, 1916

Didymodactylos carnosus Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS, PAL

Dipleuchlanis de Beauchamp, 1910

Dipleuchlanis elegans (Wierzejski, 1893): AUS, NEO, PAL
Euchlanis elegans Wierzejski, 1893
Dipleuchlanis ornata Segers, 1993: AFR, AUS, ORI
Dipleuchlanis propatula (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL
Diplois propatula Gosse, 1886

Diplois Gosse, 1886 (genus inquirendus)

Diplois daviesiae Gosse, 1886 (species inquirenda)

Syn.: Diplois phlegraea Iroso, 1910

Dissotrocha Bryce, 1910

Dissotrocha aculeata (Ehrenberg, 1832)

Philodina aculeata Ehrenberg, 1832

Dissotrocha aculeata aculeata (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata crystallina (Murray, 1908): PAL

Philodina aculeata crystallina Murray, 1908

Dissotrocha aculeata decemcuspis Bērziņš, 1982: NEA

Dissotrocha aculeata didyma Bērzinš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata dukesi Russell, 1959: AUS

Dissotrocha aculeata ecksteini Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata gossei Bērziņš, 1982 (No locality given)

Dissotrocha aculeata hebes Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata inserta Bērziņš, 1982: NEO, PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata markmani Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata medioaculeata (Janson, 1893): AFR, NEA, PAL

Philodina aculeata medioaculeata Janson, 1893

Dissotrocha aculeata milnei Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata multicollis Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata multiplicans Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata murrayi Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata octobullata Hauer, 1958: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata octocollis Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata quadricarinata Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata quadrispinosa Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata rachis Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata repanda Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata reversa Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata serangodes Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha aculeata simplex Bērziņš, 1982: PAL

Dissotrocha bjoerki Bērziņš, 1982: NEO

Dissotrocha decembullata Koste, 1996: AFR, NEO

Dissotrocha guyanensis Rougier & Pourriot, 2006: NEO

Dissotrocha hertzogi Hauer, 1939

Dissotrocha kostei Segers, 2007

Syn.: Dissotrocha hertzogi aculeata Koste, 1996

Dissotrocha macrostyla (Ehrenberg, 1838)

Philodina macrostyla Ehrenberg, 1838

Dissotrocha macrostyla macrostyla (Ehrenberg, 1838): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Philodina pannosa Bailey, 1851

Dissotrocha macrostyla tuberculata (Gosse, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Philodina macrostyla tuberculata Gosse, 1886

Dissotrocha pectinata Murray, 1911: AFR

Dissotrocha schlienzi Hauer, 1956: NEO

Dissotrocha scutellata Bartoš, 1950: PAL

Dissotrocha spinosa (Bryce, 1892): AFR, PAL

Callidina spinosa Bryce, 1892

Donneria De Smet, 2003

Donneria sudzukii (Donner, 1968): NEA, PAL Paradicranophorus sudzukii Donner, 1968

Dorria Myers, 1933

Dorria dalecarlica Myers, 1933: AUS, NEA, PAC

Dorystoma Harring & Myers, 1922

Dorystoma caudata (Bilfinger, 1894): AUS, NEA, PAL

Proales caudata Bilfinger, 1894

Dorystoma furcata Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Drilophaga Vejdovsky, 1883

Drilophaga bucephalus Vejdovsky, 1883: PAL (ectoparasitic on oligochaetes)

Drilophaga delagei de Beauchamp, 1904: PAL (ectoparasitic on oligochaetes)

Drilophaga judayi Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA, PAL (ectoparasitic on oligochaetes)

Elosa Lord, 1891

Elosa spinifera Wiszniewski, 1932: ORI, PAL (occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *E. worrallii*)

Elosa worrallii Lord, 1891: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Embata Bryce, 1910

Embata commensalis (Western, 1893): NEA, PAL

Philodina commensalis Western, 1893

Embata hamata (Murray, 1906): AUS, PAL

Philodina hamata Murray, 1906

Embata laticeps (Murray, 1905): NEA, ORI, PAL

Philodina laticeps Murray, 1905

Embata laticornis (Murray, 1905): NEA, PAL

Philodina laticornis Murray, 1905

Embata parasitica (Giglioli, 1863): NEA, PAL

Callidina parasitica Giglioli, 1863

Encentrum Ehrenberg, 1838

Encentrum acrodon Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum algente Harring, 1921: NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Encentrum alpinum Jersabek, 1999: PAL

Encentrum aquilus (Gosse, 1887): NEA, PAL

Diglena aquila Gosse, 1887

Encentrum arenarium Althaus, 1957 (marine psammon)

Encentrum arvicola Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum asellicola (Bartoš, 1947): PAL

Proales asellicola Bartoš, 1947

Encentrum astridae Sørensen, 2001 (marine psammon)

Encentrum axi Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Encentrum barti De Smet, 2000 (marine)

Encentrum belluinum Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Encentrum bidentatum (Lie-Pettersen, 1906): PAL (marine and brackish water)

Pleurotrocha bidentata Lie-Pettersen, 1906

Syn.: Encentrum linnhei Scott, 1974

Encentrum boreale Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Encentrum brevifulcrum Dartnall, 1997: ANT

Encentrum caratum Myers, 1933: NEA

Encentrum carlini Myers, 1940: NEA

Encentrum cruentum Harring & Myers, 1928 (marine)

Encentrum desmeti Jersabek, 1999: PAL

Encentrum dieteri De Smet, 1995 (marine)

Encentrum diglandula (Zawadovsky, 1926): AUS, ORI, PAL

Proales diglandula Zawadovsky, 1926

Encentrum elongatum Harring & Myers, 1928: AUS, NEA, PAL

Encentrum enteromorphae Otto, 1936 (marine)

Encentrum eristes Harring & Myers, 1928 (marine)

Encentrum eulitorale Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine psammon)

Encentrum eurycephalum Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum felis (Müller, 1773): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Vorticella felis Müller, 1773

Encentrum flexile Godske Eriksen, 1968: PAL (brackish water)

Encentrum fluviatile Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Encentrum forcipatum Dartnall, 1997: ANT

Encentrum frenoti De Smet, 2002 (marine)

Encentrum gibbosum Wulfert, 1936: AUS, PAL

Encentrum glaucum Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum goldschmidi Jersabek, 1999: PAL

Encentrum graingeri Chengalath, 1985 (marine)

Encentrum gulo Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum hofsteni (de Beauchamp, 1913): PAL

Diglena hofsteni de Beauchamp, 1913

Encentrum incisum Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum insolitum Myers, 1936: NEA

Encentrum kostei Tzschaschel, 1978 (marine psammon)

Encentrum kozminskii Wiszniewski, 1948: PAL

Encentrum kulmatyckii Wiszniewski, 1953

Syn.: Encentrum grande De Smet, 1997 (non Western (1891))

Encentrum kutikovae De Smet & Chernyshev, 2006 (marine psammon)

Encentrum lacidum Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA (brackish water)

Encentrum limicola Otto, 1936 (marine)

Encentrum listense Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine psammon)

Encentrum listensoides De Smet, 2000 (marine)

Encentrum longidens Donner, 1943: ORI, PAL

Encentrum longipes Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum longirostrum Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine psammon)

Encentrum lupus Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum lutra Wulfert, 1936: NEA, PAL

Encentrum mariae Koniar, 1957: PAL

Encentrum marinum (Dujardin, 1841): NEA, PAL (marine, brackish and freshwater)

Furcularia marina Dujardin, 1841

Encentrum martes Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Encentrum martoides Fott, 1960: PAL

Encentrum matthesi Remane, 1949 (marine psammon)

Encentrum minax Donner, 1943: PAL

Encentrum moldavicum Sládeček, 1961: PAL

Encentrum mucronatum Wulfert, 1936: NEA, PAL

Encentrum murrayi Bryce, 1922: PAL

Encentrum mustela (Milne, 1885): AFR, ANT, PAL

Pleurotrocha mustela Milne, 1885

Encentrum myersi Wulfert, 1936: PAL (brackish water)

Encentrum nesites Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA (marine and freshwater)

Encentrum nikor (Pawłowski, 1938): PAL

Dicranophorus nikor Pawłowski, 1938

Encentrum obesum Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Encentrum oculatum Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL (brackish water)

Encentrum orthodactylum Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum otois Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL

Encentrum oxyodon Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum pachypus Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum parime Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Encentrum parvum Donner, 1952: PAL

Encentrum permolle (Gosse, 1886): NEA, PAL

Diglena permollis Gosse, 1886

Encentrum permutandum Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Encentrum pornsilpi Segers & Chittapun, 2001: ORI

Encentrum porsildi Sørensen, 1998 (marine)

Encentrum psammophilum Althaus, 1957 (marine psammon)

Encentrum putorius Wulfert, 1936: AUS, NEA, PAL

Syn.: Encentrum putorius armatum Donner, 1943

Encentrum rapax Donner, 1943: PAL

Encentrum remanei Voigt, 1957 (marine psammon)

Syn.: Encentrum pachypus Remane, 1949 (non Wulfert (1936))

Encentrum rousseleti (Lie-Pettersen, 1905): PAL (marine and brackish water)

Diglena rousseleti Lie-Pettersen, 1905

Encentrum sacculiforme Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine psammon)

Encentrum salinum Dartnall, 1997: ANT

Encentrum salsum Myers, 1936: NEA (brackish water)

Encentrum saundersiae (Hudson, 1885): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Taphrocampa saundersiae Hudson, 1885

Encentrum semiplicatum Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum simillimum Remane, 1929 (marine psammon)

Encentrum sorex Wulfert, 1950: PAC, PAL

Encentrum spatiatum Wulfert, 1936: PAL (brackish and freshwater)

Encentrum spinosum Koch-Althaus, 1962: PAL

Encentrum stechlinense Koch-Althaus, 1962: PAL

Encentrum striatum Althaus, 1957 (marine psammon)

Encentrum sutor Wiszniewski, 1936: NEA, PAL

Encentrum sutoroides Wulfert, 1940: PAL

Encentrum tectipes Remane, 1949 (marine psammon)

Encentrum tenuidigitatum De Smet, 2000 (marine psammon)

Encentrum tobyhannaense Myers, 1940: NEA, PAL

Encentrum torvitoides (Smirnov, 1930): PAL

Dicranophorus torvitoides Smirnov, 1930

Encentrum torvitum (Harring & Myers, 1928): NEA

Dicranophorus torvitus Harring & Myers, 1928

Encentrum tyrphos Wulfert, 1936: NEA, PAL

Encentrum umbonatum Kutikova, 1985 (Baikal endemic)

Encentrum uncinatum (Milne, 1886): AFR, ANT, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diglena uncinata Milne, 1886

Encentrum ussuriensis De Smet & Chernyshev, 2006 (marine psammon)

Encentrum valkanovi Althaus, 1957 (marine psammon)

Encentrum villosum Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Encentrum voigti Wulfert, 1936: PAL

Encentrum walterkostei Jersabek, 1994: PAL

Encentrum wiszniewskii Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Encentrum zetetum Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Enteroplea Ehrenberg, 1830

Enteroplea lacustris Ehrenberg, 1830: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Eosphora Ehrenberg, 1830

Eosphora anthadis Harring & Myers, 1922: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Eosphora ehrenbergi Weber & Montet, 1918: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Notommata najas Ehrenberg, 1832

Eosphora gibba Garner, 1937: PAL

Eosphora najas Ehrenberg, 1830: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Eosphora therina Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Eosphora thoa Harring & Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Eosphora thoides Wulfert, 1935: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Eothinia Harring & Myers, 1922

Eothinia argus Harring & Myers, 1924: NEA

Eothinia carogaensis Myers, 1937: NEA

Eothinia elongata (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Eosphora elongata Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Eothinia elongata macra Bērziņš, 1949

Syn.: Eothinia lamellata Bērziņš, 1949

Eothinia eukolpa Myers, 1940: NEA

Eothinia poitera Myers, 1933: NEA

Eothinia triphaea Harring & Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Eothinia lasiobiotica Bērziņš, 1949

Epiphanes Ehrenberg, 1832

Hydatina Ehrenberg, 1830 (non Schumacher (1817))

Epiphanes brachionus (Ehrenberg, 1837)

Notommata brachionus Ehrenberg, 1837

Epiphanes brachionus brachionus (Ehrenberg, 1837): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Epiphanes brachionus spinosa (Rousselet, 1901): AFR, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notops brachionus spinosa Rousselet, 1901

Syn.: Brachionus inermispinosus De Smet, 1989

Epiphanes clavulata (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata clavulata Ehrenberg, 1832

Epiphanes desmeti Rougier & Pourriot, 2006 (species inquirenda)

Epiphanes macroura (Barrois & Daday, 1894): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notops macrourus Barrois & Daday, 1894

Syn.: Notops mollis Hempel, 1896

Epiphanes pelagica (Jennings, 1900): NEA, PAL

Notops pelagicus Jennings, 1900

Epiphanes senta (Müller, 1773): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Vorticella senta Müller, 1773

Syn.: Enteroplea hydatina Ehrenberg, 1831

Syn.: Hydatina macragnatha Schmarda, 1859

Syn.: Hydatina monops Hilgendorf, 1899

Syn.: Hydatina oblonga Daday, 1908

Erignatha Harring & Myers, 1922

Erignatha capula Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Erignatha clastopis (Gosse, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Diglena clastopis Gosse, 1886

Erignatha longidentata Sørensen, 2001: PAL (brackish water)

Erignatha sagitta Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Erignatha sagittoides Wiszniewski, 1935: PAL

Erignatha tenuidens (de Beauchamp, 1913): PAL

Diglena tenuidens de Beauchamp, 1913

Euchlanis Ehrenberg, 1832

Dapidia Gosse, 1887

Euchlanis alata Voronkov, 1912: AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Euchlanis arenosa Myers, 1936: NEA

Euchlanis callimorpha Bērziņš, 1957: AFR

Euchlanis callysta Myers, 1930: NEA

Euchlanis calpidia Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Euchlanis contorta (Wulfert, 1939): PAL

Dapidia contorta Wulfert, 1939

Euchlanis dactyliseta Sudzuki, 1998 (species inquirenda)

Euchlanis dapidula Parise, 1966: PAL

Euchlanis deflexa (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dapidia deflexa Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Euchlanis calpidia Myers, 1930

Euchlanis dilatata Ehrenberg, 1832

Euchlanis dilatata dilatata Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Euchlanis hipposideros Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Euchlanis uniseta Leydig, 1854

Euchlanis dilatata lucksiana Hauer, 1930: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Euchlanis dilatata crassa Myers, 1938

Euchlanis hyphidactyla Parise, 1963: NEA, PAL

Euchlanis incisa Carlin, 1939: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant mucronata Ahlstrom, 1934)

Euchlanis ligulata Kutikova & Vassileva, 1982: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Euchlanis lyra Hudson, 1886: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO

Syn.: Euchlanis myersi Kutikova, 1959

Euchlanis mamorokaensis Bērziņš, 1973 (species inquirenda)

Euchlanis meneta Myers, 1930: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Euchlanis proxima Myers, 1930

Euchlanis mikropous Koch-Althaus, 1962: PAL

Euchlanis oropha Gosse, 1887: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Euchlanis parva Rousselet, 1892

Euchlanis parameneta Bērziņš, 1973 (species inquirenda)

Euchlanis perpusilla De Ridder, 1977 (species inquirenda)

Euchlanis phryne Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA

Euchlanis pyriformis Gosse, 1851: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Euchlanis semicarinata Segers, 1993: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Euchlanis triquetra Ehrenberg, 1838: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Euchlanis brahmae Dhanapathi, 1976

Syn.: Dapidia carinata Carlin-Nilson, 1934

Syn.: Dapidia lata Carlin-Nilson, 1934

Syn.: Euchlanis longobardica Manfredi, 1927

Syn.: Euchlanis pellucida Harring, 1921

Syn.: Euchlanis triquetra pterigoidea Grese, 1955

Filinia Bory de St. Vincent, 1824

Fadeewella Smirnov, 1928 Parafilinia Sudzuki, 1989 Tetramastix Zacharias, 1898 Triarthra Ehrenberg, 1832

Filinia australiensis Koste, 1980: AFR, AUS

Filinia brachiata (Rousselet, 1901): AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Triarthra brachiata Rousselet, 1901

Syn.: Filinia aseta Fadeew, 1925

Filinia camasecla Myers, 1938: ORI (Single Neotropical record from Panama; introduction?)

Syn.: Filinia camasecla cambodgensis Bērziņš, 1973

Filinia cornuta (Weisse, 1847): AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Triarthra cornuta Weisse, 1847

Syn.: Triarthra breviseta Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Triarthra breviseta monoarthra Sokolova, 1922

Filinia grandis Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS

Filinia hofmanni Koste, 1980: PAL

Filinia limnetica (Zacharias, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Triarthra limnetica Zacharias, 1893

Syn.: Triarthra tranites Skorikov, 1896

Filinia longiseta (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (Records of F. longiseta from

hypolimnetic conditions may be F. hofmanni)

Triarthra longiseta Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Filinia longiseta intermedia Buchholz, 1952

Syn.: Filinia longiseta minor Evans, 1949

Filinia minuta (Smirnov, 1928): PAL

Fadeewella minuta Smirnov, 1928

Syn.: Fadeewella nipponensis Sudzuki, 1975

Filinia novaezealandiae Shiel & Sanoamuang, 1993: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI

Filinia opoliensis (Zacharias, 1898): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Tetramastix opoliensis Zacharias, 1898

Syn.: Tetramastix taiwanensis Harada, 1937

Filinia passa (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Brachionus passus Müller, 1786

Syn.: Filinia muelleri Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Syn.: Triarthra mystacina Ehrenberg, 1832

Filinia pejleri Hutchinson, 1964: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Filinia terminalis kergueleniensis Lair & Koste, 1984

Filinia saltator (Gosse, 1886): AFR, NEO, PAL

Pedetes saltator Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Filinia longiseta var. acaudata Hauer, 1953

Filinia terminalis (Plate, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant

baikalensis Eggert, 1973. Warm-water records of F. terminalis may be F. novaezealandiae)

Triarthra terminalis Plate, 1886

Syn.: Triarthra maior Colditz, 1924

Floscularia Cuvier, 1798

Floscularia armata Segers, 1997: NEA, ORI

Floscularia bifida Segers, 1997: NEA

Floscularia conifera (Hudson, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Melicerta conifera Hudson, 1886

Floscularia curvicornis Rougier & Pourriot, 2006 (species inquirenda)

Floscularia decora Edmondson, 1940: NEO, ORI

Floscularia janus (Hudson, 1881): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Oecistes janus Hudson, 1881

Syn.: Melicerta flocculosa Kellicott, 1896

Floscularia melicerta (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lacinularia melicerta Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Tubicolaria najas Ehrenberg, 1838

Syn.: Melicerta tubicolaria Hudson & Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Melicerta tyro Hudson, 1875

Floscularia noodti Koste, 1972: NEO

Floscularia pedunculata (Joliet, 1883): NEA, PAL

Melicerta pedunculata Joliet, 1883

Floscularia ringens (Linnaeus, 1758): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Serpula ringens Linnaeus, 1758

Syn.: *Rotifer quadricircularis* Dutrochet, 1812 Syn.: *Tubicolaria quadriloba* Lamarck, 1816

Syn.: Tubicolaria quadrilobata Blainville, 1828

Syn.: *Tubicolaria tetrapetala* Cuvier, 1817

Syn.: Brachionus tubifex Pallas, 1766

Gastropus Imhof, 1898

Postclausa Hilgendorf, 1899

Gastropus hyptopus (Ehrenberg, 1838): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata hyptopus Ehrenberg, 1838

Syn.: Gastropus bretensis Linder, 1904

Gastropus minor (Rousselet, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notops minor Rousselet, 1892

Syn.: Postclausa cricularis Hilgendorf, 1899

Syn.: Notops fennicus Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Postclausa minuta Hilgendorf, 1899

Syn.: Hypopus ritenbenki Bergendal, 1892

Gastropus stylifer (Imhof, 1891): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Notops stylifer Imhof, 1891

Syn.: Sacculus orbicularis Kellicott, 1897

Syn.: Hudsonella picta Zacharias, 1893

Syn.: Hudsonella pygmaea Zacharias, 1894

Syn.: Notops pygmaeus Calman, 1892

Syn.: Hudsonia ruber Hood, 1893

Glaciera Jersabek, 1999

Glaciera schabetsbergeri Jersabek, 1999: PAL

Habrotrocha Bryce, 1910

Habrotrocha acornis Murray, 1911: AFR, NEO

Habrotrocha alacris Milne, 1916: AFR

Habrotrocha amphichlaena De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha ampulla Murray, 1911: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Habrotrocha angularis (Murray, 1910): ANT

Callidina angularis Murray, 1910

Habrotrocha angusticollis (Murray, 1905)

Callidina angusticollis Murray, 1905

Habrotrocha angusticollis alterversa Koste, 1970: PAL

Habrotrocha angusticollis angusticollis (Murray, 1905): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Habrotrocha angusticollis attenuata (Murray, 1906): AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina angusticollis attenuata Murray, 1906

Habrotrocha angusticollis monteti De Koning, 1947: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha angusticollis reversa Bartoš, 1951: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha annulata (Murray, 1905): NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina annulata Murray, 1905

Habrotrocha appendiculata Murray, 1911: AFR, AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha aspera (Bryce, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Callidina aspera Bryce, 1892

Habrotrocha baradlana Varga, 1963: PAL

Habrotrocha bartosi Koniar, 1955: PAL

Habrotrocha bidens (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina bidens Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Habrotrocha milnei Bryce, 1922

Habrotrocha brocklehursti Murray, 1911: AFR, PAL

Habrotrocha bulbosa Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Habrotrocha calosa Wulfert, 1942: PAL

Habrotrocha caudata Murray, 1911: AFR, AUS, NEO, PAC

Habrotrocha collaris (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Philodina collaris Ehrenberg, 1832

Habrotrocha colliflectens Bartoš, 1944: PAL

Habrotrocha constricta (Dujardin, 1841): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Callidina constricta Dujardin, 1841

Habrotrocha crassa Donner, 1949: PAL

Habrotrocha crenata (Murray, 1905)

Callidina crenata Murray, 1905

Habrotrocha crenata crenata (Murray, 1905): ANT, AUS, PAL

Syn.: Mniobia scarlatina f. angulata Bartoš, 1938

Habrotrocha crenata sphagnicola Pawłowski, 1938: AFR, PAL

Syn.: Mniobia scarlatina f. rugosa Bartoš, 1938

Habrotrocha cucullata Murray, 1911: AFR, AUS

Habrotrocha cuneata Murray, 1913: NEO

Habrotrocha curva De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha curvicollis Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha diarthrantenna De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha elegans (Milne, 1886): PAL

Macrotrachela elegans Milne, 1886

Syn.: Callidina venusta Bryce, 1897

Habrotrocha elliptica Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Habrotrocha elusa Milne, 1916

Habrotrocha elusa elusa Milne, 1916: AFR, ANT, AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha elusa vegeta Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Habrotrocha eremita (Bryce, 1894): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina eremita Bryce, 1894

Habrotrocha filum Donner, 1949: NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha flava Bryce, 1915: AUS, NEA, PAL

Habrotrocha flaviformis De Koning, 1947: AUS, NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha flexicollis Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Habrotrocha fuhrmanni Heinis, 1913: NEO

Habrotrocha fusca (Bryce, 1894): AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina fusca Bryce, 1894

Habrotrocha fuscochlaena De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha gibbosa De Koning, 1947: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha gracilis Montet, 1915

Habrotrocha gracilis gracilis Montet, 1915: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha gracilis quadridens Schulte, 1954: PAL

Habrotrocha granulata De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha gulosa Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Habrotrocha heinisi Bartoš, 1951: NEO

Habrotrocha humilis Schulte, 1954: PAL

Habrotrocha incola Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha iners Milne, 1916: AFR

Habrotrocha insignis Bryce, 1915: AUS, PAL

Syn.: Habrotrocha proxima Donner, 1950

Habrotrocha komareki Bartoš, 1944: PAL

Habrotrocha lamellata Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha lata (Bryce, 1892)

Callidina lata Bryce, 1892

Habrotrocha lata lata (Bryce, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Habrotrocha lata lens Donner, 1965: PAL

Habrotrocha lata paxi Wulfert, 1941: PAL

Habrotrocha lata progonidia (Monard, 1918): PAL

Callidina progonidia Monard, 1918

Habrotrocha leitgebii (Zelinka, 1886): AUS, ORI, PAC, PAL

Callidina leitgebii Zelinka, 1886

Habrotrocha levis Donner, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha ligula Bryce, 1913

Habrotrocha ligula aligula Burger, 1948: AUS, NEA, PAL

Habrotrocha ligula ligula Bryce, 1913: AUS, NEA, PAL

Habrotrocha ligula loxoglotta De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha longicalcarata Bērziņš 1950: PAL

Habrotrocha longiceps (Murray, 1906): AFR, AUS, NEO, PAC, PAL

Callidina longiceps Murray, 1906

Habrotrocha longicollis Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Habrotrocha longula Bryce, 1915: PAL

Habrotrocha maculata Murray, 1911: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha mediocris Donner, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha megalocephala De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha microcephala (Murray, 1906): AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Callidina microcephala Murray, 1906

Habrotrocha minima De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha minuta (Murray, 1908): PAL

Callidina minuta Murray, 1908

Habrotrocha modesta Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Habrotrocha munda Bryce, 1913: AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Habrotrocha murrayi Bartoš, 1951: AFR

Habrotrocha nodosa Murray, 1911: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Habrotrocha nodulata De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha novemdens De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha parvipes Donner, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha pavida Bryce, 1915: NEA, PAL

Habrotrocha perforata (Murray, 1906)

Callidina perforata Murray, 1906

Habrotrocha perforata americana (Murray, 1907): NEO, ORI

Callidina perforata americana Murray, 1907

Habrotrocha perforata perforata (Murray, 1906): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Habrotrocha pertinax Milne, 1916: AFR

Habrotrocha placida Milne, 1916: AFR

Habrotrocha plana Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Habrotrocha porrecta Bērziņš, 1950: PAL

Habrotrocha praelonga De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha puella Donner, 1950

Habrotrocha puella excedens Donner, 1962: AFR, AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha puella puella Donner, 1950: AUS, NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha pulchra (Murray, 1905): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina pulchra Murray, 1905

Habrotrocha pusilla (Bryce, 1893)

Callidina pusilla Bryce, 1893

Habrotrocha pusilla nuda Donner, 1950: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha pusilla pusilla (Bryce, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Habrotrocha pusilla textrix (Bryce, 1897): AFR, PAL (incl. f. longilabris Donner, 1950; f. brevilabris Donner, 1950)

Callidina pusilla textrix Bryce, 1897

Habrotrocha quinquedens De Koning, 1947

Habrotrocha quinquedens doornensis De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha quinquedens quinquedens De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha rara Donner, 1949: NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha reclusa (Milne, 1889): AUS, NEA, PAL

Macrotrachela reclusa Milne, 1886

Habrotrocha recumbens Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Habrotrocha roeperi (Milne, 1889): NEA, PAL

Macrotrachela roeperi Milne, 1889

Habrotrocha rosa Donner, 1949: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha scabropyga Bartoš, 1958: PAL

Habrotrocha scepanotrochoides De Koning, 1947: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha schultei Donner, 1965: PAL

Habrotrocha serpens Donner, 1949: AFR, AUS, PAL

Syn.: Habrotrocha stenosoma Bartoš, 1949

Habrotrocha solida Donner, 1949: NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha solitaria Donner, 1949: PAL

Habrotrocha sollicita Donner, 1949: NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha soror Donner, 1950: NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha spicula Bryce, 1913: AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Mniobia cornuta Bartoš, 1938

Habrotrocha stenochlaena De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha stenostephana Schulte, 1954: AFR, PAL

Habrotrocha strangulata Murray, 1911: AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha subtilis Donner, 1965: PAL

Habrotrocha sylvestris Bryce, 1915: AUS, NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha thermalis Pax & Wulfert, 1942: PAL

Habrotrocha thienemanni Hauer, 1924

Habrotrocha thienemanni rubella Donner, 1951: PAL

Habrotrocha thienemanni thienemanni Hauer, 1924: PAL

Habrotrocha tranquilla Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha tridens (Milne, 1886)

Macrotrachela tridens Milne, 1886

Habrotrocha tridens globigera Donner, 1950: AFR, AUS, PAL

Habrotrocha tridens tridens (Milne, 1886): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Habrotrocha tridentata De Koning, 1947: PAL

Habrotrocha trilobata Bartoš, 1948: PAL

Habrotrocha tripus (Murray, 1907): AUS, NEO, PAL

Callidina tripus Murray, 1907

Habrotrocha valida Milne, 1916: AFR

Habrotrocha vicina Donner, 1980: NEO

Habrotrocha visa Donner, 1954: PAL

Harringia de Beauchamp, 1912

Harringia eupoda (Gosse, 1887): NEA, PAL

Asplanchna eupoda Gosse, 1887

Harringia rousseleti de Beauchamp, 1912: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Henoceros Milne, 1916

Henoceros caudatus Hauer, 1937: ORI

Henoceros falcatus (Milne, 1916): AFR, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monoceros falcatus Milne, 1916

Hexarthra Schmarda, 1854

Pedalia Barrois, 1878

Pedalion Hudson, 1871 non Swainson, 1839; non Solier, 1847; non Buckton, 1903

Hexarthra brandorffi Koste, 1977: NEA, NEO

Hexarthra bulgarica (Wiszniewski, 1933)

Pedalia bulgarica Wiszniewski, 1933

Hexarthra bulgarica bulgarica (Wiszniewski, 1933): AFR, PAL

Hexarthra bulgarica canadensis Dumont, Coussement & Anderson, 1978: NEA, PAL

Hexarthra bulgarica nepalensis Dumont, Coussement & Anderson, 1978: PAL

Hexarthra fennica (Levander, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Pedalia fennica Levander, 1892

Hexarthra intermedia (Wiszniewski, 1929)

Pedalia intermedia Wiszniewski, 1929

Hexarthra intermedia brasiliensis Hauer, 1953: AFR, NEO (braziliensis auct.)

Hexarthra intermedia intermedia (Wiszniewski, 1929): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Pedalia insulana Hauer, 1938

Hexarthra jenkinae (de Beauchamp, 1932): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Pedalia jenkinae de Beauchamp, 1932

Syn.: Pedalion libica Manfredi, 1939

Hexarthra longicornicula Turner, 1987: NEO

Hexarthra mira (Hudson, 1871): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Pedalion mira Hudson, 1871

Hexarthra mollis (Bartoš, 1948): PAL

Pedalia mollis Bartoš, 1948

Hexarthra oxyuris (Sernov, 1903): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Pedalion oxyure Sernov, 1903

Syn.: Pedalion mucronatum Daday, 1908

Hexarthra polychaeta Bennetch, 1981: AFR, NEA, PAC

Hexarthra polyodonta (Hauer, 1957)

Pedalia polyodonta Hauer, 1957

Hexarthra polyodonta jasperina Dumont, Coussement & Anderson, 1978: NEA

Hexarthra polyodonta polyodonta (Hauer, 1957): AUS, NEA, PAL

Syn.: Pedalia fennica var. medica Löffler, 1961

Hexarthra polyodonta soaplakeiensis Koste, 1977: NEA

Hexarthra propinqua (Bartoš, 1948): PAL

Pedalia propingua Bartoš, 1948

Hexarthra reducens (Bartoš, 1948): PAL

Pedalia reducens Bartoš, 1948

Horaella Donner, 1949

Horaella brehmi Donner, 1949: AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL

Horaella thomassoni Koste, 1973: NEO

Inflatana Kutikova, 1985

Inflatana pomazkovae Kutikova, 1985: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Itura Harring & Myers, 1928

Itura aurita (Ehrenberg, 1830): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diglena aurita Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: *Itura cayuga* Harring & Myers, 1928 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of the nominal species)

Syn.: *Itura intermedia* Wulfert, 1935 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of the nominal species)

Itura chamadis Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA, NEO, PAL

Itura deridderae Segers, 1993: AFR, AUS

Itura myersi Wulfert, 1935: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Itura symmetrica Segers, Mbogo & Dumont, 1994: AFR, AUS

Itura viridis (Stenroos, 1898): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Eosphora viridis Stenroos, 1898

Kellicottia Ahlstrom, 1938

Kellicottia bostoniensis (Rousselet, 1908): NEA, NEO (introduced in PAL)

Notholca bostoniensis Rousselet, 1908

Kellicottia longispina (Kellicott, 1879): AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (originally PAL, introduced in NEO, NEA?)

Anuraea longispina Kellicott, 1879

Syn.: Notholca longispina heterospina Olofsson, 1917

Syn.: Notholca longispina taymirica Grese, 1955

Keratella Bory de St. Vincent, 1822

Keratella ahlstromi Russell, 1951: AUS

Keratella americana Carlin, 1943: ANT, NEA, NEO (introduced in PAL and AFR)

Syn.: Keratella gracilenta Ahlstrom, 1943

Syn.: Keratella lenzi caudata Koste, 1972

Keratella armadura Stemberger, 1990: NEA

Keratella australis Bērziņš, 1963: AUS

Syn.: Keratella quadrata australis Bērziņš, 1963

Keratella canadensis Bērziņš, 1954: NEA

Keratella cochlearis (Gosse, 1851) (The taxonomy of *K. cochlearis* is particularly confused. Validation of the numerous proposed subspecies and infrasubspecific variants awaits a thorough revision of the taxon)

Anuraea cochlearis Gosse, 1851

Keratella cochlearis cochlearis (Gosse, 1851): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Anuraea cochlearis recurvispina* Jägerskiöld, 1894 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *recurvispina*) of *K. cochlearis*)

Syn.: Anuraea stipitata Ehrenberg, 1838

Keratella cochlearis pachyacantha Thomasson, 1980: AFR, NEO

Keratella cochlearis polaris De Smet & Bafort, 1990: NEA

Keratella crassa Ahlstrom, 1943: NEA

Keratella cruciformis (Thompson, 1892): NEA, PAL (brackish water - marine)

Anuraea cruciformis Thompson, 1892

Syn.: Keratella wirketissi Kutikova, 1970

Keratella earlinae Ahlstrom, 1943: NEA, NEO

Keratella edmondsoni Ahlstrom, 1943: ORI

Keratella eichwaldi (Levander, 1894): PAL (brackish water - marine)

Anuraea eichwaldi Levander, 1894

Syn.: Keratella kamtschatica Kutikova, 1970

Keratella hiemalis Carlin, 1943: NEA, PAL

Keratella irregularis (Lauterborn, 1898): NEA, PAL (doubtful in AFR)

Anuraea irregularis Lauterborn, 1898

Syn.: Anuraea cochlearis var. irregularis Lauterborn, 1898

Keratella javana Hauer, 1937: AFR, AUS, ORI

Syn.: Keratella carinata Russell, 1950

Syn.: Keratella cochlearis var. javana Hauer, 1938

Keratella kostei Paggi, 1981: ANT, NEO (Patagonia, the Falkland Islands and South Georgia Island)

Syn.: Keratella heywoodi Dartnall, 2005

Keratella lenzi Hauer, 1953: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI

Keratella maliensis Koste & Tobias, 1987: AFR

Keratella mexicana Kutikova & Silva-Briano, 1995: NEO

Keratella mixta (Oparina-Charitonova, 1924): NEA, ORI, PAL

Anuraea mixta Oparina-Charitonova, 1924

Syn.: Anuraea cochlearis var. mixta Oparina-Charitonova, 1924

Syn.: Keratella mixta ahlstromiella Bērziņš, 1961

Keratella mongoliana Segers & Rong, 1998: PAL (East Palaearctic)

Keratella morenoi Modenutti, Diéguez & Segers, 1998: NEO

Keratella nhamundaiensis Koste, 1982: NEO

Syn.: Keratella nhamunda Koste & Robertson, 1983

Keratella ona Boltovskoy & Urrejola, 1977: NEO (Tierra del Fuego)

Keratella paludosa (Lucks, 1912): AFR, NEA, PAL

Anuraea paludosa Lucks, 1912

Keratella procurva (Thorpe, 1891)

Anuraea procurva Thorpe, 1891

Keratella procurva haterumensis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Keratella procurva procurva (Thorpe, 1891): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Keratella procurva robusta Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS

Keratella quadrata (Müller, 1786) (The taxonomy of *K quadrata* is particularly confused. Validation of the numerous proposed subspecies and infrasubspecific variants awaits a thorough revision of the taxon)

Brachionus quadratus Müller, 1786

Keratella quadrata dispersa Carlin, 1943: AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL (subspecies described as, and occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *K. quadrata*)

Keratella quadrata quadrata (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Anuraea aculeata Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Keratella quadrata neali Bērziņš, 1961

Syn.: Keratella quadrata valgoides Edmonson & Hutchinson, 1934

Keratella reducta (Huber-Pestalozzi, 1929): AFR (South Africa)

Anuraea reducta Huber-Pestalozzi, 1929

Syn.: Keratella tetracera Hutchinson, 1961

Keratella sancta Russell, 1944: ANT, AUS

Keratella serrulata (Ehrenberg, 1838): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Anuraea serrulata Ehrenberg, 1838

Syn.: Anuraea falculata Ehrenberg, 1838

Keratella shieli Koste, 1979: AUS

Keratella sinensis Segers & Wang, 1997: PAL (East Palaearctic)

Keratella slacki Bērziņš, 1963: AUS

Keratella taksinensis Chittapun, Pholpunthin & Segers, 2002: ORI

Keratella taurocephala Myers, 1938: NEA

Syn.: Keratella cochlearis var. taurocephala Myers, 1938

Keratella tecta (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (Species occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *tecta*) of *K. cochlearis*. Taxonomy of the group is unclear)

Anuraea tecta Gosse, 1851

Keratella testudo (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, NEA, PAL

Anuraea testudo Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Anuraea brevispina Gosse, 1854

Keratella thomassoni Hauer, 1958: NEO

Keratella ticinensis (Callerio, 1921): NEA, PAL (doubtful AFR record)

Anuraea ticinensis Callerio, 1921

Syn.: Anuraea aculeata var. ticinensis Callerio, 1921

Keratella trapezoida Zhuge & Huang, 1998: PAL (East Palaearctic)

Keratella tropica (Apstein, 1907): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Anuraea tropica Apstein, 1907

Syn.: Keratella quadrata valga asymmetrica Uéno, 1938

Syn.: Anuraea valga var. tropica Apstein, 1907

Keratella valdiviensis Thomasson, 1957 (species inquirenda. Raised to species rank by Hauer (1938), considered an infrasubspecific variant of K. cochlearis by Koste (1978))

Syn.: Keratella cochlearis f. valdiviensis Thomasson, 1957

Keratella valga (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (commonly confused with *K. tropica*)

Anuraea valga Ehrenberg, 1834

Keratella wangi Zhuge & Huang, 1997: PAL

Keratella yamana Boltovskoy & Urrejola, 1977: NEO (Tierra del Fuego)

Keratella zhugeae Segers & Rong, 1998: PAL (East Palaearctic)

Kostea De Smet, 1997

Kostea wockei (Koste, 1961): AFR, NEO, PAL Paradicranophorus wockei Koste, 1961

Lacinularia Schweigger, 1826

Megalotrocha Bory de St. Vincent, 1826 Strophosphaera Poggenpol, 1872

Lacinularia elliptica Shephard, 1897: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lacinularia racemovata Thorpe, 1893

Lacinularia elongata Shephard, 1896 (species inquirenda)

Lacinularia flosculosa (Müller, 1773): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (For a full account on the synonymy of *L. flosculosa* see Harring (1913))

Vorticella flosculosa Müller, 1773

Lacinularia ismailoviensis (Poggenpol, 1872): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Strophoshaera ismailoviensis Poggenpol, 1872

Syn.: Lacinularia natans Western, 1891

Lacinularia megalotrocha Thorpe, 1893 (species inquirenda)

Lacinularia pedunculata Hudson, 1889 (species inquirenda)

Lacinularia reticulata Anderson & Shephard, 1892 (species inquirenda)

Lacinularia striolata Shephard, 1899 (species inquirenda)

Lecane Nitzsch, 1827

Cathypna Hudson & Gosse, 1886 Diarthra Daday, 1897 Distyla auct. Hemimonostyla Bartoš, 1959 Monostyla Ehrenberg, 1830

Lecane abanica Segers, 1994: AFR, PAL

Lecane acanthinula (Hauer, 1938): ORI (extends West to Oman)

Monostyla acanthinula Hauer, 1938

Lecane aculeata (Jakubski, 1912): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Distyla aculeata Jakubski, 1912

Syn.: Lecane curvicerata Yamamoto, 1951

Lecane acus (Harring, 1913): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (taxonomy unclear)

Monostyla acus Harring, 1913

Lecane aeganea Harring, 1914: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Lecane agilis (Bryce, 1892): AFR, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Distyla agilis Bryce, 1892

Lecane amazonica (Murray, 1913): NEO

Monostyla amazonica Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane murrayi Hauer, 1965 (non Korde (1927))

Lecane arcuata (Bryce, 1891): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla arcuata Bryce, 1891

Syn.: Lecane piepelsi De Smet & Bafort, 1990

Lecane arcula Harring, 1914: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lecane strandi Bērziņš, 1943

Lecane armata Thomasson, 1971: NEO, ORI

Lecane aspasia Myers, 1917: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lecane asymmetrica (Murray, 1913): NEO (Caribbean)

Monostyla asymmetrica Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane janetzkyi Koste, Janetzky & Vareshi, 1991

Lecane baimaii Sanoamuang & Savatenalinton, 1999: AFR, ORI

Lecane batillifer (Murray, 1913): AUS, ORI

Monostyla batillifer Murray, 1913

Lecane bidactyla (Sudzuki, 1992) (species inquirenda: poorly contracted and completely unrecognisable specimens)

Monostyla bidactyla Sudzuki, 1992

Lecane bifastigata Hauer, 1938: ORI, PAL

Lecane bifurca (Bryce, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla bifurca Bryce, 1892

Syn.: Lecane bifurca entomeBērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Monostyla crypta Hauer, 1938

Syn.: Notommata monostylaeformis Stenroos, 1898

Lecane blachei Bērziņš, 1973: ORI

Lecane boettgeri Koste, 1986: NEO

Lecane boliviana Segers, 1994: NEO

Lecane boorali Koste & Shiel, 1983: AUS

Lecane branchicola (Piovanelli, 1903): PAL (Epizoic on gills of freshwater crabs)

Distyla branchicola Piovanelli, 1903

Syn.: Lecane piovanellii Bartoš, 1957

Lecane braumi Koste, 1988: AFR, AUS, ORI

Lecane braziliensis Segers, 1993: NEO

Lecane broaensis Segers & Dumont, 1995: NEO

Lecane bryophila Koniar, 1957: PAL

Lecane bulla (Gosse, 1851) (Morphologically variable taxon requiring further study)

Monostyla bulla Gosse, 1851

Lecane bulla bulla (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Monostyla bipes Stokes, 1896

Syn.: Monostyla bulla constricta Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: Monostyla bulla dentata Sudzuki, 1992

Syn.: Lecane bulla diana Abdullaev, 1989

Syn.: Lecane bulla kutikovae Naberezhniyi & Irmasheva, 1975

Syn.: *Monostyla goniata* Harring & Myers, 1926 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *L. bulla*)

Syn.: Monostyla ozolini Bērziņš, 1943

Syn.: Lecane physalis Wulfert, 1939 (incl. L.styrax longistyla (Weisig, 1928))

Lecane bulla diabolica (Hauer, 1936): ORI

Monostyla bulla f. diabolica Hauer, 1936

Lecane calcaria Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, ORI

Lecane candida Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA

Lecane clara (Bryce, 1892): AFR, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Distyla clara Bryce, 1892

Syn.: Diglena beauchampi von Hofsten, 1923

Syn.: Proales longidactyla Edmondson, 1948

Lecane climacois Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, NEA

Lecane closterocerca (Schmarda, 1859): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla closterocerca Schmarda, 1859

Syn.: Monostyla brodskii Muraveisky, 1935

Syn.: Lecane closterocerca amazonica Koste, 1978

Syn.: Monostyla eichsfeldica Künne, 1926

Syn.: Monostyla latvica Bērziņš, 1943

Syn.: Lecane wulferti Hauer, 1956

Lecane copeis (Harring & Myers, 1926): NEA, NEO, PAL

Monostyla copeis Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Lecane eupsammophila Koste, 1992

Lecane cornuta (Müller, 1786): NEA, NEO, PAL (Morphologically variable taxon requiring further study)

Trichoda cornuta Müller, 1786

Syn.: Monostyla cornuta oidipus Hauer, 1956

Syn.: Monostyla robusta Stokes, 1896

Syn.: Monostyla rotunda Fadeev, 1927

Syn.: Monostyla rotundata Jakubski, 1914

Lecane crenata (Harring, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (Taxonomy unclear)

Monostyla crenata Harring, 1913

Lecane crepida Harring, 1914: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lecane crepida longidactyla Koste, 1972

Syn.: Lecane neali Wulfert, 1966

Syn.: Lecane vasisthi Sharma, 1980

Lecane curvicornis (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cathypna curvicornis Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane acronycha Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Lecane bondi Edmondson, 1934

Syn.: Lecane chankensis Bogoslovsky, 1958

Syn.: Lecane curvilinealis Arora, 1965

Syn.: Lecane longidactyla Arora, 1965 (non Edmondson (1948))

Syn.: Lecane triloba Yamamoto, 1951

Syn.: Lecane zwaiensis Bryce, 1931

Lecane decipiens (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla decipiens Murray, 1913

Lecane depressa (Bryce, 1891): NEA, PAL

Distyla depressa Bryce, 1891

Syn.: Cathypna amban Stewart, 1908

Syn.: Cathypna brachydactyla Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Distyla truncata Leissling, 1914 (non Turner (1892))

Syn.: Lecane truncata Yamamoto, 1953 (non Leissling (1914) nec Turner (1892))

Syn.: Lecane tudicola Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane deridderae Koste, 1972: NEO

Lecane difficilis Segers & Pourriot, 1997: NEA, NEO

Lecane donneri Chengalath & Mulamoottil, 1974: AFR, NEA, ORI

Lecane donyanaensis Mazuelos & Segers, 1994: PAL (Endemic to the Doñana National Park)

Lecane doryssa Harring, 1914: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lecane dumonti Segers, 1993: AFR, NEO

Lecane dysorata Myers, 1942: NEA (Doubtful PAL record)

Syn.: Lecane dysoarata auct.

Lecane elasma Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, PAL

Lecane elegans Harring, 1914: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Lecane elongata Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Lecane lebedevae Abdullaev, 1989

Lecane elsa Hauer, 1931: NEA, PAL

Lecane enowi Segers & Mertens, 1997: AFR, ORI

Lecane ercodes Harring, 1914: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI

Lecane eswari Dhanapathi, 1976: AFR, ORI

Lecane eutarsa Harring & Myers, 1926: NEO (Doubtful PAL record)

Syn.: Lecane amazoniana Koste & Robertson, 1983

Syn.: Lecane amazonica Koste & Böttger, 1992 (non Murray (1913))

Lecane eylesi Russell, 1953: AUS (Tasmania and New Zealand)

Syn.: Lecane tasmaniensis Shiel & Koste, 1985

Lecane fadeevi (Neiswestnova-Shadina, 1935): PAL

Monostyla fadeewi Neiswestnova-Shadina, 1935

Syn.: Lecane fadeewi Voigt, 1957

Lecane flabellata Edmondson, 1936: NEA

Lecane flexilis (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Distyla flexilis Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Cathypna brevis Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane glypta Harring & Myers, 1926 (Taxonomy unclear. Synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *L. flexilis*)

Syn.: Distyla lipara Gosse, 1887

Lecane formosa Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA

Lecane furcata (Murray, 1913): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monostyla furcata Murray, 1913

Syn.: Monostyla elachis Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Monostyla mologensis Bogoslovski, 1935

Syn.: Monostyla ovalis Jakubski, 1914

Syn.: Monostyla tethis Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Lecane vanovei De Ridder, 1960

Lecane galeata (Bryce, 1892): NEA, PAL

Monostyla galeata Bryce, 1892

Syn.: Lecane beningi Tarnogradsky, 1961

Syn.: Monostyla parva Daday, 1897

Syn.: Monostyla pygmaea Daday, 1897

Syn.: Monostyla turbo Murray, 1913

Lecane gallagherorum Segers, 1997: NEA

Lecane gillardi Bērziņš, 1960: AFR (Madagascar)

Lecane grandis (Murray, 1913): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cathypna grandis Murray, 1913

Lecane gwileti (Tarnogradski, 1930): PAL

Monostyla gwileti Tarnogradski, 1930

Syn.: Monostyla kieferi Hauer, 1931

Lecane haliclysta Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lecane stichaeoides Hauer, 1938

Lecane halsei Segers & Shiel, 2003: AUS

Lecane hamata (Stokes, 1896): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla hamata Stokes, 1896

Syn.: Lecane hamata victoriensis Koste & Shiel, 1980

Lecane hastata (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Cathypna hastata Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane hegurensis Yamamoto, 1951

Lecane herzigi Koste, Shiel & Tan, 1988: AUS

Lecane hornemanni (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Euchlanis hornemanni Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Lecane camptica Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Lecane ceylonensis Chengalath & Fernando, 1973

Syn.: Lecane lamiranoensis Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Lecane nodosa Hauer, 1938

Lecane imbricata Carlin, 1939: PAL

Lecane inconspicua Segers & Dumont, 1993: PAL

Lecane inermis (Bryce, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Distyla inermis Bryce, 1892

Syn.: Lecane amorpha Harring, 1914

Syn.: Lecane supinoi Manfredi, 1929

Lecane infula Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, PAL

Lecane inopinata Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Lecane inquieta Myers, 1936: NEA (Doubtful PAL record)

Lecane intrasinuata (Olofsson, 1917): NEA, PAL

Cathypna intrasinuata Olofsson, 1917

Syn.: Lecane ephestra Harring, 1921

Syn.: Lecane mylacris Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane isanensis Sanoamuang & Savatenalinton, 2001: ORI

Lecane ivli (Wiszniewski, 1935): PAL

Monostyla ivli Wiszniewski, 1935

Syn.: Monostyla vargai Török, 1935

Lecane jaintiaensis Sharma, 1987: ORI

Lecane jessupi Harring, 1921: NEA

Lecane junki Koste, 1975: ORI

Lecane kluchor Tarnogradski, 1930: PAL

Syn.: Lecane diadema Hauer, 1931

Lecane kunthuleensis Chittapun, Pholpunthin & Segers, 2003: ORI

Lecane kutikowa Koste, 1972: NEO

Lecane lamellata (Daday, 1893): NEA, PAL

Monostyla lamellata Daday, 1893

Syn.: Monostyla appendiculata Skorikov, 1898 (non Levander (1894))

Lecane lateralis Sharma, 1978: AFR, AUS, ORI

Lecane latissima Yamamoto, 1955: AUS, NEA, PAL

Syn.: Lecane kostei De Ridder, 1966

Syn.: Cathypna rotundata Olofsson, 1918 (non Jakubski (1914))

Lecane lauterborni Hauer, 1924: NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Lecane leontina (Turner, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (Morphologically variable taxon, probably concealing cryptic species)

Cathypna leontina Turner, 1892

Syn.: Cathypna biloba Daday, 1905

Syn.: Cathypna leontina bisinuata Daday, 1905

Syn.: Cathypna macrodactyla Daday, 1898

Syn.: Cathypna scutaria Stokes, 1897

Syn.: Lecane thomassoni Wulfert, 1965

Lecane leura Myers, 1942: NEA

Lecane levistyla (Olofsson, 1917): NEA, PAL

Cathypna levistyla Olofsson, 1917

Syn.: Lecane scobis Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane ligona (Dunlop, 1901): NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cathypna ligona Dunlop, 1901

Syn.: *Lecane abnobensis* Hauer, 1929 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *L. ligona*)

Syn.: Lecane jessupi Harring, 1921 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of L. ligona)

Lecane ludwigii (Eckstein, 1883): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Distyla ludwigii Eckstein, 1883

Syn.: Cathypna appendiculata Daday, 1901 (non Skorikov (1898) nec Levander (1894))

Syn.: Diplax ornata Daday, 1897

Lecane luna (Müller, 1776): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (Poorly contracted specimens are sometimes erroneously identified as *L. presumpta* Ahlstrom, 1938, and this name is accordingly listed as subspecies or infrasubspecific variant of *L. luna*. However, *L. presumpta* is an established synonym of *L. papuana*)

Cercaria luna Müller, 1776

Syn.: Lecane dorsicalis Arora, 1965

Syn.: Lecane jobloti Bory de St. Vincent, 1827

Syn.: Lecane luna balatonica Varga, 1945

Syn.: Lecane submagna De Ridder, 1960

Lecane lunaris (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (Morphologically variable taxon, probably concealing cryptic species)

Monostyla lunaris Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Monostyla constricta Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane lunaris arthrodactyla Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Lecane lunaris australis Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Monostyla lunaris obserata Steinecke, 1916

Syn.: Monostyla quennerstedti Bergendal, 1892

Syn.: Monostyla sylvatica Harring, 1913

Syn.: Monostyla virga Harring, 1914

Lecane lungae Savatenalinton & Segers, 2005: ORI

Lecane marchantaria Koste & Robertson, 1983: NEO

Lecane margalefi De Manuel, 1994: PAL (Endemic to Mallorca (Spain))

Lecane margarethae Segers, 1991: NEA, NEO (Caribbean)

Syn.: Lecane deridderae José de Paggi, 1989 (non Koste (1972))

Lecane marshi Harring, 1914: NEO

Lecane melini Thomasson, 1953: NEO

Lecane minuta Segers, 1994: ORI

Lecane mira (Murray, 1913): NEA, PAL

Cathypna mira Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane islandica De Ridder, 1967

Lecane mitella (Myers, 1936): NEA

Monostyla mitella Myers, 1936

Lecane mitis Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, NEO, ORI

Lecane monostyla (Daday, 1897): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (Some unverifiable records from Europe (Spain, Poland) exist; presence in Europe of this unmistakable warm-water species is likely)

Monostyla monostyla Daday, 1897

Syn.: Monostyla spinifera Idelson, 1924

Lecane mucronata Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA

Lecane myersi Segers, 1993: AFR, NEA, NEO

Syn.: Monostyla ornata Harring & Myers, 1926 (non Daday (1897))

Lecane namatai Segers & Mertens, 1997: AFR

Lecane nana (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cathypna nana Murray, 1913

Lecane nelsoni Segers, 1994: AFR, NEO, ORI

Lecane nigeriensis Segers, 1993: AFR, ORI

Lecane niothis Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA (Doubtful PAL record)

Lecane nitida (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Cathypna nitida Murray, 1913

Syn.: Cathypna lofuana Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane tesselata Arora, 1965

Lecane niwati Segers, Kothetip & Sanoamuang, 2004: ORI

Lecane noobijupi Segers & Shiel, 2003: AUS

Lecane nwadiaroi Segers, 1993: AFR

Lecane obtusa (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monostyla obtusa Murray, 1913

Syn.: Monostyla vastita Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane ohioensis (Herrick, 1885): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (see L. ludwigii)

Distyla ohioensis Herrick, 1885

Syn.: Cathypna appendiculata Levander, 1894

Syn.: Distyla ichthyoura Anderson & Shephard, 1892

Syn.: *Cathypna jorroi* Arévalo, 1918 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *L. ohioensis*)

Lecane opias (Harring & Myers, 1926): NEA, ORI, PAL

Monostyla opias Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane ordwayi Bienert, 1986: NEA

Lecane palinacis Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, ORI, PAC

Lecane papuana (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Cathypna papuana Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane kasumiensis Sudzuki, 1998

Syn.: Lecane presumpta Ahlstrom, 1938

Syn.: Lecane yamunensis Novotná-Dvorakova, 1963

Lecane paradoxa (Steinecke, 1916): PAL

Monostyla paradoxa Steinecke, 1916

Syn.: Lecane hoffmanni De Ridder, 1960

Syn.: Lecane ozensis Yamamoto, 1953

Lecane pawlowskii Wulfert, 1966: ORI

Lecane paxiana Hauer, 1940: AFR, ORI, PAC, PAL

Lecane pelatis Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA

Lecane perplexa (Ahlstrom, 1938): AFR, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Monostyla perplexa Ahlstrom, 1938

Lecane perpusilla (Hauer, 1929): AFR, NEA, PAC, PAL

Monostyla perpusilla Hauer, 1929

Syn.: Lecane brevita Myers, 1942

Lecane pertica Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Lecane plesia Myers, 1936: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Syn.: Lecane jana Abdullaev, 1989

Syn.: Proales namibiensis Koste & Brain, 1993

Lecane pluto Segers & Mertens, 1997: AFR

Lecane pomiformis Edmondson, 1938: NEA, NEO

Syn.: Lecane paraclosterocerca Pennak, 1939

Lecane proiecta Hauer, 1956: NEO

Lecane psammophila (Wiszniewski, 1932): PAL

Monostyla psammophila Wiszniewski, 1932

Lecane pumila (Rousselet, 1906): AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL

Notommata pumila Rousselet, 1906

Lecane punctata (Murray, 1913): AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monostyla punctata Murray, 1913

Syn.: Lecane aguessei De Ridder, 1960

Syn.: Monostyla harringi Ahlstrom, 1934

Lecane pusilla Harring, 1914: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lecane pustulosa Myers, 1938: NEA

Lecane pycina Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA

Lecane pyriformis (Daday, 1905): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla pyriformis Daday, 1905

Lecane pyrrha Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA (Doubtful PAL record)

Lecane quadridentata (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monostyla quadridentata Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: Monostyla bicornis Daday, 1897

Syn.: Lecane quadridentata arthrodactyla Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Monostyla sexidentata Van Oye, 1926

Lecane remanei Hauer, 1964: NEO

Lecane rhacois Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA

Lecane rhenana Hauer, 1929: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lecane rhopalura (Harring & Myers, 1926): NEA, NEO, PAL

Monostyla rhopalura Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Lecane aspersa Kutikova & Arov, 1985

Syn.: Monostyla pideis Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane rhytida Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Lecane robertsonae Segers, 1993: AUS, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Lecane aspasia amazonica Koste & Robertson, 1983

Lecane rudescui Hauer, 1965: NEO

Lecane rugosa (Harring, 1914): NEO (occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of L. furcata.,PAL and

AUS record require confirmation)

Monostyla rugosa Harring, 1914

Lecane ruttneri Hauer, 1938: AFR, NEO, ORI

Lecane sagula Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, NEO (Doubtful PAL record)

Lecane satyrus Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, PAL (Northeast North America and Southeast Palaearctic)

Lecane schraederi Wulfert, 1966: ORI

Lecane scutata (Harring & Myers, 1926): AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL (frequently confused with L. perplexa)

Monostyla scutata Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Monostyla stroeszneri Török, 1935

Lecane segersi Sanoamuang, 1996: ORI

Lecane serrata (Hauer, 1938): AFR, AUS, ORI

Monostyla serrata Hauer, 1938

Lecane shieli Segers & Sanoamuang, 1994: ORI

Lecane signifera (Jennings, 1896)

Distyla signifera Jennings, 1896

Lecane signifera ploenensis (Voigt, 1902): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Distyla signifera ploenensis Voigt, 1902

Syn.: Lecane signifera glandulosa Sudzuki, 1991

Lecane signifera signifera (Jennings, 1896): NEA

Distyla signifera signifera Jennings, 1896

Syn.: Lecane aquila Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane simonneae Segers, 1993: AFR, ORI

Lecane sinuata (Hauer, 1938): AUS, ORI

Monostyla sinuate Hauer, 1938

Lecane sola Hauer, 1936: NEO, ORI

Lecane solfatara (Hauer, 1938): ORI

Monostyla solfatara Hauer, 1938

Lecane spiniventris Segers, 1994: ORI

Lecane spinulifera Edmondson, 1935: NEA, NEO

Syn.: Lecane aliger Nogrady, 1983

Syn.: Monostyla spinifera Edmondson, 1934 (non Idelson (1924))

Lecane stenroosi (Meissner, 1908): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monostyla stenroosi Meissner, 1908

Syn.: Monostyla bicornis Stenroos, 1898 (non Daday (1897))

Syn.: Hemimonostyla stenroosi tutiurensis Sudzuki, 1998

Lecane stephensae (Hutchinson, 1931): AFR, ORI

Monostyla stephensae Hutchinson, 1931

Lecane stichaea Harring, 1913: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Lecane methoria Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Lecane saginata Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane stichoclysta Segers, 1993: AFR, ORI

Lecane stokesii (Pell, 1890): NEA, PAL

Cathypna stokesi Pell, 1890

Lecane styrax (Harring & Myers, 1926): NEA, NEO

Monostyla styrax Harring & Myers, 1926

Lecane subtilis Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Syn.: Lecane apatinensis Zivkovic, 1987

Syn.: Lecane murrayi Korde, 1927

Lecane subulata (Harring & Myers, 1926): AFR, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Monostyla subulata Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Lecane rylovi Tarnogradski, 1961

Lecane superaculeata Sanoamuang & Segers, 1997: ORI

Lecane sverigis Ahlstrom, 1934: NEA

Lecane sylviae Segers, 1993: AFR

Lecane symoensi De Ridder, 1981: AFR

Lecane sympoda Hauer, 1929: AFR, PAL

Lecane syngenes (Hauer, 1938): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Monostyla syngenes Hauer, 1938

Lecane tabida Harring & Myers, 1926: AFR, NEA, ORI

Lecane tabulifera Edmondson, 1936: NEA

Lecane tanganyikae Segers & Baribwegure, 1996: AFR

Lecane tenua Myers, 1936: NEA

Lecane tenuiseta Harring, 1914: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Lecane punctata* Carlin-Nilson, 1934 (*non* Murray (1913). Occasionally listed as an infrasubspecific variant of the nominal taxon, as var. *punctata* Carlin-Nilsson, 1934)

Lecane thailandensis Segers & Sanoamuang, 1994: ORI

Lecane thalera (Harring & Myers, 1926): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (Taxonomic separation with *L. lamellata* unclear; possible hybrids reported)

Monostyla thalera Harring & Myers, 1926

Syn.: Monostyla conspicua Hauer, 1936

Syn.: Lecane paradecipiens Nayar, 1968

Lecane thienemanni (Hauer, 1938): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Monostyla thienemanni Hauer, 1938

Lecane tryphema Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, PAL

Lecane uenoi Yamamoto, 1951: NEO, ORI, PAL

Lecane undulata Hauer, 1938: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lecane unguitata (Fadeev, 1925): AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL

Monostyla unguitata Fadeev, 1925

Syn.: Lecane unguitata africana Koste, 1979

Lecane ungulata (Gosse, 1887): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Cathypna ungulata Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Lecane donneriana Dhanapathi, 1976

Syn.: Lecane fracida Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Cathypna magna Lucks, 1898 (non Stenroos (1898))

Syn.: Cathypna magna Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Cathypna magna tenuior Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Lecane ungulata australiensis Koste & Shiel, 1990

Lecane urna Nogrady, 1962: PAL

Lecane venusta Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA, PAL

Lecane verecunda Harring & Myers, 1926: NEA (Doubtful PAL record)

Lecane whitfordi (Ahlstrom, 1938): NEA, NEO

Monostyla whitfordi Ahlstrom, 1938

Lepadella Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

subgenus Heterolepadella Bartoš, 1955

Lepadella (Heterolepadella) apsicora Myers, 1934: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Lepadella (Heterolepadella) cyrtopus Harring, 1914: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Heterolepadella) ehrenbergii (Perty, 1850): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notogonia ehrenbergii Perty, 1850

Syn.: Metopidia albuferensis Arévalo, 1918

Lepadella (Heterolepadella) heterodactyla Fadeew, 1925: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lepadella nympha Donner, 1943

Lepadella (Heterolepadella) heterostyla (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Metopidia heterostyla Murray, 1914

subgenus *Lepadella* Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Lepadella (Lepadella) abbei Wulfert, 1956: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) akrobeles Myers, 1934: AUS, NEA, ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) acuminata (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

(incl. the infrasubspecific variant sexcostata Bartoš, 1965)

Metopidia acuminata Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Lepadella chorea Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Lepadella sexcostata Bartoš, 1955

Lepadella (Lepadella) adjuncta Donner, 1943: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) amazonica Segers, 1993: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) amphitropis Harring, 1916

Lepadella (L.) amphitropis amphitropis Harring, 1916: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Lepadella (L.) amphitropis victoriensis Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) angusta Bērziņš, 1961: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) apsida Harring, 1916: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) benjamini Harring, 1916: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) berzinsi Segers, 1993: AFR

Syn.: Lepadella quinquecostata f. gambiensis Bērziņš, 1957

Lepadella (Lepadella) beyensi De Smet, 1994: NEA

Lepadella (Lepadella) bicornis Vasisht & Battish, 1971: NEO, ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) bidentata Voronkov, 1913: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) biloba Hauer, 1958: AFR, AUS, NEO, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) canadensis Myers, 1936: NEA

Lepadella (Lepadella) chengalathi Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) cornuta Koste & Shiel, 1989: AUS

Syn.: Lepadella latusinus f. mucronata Koste, 1981

Lepadella (Lepadella) costata Wulfert, 1940: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) costatoides Segers, 1992: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lepadella latusinus striata Koste, 1992

Lepadella (Lepadella) cristata (Rousselet, 1893): AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Colurus cristatus Rousselet, 1893

Syn.: Lepadella cristata galerita Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Metopidia mucronata Daday, 1908

Syn.: Metopidia semicarinata Lucks, 1909

Lepadella (Lepadella) cryphaea Harring, 1916: NEA, NEO, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) dactyliseta (Stenroos, 1898): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Metopidia dactyliseta Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Lepadella voigti Hauer, 1931

Lepadella (Lepadella) decora Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) degreefi De Smet, 1989: NEA, PAC

Lepadella (Lepadella) deridderae Segers, De Smet & Bonte, 1996

Lepadella (L.) deridderae alaskae Segers, De Smet & Bonte, 1996: NEA

Lepadella (L.) deridderae deridderae Segers, De Smet & Bonte, 1996: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) desmeti Segers & Chittapun, 2001: NEO, ORI, PAC

Lepadella (Lepadella) discoidea Segers, 1993: AFR, AUS, ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) donneri Koste, 1972: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) dorsalis Rodewald, 1937: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) duvigneaudi De Ridder, 1969: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) elliptica Wulfert, 1939: ANT, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) elongata Koste, 1992: NEO, ORI, PAC

Lepadella (Lepadella) eurysterna Myers, 1942: AFR, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lepadella arabica Segers & Dumont, 1993

Lepadella (Lepadella) evaginata Rodewald, 1935: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) favorita Klement, 1962: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) gelida Bērziņš, 1976: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) glossa Wulfert, 1960: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) hyalina Smirnov, 1927: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) imbricata Harring, 1914: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) intermedia Dartnall & Hollowday, 1985: ANT

Lepadella (Lepadella) koniari Bartoš, 1955: PAL

Syn.: Lepadella avernae Francez & Pourriot, 1984

Lepadella (Lepadella) kostei Wulfert, 1966: ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) latusinus (Hilgendorf, 1899): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Metopidia latusinus Hilgendorf, 1899

Lepadella (Lepadella) lindaui Koste, 1981: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) longiseta Myers, 1934: NEA

Lepadella (Lepadella) margalefi De Ridder, 1964: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) mascarensis Bērziņš, 1982: AFR

Lepadella (Lepadella) mataca José de Paggi, 2001: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) mica Zivkovic, 1987: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) minorui Koste, 1981: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) minoruoides Koste & Robertson, 1983: AFR, NEO, ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) minuscula Bartoš, 1955: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) minuta (Weber & Montet, 1918): AFR, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Metopidia minuta Weber & Montet, 1918

Syn.: Metopidia parvula Montet, 1915 (non Bryce (1893))

Lepadella (Lepadella) monodi Bērziņš, 1959: AFR

Lepadella (Lepadella) myersi Edmondson, 1934: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) nartiangensis Sharma & Sharma, 1987: ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) neboissi Bērziņš, 1960: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) neglecta Segers & Dumont, 1995: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) nympha Donner, 1943: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) obtusa Wang, 1961: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) ovalis (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Brachionus ovalis Müller, 1786

Syn.: Metopidia affinis Bergendal, 1892

Syn.: Metopidia lepadella Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Mytilina lepidura Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Syn.: Lepadella rotundata Dujardin, 1841

Syn.: Metopidia solidus Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Lepadella velazmedrani Pardo, 1934

Lepadella (Lepadella) paparoa Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) parvula (Bryce, 1893): PAL

Metopidia parvula Bryce, 1893

Lepadella (*Lepadella*) *patella* (Müller, 1773) (The taxonomy and nomenclature of the variable *L. patella* are particularly confused. Only the most common, probable synonyms are listed.)

Brachionus patella Müller, 1773

Lepadella (L.) patella matudai Sudzuki, 1964 (species inquirenda)

Lepadella (L.) patella oblonga (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Squamella oblonga Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Lepadella minor Koch-Althaus, 1963

Lepadella (L.) patella patella (Müller, 1786): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Squamella bractea Ehrenberg, 1838

Syn.: Lepadella mariae Rodewald, 1935

Syn.: Lepadella parvula De Graaf, 1956 (non Bryce (1893))

Syn.: Lepadella rotundata Dujardin, 1841

Lepadella (L.) patella persimilis De Ridder, 1961: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lepadella buangensis Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Metopidia similis Lucks, 1912 (non Stokes (1896))

Lepadella (Lepadella) pejleri Eriksen, 1969: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) pontica Althaus, 1957 (marine)

Lepadella (Lepadella) princisi Bērziņš, 1943: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) psammophila Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Lepadella (Lepadella) pseudosimilis Koch-Althaus, 1963: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) pterygoida (Dunlop, 1897): NEA, ORI, PAL

Metopidia pterygoidea Dunlop, 1897

Lepadella (Lepadella) ptilota Bērziņš, 1960: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) pumilo Hauer, 1931: AFR, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) punctata Wulfert, 1939: ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) pyriformis Myers, 1938: NEA

Lepadella (Lepadella) quadricarinata (Stenroos, 1898): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (incl. the

infrasubspecific variants octocarinata Wulfert, 1939, sexcarinata Klement, 1959, procera Klement, 1959)

Metopidia quadricarinata Stenroos, 1898

Lepadella (Lepadella) quadricurvata Francez & Pourriot, 1984: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) quinquecostata (Lucks, 1912)

Metopidia quinquecostata Lucks, 1912

Lepadella (L.) quinquecostata nevadensis Morales-Baquero, 1987: PAL

Lepadella (L.) quinquecostata quinquecostata (Lucks, 1912): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Lepadella christineae Koste, 1990 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant) Lepadella (Lepadella) rhodesiana Wulfert, 1965: AFR

Lepadella (Lepadella) rhomboides (Gosse, 1886)

Metopidia rhomboides Gosse, 1886

Lepadella (L.) rhomboides leentvaari Bērziņš, 1979: NEO

Lepadella (L.) rhomboides rhomboides (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Lepadella rhomboides carinata Donner, 1943

Syn.: Lepadella rhomboides haueri Wulfert, 1956

Syn.: Lepadella rhomboides lata Wulfert, 1956

Lepadella (L.) rhomboides signiensis Dartnall & Hollowday, 1985: ANT

Lepadella (Lepadella) rhomboidula (Bryce, 1890): AFR, AUS, ORI, PAL

Metopidia rhomboidula Bryce, 1890

Lepadella (Lepadella) riedeli De Ridder, 1966: NEA, NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) rottenburgi (Lucks, 1912): AUS, NEO, PAL

Metopidia rottenburgi Lucks, 1912

Lepadella (Lepadella) sali Bērziņš, 1976: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) salisburii Ahlstrom, 1934: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) serrata Yamamoto, 1951: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) strepta Bērziņš, 1984: NEA

Lepadella (Lepadella) tana Koste & Shiel, 1986: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) tenella Wulfert, 1942: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) triba Myers, 1934: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) tricostata Koste, 1990: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) triprojectus Sharma, 1978: ORI

Lepadella (Lepadella) triptera (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

(synonyms are considered infrasubspecific variants of L. triptera by Koste (1978))

Metopidia triptera Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Lepadella alata Myers, 1934

Syn.: Lepadella alona Wulfert, 1956

Syn.: Lepadella clydona Bērziņš, 1949

Syn.: Lepadella crestata Vasisht & Battish, 1971

Syn.: Lepadella deconincki De Ridder, 1966

Lepadella (Lepadella) tyleri Koste & Shiel, 1987: AUS

Lepadella (Lepadella) vandenbrandei Gillard, 1952: AFR, AUS, ORI

Syn.: Lepadella williamsi Koste & Shiel, 1980

Lepadella (Lepadella) vanoyei De Ridder, 1961: PAL

Lepadella (Lepadella) venefica Myers, 1934: NEA, NEO

Syn.: Lepadella exigua De Graaf, 1956: NEA (nom. nov. for L. minuta Myers non Weber & Montet (1915))

Syn.: Lepadella minuta Myers, 1942 (non Montet (1915))

Syn.: Lepadella myersiana Voigt, 1957 (nom. nov. for L. minuta Myers non Weber & Montet (1915))

Lepadella (Lepadella) visenda Myers, 1934: NEA, NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) vitrea (Shephard, 1911): AUS

Metopidia vitrea Shephard, 1911

Lepadella (Lepadella) whitfordi Ahlstrom, 1938: NEA, NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) wrighti Koste, 1972: NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) xenica Myers, 1934: NEA, NEO

Lepadella (Lepadella) zigzag Segers, 2007

Syn.: Lepadella bractea Myers, 1934 (non Ehrenberg (1838))

subgenus Xenolepadella Hauer, 1926

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) astacicola Hauer, 1926: NEO, PAL

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) borealis Harring, 1916: AFR, NEA, ORI, PAL

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) branchicola Hauer, 1926: NEO, PAL

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) curvicaudata Turner, 1990: NEO

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) haueri Rodewald, 1935: PAL

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) lata Wiszniewski, 1939: AFR, ORI, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant sinuata Wiszniewski, 1939)

Syn.: Lepadella raja Wiszniewski, 1939 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant)

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) monodactyla Bērziņš, 1960

Lepadella monodactyla braziliensis Koste, 1972: NEO

Lepadella monodactyla monodactyla Bērziņš, 1960: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Lepadella monostyla cicatrix Bērziņš, 1984

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) parasitica Hauer, 1926: PAL

Lepadella (Xenolepadella) pseudoacuminata Sudzuki, 1998 (species inquirenda)

Limnias Schrank, 1803

Cephalosiphon Ehrenberg, 1853 Limnioides Tatem, 1868

Limnias ceratophylli Schrank, 1803: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Melicerta biloba Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Rotifer confervicola Dutrochet, 1812

Syn.: *Limnias socialis* Leidy, 1874 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *L. cerato-phylli*)

Syn.: *Limnias sphagnicola* Zacharias, 1886 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *L. ceratophylli*)

Limnias cornuella Rousselet, 1889 (species inquirenda)

Limnias melicerta Weisse, 1848: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Limnias annulatus Bailey, 1855

Syn.: Limnias corniculata Ehrenberg, 1853

Syn.: Melicerta cubitti Cubitt, 1871

Syn.: Limnias doliolum Schoch, 1868

Syn.: Limnias granulosus Weber, 1888

Syn.: Cephalosiphon limnias Ehrenberg, 1853

Limnias myriophylli (Tatem, 1868): AFR, PAL

Limnioides myriophylli Tatem, 1868

Limnias nymphaea Stenroos, 1898: PAL (occasionally considered a subspecies of L. melicerta)

Limnias shiawasseensis Kellicott, 1888: NEA (occasionally considered a subspecies of L. melicerta)

Lindia Dujardin, 1841

subgenus Halolindia Remane, 1933

Lindia (Halolindia) elsae De Smet, 2006 (marine)

Lindia (Halolindia) gravitata (Lie-Pettersen, 1905) (marine)

Notommata gravitata Lie-Pettersen, 1905

Lindia (Halolindia) tecusa Harring & Myers, 1922 (marine)

Syn.: Lindia brodskayae Bogoslovski, 1950

subgenus Lindia Dujardin, 1841

Lindia (Lindia) annecta Harring & Myers, 1922: AUS, NEA, PAL

Lindia (Lindia) caerulea Myers, 1933: NEA

Lindia (Lindia) candida Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA, ORI, PAL

Lindia (Lindia) ecela Myers, 1933: AUS, NEA

Lindia (Lindia) euchromatica Edmondson, 1938: AUS, NEA, PAL

Syn.: Lindia europaea Koch-Althaus, 1962

Lindia (Lindia) fulva Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA, NEO

Lindia (Lindia) gracilis Myers, 1938: NEA

Lindia (Lindia) janickii Wiszniewski, 1934: AFR, ORI, PAL

Lindia (Lindia) pallida Harring & Myers, 1922: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Lindia (Lindia) producta Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Lindia (Lindia) torulosa Dujardin, 1841: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Notommata roseola Perty, 1850

Syn.: Notommata tardigrada Leydig, 1854

Lindia (Lindia) truncata (Jennings, 1894): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Notommata truncata Jennings, 1894

subgenus Neolindia Segers, 2002

Lindia (Neolindia) deridderae Koste, 1979: AUS

Lophocharis Ehrenberg, 1838

Oxysterna Iroso, 1910

Lophocharis ambidentata De Ridder, 1960: PAL

Lophocharis curvata Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Lophocharis hutchinsoni Edmondson, 1935: NEA

Lophocharis kutikovae Mirabdullaev, 1992: PAL

Lophocharis naias Wulfert, 1942: AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Lophocharis gracilis Dvorakova, 1960

Lophocharis oxysternon (Gosse, 1851): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Metopidia oxysternon Gosse, 1851

Lophocharis parva Rudescu, 1960: PAL

Lophocharis rubens Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Lophocharis salpina (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Lepadella salpina Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Lophocharis lepadelloides Rodewald, 1935

Syn.: Lophocharis parvidentata Hauer, 1937

Lophocharis turanica Mirabdullaev, 1992: PAL

Lophocharis tutiurensis Sudzuki, 1998 (species inquirenda)

Macrochaetus Perty, 1850

Macrochaetus altamirai (Arévalo, 1918): AFR, AUS, NEO, PAL

Polychaetus altamirai Arévalo, 1918

Syn.: *Macrochaetus altamirai braziliensis* Koste, 1972 (considered an infrasubspecific variant by Koste (1978))

Syn.: *Macrochaetus altamirai intermedius* Rodewald, 1924 (considered an infrasubspecific variant by Koste (1978))

Syn.: Macrochaetus australiensis Bērziņš, 1982

Syn.: Macrochaetus esthonicus Riikoja, 1925

Macrochaetus americanus Segers & Sarma, 1993: NEO

Macrochaetus aspera Bērziņš, 1982 (species inquirenda)

Macrochaetus aspinus Segers & Sarma, 1993: NEO

Macrochaetus collinsii (Gosse, 1867): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dinocharis collinsii Gosse, 1867

Macrochaetus collinsii collinsii (Gosse, 1867)

Syn.: Macrochaetus braziliensis Ahlstrom, 1938 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant)

Syn.: Polychaetus spinulosus Archer, 1868

Macrochaetus collinsii guangdongensis Wu, 1981 (species inquirenda)

Macrochaetus danneeli Koste & Shiel, 1983: AUS, ORI

Macrochaetus dispar Bērziņš, 1982 (species inquirenda)

Macrochaetus hauerianus Wulfert, 1964: ORI

Macrochaetus kostei José de Paggi, Branco & Kozlowsky-Suzuki, 2000: NEO

Macrochaetus longipes Myers, 1934: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Macrochaetus hauerianus singapurensis Sudzuki, 1989

Macrochaetus longisetus Sudzuki, 1991 (species inquirenda)

Macrochaetus multispinosus Myers, 1934: AFR, NEO

Macrochaetus paggiensae Koste, 2000: NEO

Macrochaetus philopax Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Macrochaetus sericus (Thorpe, 1893): AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Dinocharis sericus Thorpe, 1893

Syn.: Macrochaetus sericus coniunctius Sudzuki, 1991

Syn.: Macrochaetus sericus vanmeeli Gillard, 1957

Macrochaetus subquadratus (Perty, 1850): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Polychaetus subquadratus Perty, 1850

Syn.: Dinocharis rossicus Michailoff, 1900

Syn.: Macrochaetus subquadratus hofsteni Voigt, 1957

Macrotrachela Milne, 1886

Macrotrachela aculeata Milne, 1886: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela allani (Murray, 1911): AFR

Callidina allani Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela ambigua Donner, 1965: PAL

Macrotrachela angusta (Bryce, 1894): AUS, PAL

Callidina angusta Bryce, 1894

Macrotrachela armillata (Murray, 1911): AUS

Callidina armillata Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela asperula (Murray, 1911): NEA, PAL

Callidina asperula Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela bilfingeri (Bryce, 1913): AFR, PAL

Callidina bilfingeri Bryce, 1913

Syn.: Mniobia quinquetuberculata Bartoš, 1938

Macrotrachela brachysoma Schulte, 1954: PAL

Macrotrachela brevilabris De Koning, 1947

Macrotrachela brevilabris aliena Donner, 1964: AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela brevilabris brevilabris De Koning, 1947: AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela bullata (Murray, 1906): AFR, ORI, PAL

Callidina bullata Murray, 1906

Macrotrachela canadensis (Murray, 1911): NEA

Callidina canadensis Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela cancrophila (Piovanelli, 1903): PAL

Callidina cancrophila Piovanelli, 1903

Macrotrachela compacta De Koning, 1947: PAL

Macrotrachela concinna (Bryce, 1912): ANT, AUS, NEO, PAL

Callidina concinna Bryce, 1912

Macrotrachela crucicornis (Murray, 1905): NEA, PAL

Callidina crucicornis Murray, 1905

Macrotrachela cuthberti Milne, 1916: AFR

Macrotrachela decora (Bryce, 1912): AUS, NEA, PAL

Callidina decora Bryce, 1912

Macrotrachela ehrenbergii (Janson, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Callidina ehrenbergi Janson, 1893

Macrotrachela extensa Haigh, 1965: AUS

Macrotrachela faveolata Milne, 1916: AFR

Macrotrachela festinans Donner, 1949: AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela formosa (Murray, 1906): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina formosa Murray, 1906

Macrotrachela fungicola Garner, 1937: PAL

Macrotrachela gracillima Donner, 1965: PAL

Macrotrachela gunningi (Murray, 1911): AFR, AUS

Callidina gunningi Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela habita (Bryce, 1894): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina habita Bryce, 1894

Syn.: Mniobia bulbifera Bartoš, 1939

Syn.: Mniobia gibbosa Bartoš, 1938

Macrotrachela herzigana Koste, 1996

Macrotrachela hewitti (Murray, 1911): AFR, PAL

Callidina hewitti Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela induta Donner, 1951: PAL

Macrotrachela inermis Donner, 1965: PAL

Macrotrachela insolita De Koning, 1947: ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela insulana Donner, 1962: NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela intermedia Schulte, 1954: PAL

Macrotrachela kallosoma (Schulte, 1954): ANT, AUS, NEO, PAL

Mniobia kallosoma Schulte, 1954

Macrotrachela labiata Donner, 1951: PAL

Macrotrachela lata De Koning, 1947: PAL

Macrotrachela latior Donner, 1951: PAL

Macrotrachela lepida (Murray, 1911): AUS

Callidina lepida Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela libera Donner, 1949

Macrotrachela libera alveolata Koniar, 1955: PAL

Macrotrachela libera libera Donner, 1949: PAL

Macrotrachela ligulata Haigh, 1965: AUS

Macrotrachela ligulifera Bartoš, 1947: PAL

Macrotrachela longistyla (Murray, 1911): AUS

Callidina longistyla Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela macmilliani Milne, 1916: AFR

Macrotrachela magna Schulte, 1954: PAL

Macrotrachela mariae Bartoš, 1938: PAL

Macrotrachela microcornis (Murray, 1911): AUS

Callidina microcornis Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela minuta Schulte, 1954

Macrotrachela minuta minuta Schulte, 1954: PAL

Macrotrachela minuta novella Donner, 1962: PAL

Macrotrachela multispinosa Thompson, 1892

Macrotrachela multispinosa brevispinosa (Murray, 1908): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina multispinosa brevispinosa Murray, 1908

Syn.: Macrotrachela tithanyca Varga, 1948

Macrotrachela multispinosa crassispinosa (Murray, 1907): AUS, NEO, PAL

Callidina multispinosa crassispinosa Murray, 1907

Macrotrachela multispinosa multispinosa Thompson, 1892: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Macrotrachela muricata (Murray, 1905): PAL

Callidina muricata Murray, 1905

Macrotrachela murrayi Bērziņš, 1950: PAL

Macrotrachela musculosa (Milne, 1886): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Callidina musculosa Milne, 1886

Macrotrachela nana (Bryce, 1912)

Callidina nana Bryce, 1912

Macrotrachela nana laticalcar De Koning, 1947: PAL

Macrotrachela nana laticeps De Koning, 1947: PAL

Macrotrachela nana ligulata Schulte, 1954: PAL

Macrotrachela nana nana (Bryce, 1912): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela natans (Murray, 1906): NEA, PAL

Callidina natans Murray, 1906

Macrotrachela nixa Donner, 1962: ANT, AUS, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela oblita Donner, 1949: PAL

Macrotrachela obtusa Haigh, 1966: AUS

Macrotrachela ornata Donner, 1949: PAL

Macrotrachela pacifica (Murray, 1911): PAC

Callidina pacifica Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela papillosa Thompson, 1892: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Macrotrachela petulans Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Macrotrachela pilousi Bartoš, 1948: PAL

Macrotrachela pinnigera (Murray, 1908): AFR, ORI

Callidina pinnigera Murray, 1908

Macrotrachela plicata (Bryce, 1892)

Callidina plicata Bryce, 1892

Macrotrachela plicata hirundinella (Murray, 1905): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina plicata hirundinella Murray, 1905

Macrotrachela plicata plicata (Bryce, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Macrotrachela plicatula (Murray, 1911): AFR

Callidina plicatula Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela punctata (Murray, 1911): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Callidina punctata Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela quadricornifera Milne, 1886

Macrotrachela quadricornifera ligulata Bērziņš, 1950: PAL

Macrotrachela quadricornifera loricata Donner, 1965: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela quadricornifera quadricornifera Milne, 1886: AFR, ANT, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Macrotrachela serrulata Rodewald, 1935

Macrotrachela quadricornifera quadricorniferoides De Koning, 1929: AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela quadricornifera rigida Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela quadricornifera scutellata Schulte, 1954: AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela rostrata Donner, 1965: PAL

Macrotrachela samali Bartoš, 1948: PAL

Macrotrachela serrulata (Murray, 1911): AUS

Callidina serrulata Murray, 1911

Macrotrachela smithi Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS

Macrotrachela sonorensis Örstan, 1995 (species inquirenda)

Macrotrachela speciosa (Murray, 1907): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina speciosa Murray, 1907

Macrotrachela tenuis Donner, 1965: PAL

Macrotrachela timida Milne, 1916

Macrotrachela timida inquies Milne, 1916: AFR, NEO, PAL

Macrotrachela timida timida Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela tuberilabris De Koning, 1947: AUS, PAL

Macrotrachela vanoyei Schepens, 1954: PAL

Macrotrachela verecunda Milne, 1916: AFR

Macrotrachela vesicularis (Murray, 1906): AUS, PAL

Callidina vesicularis Murray, 1906

Macrotrachela zickendrahti (Richters, 1902)

Callidina zickendrahti Richters, 1902

Macrotrachela zickendrahti digitata Bartoš, 1943

Macrotrachela zickendrahti seda Donner, 1965

Macrotrachela zickendrahti zickendrahti (Richters, 1902)

Mikrocodides Bergendal, 1892

Mikrocodides chlaena (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Stephanops chlaena Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Mikrocodides dubius Bergendal, 1892

Syn.: Microcodides mobilis Rodewald, 1940

Syn.: Rhinops orbiculodiscus Thorpe, 1891

Mikrocodides hertha Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Mikrocodides robustus (Glascott, 1893): NEA, NEO, PAL

Microcodon robustus Glascott, 1893

Microcodon Ehrenberg, 1830

Microcodon clavus Ehrenberg, 1830: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Mniobia Bryce, 1910

Mniobia adhaerens Bartoš, 1944: PAL

Mniobia animosa Milne, 1916: AFR

Mniobia armata (Murray, 1905): PAL

Callidina armata Murray, 1905

Mniobia barbatula Donner, 1950: PAL

Mniobia bdelloidea Donner, 1951: PAL

Mniobia brachypoda Schulte, 1954: PAL

Mniobia branchicola (Nemec, 1895): PAL

Callidina branchicola Nemec, 1895

Mniobia bredensis De Koning, 1947: AUS, NEA, PAL

Mniobia burgeri Bartoš, 1951: ANT, NEA

Syn.: Mniobia ostensa Donner, 1980

Mniobia circinata (Murray, 1908): AUS, NEA, PAL

Callidina circinata Murray, 1908

Mniobia conarus Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Mniobia dentata Haigh, 1963: AUS

Mniobia discophora Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Mniobia donneri Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Mniobia edmondsoni Burger, 1948: NEA, PAL

Mniobia frankenbergeri Bartoš, 1944: PAL

Mniobia granulosa Bartoš, 1940: PAL

Mniobia incrassata (Murray, 1905): AUS, NEO, PAL

Callidina incrassata Murray, 1905

Mniobia incurata Rudescu, 1960: PAL

Mniobia iurensis Schulte, 1954: PAL

Mniobia lamellata Donner, 1950: AUS, PAL

Mniobia lenta Donner, 1951: PAL

Mniobia lineata Rahm, 1932: AUS, NEO, PAL

Mniobia lobata Haigh, 1967: AUS

Mniobia loxocorona De Koning, 1947: PAL

Mniobia magna (Plate, 1889): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina magna Plate, 1889

Mniobia mirabilis (Murray, 1911): AUS, NEO

Callidina mirabilis Murray, 1911

Mniobia modesta Donner, 1951: PAL

Mniobia montium Murray, 1911: NEA, PAL

Mniobia obtusicalcar De Koning, 1947: AUS, NEO, PAL

Mniobia obtusicornis Murray, 1911: AUS, NEA, PAL

Mniobia ocypetes Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Mniobia orta Donner, 1951: PAL

Mniobia placida Haigh, 1963: AUS

Mniobia procera Schulte, 1954: PAL

Mniobia punctata Haigh, 1963: AUS, PAL

Mniobia punctulata Bartoš, 1948: PAL

Mniobia recurvicornis Bartoš, 1950: PAL

Mniobia russeola (Zelinka, 1891): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina russeola Zelinka, 1891

Mniobia scabrosa Murray, 1911: AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Mniobia scarlatina (Ehrenberg, 1853): AFR, AUS, NEO, PAL

Callidina scarlatina Ehrenberg, 1853

Mniobia setifera Bartoš, 1944: PAL

Mniobia storkani Bartoš, 1948: PAL

Mniobia symbiotica (Zelinka, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina symbiotica Zelinka, 1886

Mniobia tarda Donner, 1949: AUS, PAL

Mniobia tentans Donner, 1949: NEO, PAL

Mniobia tetraodon (Ehrenberg, 1848): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina tetraodon Ehrenberg, 1848

Mniobia vargai Donner, 1962: PAL

Mniobia variabilis Donner, 1949: PAL

Monommata Bartsch, 1870

Monommata actices Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Monommata arndti Remane, 1933

Monommata aequalis (Ehrenberg, 1830): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata aequalis Ehrenberg, 1832

Monommata aeschyna Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, PAL

Monommata appendiculata Stenroos, 1898: NEA, PAL

Monommata astia Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Monommata caeca Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, PAL

Monommata caudata Myers, 1930: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Monommata sphagnicola Bērziņš, 1949

Monommata dentata Wulfert, 1940: AUS, NEA, PAC, PAL

Monommata diaphora Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, PAL

Monommata dissimile Bērziņš, 1949: PAL (species inquirenda)

Monommata enedra Myers, 1930: NEA, PAL

Monommata grandis Tessin, 1890: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Monommata robusta Bērziņš, 1949

Monommata hyalina Myers, 1930: NEO, PAL

Monommata longiseta (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Vorticella longiseta Müller, 1786

Monommata maculata Harring & Myers, 1930: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monommata phoxa Myers, 1930: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monommata pseudophoxa Wulfert, 1960: PAL

Monommata viridis Myers, 1937: AUS, NEA, PAL

Myersinella Wiszniewski, 1936

Myersina Wiszniewski, 1934 (non Herre (1934))

Myersinella belodon (Harring & Myers, 1928): NEA

Erignatha belodon Harring & Myers, 1928

Myersinella tetraglena (Wiszniewski, 1934): NEA, PAL

Myersina tetraglena Wiszniewski, 1934

Mytilina Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Diplacidum Lauterborn, 1913

Diplax Gosse, 1851 (non Charpentier (1840))

Salpina Ehrenberg, 1830 (non Cantraine (1837))

Mytilina acanthophora Hauer, 1938: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Mytilina bicarinata (Perty, 1850): NEA, ORI, PAL

Euchlanis bicarinata Perty, 1850

Syn.: Salpina pertyi Hood, 1895

Mytilina bisulcata (Lucks, 1912): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diplax bisulcata Lucks, 1912

Mytilina carpatica Varga, 1962: PAL

Mytilina compressa (Gosse, 1851): AFR, NEO, PAL

Diplax compressa Gosse, 1851

Mytilina crassipes (Lucks, 1912): AUS, NEA, PAL

Diplax crassipes Lucks, 1912

Mytilina lobata Pourriot, 1996: NEO

Mytilina macrocera (Jennings, 1894): AFR, NEA, NEO

Salpina macrocera Jennings, 1894

Mytilina michelangellii Reid & Turner, 1988: AFR, NEO

Syn.: Mytilina ventralis f. diversicantha Wulfert, 1965

Mytilina mucronata (Müller, 1773)

Brachionus mucronatus Müller, 1773

Mytilina mucronata longicauda Dartnall & Hollowday, 1985: ANT

Mytilina mucronata mucronata (Müller, 1773): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Salpina affinis Herrick, 1885

Syn.: Mytilina cypridina Bory de St. Vincent, 1926

Syn.: Mytilina cytherea Bory de St. Vincent, 1926

Syn.: Brachionus dentatus Müller, 1786

Syn.: Salpina marina Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Brachionus tetracerus Costa, 1838

Mytilina mucronata spinigera (Ehrenberg, 1830): PAL

Salpina spinigera Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: Salpina sulcata Gosse, 1886

Mytilina mucronata sumatrana Bērziņš, 1982: ORI

Mytilina trigona (Gosse, 1851): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diplax trigona Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Mytilina trigona bispinosa Wang, 1961

Mytilina unguipes (Lucks, 1912): AFR, NEO, PAL

Diplax unguipes Lucks, 1912

Mytilina ventralis (Ehrenberg, 1830)

Salpina ventralis Ehrenberg, 1830

Mytilina ventralis brevispina (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Salpina brevispina Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: Salpina redunca Ehrenberg, 1830

Mytilina ventralis longidactyla Wulfert, 1965: AFR, AUS, ORI

Mytilina ventralis ventralis (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Salpina ceylonica Daday, 1896

Syn.: Salpina cortina Thorpe, 1891

Syn.: Salpina eustala Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Salpina macracantha Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Salpina similis Stokes, 1896

Mytilina ventralis wuhanensis Sudzuki & Huang, 1997 (species inquirenda)

Mytilina videns (Levander, 1894): PAL

Diplax videns Levander, 1894

Notholca Gosse, 1886

Pseudonotholca Mirakawa, 1928

Notholca acuminata (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, PAL

Anuraea acuminata Ehrenberg, 1832

Notholca angakkoq Sørensen, 1998: NEA

Notholca angulata (Daday, 1906): PAL

Anuraea angulata Daday, 1906

Notholca baikalensis Jaschnov, 1922: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca beta Kutikova, 1986: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca bipalium (Müller, 1786): NEA, PAL

Brachionus bipalium Müller, 1786

Notholca caudata Carlin, 1943: NEA, NEO, PAL

Notholca cinetura Skorikov, 1914: PAL

Syn.: Notholca grandis Voronkov, 1917

Notholca cornuta Carlin, 1943: NEA, PAL

Notholca foliacea (Ehrenberg, 1838): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Anuraea foliacea Ehrenberg, 1838

Notholca gaigalasi Kutikova, 1970: PAL

Notholca guidoi Battistoni, 1992: NEO (Patagonia)

Notholca haueri Thomasson, 1963: NEO, PAL

Notholca hollowdayi Dartnall, 1995: ANT

Notholca ikaitophila Sørensen & Kristensen, 2000 (marine)

Notholca japonica (Marukawa, 1928): PAL

Pseudonotholca japonica Marukawa, 1928

Syn.: Notholca bifurca Hada, 1939

Syn.: Notholca quadraspinata Myers, 1936

Notholca jasnitzkii Tikhomirov, 1927: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca kostei Chengalath, 1978: NEA

Notholca kozhovi Vassilijewa & Kutikova, 1969: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca labis Gosse, 1887

Notholca labis labis Gosse, 1887: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: *Notholca labis frigida* Jaschnov, 1922 ("*frigida*" forms are giant forms, presumedly associated with extreme cold environments. They are recognized in several *Notholca* species)

Syn.: *Notholca labis limnetica* Levander, 1901 ("*limnetica*" forms have a strongly elongated caudal projection. Such forms are recognized in several *Notholca* species)

Notholca labis rectospina Kutikova, 1964: PAL

Notholca lamellifera Vassilijewa & Kutikova, 1969

Notholca lamellifera jashnovi Kutikova, 1986: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca lamellifera lamellifera Vassilijewa & Kutikova, 1969: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca latistyla Olofsson, 1918: PAL (Originally described as subspecies of N. foliacea)

Notholca laurentiae Stemberger, 1976: NEA

Notholca liepetterseni Godske Björklund, 1972: PAL

Notholca lyrata Tikhomirov, 1927: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca marina Focke, 1961: PAL (Originally described as subspecies of N. acuminata)

Notholca michiganensis Stemberger, 1976: NEA

Notholca olchonensis Tikhomirov, 1927: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca orbiculata Kutikova, 1986: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Notholca psammarina Buchholz & Rühmann, 1956: NEA, PAL

Notholca salina Focke, 1961

Notholca salina dumonti De Ridder & Verheye, 1980: PAL

Notholca salina salina Focke, 1961: ANT, NEA, PAL

Syn.: Notholca squamula evensi Gillard, 1948

Notholca squamula (Müller, 1786): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Brachionus squamula Müller, 1786

Syn.: Notholca lapponica Ruttner Kolisko, 1966

Syn.: Notholca striata striata frigida Rylov, 1922

Notholca striata (Müller, 1786): NEA, NEO, PAL

Brachionus striata Müller, 1786

Syn.: Anuraea biremis Ehrenberg, 1832

Notholca tibetica Gong, 1983: PAL

Notholca triarthroides Skorikov, 1903: PAL

Notholca verae Kutikova, 1958: ANT

Notholca walterkostei José de Paggi, 1982

Notholca walterkostei reducta Dartnall & Hollowday, 1985: ANT

Notholca walterkostei walterkostei José de Paggi, 1982: ANT, NEO

Notommata Ehrenberg, 1830

Copeus Ehrenberg, 1838 Labidodon Ehrenberg, 1838

Notommata aethis Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata allantois Wulfert, 1935: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Notommata angusta Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Notommata apochaeta Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata aurita (Müller, 1786): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Vorticella aurita Müller, 1786

Syn.: Notommata epaxia Harring & Myers, 1924

Syn.: Cyclogena lupus Eyferth, 1877

Notommata avena Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata bennetchi Myers, 1942: NEA

Notommata brachyota Ehrenberg, 1832: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Notommata brevipes Zawadowsky, 1926

Notommata cerberus (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Copeus cerberus Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Notommata parvida Myers, 1937

Notommata cherada Myers, 1938: NEA

Notommata codonella Harring & Myers, 1924

Notommata collaris Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Notommata contorta (Stokes, 1897): AUS, NEA, PAC, PAL

Diglena contorta Stokes, 1897

Notommata copeus Ehrenberg, 1834: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Notommata centrura Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Copeus ehrenbergi Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Copeus labiatus Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Copeus notommata Ehrenberg, 1838

Notommata cyrtopus Gosse, 1886

Notommata cyrtopus cyrtopus Gosse, 1886: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Notommata carpatica Rodewald, 1935

Syn.: Notommata curvipes Zawadowsky, 1926

Syn.: Notommata distincta Bergendal, 1892

Syn.: Notommata telmata Harring & Myers, 1922

Notommata cyrtopus paracyrtopus de Beauchamp, 1932: PAL

Notommata diasema Myers, 1936: NEA, PAL

Notommata doneta Harring & Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, PAL

Notommata endoxa Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata falcinella Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant europaea Bērziņš, 1949)

Notommata fasciola Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata galena codonella Harring & Myers, 1924: NEA, PAL

Notommata galena galena Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Notommata gisleni Bērziņš, 1949: PAL

Notommata glyphura Wulfert, 1935: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata groenlandica Bergendal, 1892: PAL

Notommata haueri Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Notommata lenis Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA, PAL

Notommata longina Pourriot, 1995: AUS, PAL

Notommata mera Donner, 1970: PAL

Notommata omentata Wulfert, 1939: PAL

Notommata pachyura (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Copeus pachyurus Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Notommata brachiata Daday, 1908

Syn.: Copeus quinquelobatus Stokes, 1896

Syn.: *Copeus triangulatus* Kirkman, 1906 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *triangulata*) of *N. pachyura*)

Notommata peridia Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA, NEO

Notommata placida Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Notommata prodota Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata pseudocerberus de Beauchamp, 1908: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Notommata cerberus auct.

Notommata pygmaea Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Notommata rugosa Myers, 1933: NEA

Notommata saccigera Ehrenberg, 1830: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata silpha (Gosse, 1887): AFR, NEA, PAL

Diglena silpha Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Notommata forcipata Gosse, 1886 (non Ehrenberg (1838))

Notommata silphoides de Beauchamp, 1923: PAL

Notommata spinata Koste & Shiel, 1991: AUS

Notommata stitista Myers, 1937: NEA

Notommata thopica Harring & Myers, 1924: NEA, PAC

Notommata tripus Ehrenberg, 1838: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Notommata venusta Harring & Myers, 1922: NEA

Notommata voigti Donner, 1949: PAL Notommata weberi Voigt, 1957: PAL

Octoctrocha Thorpe, 1893

Octoctrocha speciosa Thorpe, 1893: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Otostephanos Milne, 1916

Otostephanos annulatus Koniar, 1955: PAL

Otostephanos auriculatus (Murray, 1911)

Habrotrocha auriculata Murray, 1911

Otostephanos auriculatus auriculatus (Murray, 1911): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAC, PAL

Otostephanos auriculatus bilobatus Hauer, 1939: AUS, PAL

Otostephanos cuspidilabris De Koning, 1947: PAL

Otostephanos donneri Bartoš, 1959: AUS, PAL

Otostephanos jersabeki Koste, 1996: AFR

Otostephanos kostei Donner, 1972: PAL

Otostephanos macrantennus De Koning, 1947: PAL

Otostephanos monteti Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Otostephanos mundiformis De Koning, 1947: PAL

Otostephanos regalis Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Otostephanos torquatus (Bryce, 1913)

Habrotrocha torquata Bryce, 1913

Otostephanos torquatus amoenus Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Otostephanos torquatus torquatus (Bryce, 1913): AUS, NEA, PAL

Paracolurella Myers, 1936

Paracolurella aemula (Myers, 1934): NEA, NEO, ORI

Colurella aemula Myers, 1934

Paracolurella logima (Myers, 1934): NEA, NEO

Colurella logima Myers, 1934

Paradicranophorus Wiszniewski, 1929

Paradicranophorus aculeatus (Neiswestnowa-Shadina, 1935): PAL

Dicranophorus aculeatus Neiswestnowa-Shadina, 1935

Paradicranophorus hudsoni (Glascott, 1893): AUS, PAL

Diglena hudsoni Glascott, 1893

Syn.: Paradicranophorus limosus Wiszniewski, 1929

Paradicranophorus sinus De Smet, 2003: PAL

Paradicranophorus sordidus Donner, 1968: ANT, PAL

Syn.: Encentrum brevifulcrum Dartnall, 1997

Paradicranophorus verae Bogoslovsky, 1958: PAL

Paradicranophorus wesenberglundi Sørensen, 2001: PAL (brackish water)

Paraseison Plate, 1887

Paraseison annulatus (Claus, 1876) (marine, epizoic on Nebalia)

Seison annulatus Claus, 1876

Syn.: Paraseison asplanchnus Plate, 1887

Parencentrum Wiszniewski, 1953

Parencentrum lutetiae (Harring & Myers, 1928): ORI, PAL

Encentrum lutetiae Harring & Myers, 1928

Parencentrum plicatum (Eyferth, 1878): NEA, PAL

Theora plicata Eyferth, 1878

Syn.: Parencentropsis mittii Sudzuki, 1960

Pedipartia Myers, 1937

Pedipartia gracilis (Myers, 1936): NEA, PAC

Dicranella gracilis Myers, 1936

Philodina Ehrenberg, 1830

Philodina acuticornis Murray, 1902

Philodina acuticornis acuticornis Murray, 1902: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Philodina acuticornis minor Pax & Wulfert, 1942: PAL

Philodina acuticornis odiosa Milne, 1916: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Philodina alata Murray, 1910: ANT

Philodina americana Murray, 1913: NEO

Philodina amethystina Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Philodina antarctica Murray, 1910: ANT

Philodina arndti Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Philodina australis Murray, 1911: AUS, NEA

Philodina brevipes Murray, 1902: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Philodina calceata Donner, 1970: PAL

Philodina childi Milne, 1916: AFR

Philodina citrina Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Philodina convergens Murray, 1908: PAL

Philodina cristata Donner, 1949: AFR, PAL

Philodina dobrogensis Rudescu, 1960: PAL

Philodina duplicalcar (De Koning, 1947): PAL

Didymodactylos duplicalcar De Koning, 1947

Philodina erythrophthalma Ehrenberg, 1830: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Philodina eurystephana Schulte, 1954: PAL

Philodina flaviceps Bryce, 1906: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Philodina foissneri Koste, 1996: AFR

Philodina grandis Milne, 1916: AFR

Philodina gregaria Murray, 1910: ANT

Philodina indica Murray, 1906: NEA, PAL

Philodina inopinata Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Philodina jeanneli de Beauchamp, 1940: ANT

Philodina lepta Wulfert, 1950: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Philodina megalotrocha Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Philodina calcarata Schmarda, 1894

Philodina morigera Donner, 1949: AUS, NEA, PAL

Philodina nemoralis Bryce, 1903: AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Philodina nitida Milne, 1916

Philodina nitida decens Milne, 1916: AFR

Philodina nitida nitida Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS

Philodina parvicalcar De Koning, 1947: PAL

Philodina patula Milne, 1916: AFR

Philodina plena (Bryce, 1894): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina plena Bryce, 1894

Philodina praelonga Milne, 1916: AFR

Philodina proterva Milne, 1916: AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Philodina quadrata De Koning, 1947: PAL

Philodina rapida Milne, 1916: AFR, NEO, PAL

Philodina roseola Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Syn.: Philodina cinnabarina Zacharias, 1886

Philodina rugosa Bryce, 1903

Philodina rugosa callosa Bryce, 1903: PAL

Philodina rugosa coriacea Bryce, 1903: PAL

Philodina rugosa rugosa Bryce, 1903: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Philodina scabra Milne, 1916

Philodina squamosa Murray, 1906: AUS, ORI

Philodina striata Rodewald, 1937: PAL

Philodina tenuicalcar De Koning, 1947: PAL

Philodina tranquilla Wulfert, 1942: AUS, PAL

Philodina tridentata Rodewald, 1935: PAL

Philodina vorax (Janson, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Callidina vorax Janson, 1893

Philodinavus Harring, 1913

Philodinavus aussiensis Ricci, Shiel, Fontaneto & Melone, 2003

Philodinavus paradoxus (Murray, 1905): AUS, NEA, PAL

Microdina paradoxa Murray, 1905

Plationus Segers, Murugan & Dumont, 1993

Plationus felicitas (Wulfert, 1956): PAL

Platyias felicitas Wulfert, 1956

Plationus patulus (Müller, 1786)

Brachionus patulus Müller, 1786

Plationus patulus macracanthus (Daday, 1905): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Noteus patulus macracanthus Daday, 1905

Plationus patulus (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Plationus polyacanthus (Ehrenberg, 1834): PAL

Brachionus polyacanthus Ehrenberg, 1834

Syn.: Brachionus polyacanthoides Bērziņš, 1943

Platyias Harring, 1913

Noteus Ehrenberg, 1832

Platyias latiscapularis Koste, 1974: NEO

Platyias leloupi Gillard, 1967: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Platyias longispinosus Arora, 1966

Platyias quadricornis (Ehrenberg, 1832)

Noteus quadricornis Ehrenberg, 1832

Platyias quadricornis andhraensis Dhanapathi, 1974: ORI

Platyias quadricornis quadricornis (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Brachionus intermedius Herrick, 1900

Syn.: *Noteus quadricornis brevispinus* Daday, 1905 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *brevispinus*) of *P. quadricornis*)

Pleurata Nogrady & Pourriot, 1995

Pleurata chalicodes (Myers, 1933): NEA

Pleurotrocha chalicodes Myers, 1933

Pleurata thura (Myers, 1933): NEA

Pleurotrocha thura Myers, 1933

Pleurata tithasa (Harring & Myers, 1924): NEA

Notommata tithasa Harring & Myers, 1922

Pleurata trypeta (Harring & Myers, 1922): NEA, PAL

Notommata trypeta Harring & Myers, 1922

Pleurata tyleri (Koste, Shiel & Tan, 1988): AUS

Notommata tyleri Koste, Shiel & Tan, 1988

Pleurata uroglenae (de Beauchamp, 1948): PAL

Proales uroglenae de Beauchamp, 1948

Pleurata vernalis (Wulfert, 1935): PAL

Pleurotrocha vernalis Wulfert, 1935

Pleuretra Bryce, 1910

Pleuretra africana Murray, 1911: AFR, NEO

Pleuretra alpium (Ehrenberg, 1853): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina alpium Ehrenberg, 1853

Pleuretra bovicornis Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Pleuretra brycei (Weber, 1898): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina brycei Weber, 1898

Syn.: Callidina cataracta Lord, 1898

Pleuretra costata (Bartoš, 1938): PAL

Macrotrachela costata Bartoš, 1938

Pleuretra humerosa (Murray, 1905): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Philodina humerosa Murray, 1905

Pleuretra hystrix Bartoš, 1950: PAL

Pleuretra intermedia (Bartoš, 1938): PAL

Mniobia intermedia Bartoš, 1938

Pleuretra lineata Donner, 1962: AUS, PAL

Pleuretra proxima Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Pleuretra reticulata Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Pleuretra similis Bartoš, 1963: ORI

Pleuretra sulcata Bartoš, 1950: PAL

Pleuretra triangularis Murray, 1913: NEO

Pleurotrocha Ehrenberg, 1830

Pleurotrocha altila Myers, 1940: NEA

Pleurotrocha atlantica Myers, 1936: NEA, PAL (backish water and marine)

Pleurotrocha aurea (Zawadovsky, 1916): PAL

Proales aureus Zawadovsky, 1916

Pleurotrocha channa Myers, 1933: NEA

Pleurotrocha elegans Zawadovsky, 1926: PAL

Pleurotrocha larvarum Vlastov, 1956: PAL

Pleurotrocha petromyzon (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata petromyzon Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: Notops laurentinus Jennings, 1894

Pleurotrocha robusta (Glascott, 1893): NEA, PAL

Microcodon robustus Glascott, 1893

Syn.: Microcodides abbreviatus Stenroos, 1898

Pleurotrochopsis Bērziņš, 1973

Pleurotrochopsis multispinosa (Fadeew, 1925): NEA, PAL

Pleurotrocha multispinosa Fadeew, 1925

Syn.: Pleurotrochopsis anebodica Bērziņš, 1973

Ploesoma Herrick, 1885

Bipalpus Wierzejski & Zacharias, 1893

Dictyoderma Lauterborn, 1893

Gastroschiza Bergendal, 1892

Gomphogaster Vorce, 1888

Ploesoma africanum Wulfert, 1965: AFR, NEO

Ploesoma hudsoni (Imhof, 1891): NEA, NEO, PAL

Gastropus hudsoni Imhof, 1891

Syn.: Gastroschiza flexilis Jägerskiold, 1892

Syn.: Dictyoderma hypopus Lauterborn, 1893

Syn.: Ploesoma sibericum Daday, 1901

Syn.: Bipalpus vesiculosus Wierzejski & Zacharias, 1893

Ploesoma lenticulare Herrick, 1885: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Ploesoma lenticulare fukusimensis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Ploesoma lenticulare lenticulare Herrick, 1885

Syn.: Gomphogaster areolatus Vorce, 1888

Syn.: Gastropus ehrenbergii Imhof, 1891

Syn.: Ploesoma ekmani Brehm, 1910

Syn.: Gastroschiza foveolata Jägerskiold, 1892

Syn.: Bipalpus lynceus Wierzejski & Zacharias, 1893

Ploesoma multispinatum Wulfert, 1965 (species inquirenda)

Ploesoma murrayi Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Ploesoma peipsiense Maëmets & Kutikova, 1979: PAL

Ploesoma triacanthum (Bergendal, 1892): NEO, PAL

Gastroschiza triacantha Bergendal, 1892

Ploesoma truncatum (Levander, 1894): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Gastroschiza truncata Levander, 1894

Polyarthra Ehrenberg, 1834

Anarthra Hood, 1895

Polyarthra aptera Hood, 1893 (first generation hatching from resting eggs (several species))

Polyarthra proloba Wulfert, 1941 (specimens with mastax protruding in a ventral prolapse (several species))

Polyarthra pseudoproloba Albertova, 1960 (specimens with mastax protruding in a ventral prolapse (several species))

Polyarthra bicerca Wulfert, 1956 (species inquirenda)

Polyarthra dissimulans Nipkow, 1952 (species inquirenda)

Polyarthra dolichoptera Idelson, 1925: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Polyarthra platyptera auct.

Polyarthra dolichoptera f. brachyptera Bartoš, 1947 (species inquirenda)

Polyarthra euryptera Wierzejski, 1891: NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Polyarthra latiremis Imhof, 1891

Polyarthra indica Segers & Babu, 1999: AFR, ORI

Polyarthra leleki Koste & Tobias, 1989: AFR

Polyarthra longiremis Carlin, 1943: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Polyarthra luminosa Kutikova, 1962: NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Polyarthra major Burckhardt, 1900: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Polyarthra minor Voigt, 1904: AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Polyarthra platyptera Ehrenberg, 1838 (species inquirenda)

Syn.: Polyarthra platyptera auct.

Polyarthra remata Skorikov, 1896: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Polyarthra platyptera auct.

Polyarthra trigla Ehrenberg, 1834 (species inquirenda)

Polyarthra vulgaris Carlin, 1943: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Polyarthra trigla auct.

Pompholyx Gosse, 1951

Pompholyx complanata Gosse, 1851: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Pompholyx sulcata Hudson, 1885: AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Pompholyx triloba Pejler, 1957: NEA, PAL

Pourriotia De Smet, 2003

Pourriotia carcharodonta De Smet, 2003: ANT

Proales Gosse, 1886

Proales adenodis Myers, 1933: NEA

Proales alba Wulfert, 1939: NEA, PAL

Proales baradlana Varga, 1958: PAL

Proales bemata Myers, 1933: NEA

Proales christinae De Smet, 1994 (marine)

Proales cognita Myers, 1940: NEA

Proales commutata Althaus, 1957 (marine)

Proales cryptopus Wulfert, 1935: NEO, PAL

Proales daphnicola Thompson, 1892: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Proales nova Wlastow, 1953

Syn.: Proales pejleri De Smet, Van Rompu & Beyens, 1992

Proales decipiens (Ehrenberg, 1832): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Notommata decipiens Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Proales brevipes Harring & Myers, 1924

Syn.: Notommata vermicularis Dujardin, 1841

Proales doliaris (Rousselet, 1895): AUS, NEA, PAL

Microcodides doliaris Rousselet, 1895

Proales fallaciosa Wulfert, 1937: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Proales tyrphosa Bērziņš, 1949

Proales germanica Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Proales gigantea (Glascott, 1893): AUS, NEA, PAL

Notommata gigantea Glascott, 1893

Syn.: Proales ovicola Giard, 1908

Proales gladia Myers, 1933: NEA, PAL

Proales globulifera (Hauer, 1921): PAL

Furcularia globulifera Hauer, 1921

Syn.: Proales quadrangularis Glascott, 1893

Proales gonothyraeae Remane, 1929 (marine)

Proales granulosa Myers, 1933: NEA

Proales halophila Remane, 1929: PAL (marine and brackish water)

Proales indirae Wulfert, 1966: ORI

Proales kostei Nogrady & Smol, 1989: NEA

Proales lenta Wlastow, 1956: PAL

Proales litoralis De Smet, 1996 (marine)

Proales macrura Myers, 1933: NEA, PAL

Proales micropus (Gosse, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Furcularia micropus Gosse, 1886

Proales minima (Montet, 1915): NEA, PAC, PAL

Pleurotrocha minima Montet, 1915

Syn.: Proales psammophila Neiswestnowa-Shadina, 1935

Proales oculata Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Proales ornata Myers, 1933: NEA, PAL

Proales paguri Thane-Fenchel, 1966 (marine)

Proales palimmeka Myers, 1940: NEA

Proales parasita (Ehrenberg, 1838): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Notommata parasita Ehrenberg, 1838

Proales phaeopis Myers, 1933: NEA

Proales provida Wulfert, 1938: PAL

Proales pugio Nogrady, 1983: AFR, NEA

Proales reinhardti (Ehrenberg, 1834) (marine)

Furcularia reinhardti Ehrenberg, 1834

Proales segnis Myers, 1938: NEA, PAL

Proales sigmoidea (Skorikov, 1896): NEA, PAL

Pleurotrocha sigmoidea Skorikov, 1896

Syn.: Pleurotrocha macropoda Zavadowski, 1926

Proales similis de Beauchamp, 1907: AUS, NEA, ORI, PAC, PAL (halophile)

Proales simplex Wang, 1961: PAL

Proales sordida Gosse, 1886: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Proales syltensis Tzschaschel, 1979 (marine)

Proales theodora (Gosse, 1887): AUS, NEA, PAL

Notommata theodora Gosse, 1887

Syn.: Proales longipes Remane, 1929

Proales werneckii (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Notommata werneckii Ehrenberg, 1834

Proales wesenbergi Wulfert, 1960: PAL

Proalides de Beauchamp, 1907

Liliferotrocha Sudzuki, 1959

Proalides digitus Donner, 1978: PAL

Proalides subtilis Rodewald, 1940: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL Proalides tentaculatus de Beauchamp, 1907: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Proalinopsis Weber, 1918

Proalinopsis caudatus (Collins, 1873): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Notommata caudata Collins, 1873

Syn.: Proalinopsis montanus Godeanu, 1962 (synonym is species inquirenda)

Syn.: Proalinopsis trisegmentus Sudzuki, 1960 (synonym is species inquirenda)

Proalinopsis gracilis Myers, 1933: NEA, PAL

Proalinopsis lobatus Rodewald, 1935: PAL (species inquirenda)

Proalinopsis phacus Myers, 1933: NEA

Proalinopsis selene Myers, 1933: NEA

Proalinopsis squamipes Hauer, 1935: NEA, PAL

Proalinopsis staurus Harring & Myers, 1924: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Pseudoembata Wycliffe & Michael, 1968 (Genus inquirendus)

Pseudoembata acutipoda Wycliffe & Michael, 1968 (species inquirenda)

Pseudoeuchlanis Dhanapathi, 1978

Pseudoeuchlanis longipedes Dhanapathi, 1978: ORI

Pseudoharringia Fadeew, 1925

Pseudoharringia romanica Rodewald, 1937: PAL (species inquirenda) Pseudoharringia similis Fadeew, 1925: PAL

Pseudoploesoma Myers, 1938

Pseudoploesoma formosum (Myers, 1934): NEO Ploesoma formosum Myers, 1934 Pseudoploesoma greeni Koste, 1978 (species inquirenda)

Ptygura Ehrenberg, 1832

Oecistes Ehrenberg, 1834 Pseudoecistes Stenroos, 1898

Ptygura agassizi Edmondson, 1948: NEA (occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of P. melicerta)

Ptygura barbata Edmondson, 1939: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Ptygura beauchampi Edmondson, 1940: NEA, NEO, PAL (Oecistes cf. crystallinus after de Beauchamp, 1932)

Syn.: *Ptygura lacunosa* Summerfield-Wright, 1957 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *P. beauchampi*)

Ptygura brachiata (Hudson, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant *bispicata* Edmondson, 1944)

Oecistes brachiatus Hudson, 1886

Ptygura brevis (Rousselet, 1893): AUS, PAL

Oecistes brevis Rousselet, 1893

Ptygura cristata (Murray, 1913): AUS, NEA, NEO

Oecistes cristatus Murray, 1913

Ptygura crystallina (Ehrenberg, 1834): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Oecistes crystallinus Ehrenberg, 1834

Ptygura elsteri Koste, 1972: NEO, ORI

Ptygura furcillata (Kellicott, 1889): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant variabilis Koste 1975)

Cephalosiphon furcillatus Kellicott, 1889

Syn.: Ptygura furcata Hauer, 1938

Ptygura intermedia (Davis, 1867): AUS, NEO, PAL

Oecistes intermedius Davis, 1867

Ptygura kostei José de Paggi, 1996: AFR, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Ptygura elsteri f. thailandensis Koste, 1975

Ptygura libera Myers, 1934: AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL

Ptygura linguata Edmondson, 1939: NEA, NEO

Ptygura longicornis (Davis, 1867): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant bispicata Edmondson, 1944)

Oecistes longicornis Davis, 1867

Ptygura melicerta Ehrenberg, 1832

Ptygura melicerta ctenoida Koste & Tobias, 1990

Ptygura melicerta melicerta Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Oecistes ptygura Hudson & Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Oecistes serpentinus Gosse, 1886

Syn.: *Oecistes socialis* Weber, 1888 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *P. melicerta*)

Ptygura mucicola (Kellicott, 1888): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *P. melicerta*)

Oecistes mucicola Kellicott, 1888

Ptygura pedunculata Edmondson, 1939: NEA, NEO, PAL

Ptygura pilula (Cubitt, 1872): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Melicerta pilula Cubitt, 1872

Syn.: Oecistes longipes Wills, 1878 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of P. pilula)

Syn.: Oecistes umbella Hudson, 1879

Ptygura rotifer (Stenroos, 1898): NEA, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant conica Bērziņš, 1949)

Pseudoecistes rotifer Stenroos, 1898

Ptygura seminatans Edmondson, 1939: NEA

Ptygura spongicola Bērziņš, 1950 (Possibly a synonym of *P. melicerta* according to Koste (1978); *species inquirenda*)

Ptygura stephanion (Anderson, 1889) (species inquirenda)

Oecistes stephanion Anderson, 1889

Ptygura stygis (Gosse, 1886): NEA, PAL

Oecistes stygis Gosse, 1886

Syn.: *Ptygura cephaloceros* Summerfield-Wright, 1957 (incl. the infrasubspecific variant *grande* Koste, 1970)

Ptygura tacita Edmondson, 1940: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI

Ptygura tihanyensis Varga, 1937 (species inquirenda)

Ptygura tridorsicornis Summerfield-Wright, 1957: PAL

Ptygura velata (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Megalotrocha velata Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Melicerta ptygura Gosse, 1862

Ptygura wilsonii (Anderson & Shephard, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEO, PAL

Oecistes wilsonii Anderson & Shephard, 1892

Syn.: Oecistes pectinifera Murray, 1913

Resticula Harring & Myers, 1924

Resticula anceps Harring & Myers, 1924: NEA

Resticula gelida (Harring & Myers, 1922): ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Eosphora gelida Harring & Myers, 1922

Resticula lestes Wulfert, 1935: PAL

Resticula melandocus (Gosse, 1887): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Furcularia melandocus Gosse, 1887

Resticula nyssa Harring & Myers, 1924: AUS, NEA, PAL

Resticula plicata Wulfert, 1935: NEA, PAL

Resticula vermiculus Wulfert, 1935: PAL

Rhinoglena Ehrenberg, 1853

Rhinops Hudson, 1869

Rhinoglena fertoeensis (Varga, 1928): PAL (doubtful Antarctic record)

Rhinops fertoeensis Varga, 1928

Rhinoglena frontalis Ehrenberg, 1853: ANT, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Rhinops vitrea Hudson, 1869

Rhinoglena tokioensis Sudzuki, 1975: PAL

Rotaria Scopoli, 1777

Rotifer Cuvier, 1798

Rotaria citrina (Ehrenberg, 1838): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Rotifer citrinus Ehrenberg, 1838

Rotaria curtipes (Murray, 1911): AUS

Rotifer curtipes Murray, 1911

Rotaria elongata (Weber, 1888): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Rotifer elongatus Weber, 1888

Rotaria exoculis De Koning, 1947: AUS, NEA, PAL

Rotaria haptica (Gosse, 1886): AUS, PAL

Rotifer hapticus Gosse, 1886

Rotaria laticeps Wulfert, 1942: AUS, PAL

Rotaria macroceros (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Rotifer macroceros Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Rotifer motacilla Bartsch, 1870

Rotaria macrura (Ehrenberg, 1832)¹: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL (not Vorticella macroura Hermann, 1783)

Rotifer macrurus Ehrenberg, 1832

Rotaria magnacalcarata (Parsons, 1892): PAL

Callidina magnacalcarata Parsons, 1892

Rotaria mento (Anderson, 1889): NEA, ORI, PAL

Rotifer mento Anderson, 1889

Rotaria montana (Murray, 1911): AUS, ORI

Rotifer montanus Murray, 1911

Rotaria murrayi Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Rotaria neptunia (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Actinurus neptunius Ehrenberg, 1830

Rotaria neptunoida Harring, 1913: AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Rotifer neptunius Milne, 1886 (non Ehrenberg (1832))

Rotaria ovata (Anderson, 1889): ORI

Actinurus ovatus Anderson, 1889

Rotaria quadrangularis (Heinis, 1913): NEA

Rotifer quadrangularis Heinis, 1913

Rotaria quadrioculata (Murray, 1902): AUS, PAL

Rotifer quadrioculatus Murray, 1902

Rotaria rotatoria (Pallas, 1766)

Brachionus rotatorius Pallas, 1766

Rotaria rotatoria granularis (Zacharias, 1885): PAL

Rotifer rotatoria granularis Zacharias, 1885

Rotaria rotatoria rotatoria (Pallas, 1766): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Esechielina bakeri Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Syn.: Rotifer brachyurus Ehrenberg, 1831

Syn.: Esechielina leuwenhoekii Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Syn.: Rotaria monteti Bērziņš, 1955

Syn.: Esechielina muelleri Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Syn.: Rotifer redivivus Cuvier, 1798

Syn.: Rotaria saprobica Bērziņš, 1955

Syn.: Rotifer vulgaris Schrank, 1801

Rotaria rotatoria spongioderma Pax & Wulfert, 1941: PAL

Rotaria socialis (Kellicott, 1888): NEA, NEO, PAL

Callidina socialis Kellicott, 1888

Rotaria sordida (Western, 1893)

^{1.} There is considerable confusion in literature regarding the identity and synonymy of *Rotaria macrura* (Ehrenberg) and *Vorticella macroura* Hermann, 1783 (*Rotifer macrourus*: Schrank, 1803). The exact taxonomic identity of the latter can't be inferred from the original description; however, it is clear that the two are not conspecific (Harring, 1913). I therefore follow Harring (1913) rather than Donner (1965), who lists *Vorticella marcoura* as synonym of *Rotaria macrura* (Schrank).

Callidina sordida Western, 1893

Rotaria sordida fimbriata (Murray, 1906): AFR, AUS, ORI, PAC, PAL

Rotifer longirostris fimbriatus Murray, 1906

Rotaria sordida (Western, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Callidina longirostris Janson, 1893

Rotaria spicata (Murray, 1902): NEA, PAL

Rotifer spicatus Murray, 1902

Rotaria tardigrada (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Rotifer tardigradus Ehrenberg, 1830

Syn.: Rotifer maximus Bartsch, 1870

Syn.: Rotifer tardus Ehrenberg, 1838

Rotaria tridens (Montet, 1915): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Rotifer tridens Montet, 1915

Syn.: Rotaria tridentata Varga, 1954

Rotaria trisecata (Weber, 1888): NEA, NEO, PAL

Rotifer trisecatus Weber, 1888

Rousseletia Harring, 1913

Rousseletia corniculata Harring, 1913: NEA

Scaridium Ehrenberg, 1830

Scaridium bostjani Daems & Dumont, 1974: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Scaridium elegans Segers & De Meester, 1994: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI (record from China by Zhuge (1997) is S. longicaudum)

Scaridium elongatum Segers, 1996: NEO

Scaridium grande Segers, 1995: AFR, ORI

Scaridium longicaudum (Müller, 1786): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Trichoda longicauda Müller, 1786

Scaridium montanum Segers, 1995: PAL

Scaridium neglectum Segers, 1997: NEA

Scepanotrocha Bryce, 1910

Scepanotrocha corniculata Bryce, 1910: AUS, NEO, PAL

Scepanotrocha delicata Donner, 1949: AUS, PAL

Scepanotrocha galeata Milne, 1916: AFR, PAL

Scepanotrocha haueri Donner, 1962

Scepanotrocha haueri amota Donner, 1962: PAL

Scepanotrocha haueri haueri Donner, 1962: PAL

Scepanotrocha impexa Donner, 1962: PAL

Scepanotrocha parva Schulte, 1954: PAL

Scepanotrocha rubra Bryce, 1910: AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Scepanotrocha semitecta Donner, 1951: NEO, PAL

Scepanotrocha setifera Haigh, 1963: AUS

Scepanotrocha simplex De Koning, 1947: AUS, NEO, PAL

Seison Grube, 1861

Seison africanus Sørensen, Segers & Funch, 2005

Seison nebaliae Grube, 1861 (marine, epizoic on Nebalia)

Syn.: Seison grubei Claus, 1876

Syn.: Saccobdella nebaliae Van Beneden & Hesse non Grube, 1864

Sinantherina Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Sinantherina ariprepres Edmondson, 1939: AUS, NEA, NEO

Sinantherina procera (Thorpe, 1893): NEO, ORI

Megalotrocha procera Thorpe, 1893

Sinantherina semibullata (Thorpe, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Megalotrocha semibullata Thorpe, 1893

Syn.: Megalotrocha binotata Daday, 1897

Sinantherina socialis (Linnaeus, 1758): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Hydra socialis Linnaeus, 1758

Syn.: Megalotrocha alboflavicans Ehrenberg, 1838

Sinantherina spinosa (Thorpe, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Megalotrocha spinosa Thorpe, 1893

Sinantherina triglandularis Arora, 1963 (species inquirenda)

Sphyrias Harring, 1913

Sphyrias lofuana (Rousselet, 1910): AFR, PAC Notops lofuana Rousselet, 1910

Squatinella Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Stephanops Ehrenberg, 1830 Listrion Schmarda, 1846

Squatinella bifurca (Bolton, 1884): PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant gigantea Pourriot, 1971)

Stephanops bifurcus Bolton, 1884

Squatinella geleii Varga, 1933: PAL

Squatinella lamellaris (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Brachionus lamellaris Müller, 1786

Syn.: Squatinella aurita Wulfert, 1950 (incl. the infrasubspecific variant myersi Voigt, 1957)

Syn.: Stephanops dichthapsis Anderson, 1889

Syn.: Squatinella donneri Wulfert, 1956

Syn.: Stephanops emarginatus Bilfinger, 1894

Syn.: Stephanops groenlandicus Bergendal, 1892

Syn.: Stephanops intermedius Burn, 1889

Syn.: Squatinella minor Wulfert, 1961

Syn.: *Stephanops muticus* Ehrenberg, 1832 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. *mutica*) of *S. lamellaris*)

Syn.: Stephanops tridentatus Fresenius, 1858 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant (f. tridentata)

of S. lamellaris)

Squatinella leydigii (Zacharias, 1886): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant longiseta Pourriot, 1971)

Stephanops leydigii Zacharias, 1886

Syn.: Squatinella longispinata auct.

Syn.: Stephanops variegatus Levander, 1894

Squatinella longispinata (Tatem, 1867): AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Stephanops longispinatus Tatem, 1867

Syn.: Stephanops armatus Hudson, 1885

Syn.: Stephanops tripus Hudson, 1889

Syn.: Stephanops uniseta Collins, 1872

Syn.: Stephanops unisetatus Hudson & Gosse, 1886

Squatinella lunata Segers, 1993: AFR, ORI

Squatinella microdactyla (Murray, 1906): NEA, PAC, PAL

Stephanops microdactylus Murray, 1906

Squatinella pseudorostrum Markevich, 1990 (species inquirenda)

Squatinella retrospina Myers, 1938: NEA

Squatinella rostrum (Schmarda, 1846): AUS, NEA, PAL

Listrion rostrum Schmarda, 1846

Syn.: Squatinella lamellata auct.

Stephanoceros Ehrenberg, 1832

Stephanoceros fimbriatus (Goldfusz, 1820): AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Coronella fimbriata Goldfusz, 1820

Streptognatha Harring & Myers, 1928

Streptognatha lepta Harring & Myers, 1928: NEA

Synchaeta Ehrenberg, 1832

Synchaeta arcifera Xu, 1998: NEO, PAL

Synchaeta atlantica Zelinka, 1907 (marine)

Synchaeta bacillifera Smirnov, 1933 (marine)

Synchaeta baltica Ehrenberg, 1834 (marine)

Syn.: Synchaeta apus Plate, 1889

Synchaeta bicornis Smith, 1904: NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Synchaeta calva Ruttner-Kolisko, 1970 (species inquirenda)

Synchaeta cecilia Rousselet, 1902: PAL (marine and brackish water)

Synchaeta cecilia f. fusipes Buchholz, 1954 (marine)

Synchaeta curvata Lie-Pettersen, 1905 (species inquirenda)

Synchaeta cylindrica Althaus, 1957: PAL (Inland saline waters)

Synchaeta elsteri Hauer, 1963 (species inquirenda)

Synchaeta fennica Rousselet, 1909 (marine)

Synchaeta glacialis Smirnov, 1932 (marine)

Synchaeta grandis Zacharias, 1893: NEA, PAL

Synchaeta grimpei Remane, 1929: NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Syn.: Synchaeta procera Galliford, 1946

Synchaeta gyrina Hood, 1887: PAL (marine and brackish water)

Synchaeta hutchingsi Brownell, 1988: AFR (marine)

Synchaeta hyperborea Smirnov, 1932 (marine)

Synchaeta johanseni Harring, 1921: NEA

Synchaeta jollyae Shiel & Koste, 1993: AUS

Synchaeta kitina Rousselet, 1902

Synchaeta kitina kitina Rousselet, 1902: NEA, NEO, PAL

Synchaeta kitina monodactyla Koch-Althaus, 1976 (species inquirenda)

Synchaeta lakowitziana Lucks, 1930

Synchaeta lakowitziana arctica De Smet, 1988: PAL

Synchaeta lakowitziana lakowitziana Lucks, 1930: AUS, NEA, PAL

Synchaeta littoralis Rousselet, 1902 (species inquirenda)

Synchaeta longipes Gosse, 1887: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Synchaeta wesenberglundi Pejler, 1957

Synchaeta monopus Plate, 1889 (marine)

Synchaeta neapolitana Rousselet, 1902 (marine)

Synchaeta oblonga Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Synchaeta pachypoda Jashnov, 1922: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Synchaeta pachypoida Kutikova & Vassiljeva, 1982: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Synchaeta pectinata Ehrenberg, 1832: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Synchaeta mordax Gosse, 1851

Synchaeta prominula Kutikova & Vassiljeva, 1982: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Synchaeta rousseleti Zelinka, 1927 (marine, Antarctic)

Synchaeta rufina Kutikova & Vassiljeva, 1982: PAL (Baikal endemic)

Synchaeta squamadigitata De Smet, 2006 (marine)

Synchaeta stylata Wierzejski, 1893: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Synchaeta tamara Smirnov, 1932 (marine)

Synchaeta tavina Althaus, 1957: AUS, NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Synchaeta tremula (Müller, 1786): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Vorticella tremula Müller, 1786

Syn.: Synchaeta neglecta Zacharias, 1901

Syn.: Synchaeta truncata von Hofsten, 1909

Synchaeta tremuloida Pourriot, 1965: PAL

Synchaeta triophthalma Lauterborn, 1894: AUS, NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Synchaeta verrucosa Nipkow, 1961: NEA, PAL

Syn.: Synchaeta asymmetrica Koch-Althaus, 1963

Synchaeta vorax Rousselet, 1902: NEA, PAL (marine and brackish water)

Taphrocampa Gosse, 1851

Taphrocampa annulosa Gosse, 1851: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL *Taphrocampa clavigera* Stokes, 1896: NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

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Taphrocampa lemurensis Bērziņš, 1982: AFR

Taphrocampa selenura Gosse, 1887: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Testudinella Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Pterodina Ehrenberg, 1938

Testudinella ahlstromi Hauer, 1956: AUS, NEA, NEO

Testudinella amphora Hauer, 1938: AUS, NEO, ORI

Testudinella andranomenensis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Testudinella angulata Myers, 1934: NEA

Testudinella aspis Carlin, 1939: PAL

Testudinella berzinsi Gillard, 1952: AFR

Testudinella brevicaudata Yamamoto, 1951: AFR, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Pompholyx acutangula Wu, 1981

Testudinella brycei Hauer, 1938: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAL

Testudinella caeca (Parsons, 1892): AFR, NEA, NEO, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variants lermaensis

Ahlstrom, 1932 and haueri Wiszniewski, 1954)

Pterodina caeca Parsons, 1892

Testudinella carlini Bartoš, 1951: PAL

Testudinella clypeata (Müller, 1786): NEA, PAL

Brachionus clypeatus Müller, 1786

Syn.: Pterodina crassa Levander, 1894

Syn.: Testudinella dentata Myers, 1934

Syn.: *Testudinella pseudoclypeata* Bērziņš, 1943 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *T. clypeata*)

Testudinella dendradena de Beauchamp, 1955: AFR, NEO, ORI (distribution unreliable because of taxonomic confusion (see Rougier & Pourriot, 2006))

Testudinella discoidea Ahlstrom, 1938: NEA

Testudinella elliptica (Ehrenberg, 1834): NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Pterodina elliptica Ehrenberg, 1834

Testudinella emarginula (Stenroos, 1898): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Pterodina emarginula Stenroos, 1898

Testudinella epicopta Myers, 1934: NEA

Testudinella gillardi De Ridder, 1966: PAL

Testudinella greeni Koste, 1981: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Syn.: Testudinella tridentata f. curvata Wulfert, 1965

Syn.: Testudinella tridentata obtusa Wu, 1981

Testudinella haueriensis Gillard, 1967: NEO (distribution unreliable because of taxonomic confusion (see Rougier & Pourriot, 2006))

Testudinella hussevi Shiel & Koste, 1985: AUS

Testudinella incisa (Ternetz, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Pterodina incisa Ternetz, 1892

Syn.: *Testudinella naumanni* Carlin, 1939 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *T. incisa*)

Syn.: Testudinella vidzemensis Bērziņš, 1943

Syn.: Testudinella vidzemensis alofsi Gillard, 1952 (species inquirenda)

Testudinella kostei De Ridder, 1983: AFR

Testudinella mucronata (Gosse, 1886)

Pterodina mucronata Gosse, 1886

Testudinella mucronata mucronata (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (distribution unreliable because of taxonomic confusion (see Rougier & Pourriot, 2006))

Testudinella mucronata tasmaniensis Koste & Shiel, 1986: AUS

Testudinella munda Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Testudinella neboisi Bērziņš, 1982: AUS

Testudinella obscura Althaus, 1957 (marine psammon)

Testudinella ohlei Koste, 1972: NEO (incl. the infrasubspecific variant pustulata Koste, 1978)

Testudinella ovata Myers, 1934: NEA

Testudinella panonica Zivkovic, 1987 (species inquirenda)

Testudinella parva (Ternetz, 1892): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Pterodina parva Ternetz, 1892

Syn.: Testudinella bidentata Ternetz, 1892 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of T. parva)

Syn.: Pterodina calcaris Langer, 1909 (identical to T. parva var. bidentata)

Syn.: Pterodina emarginata Wierzejski, 1893 (identical to T. parva var. bidentata)

Syn.: Testudinella insinuata Hauer, 1938 (T. insuata auct)

Syn.: *Testudinella semiparva* Hauer, 1938 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *T. parva*)

Testudinella patina (Hermann, 1783): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variant *lindbergi* Bērziņš)

Brachionus patina Hermann, 1783

Syn.: Pterodina intermedia Anderson, 1889

Syn.: Testudinella pseudoelliptica Bartoš, 1951

Syn.: *Testudinella sculpturata* Bartoš, 1951 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *T. patina*)

Syn.: *Pterodina trilobata* Anderson & Shephard, 1892 (synonym occasionally considered an infrasubspecific variant of *T. patina*)

Syn.: Testudinella trilobata haterumensis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Syn.: Testudinella trilobata triangularis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Syn.: Pterodina valvata Hudson, 1871

Testudinella reflexa (Gosse, 1887): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Pterodina reflexa Gosse, 1887

Testudinella robertsonae Koste, 1990: NEO

Testudinella sphagnicola Rudescu, 1960 (species inquirenda)

Testudinella stappersi Evens, 1947 (species inquirenda)

Testudinella striata (Murray, 1913) (species inquirenda)

Pterodina striata Murray, 1913

Testudinella subdiscoidea De Ridder, 1983: AFR

Testudinella triangularis Myers, 1934: NEA

Testudinella tridentata Smirnov, 1931: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Syn.: Testudinella dicella Myers, 1934

Syn.: Testudinella paratridentata Van, 1961

Syn.: Testudinella tridentata africana Gillard, 1952

Syn.: Testudinella tridentata amazonica Thomasson, 1971

Syn.: Testudinella tridentata insulana Bērziņš, 1982

Testudinella tridentata Smirnov, 1931: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Testudinella truncata (Gosse, 1886): AFR, NEA, PAL (incl. the infrasubspecific variants ecornis

Wiszniewski, 1953 and usmaensis Bērziņš, 1943)

Pterodina truncata Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Pterodina stenroosi Rundström, 1909

Testudinella unicornuta Koste & Shiel, 1987: AUS

Testudinella vanoyei Gillard, 1947 (species inquirenda)

Testudinella walkeri Koste & Shiel, 1980: AUS

Testudinella wuhanensis Sudzuki, 1992 (species inquirenda)

Tetrasiphon Ehrenberg, 1840

Tetrasiphon hydrocora Ehrenberg, 1840: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Trichocerca Lamarck, 1801

Acanthodactylus Tessin, 1890 (non Wiegmann (1834))

Coelopus Ehrenberg, 1886

Diurella Bory de St. Vincent, 1824

Mastigocerca Ehrenberg, 1830

Monocerca Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Rattulus Lamarck, 1816

Vaginaria Schrank, 1802

Trichocerca abilioi Segers & Sarma, 1993: AFR, NEO, ORI

Trichocerca agnatha Wulfert, 1939: AFR, AUS, PAL

Trichocerca antilopaea (Petr, 1891) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus antilopaeus Petr, 1891

Trichocerca artmanni (Zelinka, 1927) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus artmanni Zelinka, 1927

Trichocerca bambekei (Mola, 1913) (species inquirenda)

Coelopus bambekei Mola, 1913

Trichocerca barsica (Varga & Dudich, 1939) (species inquirenda)

Diurella barsica Varga & Dudich, 1939

Trichocerca bicristata (Gosse, 1887): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Mastigocerca bicristata Gosse, 1887

Trichocerca bicurvicornis (Mola, 1913) (species inquirenda)

Mastigocerca bicurvicornis Mola, 1913

Trichocerca bicuspes (Pell, 1890): NEA

Mastigocerca bicuspes Pell, 1890

Trichocerca bidens (Lucks, 1912): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Diurella bidens Lucks, 1912

Syn.: Diurella bidens astriata Rodewald, 1935

Syn.: Trichocerca cavia auct.

Trichocerca bilunaris Blainville, 1830 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca brachydactyla (Glascott, 1893) (species inquirenda)

Mastigocerca brachydactyla Glascott, 1893

Trichocerca brachyura (Gosse, 1851): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monocerca brachyura Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Rattulus palpitatus Stokes, 1896

Trichocerca braziliensis (Murray, 1913): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI

Rattulus braziliensis Murray, 1913

Trichocerca brevidactyla (Daday, 1890) (species inquirenda)

Diurella brevidactyla Daday, 1890

Trichocerca brevistyla (Lucks, 1912) (species inquirenda)

Diurella brevistyla Lucks, 1912

Trichocerca calypta (Gosse, 1886) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus calyptus Gosse, 1886

Trichocerca capucina (Wierzejski & Zacharias, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Mastigocerca capucina Wierzejski & Zacharias, 1893

Syn.: Mastigocerca hudsoni Lauterborn, 1893

Trichocerca caspica (Tschugunoff, 1921) (probable synonym of T. marina?)

Rattulus caspicus Tschugunoff, 1921

Syn.: Rattulus caspicus longicaudis Tschugunoff, 1921

Trichocerca catellus (Müller, 1773) (species inquirenda)

Cercaria catellus Müller, 1773

Trichocerca cavia (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Coelopus cavia Gosse, 1886

Trichocerca chattoni (de Beauchamp, 1907): AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL (proposed as subspecies of *T. cylindrica*)

Rattulus chattoni de Beauchamp, 1907

Trichocerca cimolia (Gosse, 1886) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus cimolius Gosse, 1886

Trichocerca collaris (Rousselet, 1896): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Rattulus collaris Rousselet, 1896

Trichocerca compressa Edmondson, 1938 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca cryptodus (Hauer, 1937) (species inquirenda)

Diurella cryptodus Hauer, 1937

Trichocerca cuspidata (Stenroos, 1898) (species inquirenda)

Mastigocerca cuspidata Stenroos, 1898

Trichocerca cylindrica (Imhof, 1891): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Mastigocerca cylindrica Imhof, 1891

Syn.: Mastigocerca elegans Meissner, 1902

Syn.: Mastigocerca hamata Zacharias, 1897

Syn.: Mastigocerca hamata bologonensis Minkiewicz, 1900

Syn.: Mastigocerca setifera Lauterborn, 1893

Trichocerca dixonnuttalli (Jennings, 1903): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diurella dixonnuttalli Jennings, 1903

Trichocerca edmondsoni (Myers, 1936): NEA, NEO

Diurella edmondsoni Myers, 1936

Syn.: Trichocerca rossae Edmondson, 1936

Trichocerca elongata (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Mastigocerca elongata Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Mastigocerca grandis Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Trichocerca tchadiensis Pourriot, 1968

Trichocerca euodonta (Hauer, 1937) (species inquirenda)

Diurella euodonta Hauer, 1937

Trichocerca flagellata Hauer, 1937: AFR, AUS, NEO, ORI, PAL

Trichocerca flava (Voronkov, 1907) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus flavus Voronkov, 1907

Trichocerca gillardi Koste, 1978 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca gracilis (Tessin, 1890): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (species inquirenda)

Acanthodactylus gracilis Tessin, 1890

Trichocerca harveyensis Myers, 1942: NEA, PAL

Trichocerca helminthodes (Gosse, 1886) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus helminthodes Gosse, 1886

Trichocerca heterodactyla (Tschugunoff, 1921) (species inquirenda)

Diurella heterodactyla Tschugunoff, 1921

Trichocerca hollaerti De Smet, 1990: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAC

Trichocerca iernis (Gosse, 1887): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Mastigocerca iernis Gosse, 1887

Trichocerca inermis (Linder, 1904) (species inquirenda)

Coelopus inermis Linder, 1904

Trichocerca insignis (Herrick, 1885): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Diurella insignis Herrick, 1885

Trichocerca insolens (Myers, 1936): NEA

Diurella insolens Myers, 1936

Trichocerca insulana (Hauer, 1937): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Diurella insulana Hauer, 1937

Syn.: Trichocerca montana Hauer, 1956

Trichocerca intermedia (Stenroos, 1898): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Coelopus intermedius Stenroos, 1898

Syn.: Trichocerca intermedia arenosa Wiszniewski, 1953

Trichocerca jobloti Bory de St. Vincent, 1827 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca kostei Segers, 1993: AFR, NEO, ORI

Trichocerca lata (Jennings, 1894): NEA

Mastigocerca lata Jennings, 1894

Trichocerca longiseta (Schrank, 1802): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Vaginaria longiseta Schrank, 1802

Syn.: Mastigocerca auchinlecki Stewart, 1908

Syn.: Monocerca bicornis Ehrenberg, 1832

Syn.: Monocerca cornuta Eyferth, 1878

Syn.: Trichocerca falx Edmondson, 1936 (synonym is a newly hatched specimen)

Trichocerca longistyla (Olofsson, 1918): PAL

Diurella longistyla Olofsson, 1918

Syn.: Trichocerca parvula Carlin, 1939

Trichocerca lophoessa (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Mastigocerca lophoessa Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Mastigocerca rectocaudis Hilgendorf, 1899

Trichocerca macera (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Mastigocerca macera Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Mastigocerca fusiformis Levander, 1894

Trichocerca maior (Hauer, 1935): NEA, PAL (proposed as infrasubspecific variant of T. porcellus)

Diurella maior Hauer, 1935

Syn.: Diurella porcellus carinata Myers, 1936

Trichocerca marina (Daday, 1890) (Marine species)

Diurella marina Daday, 1890

Syn.: Mastigocerca curvata Levander, 1894 (synonym occasionally listed as subspecies of T. marina)

Syn.: Mastigocerca dubia Lauterborn, 1894

Syn.: Rattulus henseni Zelinka, 1907

Syn.: Rattulus liepetterseni de Beauchamp, 1907 (proposed as ssp.)

Trichocerca microstyla (Daday, 1901) (species inquirenda)

Mastigocerca microstyla Daday, 1901

Trichocerca minuta (Gosse, 1886) (species inquirenda)

Coelopus minutus Gosse, 1886

Trichocerca mollis Edmondson, 1936: NEA, NEO

Trichocerca mucosa (Stokes, 1896): NEA (non T. bicristata mucosa auct.)

Mastigocerca mucosa Stokes, 1896

Trichocerca mucripes Ahlstrom, 1938 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca multicrinis (Kellicott, 1897): NEA, NEO (down to Panama)

Mastigocerca multicrinis Kellicott, 1897

Trichocerca murchiearum Edmondson, 1936 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca mus Hauer, 1938: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Trichocerca musculus (Hauer, 1937): AFR, AUS, NEA, PAL

Diurella musculus Hauer, 1937

Syn.: Diurella parva Rodewald, 1935 (non Manfredi (1927))

Trichocerca myersi (Hauer, 1931): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Diurella myersi Hauer, 1931

Syn.: Diurella tortuosa Myers, 1936

Trichocerca nitida Harring, 1914 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca obtusidens (Olofsson, 1918): NEA, NEO, PAC, PAL

Diurella obtusidens Olofsson, 1918

Syn.: Trichocerca arctica Voigt, 1957

Syn.: Trichocerca minuta Olofsson, 1918 (non Gosse (1886))

Syn.: Trichocerca relicta Donner, 1950

Trichocerca orca (Murray, 1913): AUS, ORI

Rattulus orca Murray, 1913

Trichocerca ornata Myers, 1934: NEA

Trichocerca pediculus Remane, 1949 (Marine species)

Trichocerca plaka Myers, 1938: NEA

Trichocerca platessa Myers, 1934: NEA

Trichocerca porcellus (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Monocerca porcellus Gosse, 1851

Syn.: Acanthodactylus tigris Tessin, 1890 (non Müller (1786))

Trichocerca pusilla (Jennings, 1903): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Rattulus pusillus Jennings, 1903

Trichocerca pygocera (Wiszniewski, 1932): PAL

Diurella pygocera Wiszniewski, 1932

Trichocerca rattus (Müller, 1776): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Trichoda rattus Müller, 1776

Syn.: *Rattulus carinatus* Lamarck, 1816 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of *T. rattus*, as *T. rattus* f. *carinata*)

Syn.: Trichoda criceta Schrank, 1803

Syn.: *Trichocerca cristata* Harring, 1913 (nom. nov. for *Mastigocerca carinata* Ehrenberg, 1830 *non* Lamarck, 1816)

Syn.: Brachionus cylindricus Schrank, 1776

Syn.: Monocerca longicauda Bory de St. Vincent, 1826

Syn.: Trichocerca minor Fadeew, 1925 (synonym considered an infrasubspecific variant of T. rattus)

Trichocerca rectangularis Evens, 1947 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca ripli Bērziņš, 1973 (species inquirenda)

Trichocerca rosea (Stenroos, 1898): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Mastigocerca rosea Stenroos, 1898

Trichocerca rotundata Myers, 1937: NEA

Trichocerca rousseleti (Voigt, 1902): AFR, AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Coelopus rousseleti Voigt, 1902

Syn.: Mastigocerca minima Skorikov, 1903

Trichocerca ruttneri Donner, 1953: AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Trichocerca scipio (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Mastigocerca scipio Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Trichocerca jenningsi Voigt, 1957

Trichocerca sejunctipes (Gosse, 1886) (species inquirenda)

Rattulus sejunctipes Gosse, 1886

Trichocerca siamensis Segers & Pholpunthin, 1997: NEA, NEO, ORI

Trichocerca similis (Wierzejski, 1893)

Coelopus similis Wierzejski, 1893

Trichocerca similis grandis Hauer, 1965: AFR, AUS, NEO

Trichocerca similis similis (Wierzejski, 1893): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Rattulus bicornis Western, 1893 (non Ehrenberg (1832))

Syn.: Mastigocerca birostris Minkiewisz, 1900

Syn.: Mastigocerca blanci Linder, 1904

Syn.: Diurella stylata Eyferth, 1878 (non Gosse (1851))

Syn.: Mastigocerca wolgensis Meissner, 1902

Trichocerca simoneae De Smet, 1990: AFR, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL (unpublished European records)

Trichocerca stylata (Gosse, 1851): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Monocerca stylata Gosse, 1851

Trichocerca sulcata (Jennings, 1894): AUS, NEA, NEO, PAL

Rattulus sulcatus Jennings, 1894

Syn.: Rattulus cryptopus Bilfinger, 1894

Trichocerca taurocephala (Hauer, 1931): NEA, PAL

Diurella taurocephala Hauer, 1931

Trichocerca tenuidens (Hauer, 1931) (species inquirenda)

Diurella tenuidens Hauer, 1931

Trichocerca tenuior (Gosse, 1886): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Coelopus tenuior Gosse, 1886

Syn.: Mastigocerca flectocaudatus Hilgendorf, 1899

Syn.: Trichocerca neeli Edmondson, 1948

Trichocerca tigris (Müller, 1786): AFR, ANT, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Trichoda tigris Müller, 1786

Syn.: Heterognathus macrodactylus Schmarda, 1859

Trichocerca uncinata (Voigt, 1902): NEA, PAL

Coelopus uncinatus Voigt, 1902

Trichocerca unidens (Stenroos, 1898) (species inquirenda)

Mastigocerca unidens Stenroos, 1898

Trichocerca valga (Ehrenberg, 1834) (species inquirenda)

Monocerca valga Ehrenberg, 1834

Trichocerca vargai Wulfert, 1961: PAL

Trichocerca vassilijevae Kutikova & Arov, 1985

Trichocerca vernalis (Hauer, 1936): AUS, NEA, ORI, PAL

Diurella vernalis Hauer, 1936

Trichocerca voluta (Murray, 1913): NEO, ORI

Diurella voluta Murray, 1913

Syn.: Trichocerca tropis Hauer, 1937

Trichocerca wanarra Segers & Shiel, 2003: AUS

Trichocerca weberi (Jennings, 1903): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Diurella weberi Jennings, 1903

Trichocerca weberi (Jennings, 1903): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Diurella weberi Jennings, 1903

Trichotria Bory de St. Vincent, 1827

Dinocharis Ehrenberg, 1830

Trichotria buchneri Koste, Shiel & Tan, 1988: AFR

Trichotria curta (Skorikov, 1914): PAL

Dinocharis curta Skorikov, 1914

Trichotria eukosmeta Myers, 1934: NEA

Trichotria pocillum (Müller, 1776): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL

Trichoda pocillum Müller, 1776

Syn.: Dinocharis pocillum bergi Meissner, 1908

Syn.: Dinocharis pocillum hudsoni Varga, 1930

Syn.: Dinocharis pocillum majus Varga, 1930

Syn.: Furcularia stentorea Bory de St. Vincent, 1825

Trichotria pseudocurta Koste, Shiel & Tan, 1988: AUS

Trichotria tetractis (Ehrenberg, 1830) (includes the infrasubspecific variant turfacea Petr, 1890)

Dinocharis tetractis Ehrenberg, 1830

Trichotria tetractis caudata (Lucks, 1912): AFR, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (may be a mere infrasubspecific variant)

Dinocharis tetractis caudata Lucks, 1912

Trichotria tetractis similis (Stenroos, 1898): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL (may be a mere infrasubspecific variant)

Dinocharis tetractis similis Stenroos, 1898

Trichotria tetractis strumosa Sudzuki & Huang, 1997 (Described as Trichotria similis strumosa. species inquirenda)

Trichotria tetractis (Ehrenberg, 1830): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL

Syn.: Dinocharis pauper Ehrenberg, 1830 (T. paupera auct. (lapsus))

Syn.: Dinocharis quadrangularis Stirnemann, 1926

Trichotria truncata (Whitelegge, 1889): AUS, NEA, PAL (includes the infrasubspecific variant *aspinosa* Rodewald, 1934)

Dinocharis truncatum Whitelegge, 1889

Syn.: Trichotria cornuta Myers, 1938

Syn.: Dinocharis intermedia Bergendal, 1892

Trichotria zanclum Bērziņš, 1982 (species inquirenda)

Tripleuchlanis Myers, 1930

Tripleuchlanis plicata (Levander, 1894): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAC, PAL *Euchlanis plicata* Levander, 1894

Trochosphaera Semper, 1872

Trochosphaera aequatorialis Semper, 1872: AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Trochosphaera solstitialis Thorpe, 1893: AFR, NEA, ORI, PAL

Tylotrocha Harring & Myers, 1922

Tylotrocha monopus (Jennings, 1894): NEA, PAL Notommata monopus Jennings, 1894

Wierzejskiella Wiszniewski, 1934

Wierzejskiella ambigua (Tzschaschel, 1979) (marine psammon)

Encentrum ambiguum Tzschaschel, 1979

Wierzejskiella elongata (Glascott, 1893): NEA, PAL

Diglena elongata Glascott, 1893

Syn.: *Encentrum lineatum* Tzschaschel, 1979 (*E. lineatum* Tzschaschel erroneously proposed as *nom. nov.* for *E. elongatum* (Wiszniewski) *non* Harring & Myers)

Wierzejskiella marina Remane, 1949 (marine psammon)

Syn.: *Encentrum wierzejskii* Tzschaschel, 1979 (*E. wierzejskii* Tzschaschel proposed as *nom. nov.* for *E. marinum* (Remane) *non* Dujardin)

Wierzejskiella ricciae (Harring, 1913): NEA, PAL

Encentrum ricciae Harring, 1913
Wierzejskiella sabulosa (Wiszniewski, 1932): PAL
Encentrum sabulosum Wiszniewski, 1932
Wierzejskiella subterranea Remane, 1949 (marine psammon)
Wierzejskiella vagneri Koniar, 1955: PAL
Wierzejskiella velox (Wiszniewski, 1932): AUS, NEA, PAL
Encentrum velox Wiszniewski, 1932

Syn.: Wierzejskiella fluviatilis Neiswestnowa-Shadina, 1935

Wigrella Wiszniewski, 1932

Wigrella amphora (Remane, 1929) (marine psammon) Encentrum amphora Remane, 1929 Wigrella depressa Wiszniewski, 1932: PAL

Wolga Skorikov, 1903

Wolga spinifera (Western, 1894): AFR, AUS, NEA, NEO, ORI, PAL Distyla spinifera Western, 1894 Syn.: Cathypna spinifera Murray, 1913

Wulfertia Donner, 1943

Wulfertia kindensis Koste & Tobias, 1990: ORI Wulfertia kivuensis De Smet, 1992: AFR Wulfertia ornata Donner, 1943: AFR, NEA, PAC, PAL

Zelinkiella Harring, 1913

Zelinkiella synaptae (Zelinka, 1887) (marine) Discopus synaptae Zelinka, 1887