

Protoperidinium pallidum (Ostenf.) Balech

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Peridinium pallidum Ostenf., in M.Knudsen & C.[H.]Ostenfeld, *Iagttagelser over overfladevants Temperatur, Saltoldighed og Plankton paa Islandske og Grønlandske Skibsrouter I 1898* 60 (1899)

Type locality: North Atlantic Ocean (Denmark Strait)

Australian distribution: Gulf of Carpentaria/North-west Shelf, N.S.W. (off Sydney); "rare — Port Hacking, N.S.W., to Queensland" [Wood, 1954]

Extra-Australian distribution: Canary Islands, North Atlantic Ocean (Denmark Strait), British Isles, Norway, Adriatic Sea, Black Sea, West Africa, Japan

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