

Cylismilia nom. n. (Scleractinia, Jurassic)

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The generic name used for an early Kimmeridgian coral from Dobrogea. *Cylindrosmilia* Roniewicz, 1978 (type species: *Cylindrosmilia cylindrica* Roniewicz, 1976 is preoccupied by *Cylindrosmilia* Quenstedt, 1880 (type species: *Cylindrosmilia reticulata* Quenstedt, 1880) from the late Kimmeridgian of Nattheim. It was Wells' list of coral generic taxa published recently (1987) which recorded this nomenclatural irregularity. To avoid the homonymy a new name *Cylismilia* (type species: *Cylindrosmilia cylindrata* Roniewicz, 1978) is here proposed to replace *Cylindrosmilia* Roniewicz. 1976. The new name has been obtained by shortening of the original one.

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