

**Ceratium contrarium** (Gourret) Pavill.

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Type locality: Mediterranean Sea (France)

Australian distribution: Gulf of Carpentaria/North-west Shelf, Qld, N.S.W.

Extra-Australian distribution: Brazil, Gulf of Mexico, U.S.A. (Virginia), Canary Islands, Spain, Mediterranean Sea, Black Sea, Red Sea, Arabian Sea, South China Sea, Japan, North Pacific Ocean, Solomon Islands, Tasman Sea, New Zealand, SW Pacific Ocean, Pacific coast of Mexico, Peru

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