

Feltria kolymica nom. n. is a new name for the water mite *Feltria similis* Tuzovskij, 1998

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The name *Feltria similis*, which was given to a new species of water mite was preoccupied by Tuzovskij (1998). The new name *Feltria kolymica* is proposed for the species studied.

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In 1998 we had been published the message on a new species of the water mite *Feltria* (*Feltria*) *similis* (Tuzovskij, 1998, p. 85-87). Recently it was found out, that the given name is already used at the description of a species of this genus from subgenus *Neofeltria* (Cook, 1963). Our name of the species is a younger homonym and agrees to the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature (International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature, 1999) should be replaced by a new name. The new name *Feltria kolymica* nom. n. is proposed for the species studied.

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