

1 **Molecular analyses reveal high species diversity of trematodes in a sub-Arctic lake<sup>†</sup>**

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31 **ABSTRACT**

32 To identify trematode diversity and life-cycles in the sub-Arctic lake Takvatn, we characterised  
33 120 trematode isolates from mollusc first intermediate hosts and metacercariae from second  
34 intermediate host fishes and invertebrates using molecular techniques. Phylogenies based on  
35 nuclear and/or mitochondrial DNA revealed high species richness (24 species or species-level  
36 genetic lineages), and uncovered trematode diversity (16 putative new species) from five  
37 families typical in lake ecosystems (Allocreadiidae, Diplostomidae, Plagiorchiidae,  
38 Schistosomatidae and Strigeidae). Sampling potential invertebrate hosts allowed matching  
39 sequence data for different stages, thus achieving molecular elucidation of trematode life-cycles.  
40 Phylogenetic analyses also helped identify three major mollusc intermediate hosts (*Radix*  
41 *balthica*, *Pisidium casertanum* and *Sphaerium* sp.) in the lake. Our findings increase the known  
42 trematode diversity at the sub-Arctic lake Takvatn, showing that digenean diversity is high in  
43 this otherwise depauperate sub-Arctic freshwater ecosystem, and indicate that sub-Arctic and  
44 Arctic ecosystems may be characterised by unique trematode assemblages.

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47 DNA, Takvatn, Norway, sub-Arctic

## 48 **1. Introduction**

49 Arctic and sub-Arctic ecosystems are often regarded as relatively simple and species poor due to  
50 past glaciations and extreme seasonality (Hoberg et al., 2012). Such low host diversity should  
51 translate to low parasite diversity (Hechinger and Lafferty, 2005; Kamiya et al., 2014; Poulin,  
52 2014). However, taxonomically complex and diverse parasite assemblages can occur at high  
53 latitudes (e.g. Storer 2000; 2002; Hemmingsen and MacKenzie 2001; Muzzafar and Jones 2004;  
54 Perdiguero-Alonso et al., 2008; Kutz et al., 2012; for a detailed review see Hoberg, 2013).  
55 Notwithstanding, our knowledge of parasite diversity at high latitudes stems from research on  
56 terrestrial and marine host-parasite systems, and data from the freshwater environment are  
57 scarce.

58 Digenetic trematodes are an important and species-rich group in lakes and other aquatic  
59 systems (Choudhury et al., 2016; Faltýnková et al., 2016; Scholz et al., 2016). Due to the  
60 sequential use of different host species throughout complex life-cycles, digenean diversity and  
61 abundance in the first intermediate mollusc hosts is inherently linked to host diversity and  
62 abundance and reflects the dynamics of the trophic web at the ecosystem level (Hechinger and  
63 Lafferty, 2005; Lafferty et al., 2006, 2008). Digeneans are easily sampled in their intermediate  
64 hosts and are usually transmitted to their definitive hosts *via* predation; they can thus serve as  
65 indicators capturing host diversity, trophic interactions and food web function in an ecosystem.  
66 However, it can be difficult to identify larval stages and link life-cycle stages in intermediate  
67 hosts and sexually mature adults (Nolan and Cribb, 2005; Faltýnková et al., 2016).

68 Molecular methods using accumulated sequence data make possible rapid molecular  
69 identification in large-scale digenean surveys in North America (Brant and Locker, 2009;  
70 Detwiler et al., 2010, 2012; Locke et al., 2010a, b, 2011) and Europe (Kostadinova et al., 2003;  
71 Aldhoun et al., 2009a, b; Jouet et al., 2010; Georgieva et al., 2013a, b, 2014; Blasco-Costa et al.,  
72 2014; Faltýnková et al., 2014; Pérez-del-Olmo et al., 2014; Selbach et al., 2014, 2015;  
73 Zikmundová et al., 2014). For instance, morphological and molecular genetic approaches  
74 detected several novel species within the Diplostomidae (five species, see Blasco-Costa et al.,  
75 2014; Faltýnková et al., 2014), Schistosomatidae (four species, see Aldhoun et al., 2009a, b;  
76 Jouet et al., 2010) and Echinostomatidae (two species, see Georgieva et al., 2012; 2013a) in  
77 Iceland. These data indicate unexpected digenean diversity in high latitude ecosystems (Blasco-  
78 Costa et al., 2014). However, these diversity data result from systematic sampling of specific  
79 taxonomic groups and, to date, no attempt has been made to assess digenean biodiversity  
80 baselines in a single freshwater ecosystem in the Arctic.

81 Here, using recent European morphological and sequence datasets, we present the first  
82 known estimates of digenean diversity, transmission pathways and host associations in a sub-

83 Arctic lake. While assessing benthic macroinvertebrates and their parasites in the littoral food  
84 web in Takvatn (Norway), we examined samples of several free-living animal taxa potentially  
85 acting as intermediate hosts for digeneans. Using coarse-grained identification, based on  
86 morphology and molecular approaches, we characterised digenean diversity across both first and  
87 second intermediate hosts, linked the parasite life-cycle stages in the first (mollusc), the second  
88 (invertebrate/vertebrate) intermediate and definitive hosts, and established digenean diversity  
89 baselines and genetic datasets for identifying and exploring host-parasite interactions and food  
90 web studies in Arctic lakes.

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## 93 **2. Materials and methods**

### 94 *2.1. Study lake*

95 Takvatn is an oligotrophic, dimictic, sub-Arctic lake located in Målselv drainage, Troms  
96 County, northern Norway (69°07'N, 19°05'E; elevation 214 m; surface area of 14.2 km<sup>2</sup>;  
97 maximum depth of c.80 m; for detailed environmental characteristics of the lake (see Amundsen  
98 et al., 2009). Faunal diversity and food web relationships in Takvatn have been studied for more  
99 than 30 years (e.g. Klemetsen et al., 2002; Amundsen et al., 2009; Klemetsen and Elliott, 2010;  
100 Klemetsen and Knudsen, 2013). Parasites in fish hosts have also been studied (e.g. Knudsen et  
101 al., 1996, 1997, 2002, 2003, 2008, 2010, 2014; Amundsen et al., 2013) but only with  
102 morphological identification (but see Kuhn et al., 2015).

103 The fish, zooplankton and parasites of the pelagic food web in Takvatn are well studied  
104 (see Amundsen et al., 2009 and references therein). A detailed three-year study on  
105 macroinvertebrate diversity in the rocky-intertidal zone demonstrated the presence of 25 taxa (18  
106 insects and 7 non-insects (see Klemetsen and Elliott, 2010 for details). Of these, the gastropod  
107 *Radix peregra* (identified here as *R. balthica*), the amphipod *Gammarus lacustris* and  
108 oligochaetes were common non-insect taxa and mayfly, stonefly and chironomid larvae  
109 dominated among the insect taxa.

110 A few aquatic bird censuses during the breeding season over a period of 30 years listed  
111 21 species (divers, ducks, gulls, terns and waders) in Takvatn (Klemetsen and Knudsen, 2013).  
112 Of these, six species were present in all censuses and breeding pairs were observed for 12  
113 species: *Anas penelope*; *Anas platyrhynchos*; *Aythya fuligula*; *Bucephala clangula*; *Gavia*  
114 *arctica*; *Larus canus*; *Melanitta fusca*; *M. nigra*; *Mergus serrator*; *Sterna paradisaea*; *Tringa*  
115 *hypoleucos* and *T. totanus*. Two salmonids, the Arctic charr *Salvelinus alpinus* and the brown  
116 trout *Salmo trutta*, and the three-spined stickleback *Gasterosteus aculeatus* live in the lake (see  
117 Klemetsen et al., 2002).

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## 119 2.2. Sampling

120 Whereas most studies on trematode diversity focus on snail hosts, we considered a range  
121 of first and second intermediate hosts (allowing us to find more species and discern life-cycles).  
122 In total, 3,496 macrozoobenthic invertebrate specimens of 51 species belonging to three phyla,  
123 five classes, 11 orders and 26 families were collected during the ice-free period in 2012 (August  
124 and October) and 2013 (June and September) from several sampling sites of the lake littoral (see  
125 Supplementary Table S1 for details).

126 Substantial sampling in the profundal zone (at depths of 20–40 m) in August 2012 found  
127 only 209 invertebrates. Therefore, subsequent sampling was focused on the littoral zones (depths  
128 of 3–8 m), characterised by the co-occurrence of dense mats of brittleworts (*Nitella* sp.) and  
129 mosses. At most sampling sites, invertebrates were collected using a sieve sampler pulled behind  
130 a boat through abundant submerged vegetation. We sampled by hand and/or with a strainer from  
131 the sediment surface and vegetation (*Equisetum* spp.), at two shallow sites at the southeastern  
132 part of the lake (0.5 m deep) where the snail *Radix balthica* was found in high densities.

133 In the laboratory, invertebrates were sorted to major taxonomic groups and identified to  
134 the lowest possible taxon (see Supplementary Table S1). Each specimen was given a unique  
135 code and provisional identification and examined for the presence of parasites. Annelids and  
136 arthropods were initially compressed between glass slides and infected specimens dissected.  
137 Molluscs were placed individually into containers with filtered lake water under a light source to  
138 stimulate cercarial emergence; if emergence was not observed within two days, the molluscs  
139 were dissected. Annelids and arthropods were identified according to Nilsson (1996, 1997) and  
140 molluscs according to Glöer (2002). Digenean life-cycle stages were initially examined live and  
141 photomicrographs were taken whenever possible. Preliminary identification of the cercariae  
142 and metacercariae to familial/generic level was carried out using the keys of Faltýnková et al.  
143 (2007, 2008) and other relevant sources, e.g. Sudarikov et al. (2002). All isolates from the first  
144 samples were given provisional identification labels; these were consistently applied to the  
145 subsequent samples. Voucher material is deposited in the Helminthological Collection of the  
146 Institute of Parasitology (HCIP), Biology Centre of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech  
147 Republic, České Budějovice under accession numbers HCIP D-735–D-750. Representative  
148 photomicrographs for the metacercariae from which the molecular samples were directly derived  
149 (i.e. hologenophores *sensu* Pleijel et al., 2008) are provided in Supplementary Fig. S1.

150 Intramolluscan stages (parthenitae) were identified from molecular data. To facilitate  
151 connection of some life-cycle stages in molluscs and fishes, metacercariae from the eyes of three  
152 specimens of each of the three fish species present in the lake were sampled. Subsamples of

153 digenean life-cycle stages from all provisionally identified parasite taxa were fixed in molecular  
154 grade ethanol for DNA isolation and sequencing. A few previously collected adult specimens of  
155 *Crepidostomum* sp. and metacercariae from *Diplostomum phoxini* collected from Lake Øvre  
156 Heimdalsvatnet (61°42'24.8"N, 8°86'75.12"E) were also used to generate molecular data. Foot  
157 tissue taken from infected *Radix* spp. and two morphotypes of small clams were examined for  
158 the presence of metacercariae, washed with distilled water and fixed in molecular grade ethanol  
159 for DNA isolation and sequencing.

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### 161 2.3. Sequence generation

162 Total genomic DNA was isolated from single ethanol-fixed rediae, sporocysts,  
163 metacercariae and adults or from 50–100 pooled cercariae emerged from a single infected  
164 mollusc using the protocols described in Georgieva et al. (2013a). Tissue from snails and small  
165 clams was also used for DNA isolation and amplification. Polymerase chain reaction (PCR)  
166 amplifications were carried out in a total volume of 25 µl using illustra puReTaq Ready-To-Go  
167 PCR beads (GE Healthcare, UK) following the manufacturer's instructions. Partial fragments of  
168 the mitochondrial genes cytochrome *c* oxidase subunit 1 (*cox1*) and nicotinamide adenine  
169 dinucleotide dehydrogenase subunit 1 (*nad1*), and the nuclear 28S rRNA gene (domains D1–D3)  
170 and the complete ribosomal internal transcribed spacer region ITS1-5.8S-ITS2 (or ITS2), were  
171 amplified depending on the parasite (or mollusc host) family-level group (see Supplementary  
172 Tables S2 and S3 for details on the primers and PCR conditions used).

173 PCR amplicons were purified using Qiagen QIAquick<sup>TM</sup> PCR purification kit (Qiagen  
174 Ltd., UK) following the manufacturer's protocol and sequenced directly for both strands using  
175 the same primers (*cox1*, *nad1* and ITS1-5.8S-ITS2) or with additional internal primers (28S)  
176 with ABI Big Dye chemistry (ABI Perkin-Elmer, UK) alcohol-precipitated and run on an ABI  
177 Prism 3130x1 automated sequencer. Contiguous sequences were assembled, quality checked and  
178 edited manually using MEGA v6 (Tamura et al., 2013) and compared with those available in the  
179 GenBank database using BLASTn. Unique haplotypes were identified with DnaSP (Rozas et al.,  
180 2003) against all published sequences for a given species/lineage. Pairwise genetic distances  
181 were calculated using the p-distance model (i.e. the percentage of pairwise character differences  
182 with pairwise deletion of gaps) implemented in MEGA v6. All sequences are submitted to the  
183 GenBank database under accession numbers XXXXXX-XXXXXXX (see Table 2 for details).

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### 185 2.4. Alignments and phylogenetic analyses

186 Newly-generated and published sequences for each gene/taxonomic group were aligned with  
187 MUSCLE (Edgar, 2004) implemented in MEGA v6. The alignments for protein-coding genes

188 included no insertions or deletions and were aligned with reference to the amino acid translation,  
189 using the echinoderm and flatworm mitochondrial code (translation table 9;  
190 <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Utils/wprintgc.cgi#SG9>) (Telford et al., 2000).  
191 However, these alignments were analysed solely as nucleotides as insufficient variability was  
192 provided by the amino acids alone; first, second and third positions within the included codons  
193 were included in these analyses.

194       Eleven alignments were analysed for parasites (see Table 1 for details). These represented  
195 a total of 307 sequences retrieved from the GenBank database for 149 species or species-level  
196 genetic lineages from the taxonomic groups targeted based on our provisional  
197 sorting/identification of the isolates sequenced from Takvatn. We selected up to three  
198 representative published sequences (the longest possible) per species/lineage as determined in  
199 previous studies (see Supplementary Table S4 for details). The ITS alignment (*Trichobilharzia*  
200 spp., Alignment 11; see Table 1) represents a concatenated data set of the ITS1 (2,062 nt long)  
201 and ITS2 (380 nt long) fragments in order to include all sequences for species of *Trichobilharzia*  
202 available in the GenBank database. Concatenation was made in SEAVIEW (Galtier et al., 1996)  
203 and resulted in a 2,442 nt long alignment which included ambiguously aligned regions; these  
204 were detected with the aid of Gblocks v0.91b (Castresana, 2000) implemented in SEAVIEW  
205 with less stringent parameters, and omitted prior to phylogenetic analysis. The final alignment  
206 was 1,297 nt long.

207       Two alignments were analysed for the snail and clam hosts of the parasites sampled in  
208 Takvatn: Alignment 12 (ITS2 sequences for *Radix* spp.) and Alignment 13 (28S rDNA  
209 sequences for small clams) (see Table 1).

210       Molecular identification of the parasite and host isolates sequenced from Takvatn was  
211 achieved in Bayesian Inference (BI) and Maximum Likelihood (ML) phylogenetic analyses.  
212 Prior to analyses, jModelTest 2.1.4 (Guindon and Gascuel, 2003; Darriba et al., 2012) was used  
213 to estimate the best-fitting models of nucleotide substitution based on Akaike Information  
214 Criteria (AIC); these are listed in Table 1. BI analyses were carried out with MrBayes version  
215 3.2.6 (Ronquist et al., 2012) using Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) searches on two  
216 simultaneous runs of four chains for  $10^7$  generations, sampling trees every  $10^3$  generations. The  
217 first 25% of the trees sampled were discarded as ‘burn-in’, determined by stationarity of lnL  
218 assessed using Tracer v. 1.5 (Rambaut and Drummond, 2009) and a consensus topology and  
219 nodal support estimated as posterior probability values (Huelsenbeck et al., 2001) were  
220 calculated from the remaining 75% of the trees. BI analyses were run on the Cipres Science  
221 Gateway v. 3.1 ([http://www.phylo.org/sub\\_sections/portal/](http://www.phylo.org/sub_sections/portal/)) (Miller et al., 2010), using MrBayes  
222 (3.2.6) on XSEDE. ML analyses were performed with PhyML 3.0 (Guindon et al., 2010) run on

223 the ATGC bioinformatics platform (<http://www.atgc-montpellier.fr/>) with a non-parametric  
224 bootstrap validation based on 1,000 pseudoreplicates. The outgroup taxa used in the analyses are  
225 listed in Table 1.

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### 227 **3. Results**

228 Of the 3,496 individual invertebrates (51 species, 26 families and 11 orders), 919 (19  
229 species of 14 families and nine orders) were infected with digeneans (see Supplementary Table  
230 S1 for details). The most abundant invertebrates, *Gammarus lacustris* and *Radix balthica*, were  
231 also the most frequently infected hosts in the lake. The infected arthropods included 373  
232 amphipods (*G. lacustris*) and 229 aquatic insects (15 spp.; predominantly larval stages, 13 spp.).  
233 Of the three snail species examined, *R. balthica* hosted most larval digeneans, whereas only two  
234 *Gyraulus acronicus* were infected and no parasites were found in the 14 *Valvata piscinalis*  
235 dissected (see Supplementary Table S1).

236 Our phylogenetic analyses based on 148 sequences for 120 digenean isolates from  
237 invertebrates and fish sampled from Takvatn revealed unexpected high species richness (24  
238 species or species-level lineages) and uncovered substantial diversity of digeneans, including 16  
239 putative new species, within five of the families typical in lake ecosystems, i.e. the  
240 Allocreadiidae, Diplostomidae, Plagiorchiidae, Schistosomatidae and Strigeidae (Faltýnková et  
241 al., 2016; Scholz et al., 2016). Molecular identification relied on (and now adds to) sequence and  
242 morphological databases for the European species of the last four families (Georgieva et al.,  
243 2013a, b, 2014; Blasco-Costa et al., 2014, Zikmundová et al., 2014; Selbach et al., 2015;  
244 Roháčová et al., unpublished data). Phylogenies developed here based on mitochondrial and  
245 nuclear DNA wherever applied, depicted the same distinct genetic lineages. Furthermore, the  
246 extensive sampling across a range of possible hosts allowed matching sequence data for different  
247 life-cycle stages thus achieving molecular elucidation of life-cycles for 14 species, more than  
248 50% of the species discovered in the lake.

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#### 250 *3.1. Family Allocreadiidae*

251 Both, ML and BI analyses of the Allocreadiidae (Alignment 1 including sequence data  
252 for 25 species available in the GenBank database; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4  
253 for details) resulted in consensus trees with similar topologies (Fig. 1). The newly-generated  
254 sequences from Takvatn fell into five distinct strongly supported monophyletic lineages, four  
255 within *Crepidostomum* and one within *Allocreadium*. Notably, *Crepidostomum* was resolved as  
256 polyphyletic with the five North American species (*C. affine*, *C. auritum*, *C. cooperi*, *C.*  
257 *cornutum* and *C. illinoisense*) included in a strongly supported clade comprising a range of



258 allocreadiid taxa with a North American distribution whereas two Eurasian species did not join  
259 the main (albeit unsupported) cluster formed by *Crepidostomum* spp. from Europe and Asia. One  
260 unidentified isolate of *Crepidostomum* from Europe clustered with species of *Allocreadium* with  
261 strong support and an Asian isolate of *Crepidostomum auriculatum* appeared as earliest  
262 divergent to all allocreadiids (Fig. 1). Phylogenetic analysis of *Crepidostomum* spp. alone  
263 (Alignment 2 including sequence data for 11 species available in the GenBank database; see  
264 Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for details) revealed similar patterns and support but  
265 with *C. auriculatum* clustering as earlier divergent with *C. farionis* and *Crepidostomum* sp. 1  
266 with strong support from BI analysis (see Supplementary Fig. S2).

267         The sequences for 21 isolates sampled from clams, insects, gammarids and fish (see  
268 Table 2 for details) in Takvatn formed four strongly supported reciprocally monophyletic  
269 lineages within the cluster of the Eurasian species of *Crepidostomum*. The sequences for two  
270 progenetic metacercariae from the dytiscid beetle *Oreodytes sanmarkii* clustered within the clade  
271 of *Allocreadium* spp. with a maximum support. These results indicate that two pairs of closely  
272 related *Crepidostomum* spp. complete their life-cycles in the lake: (i) *C. farionis* (using the clams  
273 *Pisidium casertanum* and *Sphaerium* sp. as first intermediate hosts) and the closely-related sister  
274 species *Crepidostomum* sp. 1 (using *Sphaerium* sp. as first intermediate host and nymphs of the  
275 mayfly *Siphonurus lacustris* as second intermediate hosts); and (ii) *C. metoecus* (using *Pisidium*  
276 *casertanum* as first intermediate host, *G. lacustris* as second intermediate host and *Salmo trutta*  
277 as definitive host) and the closely related sister species *Crepidostomum* sp. 2 (using nymphs of  
278 the mayfly *Siphonurus lacustris* and the stonefly *Diura bicaudata* as second intermediate hosts,  
279 and *S. trutta* as definitive host) (Fig. 1). Notably, intraspecific variation was detected only for  
280 *Crepidostomum* sp. 2 with a difference of a single nucleotide position. The interspecific  
281 divergence between the pairs of *Crepidostomum* spp. from Takvatn was 0.8% (6 nt) (*C. farionis*  
282 - *Crepidostomum* sp. 1) and between 0.8–1.0% (6–7 nt) (*C. metoecus* - *Crepidostomum* sp. 2).  
283 The interspecific divergence between the two main clades of the Eurasian species of  
284 *Crepidostomum* ranged between 3.8–4.5% (27–32 nt).

285         The sequences for the progenetic metacercarie ex *O. sanmarkii* were identical to a  
286 sequence for *Allocreadium neotenicum* from the UK (Bray et al., 2012). These isolates were,  
287 therefore, identified as *A. neotenicum*. Notably, the closest relative, the North American *A.*  
288 *lobatum*, differed by only two nucleotide positions.

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### 290 3.2. Family Strigeidae

291         Phylogenetic reconstructions for representatives of the family Strigeidae were based on  
292 partial sequences for *cox1* (Alignment 3 including data for 22 species/lineages available in the

293 GenBank database; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for details) and 28S rDNA  
294 (Alignment 4 including data for 8 species/lineages from GenBank; see Tables 1, 2 and  
295 Supplementary Table S4 for details). Individual gene analyses yielded tree topologies with  
296 congruent sister-group relationships among the available representatives of the family despite the  
297 different taxa composition (Fig. 2, Supplementary Fig. S3). Overall, the *cox1* phylogeny  
298 comprising data for seven strigeid genera revealed the clade comprising *Cotylurus*,  
299 *Ichthyocotylurus* and *Cardiocephaloides* as earlier divergent (ML support only).

300 Species/lineages of *Apatemon* formed two clusters, one strongly supported and  
301 comprising five lineages sequenced in North America plus a lineage from Takvatn and the  
302 second supported from ML analysis only (84%) containing a lineage from Takvatn and an  
303 unidentified species from New Zealand, *Apatemon* sp. “jamiesoni”. Additionally, there was no  
304 support for the genera *Australapatemon* and *Ichthyocotylurus*, and *Apharyngostrigea* was  
305 recovered as paraphyletic (Fig. 2).

306 The newly-generated *cox1* sequences for isolates from Takvatn clustered in three strongly  
307 supported reciprocally monophyletic lineages (Fig. 2). Two of these clustered within *Apatemon*  
308 spp. clades: (i) *Apatemon gracilis* (using *R. balthica* as first intermediate host and *Gasterosteus*  
309 *aculeatus* as second intermediate host); and (ii) a novel species of *Apatemon* in the second  
310 intermediate host (two metacercariae ex *G. aculeatus*). Both lineages contained sequences  
311 generated recently for metacercariae ex *G. aculeatus* from Takvatn by Kuhn et al. (2015): three  
312 labelled as “Strigeidae gen. sp.” (GenBank KM212057, KM212064, KM212065) fell within the  
313 clade representing *A. gracilis* and two labelled as *Apatemon* sp. (GenBank KM212028;  
314 KM212029) clustered with the sequences for the novel species of *Apatemon* from Takvatn. Both  
315 species exhibited low levels of intraspecific divergence (0–1.0% and 0.2–0.7%, respectively).

316 Sequences from sporocysts ex *R. balthica* and metacercariae ex *R. balthica* and *Gyraulius*  
317 *acronicus* represented two haplotypes (intraspecific divergence 0–0.7%) and formed a strongly  
318 supported lineage clustering with the only sequence for *Cotylurus* spp. available on GenBank  
319 (Fig. 2); this lineage was identified based on morphology and our unpublished sequences  
320 (Roháčová et al., unpublished data) as *Cotylurus cornutus*.

321 Phylogenetic analyses of the 28S rDNA dataset (Alignment 4; see Tables 1, 2 and  
322 Supplementary Table S4 for details) corroborated the distinct species status of the three strigeids  
323 from Takvatn (Supplementary Fig. S3). Notably, there was a strongly supported sister-group  
324 relationship between *A. gracilis* and *Apatemon* sp. “jamiesoni” sequenced in New Zealand in  
325 both *cox1* (ML only, 84%) and 28S rDNA analyses. No 28S rDNA sequence is available on  
326 GenBank for *Cotylurus* spp. but both, ML and BI analyses depicted a strongly supported

327 relationship between *C. cornutus* and an otherwise unpublished sequence for *Nematostrigea*  
328 *serpens* indicating that the latter has been misidentified (Supplementary Fig. S3).

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### 330 3.3. Family Diplostomidae

331 The newly-generated sequences depicted six species of diplostomid completing their life-  
332 cycles in Takvatn with *R. balthica* and fishes acting as first and second intermediate hosts,  
333 respectively (Table 2). The *cox1* phylogeny for *Diplostomum* spp. including data for 35  
334 species/lineages available in the GenBank database (Alignment 5; see Tables 1, 2 and  
335 Supplementary Table S4 for details) demonstrated that the newly-sequenced isolates from  
336 Takvatn cluster into five strongly supported reciprocally monophyletic lineages (Fig. 3). These  
337 included *Diplostomum phoxini* (a cercarial isolate ex *R. balthica* and a metacercaria ex *Phoxinus*  
338 *phoxinus* from Lake Øvre Heimdalsvatnet, Norway; sequence divergence 0.2%) and four of the  
339 six lineages of *Diplostomum* recently discovered and described by Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) and  
340 Faltýnková et al. (2014) in Iceland.

341 Two of these lineages represented metacercariae in fish only: (i) *Diplostomum* sp.  
342 ‘Lineage 3’ of Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) comprising metacercariae from the eye vitreous  
343 humour of the two salmonids studied [four haplotypes including three novel (out of 18 currently  
344 known haplotypes); intra-lineage divergence 0.5–2.0%]; and (ii) *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 5’ of  
345 Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) comprising metacercariae from the eye vitreous humour of the two  
346 salmonids plus one metacercaria ex *G. aculeatus* [six haplotypes including five novel (out of 17);  
347 intra-lineage divergence 0–1.7%].

348 The two remaining lineages both contained sequences generated from cercariae ex *R.*  
349 *balthica* and metacercariae from the eye vitreous humour and retina of *G. aculeatus*.  
350 *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 4’ of Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) was represented by five haplotypes  
351 including four novel (out of 23; intra-lineage divergence 0–1.5%) and *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage  
352 6’ of Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) was represented by seven haplotypes including three novel (out  
353 of 20; intra-lineage divergence 0–1.7%). There was a strongly supported sister-group  
354 relationship between *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 3’ and *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 4’ and  
355 between *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 5’ and *Diplostomum* sp. 6 of Locke et al. (2010a) based on  
356 material from the St Lawrence River in Canada as shown in previous studies (see Georgieva et  
357 al., 2013b; Blasco-Costa et al., 2014) and *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 6’ clustered with four  
358 lineages of *Diplostomum* spp. (species 8, 9, 13 and 17 of Locke et al., 2010a) from the St  
359 Lawrence River, Canada.

360 Single haplotypes recovered within ‘Lineages 3–5’ of *Diplostomum* from Takvatn have  
361 recently been reported from fishes and snails in central Europe or sub-Arctic: (i) within

362 *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 3’, haplotype S847 was shared with an isolate ex *S. trutta* from the  
363 River Ruhr, Germany (JX986868; Georgieva et al., 2013b) and an isolate ex *S. alpinus* from  
364 Hafrvatn, Iceland (KJ726463; Blasco-Costa et al., 2014); (ii) within *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage  
365 4’, haplotype S852 was shared with two isolates ex *Perca fluviatilis* from Lake Constance,  
366 Germany (JQ639182 and JQ639194; Behrmann-Godel, 2013) and three isolates ex *G. aculeatus*  
367 from Takvatn (KM212030, KM212032 and KM212033; Kuhn et al., 2015); (iii) within ‘Lineage  
368 5’, haplotype S836 was shared with three isolates ex *S. trutta* from Hafrvatn, Iceland  
369 (KJ726492–KJ726494; Blasco-Costa et al., 2014).

370 Finally, within *Diplostomum* sp. ‘Lineage 6’, four haplotypes were shared among isolates  
371 sampled in our study and previously published sequences from metacercariae ex *G. aculeatus* in  
372 Takvatn by Kuhn et al. (2015) as follows: (i) haplotype 1: isolate S858 ex *R. balthica* and four  
373 isolates (KM212035, KM212036, KM212043 and KM212052); (ii) haplotype 2: isolates S835  
374 and S828 ex *G. aculeatus* and four isolates (KM212037, KM212040, KM212041 and  
375 KM212047); (iii) haplotype 3: isolates S854 and S859 ex *R. balthica* and five isolates  
376 (KM212039, KM212042, KM212045, KM212046 and KM212051); and (iv) haplotype 4: isolate  
377 S832 ex *G. aculeatus* and isolate KM212054 of Kuhn et al. (2015). Notably, two of these  
378 haplotypes have been first discovered in sub-Arctic lakes in Iceland by Blasco-Costa et al.  
379 (2014): (i) haplotype 2 ex *G. aculeatus* was shared with two isolates ex *R. balthica* (KJ726505  
380 and KJ726506) from Lake Nordic House, Reykjavik; and (ii) haplotype 3 ex *R. balthica* was  
381 shared with one isolate ex *R. balthica* (KJ726497) and two isolates ex *G. aculeatus* (KJ726496  
382 and KJ726498), all from Lake Nordic House, Reykjavik.

383 Phylogenetic analyses of the available *cox1* sequence data for species/lineages of  
384 *Tylodelphys* (Alignment 6; 14 spp.; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for details)  
385 revealed three well-supported clades (Fig. 4), one containing four African species/lineages plus  
386 two widely distributed European species, *Tylodelphys clavata* and *T. excavata*; one representing  
387 three species from North and South America; and one containing the newly-sequenced  
388 metacercarial isolates from the vitreous humour of the two salmonids in Takvatn and the North  
389 American *Tylodelphys immer*. The two haplotypes of the novel lineage differed by 0.5%; both  
390 differed from the sister-species, *T. immer*, by 5.0–5.8%.

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### 392 3.4. Family Plagiorchiidae

393 Large numbers of *R. balthica* were infected with *Plagiorchis* spp. The newly-generated  
394 *cox1* sequences from selected cercarial isolates and three metacercariae ex *G. lacustris* and a  
395 larval crane fly *Tipula salicetorum* were aligned together with sequences for five European and  
396 one Korean species of *Plagiorchis* (Alignment 7; including sequence data for six species

397 available in the GenBank database; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for details).  
398 Both BI and ML analyses depicted seven novel species-level lineages (Fig. 5A); of these, two  
399 (*Plagiorchis* sp. 2 and *Plagiorchis* sp. 3) included matching sequences from cercariae and  
400 metacercariae (ex *G. lacustris* and *T. salicetorum*, respectively). The novel *cox1* sequences  
401 represented 22 haplotypes (18 unique) as follows: *Plagiorchis* sp. 1 (eight; six unique);  
402 *Plagiorchis* sp. 2 (four; two unique); *Plagiorchis* sp. 3 (four unique); *Plagiorchis* sp. 4 (two  
403 unique); *Plagiorchis* sp. 5 (two unique); *Plagiorchis* sp. 6 (one); and *Plagiorchis* sp. 7 (one).  
404 Within the dataset studied, the intraspecific divergence range was 0–2.1% and the range for  
405 interspecific divergence was 3.5–17.7%.

406 Analyses of 28S rDNA sequences for *Plagiorchis* spp. (Alignment 8; including data for  
407 seven species available in the GenBank database; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4  
408 for details) confirmed that the lineages of *Plagiorchis* spp. are novel (Fig. 5B). Three lineages  
409 included matching sequences from cercariae ex *R. balthica* and metacercariae from benthic  
410 invertebrates as follows: *Plagiorchis* sp. 1 (larval *T. salicetorum*); *Plagiorchis* sp. 2 (*G.*  
411 *lacustris*), *Plagiorchis* sp. 3 (larval *T. salicetorum* and the dytiscid beetle *Oreodytes alpinus*),  
412 and *Plagiorchis* sp. 5 (larval alderfly *Sialis lutaria* and *O. alpinus*). However, the sequences for  
413 *Plagiorchis* sp. 4 and *Plagiorchis* sp. 6 were identical and there was no support for lineages  
414 *Plagiorchis* sp. 1, 2 and 3. The intraspecific sequence divergence between the lineages sampled  
415 at Takvatn was low (0–2 nt) but still below the minimum interspecific genetic divergence (4–22  
416 nt; mean 15 nt).

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### 418 3.5. Miscellaneous groups with single species

419 Sequences for *nad1* were generated from metacercarial isolates ex *Pisidium casertanum*  
420 and *Sphaerium* sp. and a redia ex *R. balthica* provisionally assigned to the family  
421 Echinostomatidae. A preliminary analysis with a large number of echinostomatid sequences  
422 (data not shown) assigned the isolates from Takvatn to the genus *Echinoparyphium*. Analyses  
423 based on sequences for both *nad1* (Alignment 9; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for  
424 details) and 28S rDNA (Alignment 10; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for details)  
425 for seven species of *Echinoparyphium* resulted in identification of the isolates from Takvatn as  
426 *Echinoparyphium recurvatum* (Fig. 6A, B). All new *nad1* sequences represented novel  
427 haplotypes with intraspecific sequence divergence between 0.1 and 2.3%.

428 Identification of schistosome infections in *R. balthica* from Takvatn was attempted using  
429 concatenated sequences for the two internal transcribed spacers (ITS1 and ITS2) of the rRNA  
430 gene cluster (Alignment 11; see Tables 1, 2 and Supplementary Table S4 for details).

431 Phylogenies inferred from BI and ML were congruent with similar tree topologies (Fig. 7). The

432 newly-sequenced cercarial isolates clustered together with three isolates of the lineage *T. franki*  
433 haplotype “peregra” sampled in Iceland and considered by Jouet et al. (2010) to represent a  
434 distinct species based on analyses of sequences for the mitochondrial *cox1* and nuclear (rRNA)  
435 genes. Genetic distances between Takvatn isolates ranged between 0 and 0.4% (0–5 nt) and  
436 between Takvatn and Icelandic isolates ranged between 0.1 and 0.4% (1–5 nt). The overall  
437 relationships among *Trichobilharzia* spp. were similar to those depicted by Brant and Loker  
438 (2009). There was a strong support for Clade Q *sensu* Brant and Loker (2009), a group of  
439 morphologically and genetically similar species from North America and Europe, and for the  
440 sister-group relationship between this clade and *Trichobilharzia regenti* (BI only). Notably, the  
441 isolates from Takvatn clustered with strong support (BI) together with an isolate (ex *Lymnaea*  
442 *stagnalis*) of the polyphyletic *T. franki* within Clade Q (Fig. 7).

443 Partial 28S rDNA sequence was obtained from a single isolate of *Notocotylus* sp. (Table  
444 2). A BLASTn search of the GenBank nucleotide database indicated a 99% similarity (one gap;  
445 coverage 100%) with *Notocotylus* sp. BH-2008 (EU712725) ex *Physa gyrina* from Nebraska,  
446 USA (Hanelt, 2009) and an unidentified pronoccephaloidean (EU371602) ex *Potamopyrgus*  
447 *antipodarum* from Wyoming, USA (Adema et al., 2009).

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### 449 3.6. Mollusc hosts

450 Four ITS2 sequences from *R. balthica* sampled in Takvatn were aligned together  
451 (Alignment 12, see Tables 1, 2 for details) with 26 sequences for isolates of *Radix* spp. from  
452 Europe, including sub-Arctic lakes in Iceland. The isolates from Takvatn clustered together with  
453 two Icelandic isolates [isolate IS2F (GenBank HQ003228) from Botnsvatn, referred to as *R.*  
454 *balthica* in GenBank and *R. peregra* and *R. balthica* by Jouet et al. (2010), and the isolate  
455 radix3.1 (GenBank GU574213) from Osland, referred to as *R. peregra* by Huňová et al. (2012)]  
456 plus the isolate SnUK20 from Scotland, UK (GenBank KT337604, referred to as *R. balthica* by  
457 Lawton et al., 2015) in a clade sister to *Radix lagotis* sequenced by Huňová et al. (2012), joined  
458 by a sequence for *R. peregra* from France (GenBank AJ319635) sequenced by Bargues et al.  
459 (2001) (see Supplementary Fig. S4). Sequences from Takvatn were identical with those for the  
460 Icelandic isolate of Jouet et al. (2010) and the Scottish isolate and differed by one nucleotide  
461 from the Icelandic isolate of Huňová et al. (2012) and by two nucleotides from the French isolate  
462 of *R. balthica*. However, relationships among *Radix* spp. were unresolved (see Supplementary  
463 Fig. S4).

464 Representative partial 28S rDNA sequences for the two morphs of pea clams were  
465 analysed together with selected sequences for species of *Sphaerium*, *Pisidium* and *Musculium*  
466 (Alignment 13, see Tables 1, 2 for details). One of the morphotypes was resolved as a sister

467 species to *Sphaerium* spp. (*S. corneum* and *S. nucleus*) with strong support from both BI and ML  
468 analyses and the second morphotype clustered with *Pisidium casertanum* (isolate from Greece;  
469 KF483338) (see Supplementary Fig. S5). The newly-generated sequence for *Sphaerium* sp.  
470 differed by 3 nt from the sequences for *S. corneum* and *S. nucleus* which were identical, and the  
471 new sequence for *Pisidium* sp. differed by 1 nt from *Pisidium casertanum*. Based on these  
472 results, the two species of pea clams are referred to as *Sphaerium* sp. and *Pisidium casertanum*.

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#### 474 **4. Discussion**

475 We found more digenean diversity in Takvatn than one might suspect for a sub-Arctic  
476 freshwater ecosystem: 24 species/species-level genetic lineages of ten genera and seven families,  
477 the latter being the most diverse and widely distributed suprageneric taxa in the freshwater  
478 environment (Faltýnková et al., 2016; Scholz et al., 2016). This high degree of digenean  
479 biodiversity is surprising given the restricted host fauna compared with other aquatic ecosystems  
480 and suggests that digenean diversity in the sub-Arctic freshwater environments is still vastly  
481 underestimated, even among parasites that use relatively well-studied fish hosts (Blasco-Costa et  
482 al., 2014).

483 Although fish parasites have been studied in Takvatn, only *Crepidostomum* spp.  
484 (assumed to be *C. farionis* and *C. metoecus*) had been recorded (e.g. Kristoffersen, 1995; Kuhn  
485 et al., 2016) and no attempts to identify metacercariae in fish had been made until recently (Kuhn  
486 et al., 2015; see below). We were surprised to find two pairs of genetically closely related  
487 species of *Crepidostomum* among the 21 isolates sequenced from Takvatn, considering that there  
488 are only four known European species of the genus, i.e. *C. auriculatum* (Wedl, 1858), *C.*  
489 *farionis*, *C. metoecus* and *C. wikgreni* Gibson & Valtonen, 1988. Further molecular studies  
490 focused on the adult stages might reveal more *Crepidostomum* spp. in sub-Arctic freshwater  
491 ecosystems.

492 It is worth noting that we sequenced few metacercariae from fishes. However, the novel  
493 *Apatemon* and *Tylodelphys*, species, *A. gracilis* and five *Diplostomum* species and the presence  
494 of similar or shared haplotypes with isolates from a previous extensive sampling of *Gasterosteus*  
495 *aculeatus* in Takvatn (*Apatemon gracilis*, *Apatemon* sp., *Diplostomum* sp. 'Lineage 4' and  
496 *Diplostomum* sp. 'Lineage 6'; see Fig. 3 and intensity data in Kuhn et al., 2015) indicate that  
497 metacercariae in fish represent a diverse assemblage with high transmission rates in the lake. The  
498 fish parasite diversity in Takvatn, revealed by the molecular and phylogenetic approaches  
499 applied here, is higher from sub-Arctic diversity baselines compiled from studies relying on  
500 morphological identification (e.g. Poulin et al., 2011; Wrona et al., 2013). Our study adds 9 and  
501 7 species, respectively, to species richness estimates for parasites in *G. aculeatus* (1–11 species;

502 Poulin et al., 2011) and salmonid and coregonid hosts (4–18 spp.; Wrona et al., 2013) in the sub-  
503 Arctic and Arctic ecosystems.

504         Although we found 15 digenean species in *R. balthica*, this snail is the only compatible  
505 host for another four species (*Apatemon* sp., *Diplostomum* sp. 'Lineage 3', *Diplostomum* sp.  
506 'Lineage 5' and *Tylodelphys* sp.) thus increasing the number of species to 19 (Table 3).  
507 Comparisons with the most comprehensive diversity baselines for digeneans in *Radix* spp. from  
508 Europe, reveal that digenean richness in *R. balthica* from Takvatn represents more than half of  
509 the species (58–68%) recorded in *R. peregra* (33 spp.), *R. ovata* (syn. of *R. balthica*; 31 spp.) and  
510 *R. auricularia* (28 spp.) between 1878 and 2012 (see Faltýnková et al., 2016). Notably, 39 of the  
511 55 mollusc species in the dataset (based on 246 surveys in 22 European countries) analysed by  
512 Faltýnková et al. (2016) host one to five species, thus highlighting the extraordinary digenean  
513 diversity in a single snail in Takvatn. Diversity estimates vary locally (Faltýnková et al., 2016)  
514 but the 19 digenean species in *R. balthica* in Takvatn is high compared with 12 species (1–7  
515 species per lake) in *R. auricularia* in four interconnected lakes of the River Ruhr in Germany  
516 (Soldánová et al., 2010) and with 3–19 digenean species in 2–5 snail species per lake in six high  
517 latitude lakes in central Alberta (Gordy et al., 2016).

518         Notably, two-thirds of the genetically distinct digenean lineages in our dataset from  
519 Takvatn did not match any reference sequence, suggesting that the 16 novel lineages are new  
520 species, including four of the five novel *Diplostomum* lineages 'just' discovered from sub-Arctic  
521 lakes in Iceland (Blasco-Costa et al., 2014; Faltýnková et al., 2014). The remaining 12 species-  
522 level lineages could not be matched with confidence to existing described species and, therefore,  
523 await detailed morphological examination and descriptions.

524         Our results suggest that most species assemblages within the major freshwater families  
525 are unique to sub-Arctic and Arctic ecosystems. This is supported by the novel *Apatemon*,  
526 *Crepidostomum* and *Tylodelphys* lineages and by the fact that two of the novel *Diplostomum* spp.  
527 lineages (lineages 5 and 6) and the lineage *Trichobilharzia franki* haplotype “peregra” have so  
528 far been detected in Iceland only, despite extensive sampling in Europe (e.g. Jouet et al., 2010;  
529 Georgieva et al., 2013b; Pérez-del-Olmo et al., 2014; Selbach et al., 2015; see also Soldánová et  
530 al. 2013 for a review on records of *Trichobilharzia* spp.). Further, four *Trichobilharzia* spp. have  
531 been recorded and molecularly characterised in snails and birds in Iceland [*T. anseri* (FJ469790,  
532 FJ469791, FJ469784); *T. franki* haplotype “peregra” (HM131185/ HM131168; HM131186/  
533 HM131169; HM131187/ HM131171; present study); *T. mergi* (FJ469807, FJ469799); and  
534 *Trichobilharzia* sp. 3 (FJ469803, FJ469804) of Aldhoun et al. (2009a) (see Aldhoun et al.,  
535 2009a, b; Jouet et al., 2010)] compared with but three species (i.e. *T. franki*, *T. regenti* and *T.*  
536 *szidati*) reported in central Europe despite a much higher sampling effort there. Finally,



537 *Plagiorchis* diversity in sub-Arctic lakes in Iceland (Roháčová et al., unpublished data) includes  
538 five of the novel species-level lineages reported here, thus reinforcing our suggestion that our  
539 observations extend beyond Takvatn across a broader sub-Arctic geographic range.  
540 Unfortunately, the sequence data of Gordy et al. (2016) cannot be used for comparisons with our  
541 data, because these authors sequenced a different *cox1* fragment than that allowing molecular  
542 identification of species/lineages available on GenBank (e.g. Detwiler et al., 2010; Georgieva et  
543 al., 2014; Zikmundová et al., 2014; our study).

544 Taken together, these data help infer 165 host-trematode associations: 22 with the first  
545 intermediate mollusc hosts, 26 with the second intermediate hosts and 117 with the definitive  
546 fish and bird hosts (Table 3). Of these, 47 life-cycle links are firm, i.e. based on matching  
547 sequences for cercarial, metacercarial and adult (for two *Crepidostomum* spp.) isolates from the  
548 lake. Sequencing representative isolates from the first intermediate hosts and phylogenetic  
549 analyses helped us identify two mollusc intermediate hosts (*Radix balthica* and *Pisidium*  
550 *casertanum*) to the species level and another (*Sphaerium* sp.) to the genus level. All but five of  
551 the genetic lineages use *R. balthica* as their first-intermediate host and all but five mature in birds  
552 (Table 3) even though Takvatn has more fish than bird abundance and biomass. Matching  
553 sequence data for different life-cycle stages allowed us to elucidate the life-cycle of *C. metoecus*  
554 and partly elucidate the life-cycles for another 13 species in the lake. Of these, 12 species are  
555 trophically transmitted and only two species (*T. franki* haplotype "peregra" and *Notocotylus* sp.)  
556 do not require a second-intermediate host (Table 3). Life-cycle data for *Crepidostomum* spp., the  
557 only assemblage using fishes as definitive hosts among the digeneans identified at Takvatn,  
558 indicate that both salmonids (*S. trutta* and *S. alpinus*) might act as definitive hosts, and Kuhn et  
559 al. (2015) found eight specimens of *Crepidostomum* sp. (assumed to be either *C. metoecus* or *C.*  
560 *farionis*) in *G. aculeatus* in the lake. Therefore, all three fish species present at Takvatn might  
561 host both *Crepidostomum* spp. (Table 3). Inferring definitive bird hosts based on either records at  
562 the species (*C. cornutus* and *E. recurvatum*; 15 host-parasite associations) or genus level  
563 (*Apatemon* spp., *Diplostomum* spp., *Plagiorchis* spp., *Notocotylus* sp. and *T. franki* haplotype  
564 "peregra"; 90 host-parasite associations) is plausible, considering the trophic behaviour of the  
565 potential bird hosts and host-parasite compatibility based on records for congeneric digeneans at  
566 the NHM Host-Parasite Database (Gibson et al., 2005). Our data, therefore, help complete the  
567 Takvatn host-parasite interaction network adding the benthic component, which is characterised  
568 by a 3-fold higher diversity of macroparasites (24 vs 8 species) and twice as many host-parasite  
569 links (165 vs 75) than the network in the pelagic zone (see Amundsen et al., 2009).

570 In conclusion, our study adds to the sequence database (Georgieva et al., 2013; Blasco-  
571 Costa et al., 2014; Georgieva et al., 2014; Zikmundová et al., 2014) on digeneans in freshwater

572 ecosystems that will allow a direct and taxonomically consistent way to identify host-parasite  
573 interaction networks in future large-scale network and/or food web studies in Arctic lakes. With  
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962 **Figure legends**

963 **Fig. 1.** Phylogram from Bayesian inference (BI) analysis of the 28S rDNA sequence alignment  
964 (Alignment 1, 721 nt, 71 sequences) for 27 species/lineages within the Allocreadiidae. Outgroup:  
965 *Polylekithum ictaluri*. Nodal support is given as posterior probabilities (BI) and bootstrap values  
966 resulting from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only values > 0.95 (BI) and > 70 (ML) are  
967 shown. Isolates from Takvatn are coded as in Table 2 with indication of host name and life-cycle  
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975 **Fig. 2.** Phylogram from Bayesian inference (BI) analysis of the cytochrome *c* oxidase subunit 1  
976 (*cox1*) sequence alignment (Alignment 3, 407 nt, 65 sequences) for 22 species/lineages of the  
977 Strigeidae. Outgroup: *Diplostomum spathaceum*. Nodal support is given as posterior  
978 probabilities (BI) and bootstrap values resulting from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only  
979 values > 0.95 (BI) and > 70 (ML) are shown. Isolates from Takvatn are coded as in Table 2 with  
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986 **Fig. 3.** Phylogram from Bayesian inference (BI) analysis of the cytochrome *c* oxidase subunit 1  
987 (*cox1*) sequence alignment (Alignment 5, 407 nt, 112 sequences) for 36 species/lineages of  
988 *Diplostomum*. Outgroup: *Tylodelphys clavata*. Nodal support is given as posterior probabilities  
989 (BI) and bootstrap values resulting from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only values > 0.95  
990 (BI) and > 70 (ML) are shown. Isolates from Takvatn are coded as in Table 2 with indication of  
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997 **Fig. 4.** Phylogram from Bayesian inference (BI) analysis of the cytochrome *c* oxidase subunit 1  
998 (*cox1*) sequence alignment (Alignment 6, 407 nt, 39 sequences) for 15 species/lineages of  
999 *Tyloodelphys*. Outgroup: *Diplostomum spathaceum*. Nodal support is given as posterior  
1000 probabilities (BI) and bootstrap values resulting from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only  
1001 values > 0.95 (BI) and > 70 (ML) are shown. Isolates from Lake Takvatn are coded as in Table 2  
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1003 expected number of substitutions per site. Sequence identification is as in GenBank, followed by  
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1007 **Fig. 5.** Phylograms from Bayesian inference (BI) analyses for *Plagiorchis* spp. A, Analysis of  
1008 the cytochrome *c* oxidase subunit 1 (*cox1*) sequence alignment (Alignment 7, 423 nt, 41  
1009 sequences) for 13 species/lineages. Outgroup: *Choledocystus hepaticus*. B, Analysis of the 28  
1010 rDNA sequence alignment (Alignment 8, 1,171 nt, 27 sequences) for 14 species/lineages.  
1011 Outgroup: *Neoglyphe sobolevi*. Nodal support is given as posterior probabilities (BI) and  
1012 bootstrap values resulting from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only values > 0.95 (BI) and  
1013 > 70 (ML) are shown. Isolates from Takvatn are coded as in Table 2 with indication of host  
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1019 **Fig. 6.** Phylograms from Bayesian inference (BI) analyses for *Echinoparyphium* spp. A,  
1020 Analysis of the nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide dehydrogenase subunit 1 (*nad1*) sequence  
1021 alignment (Alignment 9, 472 nt, 21 sequences) for 7 species/lineages. B, Analysis of the 28  
1022 rDNA sequence alignment (Alignment 10, 1,190 nt, 11 sequences) for 7 species/lineages.  
1023 Outgroup: *Echinostoma revolutum*. Nodal support is given as posterior probabilities (BI) and  
1024 bootstrap values resulting from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only values > 0.95 (BI) and  
1025 > 70 (ML) are shown. Isolates from Takvatn are coded as in Table 2 with indication of host  
1026 name and life-cycle stage (R, redia; M, metacercaria). The scale-bar indicates the expected  
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1032 **Fig. 7.** Phylogram from Bayesian inference (BI) analysis of the concatenated ITS1 and ITS2  
1033 alignment (Alignment 11, 1,297 nt, 43 sequences) for 16 species/lineages of *Trichobilharzia* spp.  
1034 from the analysis of the concatenated ITS1 and ITS2 gene data set. Outgroup: *Anserobilharzia*  
1035 *brantae*. Nodal support is given as posterior probabilities (BI) and bootstrap values resulting  
1036 from maximum likelihood (ML) analysis; only values > 0.95 (BI) and > 70 (ML) are shown.  
1037 Isolates from Takvatn are coded as in Table 2 with indication of host name and life-cycle stage  
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**Table 1** Details for the alignments used in the phylogenetic analyses

Trematode group	Gene/ region	Alignment	No. of newly- generated sequences	No. of sequences retrieved from GenBank <sup>a</sup>	No. of species <sup>a,b</sup>	Outgroup	Alignment length	Model
Family Allocreadiidae	28S rRNA	1	23	48	26	<i>Polylekithum ictaluri</i>	721	GTR+I+Γ
Genus <i>Crepidostomum</i> (Allocreadiidae)	28S rRNA	2	11	18	9	<i>Allocreadium lobatum</i>	714	GTR+I
Family Strigeidae	<i>cox1</i>	3	21	44	22	<i>Diplostomum spathaceum</i>	407	GTR+I+Γ
	28S rRNA	4	8	10	8	<i>Diplostomum phoxini</i>	975	GTR+I+Γ
Genus <i>Diplostomum</i> (Diplostomidae)	<i>cox1</i>	5	29	83	35	<i>Tylodelphys clavata</i>	407	HKY+I+Γ
Genus <i>Tylodelphys</i> (Diplostomidae)	<i>cox1</i>	6	2	37	14	<i>Diplostomum spathaceum</i>	407	GTR+I+Γ
Genus <i>Plagiorchis</i> (Plagiorchiidae)	<i>cox1</i>	7	28	13	6	<i>Choledocystus hepaticus</i>	423	GTR+I+Γ
Genus <i>Echinoparyphium</i> (Echinostomatidae)	28S rRNA	8	16	11	7	<i>Neoglyphe sobolevi</i>	1,171	GTR+I+Γ
	<i>nad1</i>	9	5	16	7	<i>Echinostoma revolutum</i>	472	GTR+I+Γ
Genus <i>Trichobilharzia</i> (Schistosomatidae)	28S rRNA	10	3	8	7	<i>Echinostoma revolutum</i>	1,190	GTR+I
	ITS1- ITS2	11	6	37	16	<i>Anserobilharzia brantae</i>	1,297	GTR+I+ Γ & HKY+I
<i>Radix</i> spp. (Lymnaeidae)	ITS2	12	4	26	13	<i>Lymnaea stagnalis</i>	367	GTR+I+Γ
<i>Pisidium</i> spp. and <i>Sphaerium</i> spp. (Sphaeriidae)	28S rRNA	13	2	15	10	<i>Eupera platensis</i>	745	GTR+I+Γ

<sup>a</sup>Ingroup<sup>b</sup>Sequences retrieved from GenBank

**Table 2** Summary data for the isolates from Lake Takvatn used for generation of the new *cox1*, *nad1*, 28S rDNA and ITS1-5.8S-ITS2/ITS2 sequences.

Species	Host species	Host family	Life-cycle stage <sup>a</sup>	Isolate	Gene	GenBank accession number*
<b>Family Allocreadiidae Looss, 1902</b>						
<i>Allocreadium neotenicum</i> Peters, 1957	<i>Oreodytes sanmarkii</i>	Dytiscidae	M	ANTAK1, 2	28S	G203; G204
<i>Crepidostomum farionis</i> (Müller, 1780)	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	Sphaeriidae	R	CFTAK1, 2	28S	S529; S530
	<i>Sphaerium</i> sp.	Sphaeriidae	R	CFTAK3, 4	28S	G185; G186
	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	Sphaeriidae	C	CFTAK5, 6	28S	G190; G191
<i>Crepidostomum metoecus</i> (Braun, 1900)	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	Sphaeriidae	R	CMTAK1	28S	G189
	<i>Gammarus lacustris</i>	Gammaridae	M	CMTAK2-8	28S	S491; S570; G195; G196; G197; G198; G199
<i>Crepidostomum</i> sp. 1	<i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	A	CMTAK9	28S	G193
	<i>Sphaerium</i> sp.	Sphaeriidae	C	CSP1TAK1	28S	S526
	<i>Siphonurus lacustris</i>	Siphonuridae	M	CSP1TAK2	28S	G202
<i>Crepidostomum</i> sp. 2	<i>Siphonurus lacustris</i>	Siphonuridae	M	CSP2TAK1	28S	S486
	<i>Diura bicaudata</i>	Perlodidae	M	CSP2TAK2, 3	28S	G200; G201
	<i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	A	CSP2TAK4	28S	G194
<b>Family Diplostomidae Poirier, 1886</b>						
<i>Diplostomum phoxini</i> (Faust, 1918)	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	DPTAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S853
	<i>Phoxinus phoxinus</i> <sup>d</sup>	Cyprinidae	M	DPTAK2	<i>cox1</i>	S845
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 3' <sup>b</sup>	<i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	M	DLIN3TAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S837; S839; S840
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<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 4' <sup>b</sup>	<i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	Salmonidae	M	DLIN3TAK4	<i>cox1</i>	S847
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	DLIN4TAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S851; S852; S856
				-3		
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 5' <sup>b</sup>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	Gasterosteidae	M	DLIN4TAK4	<i>cox1</i>	S831; S834
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	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	Gasterosteidae	M	DLIN5TAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S829
	<i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	M	DLIN5TAK2	<i>cox1</i>	S836
	<i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	Salmonidae	M	DLIN5TAK3	<i>cox1</i>	S842; S843; S844; S846; S848; S849; S850
				-9		
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 6' <sup>b</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	DLIN6TAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S854; S855; S857; S858; S859
				-5		
	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	Gasterosteidae	M	DLIN6TAK6	<i>cox1</i>	S828; S830; S832; S835

<i>Tylodelphys</i> sp.	<i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	M	TSPTAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S838
	<i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	Salmonidae	M	TSPTAK2	<i>cox1</i>	S841
<b>Family Echinostomatidae Looss, 1899</b>						
<i>Echinoparyphium recurvatum</i> (Linstow, 1873)	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	R	ERTAK1	<i>nad1/2</i> 8S	Ge621/S508
	<i>Sphaerium</i> sp.	Sphaeriidae	M	ERTAK2	<i>nad1/2</i> 8S	S960/Ge591
	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	Sphaeriidae	M	ERTAK3	<i>nad1</i>	S961
	<i>Sphaerium</i> sp.	Sphaeriidae	M	ERTAK4,5	<i>nad1/2</i> 8S	S962; Ge622/S528
<b>Family Notocotylidae Lühe, 1909</b>						
<i>Notocotylus</i> sp.	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	NSPTAK1	28S	G205
<b>Family Plagiorchiidae Lühe, 1901</b>						
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 1	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	S	PSP1TAK1, 2	<i>cox1</i>	S881; S882
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP1TAK3- 12	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S992; S940; S872; S873; S874; S875; S876; S877; S941; S942/S485; S533; S1005
	<i>Tipula salicetorum</i>	Tipulidae	M	PSP1TAK13	28S	S487
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 2	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	S	PSP2TAK1	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	Ge756/S568
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP2TAK2, 3	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S867; S869/S1003
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	M	PSP2TAK4	<i>cox1</i>	S871
	<i>Gammarus lacustris</i>	Gammaridae	M	PSP2TAK5, 6	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	Ge754; Ge755/S489
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 3	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP3TAK1-3	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S879; S880; S939/S995
	<i>Tipula salicetorum</i>	Tipulidae	M	PSP3TAK4	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	Ge757/S510
	<i>Oreodytes alpinus</i>	Dytiscidae	M	PSP3TAK5	28S	S514
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 4	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP4TAK1	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S868/S1004
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	M	PSP4TAK2	<i>cox1</i>	S878
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 5	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP5TAK1, 2	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S866; S870/S1001
	<i>Sialis lutaria</i>	Sialidae	M	PSP5TAK3	28S	S511
	<i>Oreodytes alpinus</i>	Dytiscidae	M	PSP5TAK4	28S	S490

<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 6	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP6TAK1	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S943/S1002
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 7	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	PSP7TAK1	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S991/S532
<b>Family Schistosomatidae Stiles &amp; Hassall, 1898</b>						
<i>Trichobilharzia franki</i> haplotype "peregra" <sup>c</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	TFPTAK1-6	ITS1- 5.8S- ITS2	G160; G161; G162; G163; G164; GeM1
<b>Family Strigeidae Railliet, 1919</b>						
<i>Apatemon gracilis</i> (Rudolphi, 1819)	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	S	AGTAK1-3	<i>cox1</i>	S550; S551; S919
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	C	AGTAK4-10	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S552; S553; S554; S917; S860; S861; Ge584/Ge586; S512
<i>Apatemon</i> sp.	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	Gasterosteidae	M	AGTAK11- 13	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S833; G178; G177/Ge585
	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	Gasterosteidae	M	ASPTAK1, 2	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	G179; G180/Ge587; Ge588
<i>Cotylurus cornutus</i> (Rudolphi, 1808)	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	S	CCTAK1	<i>cox1</i>	S920
	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Lymnaeidae	M	CCTAK2-5	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S862; S863; S864; S865/Ge590
	<i>Gyraulus acronicus</i>	Planorbidae	M	CCTAK6, 7	<i>cox1/2</i> 8S	S555/Ge589; G28
<b>Family Lymnaeidae Rafinesque, 1815</b>						
<i>Radix balthica</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	–	–	A	RB TAK1-4	ITS2	CS15-CS18
<b>Family Sphaeriidae Deshayes, 1855</b>						
<i>Sphaerim</i> sp.	–	–	A	SSPTAK1	28S	G208
<i>Pisidium casertanum</i> (Poli, 1791)	–	–	A	PCTAK1	28S	G207

<sup>a</sup> Life-cycle stages: A, adult; C, cercaria; R, redia; M, metacercaria/progenetic metacercaria of *A. neotenicum*.

<sup>b</sup> Lineages discovered in Iceland and characterised molecularly and morphologically by Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) and Faltýnková et al. (2014), respectively.

<sup>c</sup> *sensu* Jouet et al. (2010).

<sup>d</sup> Metacercaria ex *Phoxinus phoxinus* sampled at Lake Øvre Heimdalsvatnet, Norway.

\*Sequence codes in this column will be replaced with sequence IDs

**Table 3** Summary data for the intermediate hosts of the molecularly identified isolates and the possible definitive hosts of the trematodes completing their life-cycles in Takvatn. Possible fish definitive hosts are inferred from life-cycle data available for congeneric parasites; possible bird definitive hosts at Takvatn are inferred based on the records of congeneric digeneans in the Host-Parasite Database of the Natural History Museum, London (Gibson et al., 2005); only bird species breeding at the lake are considered as possible hosts.

Species	First intermediate host	Second intermediate host	Definitive hosts
<b>Family Allocreadiidae</b>			
<i>Allocreadium neotericum</i>		<i>Oreodytes sanmarkii</i>	?
<i>Crepidostomum farionis</i>	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i> ; <i>Sphaerium</i> sp.		<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i> ; <i>Salmo trutta</i> ; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>
<i>Crepidostomum metoecus</i>	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	<i>Gammarus lacustris</i>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i> ; <i>Salmo trutta</i> *; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>
<i>Crepidostomum</i> sp. 1 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Sphaerium</i> sp.	<i>Siphonurus lacustris</i>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i> ; <i>Salmo trutta</i> ; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>
<i>Crepidostomum</i> sp. 2 <sup>a</sup>		<i>Siphonurus lacustris</i> ; <i>Diura bicaudata</i>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i> ; <i>Salmo trutta</i> *; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>
<b>Family Diplostomidae</b>			
<i>Diplostomum phoxini</i>	<i>Radix balthica</i>		<i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Bucephala clangula</i> ; <i>Gavia arctica</i> ; <i>Larus canus</i> ; <i>Mergus serrator</i> ; <i>Sterna paradisaea</i>
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 3' <sup>a,b</sup>		<i>Salmo trutta</i> ; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 4' <sup>a,b</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 5' <sup>a,b</sup>		<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i> ; <i>Salmo trutta</i> ; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	
<i>Diplostomum</i> sp. 'Lineage 6' <sup>a,b</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	
<i>Tylodelphys</i> sp. <sup>a</sup>		<i>Salmo trutta</i> ; <i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	<i>Gavia arctica</i>
<b>Family Echinostomatidae</b>			
<i>Echinoparyphium recurvatum</i>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Sphaerium</i> sp.; <i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	<i>Anas penelope</i> ; <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> ; <i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Bucephala clangula</i> ; <i>Larus canus</i> ; <i>Melanitta fusca</i> ; <i>Melanitta nigra</i> ; <i>Tringa totanus</i>
<b>Family Notocotylidae</b>			
<i>Notocotylus</i> sp. <sup>d</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	–	<i>Anas penelope</i> ; <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> ; <i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Bucephala clangula</i> ; <i>Larus canus</i> ; <i>Melanitta fusca</i>
<b>Family Plagiorchiidae</b>			
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 1 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Tipula salicetorum</i>	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> ; <i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Larus canus</i> ; <i>Tringa hypoleucos</i> ; <i>Tringa totanus</i>
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 2 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Gammarus lacustris</i>	
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 3 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Tipula salicetorum</i> ; <i>Oreodytes alpinus</i>	
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 4 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>		
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 5 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Sialis lutaria</i> ; <i>Oreodytes alpinus</i>	
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 6 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>		
<i>Plagiorchis</i> sp. 7 <sup>a</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>		
<b>Family Schistosomatidae</b>			
<i>Trichobilharzia franki</i> haplotype "peregra" <sup>a, c, d</sup>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	–	<i>Anas penelope</i> ; <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> ; <i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Bucephala clangula</i>
<b>Family Strigeidae</b>			
<i>Apatemon gracilis</i>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	<i>Anas penelope</i> ; <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> ; <i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Bucephala clangula</i> ; <i>Melanitta fusca</i> ; <i>Melanitta nigra</i> ; <i>Mergus serrator</i>
<i>Apatemon</i> sp. <sup>a</sup>		<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	
<i>Cotylurus cornutus</i>	<i>Radix balthica</i>	<i>Radix balthica</i> ; <i>Gyraulus acronicus</i>	<i>Anas penelope</i> ; <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> ; <i>Aythya fuligula</i> ; <i>Bucephala clangula</i> ; <i>Melanitta</i>

<sup>a</sup> Putative new species

<sup>b</sup> Lineages discovered in Iceland and characterised molecularly and morphologically by Blasco-Costa et al. (2014) and Faltýnková et al. (2014)

<sup>c</sup> Lineage discovered in Iceland by Jouet et al. (2010) based on molecular data

<sup>d</sup> No second intermediate host in the life-cycle

\* Hosts of adult isolates sequenced

Figure 1

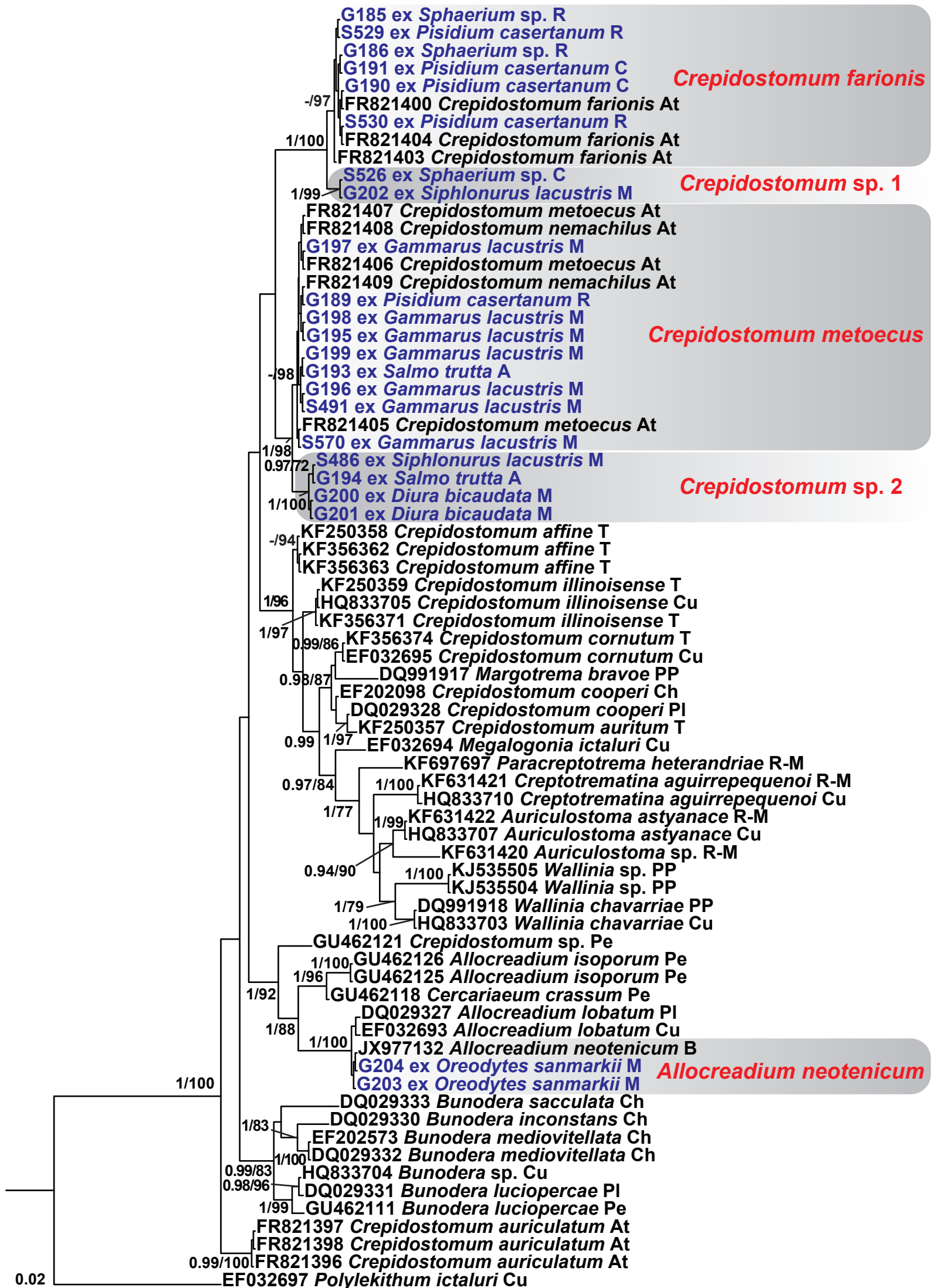


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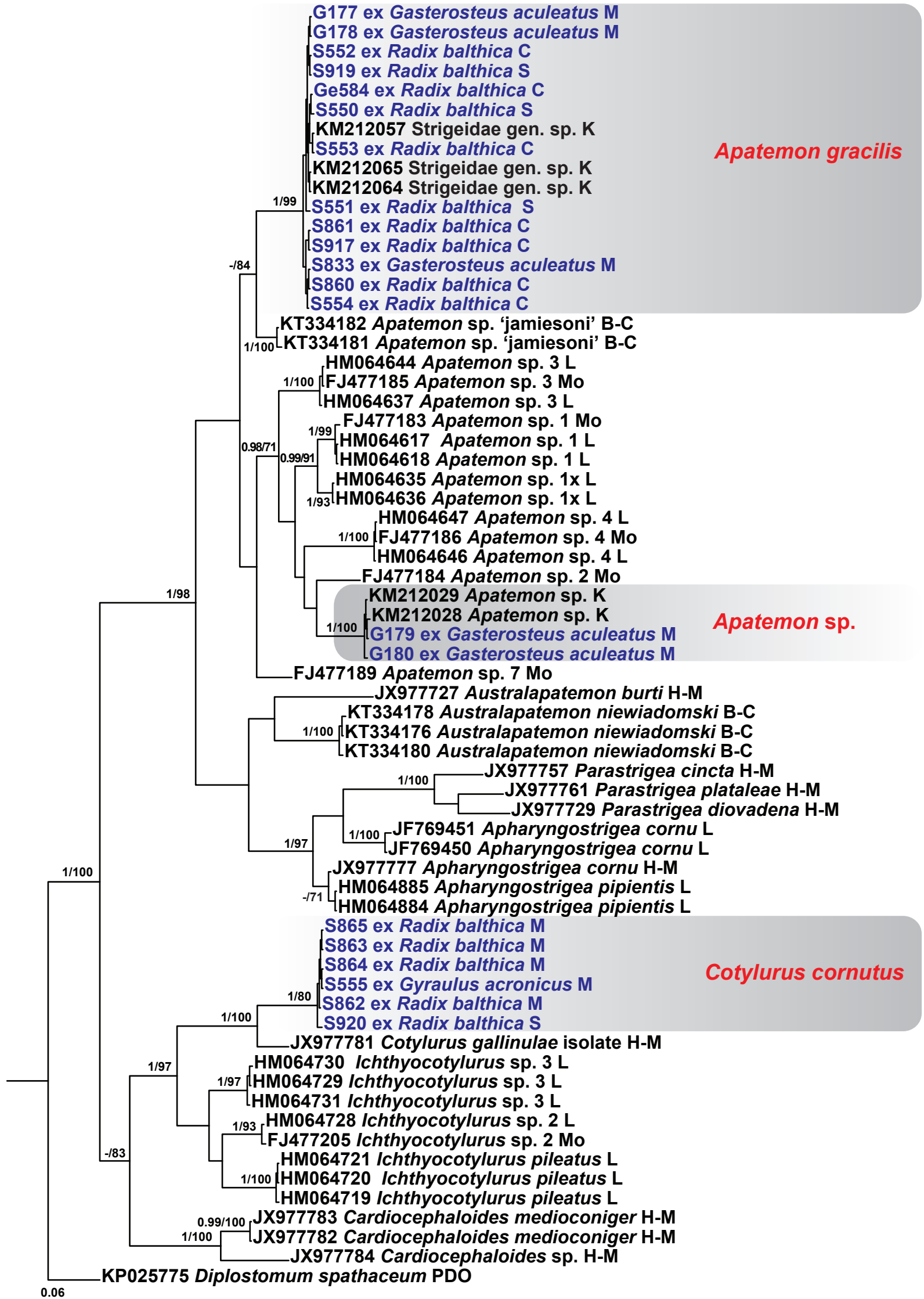




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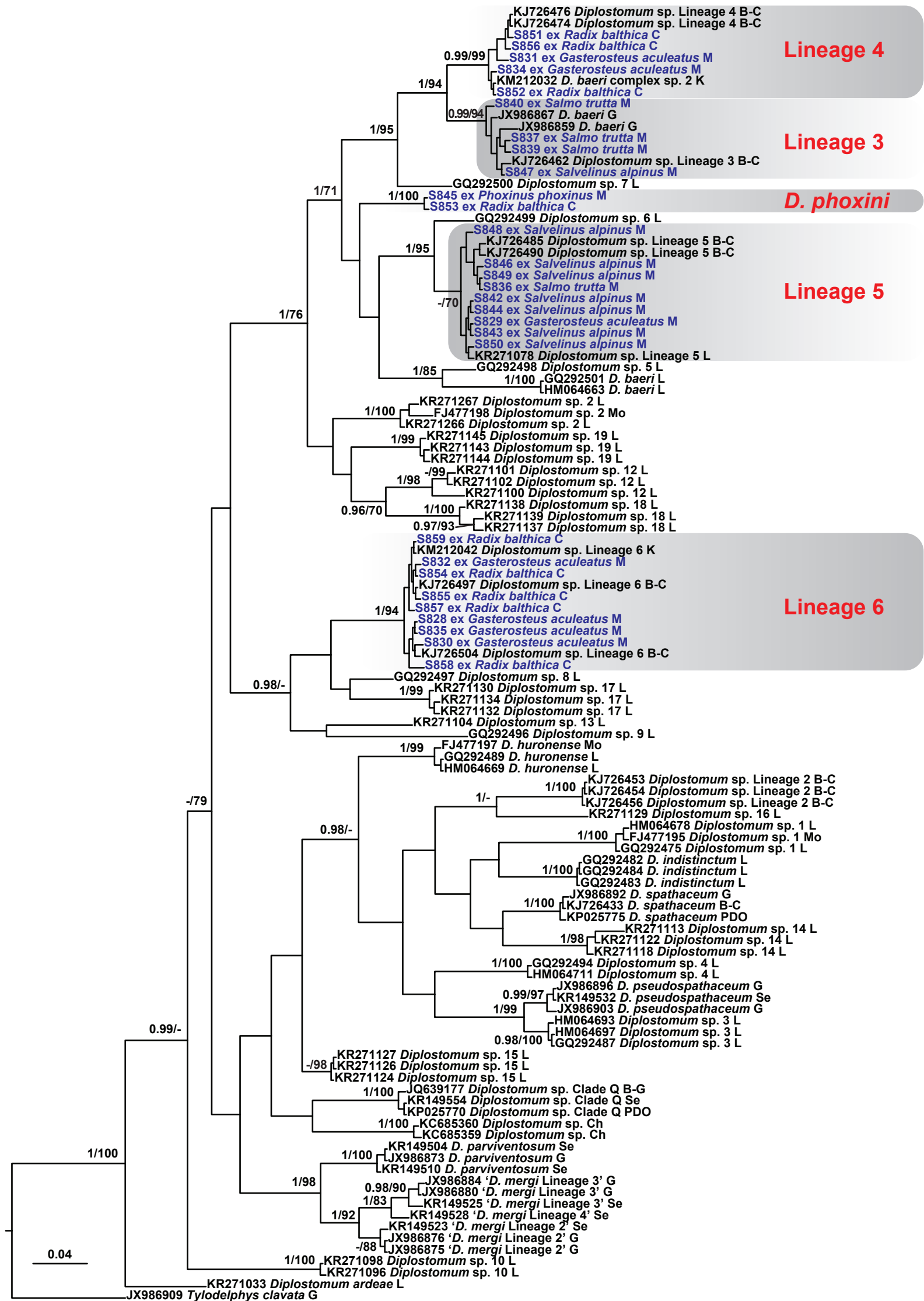
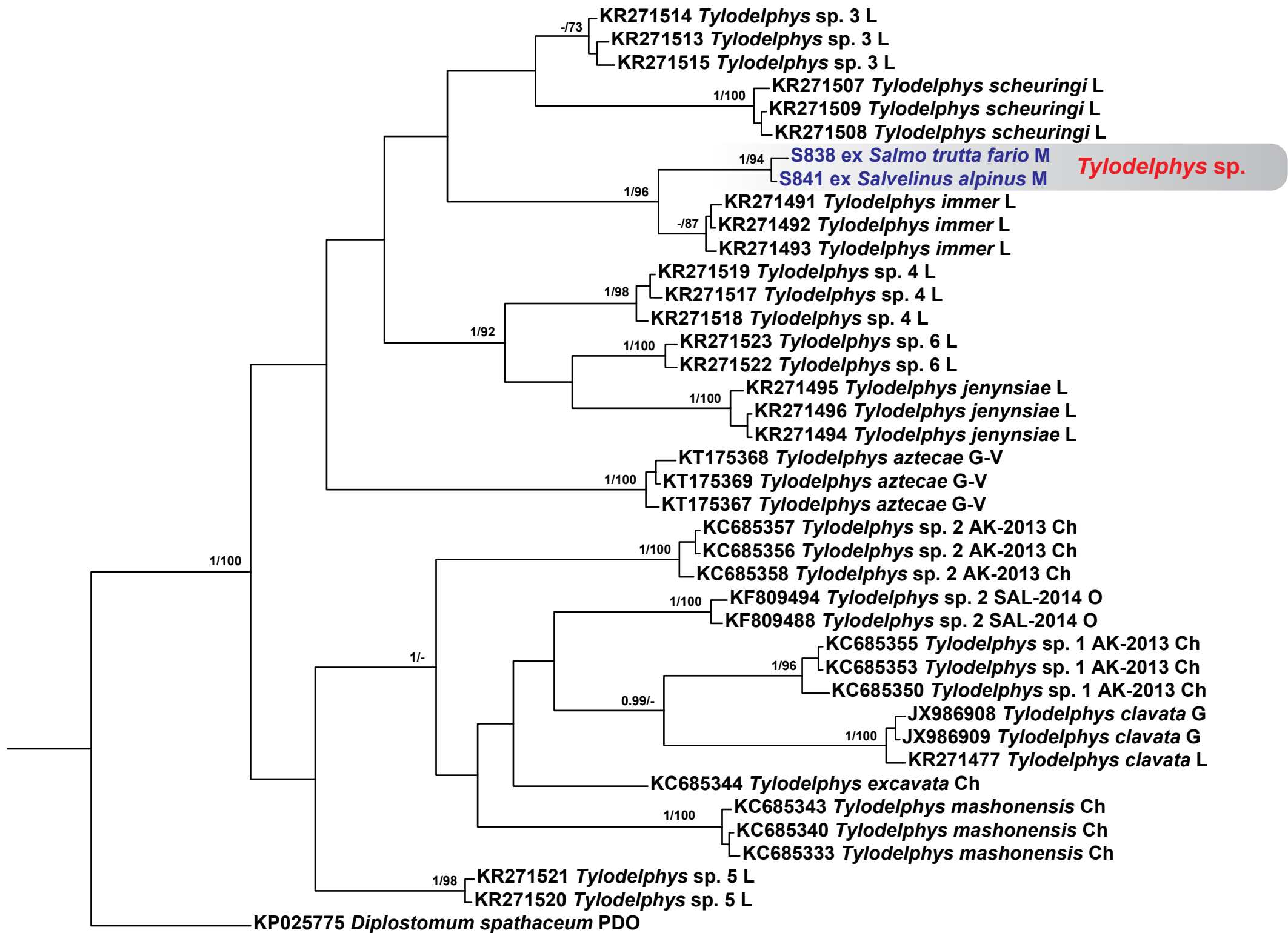
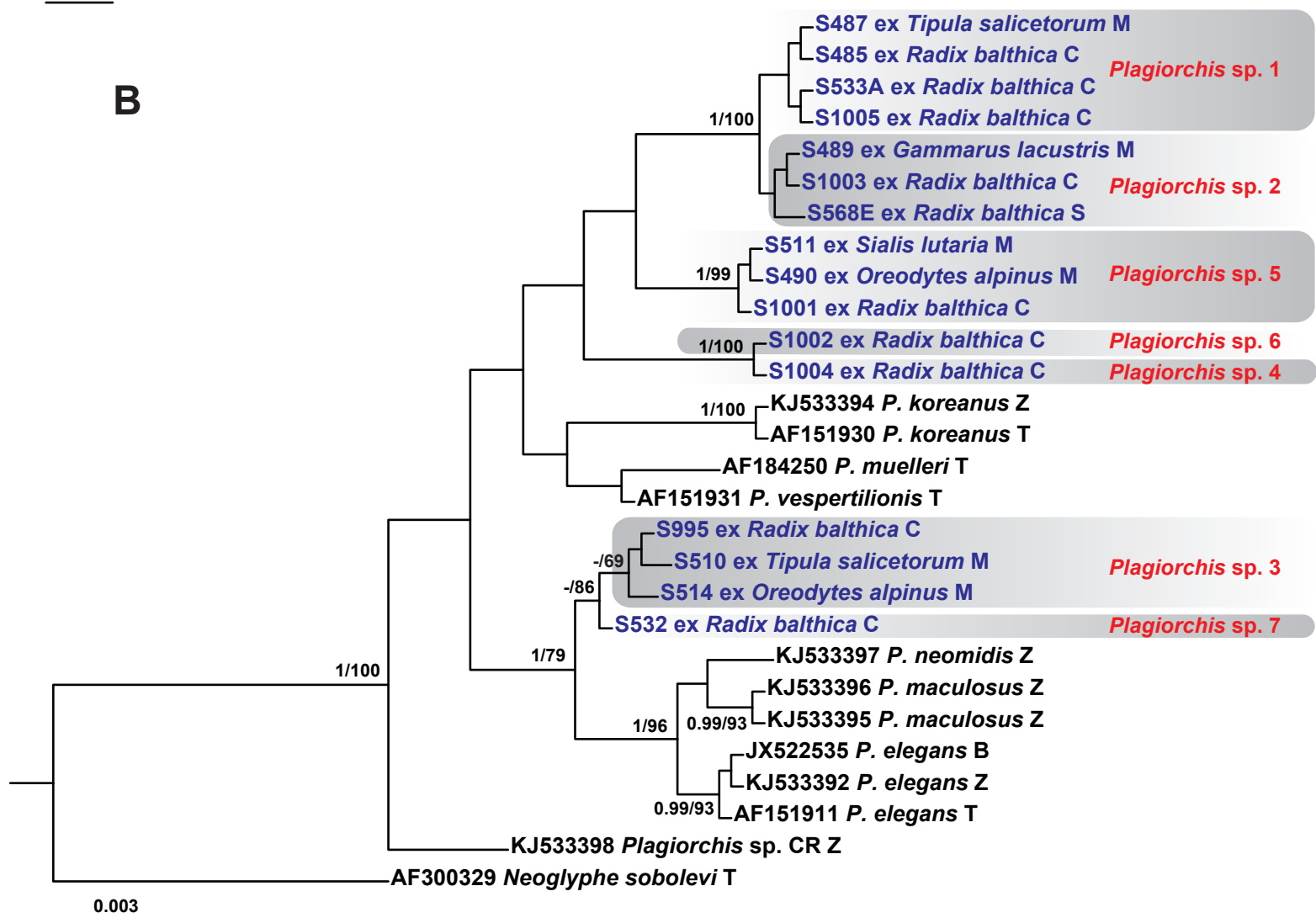
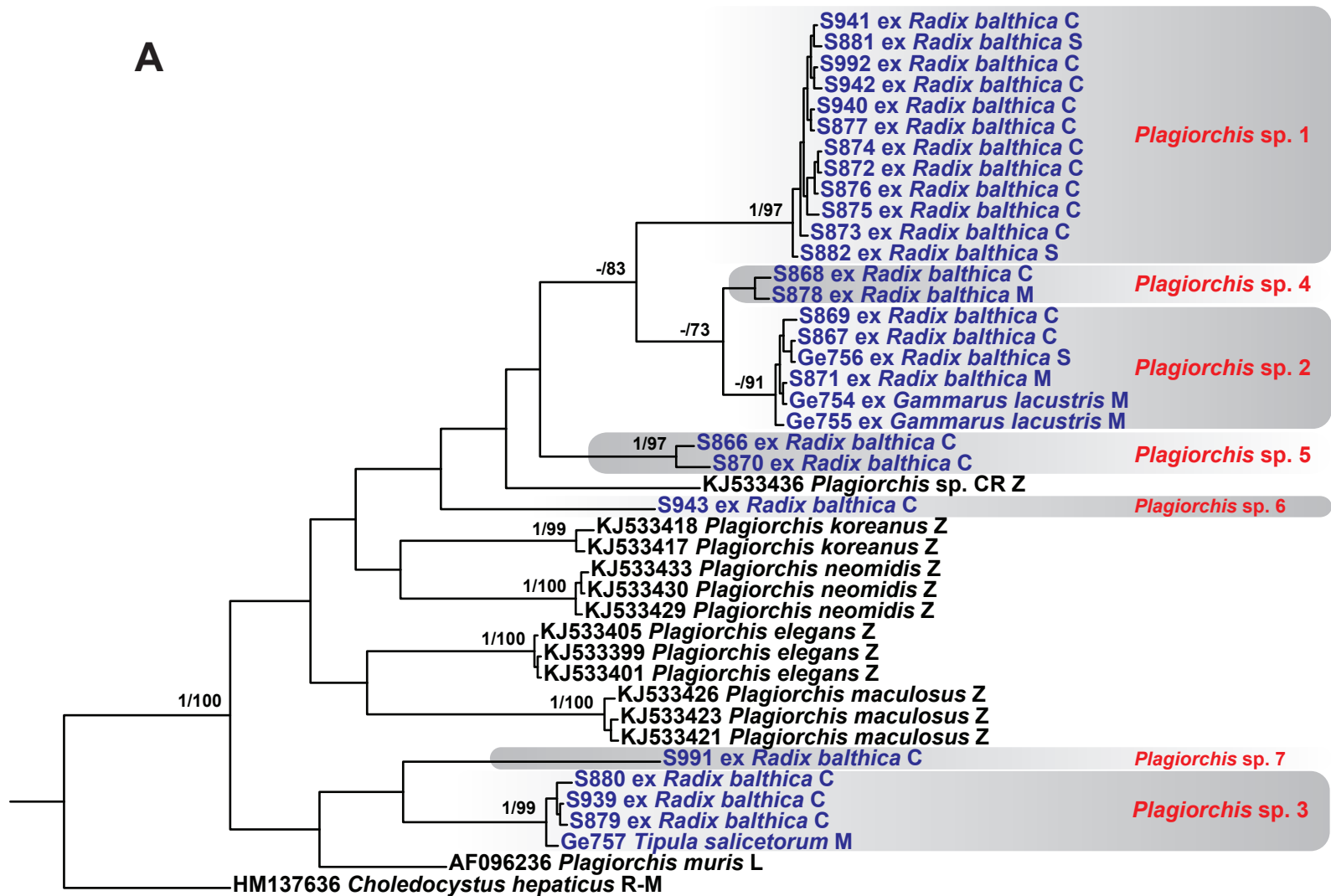


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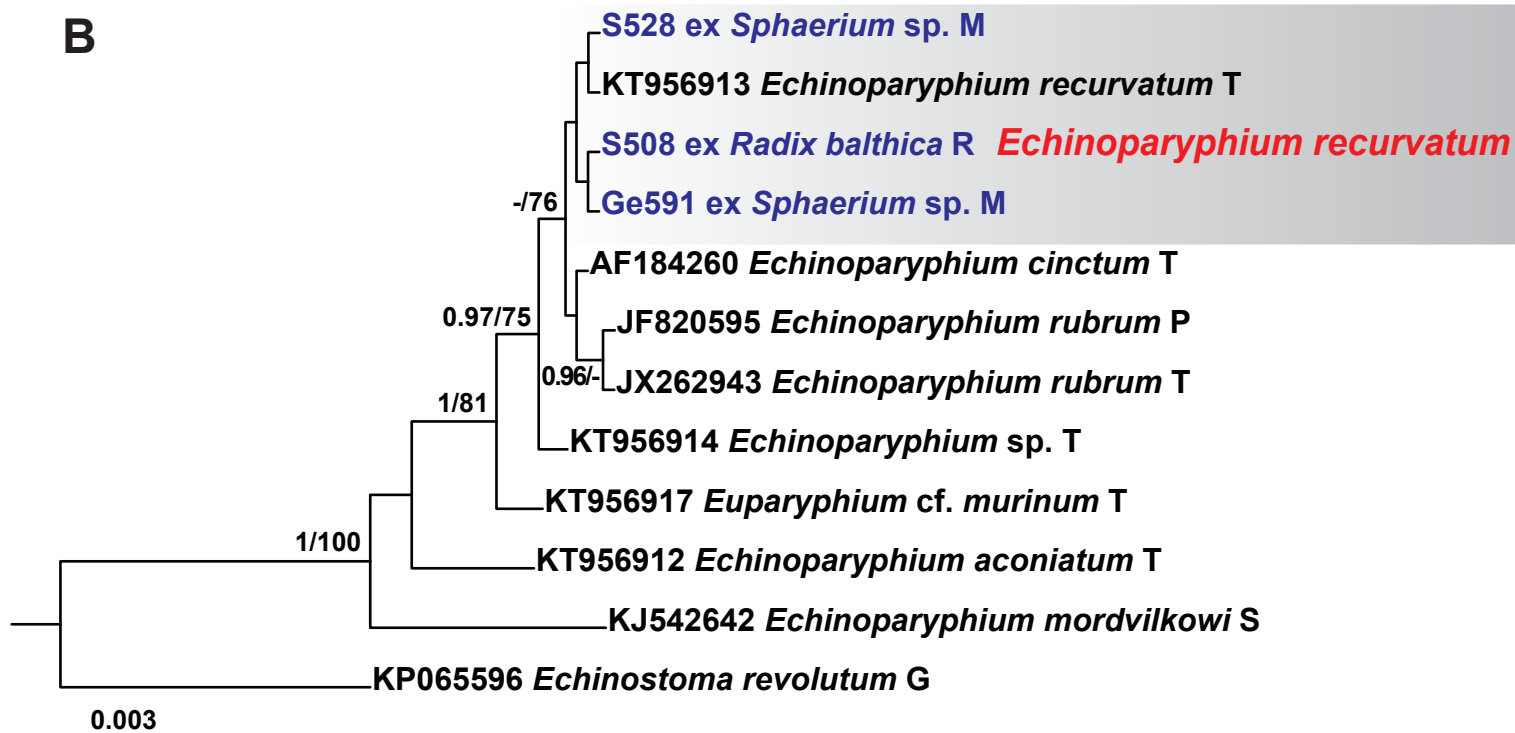
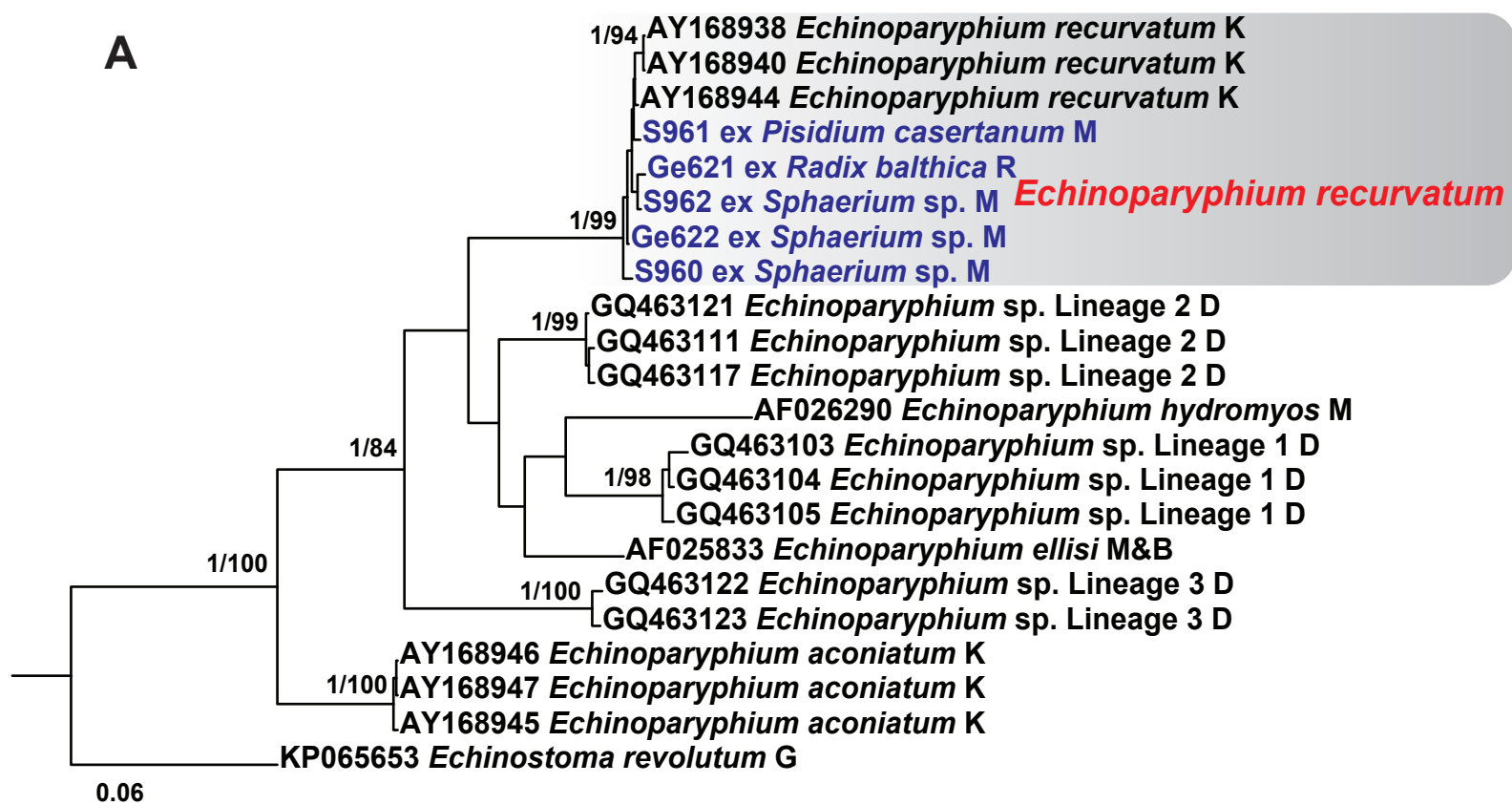


Figure 7

