RAUIELLA THUIDIOIDES, SP. NOV. (LESKEACEAE, BRYOPHYTA), A NEW SPECIES FROM THE RUSSIAN FAR EAST

RAUIELLA THUIDIOIDES, SP. NOV. (LESKEACEAE, BRYOPHYTA), НОВЫЙ ВИД С РОССИЙСКОГО ДАЛЬНЕГО ВОСТОКА

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Abstract

Molecular barcoding of a morphologically unfamiliar thuidiaceous moss, known so far from two specimens collected in the Sikhote-Alin mountain range suggested the affinity with the genus *Rauiella*. Subsequent evaluation in a broader phylogenetic context of Leskeaceae s. lat. using nuclear ribosomal ITS and chloroplast *trnF-trnS* regions confirmed that the plants which morphologically substantially differ from known representatives of *Rauiella* are molecularly likewise distinctive. It is therefore described and illustrated here as a new species, *Rauiella thuidioides*. We further discuss the morphological differences from its congeners and other similar taxa, as well as its ecology and geographical affinities. Finally, we also touch the delimitation of the genus *Rauiella* and advocate the synonymy of Thuidiaceae with Leskeaceae.

Резюме

Предварительное изучение с помощью молекулярных маркеров двух образцов неизвестного вида из семейства Thuidiaceae, собранных на хребте Сихоте-Алинь в Приморском крае, показало их сходство с родом *Rauiella*. Последующая оценка их положения в более широком филогенетическом контексте семейства Leskeaceae s. lat. с помощью ядерного участка ITS и хлоропластного *trnF-trnS* подтвердила их принадлежность к этому роду; при этом были показаны существенные морфологические и молекулярные отличия этих образцов от известных представителей *Rauiella*. Эти растения описаны и проиллюстрированы как новый вид *Rauiella thuidioides*. Обсуждаются его отличия от других видов *Rauiella* и морфологически сходных видов из других родов, а также особенности экологии и распространения нового вида. Рассмотрены также объем и границы рода *Rauiella* и приведены доводы в пользу синонимизации семейства Thuidiaceae с Leskeaceae.

KEYWORDS: Hypnales, molecular barcoding, ITS, trnF-trnS, cryptic diversity

INTRODUCTION

In course of identification of specimens collected in 2013 at the well-known locality of Elomovsky Klyuch valley beneath Benevskie waterfalls (Sikhote-Alin mountains, Primorsky Territory, Russian Far East), the second author (EA) was puzzled by a thuidiaceous moss, which combined the characteristics of *Rauiella fujisana* (Paris) Reimers (pluripapillose lamina cells) with the branching pattern unknown in this species (sparse but at least partly bipinnate branching) and pointing thus rather towards *Thuidium* Schimp. s.str., although such sparse branching is also unknown in the Far East Asian representatives of *Thuidium* with pluripapillose cells, i.e., *T. submicropteris* Cardot, *T. subglaucinum* Cardot, and *T. kanedae* Sakurai. Several years later, JK and VF visited the site again and JK happened to collect the same moss again and was puzzled in the same way when attempting at naming this collection. Molecular barcoding using the nrITS and chloroplast *rps4* regions pointed towards the affinity with *Rauiella fujisana*, rather than with *Thuidium*, but only sequences of *R. fujisana*, *R. lagoensis* (Hampe) W.R. Buck, and *R. praelonga* (Schimp. ex Besch.) Wijk

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& Margad. were publicly accessible (the latter two only for rps4, mitochondrial nad5 intron, and nuclear LSU) at that time, and the representation of the East Asian R. fujisana in GenBank was very scarce. We decided therefore to sample molecularly a few additional specimens of R. fujisana and add the eastern North American R. scita, which is the type of the genus but has not yet been sampled for molecular data. Published molecular phylogenetic accounts with greater emphasis on Thuidiaceae or Leskeaceae s.lat. are sparse and include a smaller account by García-Ávila et al. (2009), who used chloroplast rbcL and rps4-trnS regions, the unpublished dissertation by Soares (2015), who used the combination of chloroplast rps4, mitochondrial nad5 intron and nuclear ribosomal LSU, the arXiv-indexed paper by Cai et al. (2019), who used the combination of nuclear ribosomal ITS with the plastid trnL-trnF, rps4, and atpB-rbcL, and a small account published on the occasion of the description of a new thuidiaceous genus, Lazarenkoa Ignatov & Ignatova nom. illeg. (Ignatov et al., 2019), now replaced by Ignatovia U.B. Deshmukh (Deshmukh, 2021); here the molecular dataset was based on the combination of nuclear ribosomal ITS with the plastid trnL-trnF.

The genus Rauiella was in fact described by Austin (1880) [as Rauia Aust.] to accommodate the eastern North American species which was then recognized as Thuidium scitum (P. Beauv.) Austin. He considered the 'leskeaceous' capsule form and peristome as diagnostic characters worth segregating it from Thuidium. Unfortunately, he has not noticed that the name has already been in use for a rutaceous plant described in 1823 and this failure was corrected by Reimers (1937), who coined a replacement name, Rauiella Reimers, and added the second species to the delimitation of the genus, the east Asian R. fujisana. His concept was already close to the modern one, having emphasized the monoicy, simple pinnate branching of plants, dense paraphyllia, pluripapillose cells, and erect cylindrical capsule with short operculum and 1-2 endostome cilia between teeth. Several new combinations to the genus were added by Wijk & Margadant (1962) without a dedicated study, and the last addition to the concept of Rauiella was made by Buck (1991), who newly combined into the genus the chiefly neotropical species, R. lagoensis. The genus is currently rather generally accepted, based probably on the reasoning provided by both Buck & Crum (1990) and Touw (2001), although Noguchi et al. (1991) preferred the broad delimitation of the genus Thuidium, which included Pelekium Mitt., Bryochenea C. Gao & K.C. Chang, Abietinella Müll. Hal., and Rauiella. Rauiella has not yet been studied in broader phylogenetic context and sadly, the neotropical species, R. lagoensis and R. praelonga, which differ in several morphological aspects from the northern temperate species, R. scita and R. fujisana (Touw 2001), were never included together in one of the above-mentioned phylogenetic studies but doubts on the phylogenetic coherence of the groups can be deduced from the markedly different affinities of *R. lagoensis*, which appears mostly closely related to *Haplocladium microphyllum* (Sw. ex Hedw.) Broth. (García-Avila *et al.*, 2009), while *R. fujisana* appears closest to *Abietinella* and *Bryonoguchia* (Cai *et al.*, 2019; Ignatov *et al.*, 2019). The acceptance of the whole family Thuidiaceae with respect to Leskeaceae appears controversial, as the Thuidiaceae comprising at least the genera accepted in the broad *Thuidium* concept of Noguchi *et al.* (1991) are firmly rooted among bryologists, but the above-mentioned phylogenetic studies strongly favour the concept of broad Leskeaceae, as adopted by Allen (2018).

MATERIAL AND METHODS

Based on the published molecular data in Leskeaceae s.lat. with respect to the phytogeographic focus of the sampling, we decided that the most logical combination of loci to use in this study would be the combination of nrITS and chloroplast trnF-trnS regions. These loci were used in the treatments by Cai et al. (2019) and Ignatov et al. (2019), although none of them employed the complete trnF-trnS region; the variability of the trnL-trnT and trnTrps4 spacer was, however, found phylogenetically informative, e.g., in the recent molecular-phylogenetic study of Orthothecium (Ignatov et al., 2020). Use of the region however enables employing accessions for which only trnLtrnF or rps4-trnS part is available. We used the datasets published by Cai et al. (2019) and Ignatov et al. (2019) as a basis for the matrix, and supplemented it with the newly obtained sequences of Rauiella and other Leskeaceae s.lat., as specified in the Appendix.

Retrieval of sequences followed the laboratory protocols specified in Kučera et al. (2019) and Ignatov et al. (2020). Raw sequences were trimmed from primer complements, checked and corrected for reading errors and inserted into preliminary matrices based on the abovementioned phylogenetic studies, observing our later achievements, particularly the larger study by Kučera et al. (2019). ITS and chloroplast matrices were initially aligned and evaluated in phylogenetic context separately. We used the online interface of Mafft ver. 7 (https:// mafft.cbrc.jp/alignment/server/) to align our matrices using the E-INS-i aligning strategy with otherwise default options and checked the results for obvious inconsistencies manually. We employed Bayesian inference (BI) and Maximum Likelihood (ML) analysis for the phylogenetic inference. The analyses were calculated in Mr-Bayes v. 3.2.7a (Ronquist et al., 2012) and RAxML v. 8.2.12 (Stamatakis, 2014) software packages, run at the cluster facilities of Metacentrum VO (see acknowledgement), following the algorithms specified in Kučera et al. (2019). Chloroplast and ITS matrices were not further partitioned but upon inspection of inconsistencies between the results from these partial analyses, we have not discovered discrepancies at supported nodes which would prevent us from concatenation and therefore we



used the concatenated data matrix, which was partitioned between nuclear and plastid partitions. Indel data were not scored following the initial inspection of result differences between the included and not included indel data.

RESULTS

Analysis of separate ITS and chloroplast matrices yielded nearly identical topologies, differing mostly in more abundant unresolved lineages resulting from the chloroplast dataset. We present and describe here there-

fore only the results obtained from the analysis of concatenated matrices (Fig. 1). All sampled Thuidiaceae and Leskeaceae accessions form together a well-supported monophyletic unit. The type of Leskeaceae, Leskea polycarpa, appears nested in a weakly supported lineage containing accessions of Haplocladium, Rauiella lagoensis and R. praelonga, and Ignatovia. Members of Thuidium, on the other hand, appear in a fully supported clade which is sister to fully supported Pelekium clade that also includes Bryochenea. The composite lineage of Thuidium and Pelekium+Bryochenea appears sister to Bryonoguchia to form a virtually unsupported clade. All other relationships at supra-generic rank are poorly supported or not supported at all. Members of Rauiella form two markedly distant lineages, the northern lineage (PP 1/ BS 80) comprising the temperate representatives R. scita, R. fujisana and the two accessions of plants from Elomovsky Klyuch which form a weakly supported monophylum (PP 0.94/BS 66) with the North American R. scita, while R. fujisana is sister to this lineage. The whole northern Rauiella lineage appears sister to Boulaya, comprising a very weakly supported clade (PP 0.89/BS-). The undescribed Rauiella shares rps4-trnS sequence with R. scita but differs in five substitutions in the remaining part of trnF-rps4 region and five in ITS. Rauiella fujisana differs in additional 10 substitutions in trnF-rps4 region, two substitutions in the rps4trnS region and 8 in ITS. The southern Rauiella representatives appear within a poorly supported clade that includes analysed accessions of Haplocladium, Leskea and Ignatovia.

DISCUSSION

The morphologically distinct plants collected several times in the valley of Elomovsky Klyuch in the southern part of Sikhote-Alin mountain range were molecularly confirmed to be a member of the "northern Rauiella lineage", i.e., the genus Rauiella in the strict sense. The structure of molecular variability in this lineage fully supports the recognition of three identically evaluated taxa, showing little infraspecific variation and substantially larger divergence among taxa. The undescribed member of Rauiella is more closely related to the eastern North American R. scita than to the sympatrically occurring R. fujisana. At the same time, R. scita is not known to occur outside its endemic distribution range between North Carolina and Quebec, eastern Atlantic coast and Iowa in the west (Buck, 2014). The polyphyly of Rauiella, as currently delimited, calls for the re-evaluation of the genus, as already suggested by Touw (2001), who stated that the neotropical Rauiella members possess character states he considered as derived with respect to northern species, including irregular branching pattern, paraphyllia with few and short branches, weakly differentiated stem and branch leaves, muticous stem leaves, strong costae with dorsal superficial costa cells chlorophyllose, similar to adjacent lamina cells, long and sheathing perichaetial leaves and reduced peristomes. They also share the acute, sharp terminal cell of branch leaves in contrast to truncate and pluripapillose cells of the northern species (Buck, 2014). We have not had the possibility of studying the tropical representatives of the genus and the phylogenetic affinities are assessed only from the *rps*4 part of the *trn*F-*trn*S region which we employed in most other cases. The comprehensive revision of *Rauiella* is nevertheless far beyond the scope of the current paper.

The results from our phylogenetic analysis also fully support the idea of merging the traditionally recognized family of Thuidiaceae with Leskeaceae (Allen, 2018). Should the two families be maintained, it would necessitate either segregating several new families with low support and hardly any morphological substantiation (one of them containing probably the northern Rauiella clade with Boulava), or the acceptance of monophyletic crown group of Thuidiaceae containing probably only Thuidium and Pelekium at the cost of paraphyletic Leskeaceae represented by the grade of all basal thuidiaceous/ leskeaceous genera. Neither of these solutions seems to be more convenient than the somewhat unusual broad delimitation of Leskeaceae, where however only the genus Leskea is retained in the classical delimitation of the family (Brotherus, 1925).

TAXONOMY

Rauiella thuidioides Jan Kučera & Ignatova, spec. nov. Fig. 2, 3A–D, 4A–D.

Holotype: Russian Federation, Primorsky Territory, Lazo Distr.: Elomovsky Klyuch valley, 43°13'39.3"N, 133°45'47.6"E, 250 m a.s.l., on mossy rocks in mixed conifer-broadleaved forest, 5 September 2013, coll. Ignatov, Ignatova & Malashkina 13-1264 (MHA9101928). Isotype MW9092266.

Paratypes: (1) Russian Federation, Primorsky Territory, Lazo Distr.: Elomovsky Klyuch valley, 43°13'10"N, 133°46'31"E, 200 m a.s.l., broad-leaved alluvial wood; on half-shaded siliceous boulder, 5 September 2019, coll. J. Kučera 21299 (CBFS). (2) The same area, without exact coordinates, ca. 200 m a.s.l., on rocks in a mixed floodvalley forest, 6 September 2006, coll. Ignatov, Ignatova & Cherdantseva 06-2175 (MHA9131243, MW9092267).

Etymology. The specific epithet refers to thuidioid appearance which results from the presence of sparsely bipinnate branching.

Diagnosis. The species differs from its congeners, and particularly from *R. fujisana* and *R. scita*, in its sparse branching which reveals rich paraphyllia present on stem, the occasional production of second order branches from the primary ones, and the larger stem leaves, mostly exceeding 1 mm in length and 0.5 mm in width. The differences from *Thuidium* species with pluripapillose cells (*T. submicropteris*, *T. subglaucinum*, *T. kanedae*, *T. alleniorum*) include autoicous gametangia and less regular and less dense, mostly unipinnate branching. *Boulaya*



Fig. 2. *Rauiella thuidioides* (from holotype). A–C: habit, dry; D–E: cells of stem leaf acumina; F: cells of the apical portion of the secondary branch leaf; G: cells of the apical portion of the primary branch leaf; H–K: paraphyllia; L: median cells of stem leaf; M–O: branch leaves from secondary branches; P: inner perichaetial leaf; R–S, W: branch leaves from primary branes; T–V: stem leaves; X: basal cells of stem leaf. Scale bars: 1 cm for A; 2 mm for B; 1 mm for C; 0.5 mm for M–W; 100 µm for D–L, X.

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mittenii is more densely, unipinnately branched, has unipapillose cells and is dioicous.

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Description: *Plants* in loose, interwoven mats, rigid, green or yellowish-green, dull but with glossy stem leaf apices. *Stems* to 8 cm long, 0.5–1.0 mm wide with leaves, sparsely and irregularly branched, often with secondary branchlets on primary branches; central strand absent;

medullary cells firm-walled, cortical cells in 3–4 layers thick-walled, brown, hyalodermis absent; paraphyllia numerous on stems and primary branches, filamentose and foliose, branched. *Stem leaves* incurved when dry, widely spreading when moist, $0.9-1.2 \times 0.6-0.8$ mm, from wide triangular or cordate-deltoid bases abruptly narrowed into long, narrow triangular acumina, with unise-

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Fig. 3. A comparison of North Hemispheric *Rauiella* species. A–D: *R. thuidioides* (from holotype). E–K: *R. fujisana* (from: Russia, Primorsky Territory, Dalnegorsk District, *Ignatov & Ignatova 13-1601*, MHA). L–S: *R. scita* (from: U.S.A., Maine, *Allen 28294*, MHA). A, E–G, L–N: stem leaves; B, H–I, O–P: branch leaves; C, J, R: median laminal cells; D, K, S: leaf transverse sections. Scale bars: 0.5 mm for A–B, E–I, L–P; 100 µm for C–D, J–K, R–S.

riate apices 2-4 cells long, abruptly rounded to the insertion, strongly plicate; costae extending to the base or middle part of narrow acumina, gradually tapered distally; margins entire, plane or recurved at places in basal half; median laminal cells irregularly polygonal and transversely ovate, with moderately thickened walls, slightly collenchymatous, with several round and 0shaped, low papillae over lumina mainly on dorsal side of leaf lamina, 5-12×7-10 µm; cells of acumina elongate, 25–30×5–8 µm, smooth. Primary branch leaves with ovate base and triangular acumina, 0.55-0.70×0.3-0.4 mm, apical cell sharp, smooth; secondary branch leaves ovate, 0.2-0.25×0.12-0.14 mm, apical cell truncate, papillose. Autoicous. Perichaetia on stem, conspicuous. Inner perichaetial leaves narrowly lanceolate, ca. 2.5-3.0×0.5 mm, not plicate, with long, filiform, flexuose acumina, uniseriate apices 3-4 cells long; margins plane, serrulate throughout; costa to 0.7 the leaf length, weakly delimited from adjacent cells; laminal cells oblong, smooth. Perigonia on stem close to perichaetia, small, inconspicuous. Setae 1.8-2.2 mm long, yellowish or yellow brown. Capsules inclined, cylindrical, slightly curved, 1.8-2 mm long and 0.8-0.9 mm wide. Opercula and annuli not seen. Exostome teeth ca. 500 µm long, light yellow, cross-striolate below, papillose above. Endostome with basal membrane ca. 250 µm high; segments as long as exostome, narrow, not or scarcely perforated; cilia in groups of 2-3, nodose. Spores 9-11 µm, very finely papillose. Calyptrae not seen.

Differentiation. Rauiella thuidioides can be rather easily differentiated from the co-occurring common East Asian *R. fujisana* by the longer, up to 8 cm long stems, much sparser branching with somewhat irregularly long primary branches and particularly by the sparse but rather regular appearance of short secondary branches arising from the primary ones (cf. Fig. 4C). Stem leaves are larger, 0.9-1.2×0.6-0.8 mm vs. to 0.9×0.45 mm (as specified by Noguchi et al., 1991), are more strongly plicate and have typically longer, piliferous apices (Fig. 3), although this character is rather variable in R. fujisana. Leaf laminal cells of R. fujisana are covered by dense, coarse, forked papillae on both leaf surfaces (Fig. 3K), while in R. thuidioides the papillae are smaller, less massive, simple or indistinctly bifid (0-shaped), more numerous on dorsal surface of leaf lamina (Fig. 3D). Rauiella thuidioides also differs from R. fujisana in longer setae (1.8-2.2 vs. 1.0-1.2 mm), longer exostome teeth (500 vs. 350 µm), and smaller, finer papillose spores (9-11 vs. 12-15 µm). Rauiella scita is presently only known from eastern North America and can also be differentiated by the absence of secondary branches and more regular and dense branching pattern (Fig. 4G), although less regular than in R. fujisana, and with only few secondary branches. Its leaves are also much smaller than those of R. thuidioides -0.6-0.8 mm long (Allen, 2014). The papillae on leaf lamina of R. scita are more similar to those of R. thuidioides; cells are described by Allen (2014) as densely pluripapillose on dorsal surface, bulging or unipapillose on ventral surface (cf. Fig. 3S). Rauiella scita has shorter setae, 0.8-1.4 mm vs. 1.8-2.2 mm long), and its spore size is similar to R. thuidioides (8–12 μ m). Rauiella thuidioides possibly most resembles members of the genus Haplocladium at casual observation with respect to similar, irregular and sparse branching pattern. In particular, stem leaves of R. thuidioides are strikingly similar in shape, size and strong plication to plants named Haplocladium microphyllum in northeastern Asia, although such plants differ from typical Central American plants representing the type of H. microphyllum. Species of Haplocladium can, however, be differentiated by the unipapillose cells, dioicous gametangia distribution

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Fig. 4. Habits of *R. thuidioides*, from holotype (A–D), *R. scita* (from: USA, Maine, Allen 28294 MHA9057089; E–H), *R. fujisana* (from: Russia, Primorsky, *Ignatov & Ignatova 13-1380*, MHA9048227; I–L). Each row at the same magnification.

and mostly sparser paraphyllia, particularly on branches, and secondary branches are also absent. *Boulaya mittenii* is also unipinnate, more densely and regularly branched plant with thicker primary branches, cells are weakly unipapillose and somewhat collenchymatous, the plants are also dioicous. *Thuidium* species are dioicous as well and mostly are more densely and regularly bi- to tripinnate, except for, e.g., *T. alleniorum*, which however has only shortly pointed stem leaves and the branch leaves are incurved.

Ecology and Geography. Rauiella thuidioides was collected from half-shaded siliceous boulders in broadleaved alluvial wood surrounding the brook at 200-250 m a.s.l. It is not known how typical this habitat is for the species; the co-occurring R. fujisana is mostly found epiphytically in the same environments, but occasionally is also encountered on stones or bare ground. On the other hand, the habitat of shaded siliceous boulders in humid environment is also typical for the co-occurring species of the genus Haplocladium (currently referred to H. angustifolium, H. microphyllum and H. strictulum). The valley beneath Benevskie waterfalls has been well studied for bryophytes and contains many rare mosses of the Eastern element, including Arrhenopterum heterostichum Hedw., Boulaya mittenii (Broth.) Cardot, Forsstroemia konoi (Broth.) Enroth, Fedosov & Ignatov, Hypopterygium flavolimbatum Müll. Hal., Orthotrichum consobrinum Cardot, Pylaisia coreana Nog., Rhizomnium striatulum (Mitt.) T.J. Kop. and many others. This discovery confirms that the bryoflora of the north-eastern Asia still contains unnoticed species, which might, however, prove more broadly distributed after previously unassigned material is revised. The use of molecular tools greatly enhances such efforts.

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Appendix. Specimen voucher information and GenBank accession numbers for newly generated sequences. Newly generated sequences are in bold.

Taxon	Provenance	Voucher	isolate	ITS	trnF-trnS
Cratoneuron filicinum	Czech Rep.: Horní Maršov	Kučera 22385 (CBFS)	Cn2368	OL989999	-
Entodon concinnus	Bulgaria: Trigrad gorge	Kučera 14006 (CBFS)	En1020	MH613374	OL960672
Entodon schleicheri	Russia: Irkutskaya Prov.,	Kučera 20340 (CBFS)	En1507	MK327300	OL960673
	Slyudyanka				
Rhytidium rugosum	Austria: Mt Waldhorn	Kučera 12871 (CBFS)	-	MK327361	
Pseudoleskeella catenulata	Czech Rep.: Křížlice	Kučera 14759 (CBFS)		OL990009	
Pylaisia polyantha	Czech Rep.: Mikulov	Kučera 19399 (CBFS)	-	MH613484	
Ptilium crista-castrensis Abietinella abietina	Czech Rep.: Zliv Czech Rep.: Horní Albeřice	Kučera 17064 (CBFS)		MH613481 OL989996	
Actinothuidium hookeri	China: Yunnan	Kučera 22358 (CBFS) Shevock 52072 (MW)	ThF22		OL960666
Boulaya mittenii	Russia: Primorsky, Elomovsky	Kučera 21386 (CBFS)		OL989998	
Bryonoguchia molkenboeri	Russia: Primorsky, Chandolaz	Ignatov & Ignatova		KX396260	
Dryonoguenia momenoveri		13-1936 (MW)	011170	111390200	01/00000
Echinophyllum sachalinense	Russia: Primorsky, Tadusha	Ignatov et al. 13-1469 (MW)	OK1174	KX396259	OL960671
Echinophyllum sachalinense		MW9037836	ThF48	OL990000	
1 2					OL960670
Haplocladium angustifolium	South Africa: Amatola Mts	Vanderpoorten 23 (DUKE)	Hc2288	OL990002	OL960675
Haplocladium angustifolium		Kučera 21282 (CBFS)	Hc2130	OL990001	OL960674
Haplocladium microphyllum		Majestyk 11418 (DUKE)	Hc2289	OL990003	OL960676
Haplocladium microphyllum		A. Fuentes s.n. (DUKE)		OL990004	
Haplocladium virginianum	USA: NC, Lillington	Aguero 19745 (DUKE)		OL990005	
Helodium blandowii	Austria: Wanzenau	Kučera 17242 (CBFS)		OL990006	
Leskea polycarpa	Czech Rep.: Řeznovice	Kučera 19133 (CBFS)		OL990007	
Pelekium pygmaeum	Russia: Primorsky, Dalnegorsk	Kučera 21867 (CBFS)		OL990008	
Rauiella fujisana Pauiella fujisana	Russia: Primorsky, Pidan Mt Russia: Khabarovsk Territory,	Kučera 21698 (CBFS) MW9130131	Rl2125 ThF29		OL960685 OL960686
Rauiella fujisana	Badzhal Range	WIW 9130131	1111729	OL990011	OL900080
Rauiella fujisana	Russia: Shikotan Island	Fedosov s.n. 15.VIII.2021	ThF77	-	OL960687
		(MW)			
Rauiella scita	USA: Maine, Schoodie Bay	Schofield 124652 (DUKE)	R12287	OL990012	OL960688
Rauiella scita	Canada: Nova Scotia	Schofield 97336 (DUKE)	R12369	-	OL960689
Rauiella thuidioides	Russia: Primorsky, Elomovsky	Kučera 21386 (CBFS)		OL990014	
Rauiella thuidioides	Russia: Primorsky, Elomovsky	Ignatov et al. #13-1264	OK599	OL990013	
		(MHA)			OL960691
Thuidium alleniorum	USA: NC, Atkinson	B. Shaw 6015 (DUKE)		OL990015	
Thuidium assimile	Czech Rep.: Praha	Kučera 22175 (CBFS)		OL990016	
Thuidium assimile Thuidium delicatulum	Russia: Primorsky, Chandalaz	Kučera 21386 (CBFS)		OL990017 OL990018	
Thuidium delicatulum Thuidium delicatulum	USA: NC, Duke Forest Norway: Luster	Aguero 19750 (DUKE) MW9078688	ThE 57		OL960697 OL960698
Thuidium aencalaium Thuidium kanedae	Japan: Shikoku Island	MW9075555	ThF54	OL990019 OL825640	
Thuidium kanedae Thuidium kanedae	Russia: Shikotan Island	Fedosov s.n. 27.VIII.21	ThF73	OL825641	
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Thuidium pristocalyx	Russia: Primorsky, Elomovsky	MW9066364	ThF55	OL990020	OL960699
Thuidium tamariscinum	Czech Rep.: Vidov	Kučera 22544 (CBFS)		OL990021	
Thuidium tamariscinum	Russia: Iturup Island	MW9066363	ThF56	OL990022	OL960703
Thuidium thermophilum	Russia: Kunashir Island	Koroteeva 15-6/1-1	OK3014	OL990023	OL960704
		MHA9119722			
Thuidium thermophilum	Russia: Koryaksky Distr.	Chernyagina #5	OK3015	EF368013	OL960705
		MHA9119753			