

## The tachinid *Macquartia plumbea* Richter & Wood new for the European part of Russia (Diptera: Tachinidae)

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*Macquartia plumbea* Richter & Wood is for the first time recorded from the European part of Russia (Vaigach Island).

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### *Macquartia plumbea* Richter & Wood, 1995

**Material. Russia:** 1 ♂, Vaigach Island, Bolvanskii Nos, 27.VII.1957 (Chernov), in the collection of the Zoological Institute, Russian Academy of Sciences, St.Petersburg.

This is the first record of a tachinid from Vaigach Island, which is situated on the boundary of Barents and Kara Seas. The species was described from the tundra in the mountains of the northern Yukon, Canada, and from the arctic coast of Yakutia (Tiksi, tundra); several type specimens are also from Western Siberia (Novosibirsk Province) and Kamchatka (birch forest) (Richter & Wood, 1995, 2004).

The vegetation of Vaigach Island is arctic tundra (Alexandrova, 1980). The island is the most westerly locality of this species in the Palaearctic Region.

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