

Ceratium ranipes Cleve

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Ceratium tripos var. *digitatum* Lemmerm., *Abh. Naturwiss. Vereine Bremen* 16: 346 (1899), *nom. illeg., non Schütt* (1895); *Neoceratium ranipes* (Cleve) F.Gómez, D.Moreira & López-García, *Protist* 161: 45 (2010), *nom. illeg.*

Type locality: Atlantic Ocean

Australian distribution: Gulf of Carpentaria/North-west Shelf, Qld (Great Barrier Reef, SE coast), N.S.W. (S to Port Hacking), Bass Strait, W.A. (SW coast)

Extra-Australian distribution: Brazil, South Africa, South Atlantic Ocean, Gulf of Mexico, U.S.A. (California, NE coast), Canary Islands, North Atlantic Ocean, Spain, Portugal, Mediterranean Sea, Red Sea, Gulf of Aden, Arabian Sea, Indian Ocean, South China Sea, East China Sea, Japan, western Pacific Ocean, Tasman Sea, New Zealand, eastern tropical Pacific Ocean, Pacific coast of Mexico

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