

PE Note: New name for the foraminiferal genus *Olgia*

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The name of the new foraminiferal genus *Olgia* Mikhalevich, 2011 published in Mikhalevich (2011) is preoccupied by *Olgia* Radoszkowskii, 1877, a genus of wasp (Radoszkowskii, 1877, p. 33). Thus *Olgia* Mikhalevich, 2011 is a junior homonym of *Olgia* Radoszkowskii, 1877.

Olgita is here proposed as a new name for *Olgia* Mikhalevich, 2011 (see Figure 1).

Its taxonomic position remains unchanged:

Phylum FORAMINIFERA d'Orbigny, 1826

Class ROTALIATA Mikhalevich, 1980

Subclass TEXTULARIANA Mikhalevich, 1980

Order VERNEUILINIDA Mikhalevich and Kaminski, 2004

Superfamily CHRYSALIDININOIDEA Neagu, 1968

Family OLGIIDAE Mikhalevich, 2011

Genus *OLGITA* Mikhalevich pro *Olgia* Mikhalevich, 2011

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Type species. *Clavulina pacifica* Cushman 1924, Publ. 342. Carnegie Institute. Washington, 1924, p. 22, pl. 6, figs. 7 – 11.

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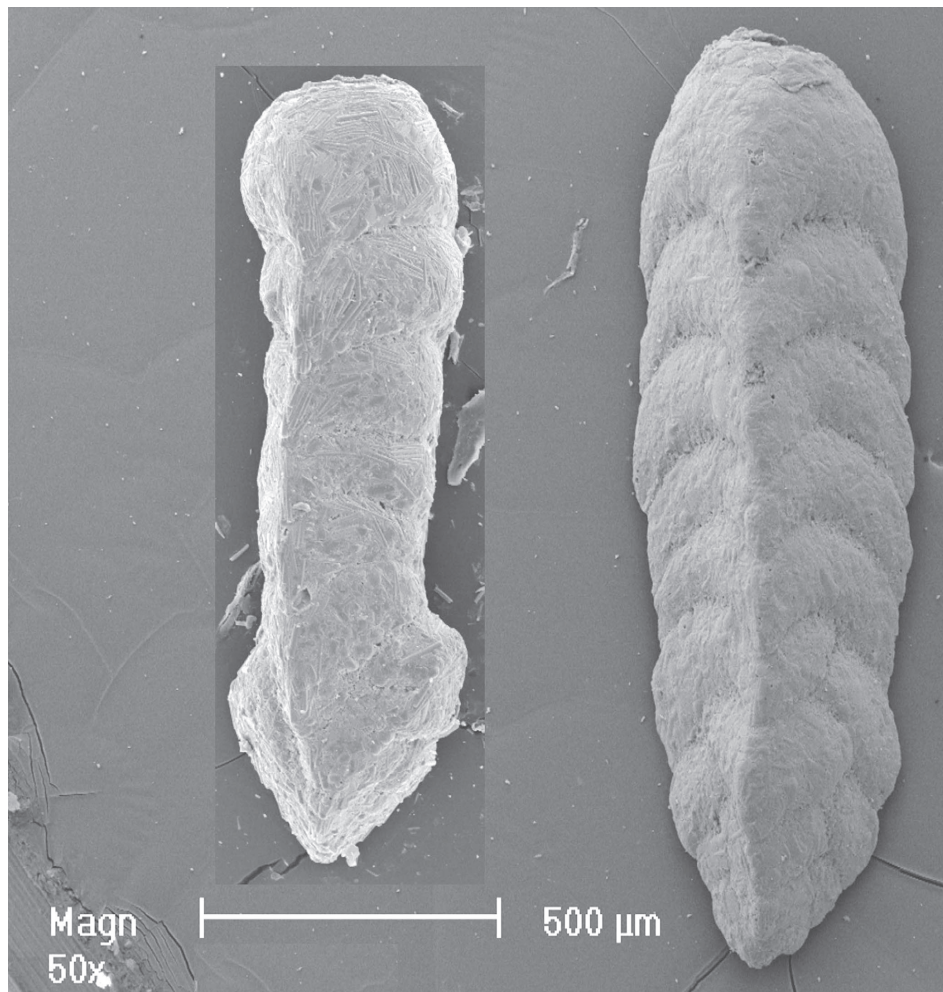


FIGURE 1. Microsphaeric and megalosphaeric shells of *Olgita pacifica* (Cushman, 1924).