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Peridinium minutum Kofoid, *Univ. Calif. Publ. Zool.* 3: 310, pl. 31, figs 42–45 (1907)

Type locality: U.S.A. (California)

Australian distribution: Qld (Gulf of Carpentaria; cysts), N.S.W., Vic., Tas.

Extra-Australian distribution: Brazil, Gulf of Mexico, U.S.A. (California, Virginia, Massachusetts), Canada (British Columbia, E coast), Atlantic Ocean, British Isles, North Sea, France, Portugal, Black Sea, Red Sea, South China Sea, East China Sea, Yellow Sea, Peru, Mexico (Pacific coast)

Note: In marine and brackish waters

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