

REPLACEMENT NAME FOR *ECTOPSOCUS BRUNNEUS* VISHNYAKOVA  
(PSOCOPTERA: ECTOPSOCIDAE)

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**Abstract**

Schmidt, E.R., 1992. Replacement name for *Ectopsocus brunneus* Vishnyakova (Psocoptera: Ectopsocidae). *Memoirs of the Museum of Victoria* 53: 221.

*Ectopsocus vishnyakovae* is erected to replace *E. brunneus* Vishnyakova, 1963 preoccupied by *E. brunneus* (Edwards, 1950).

My attention has been drawn by an anonymous reviewer of our paper on the Psocoptera of Wilsons Promontory National Park, Victoria (Schmidt and Thornton, 1992), to the fact that the species name *brunneus* for *Ectopsocus brunneus* Vishnyakova, 1963 has become a secondary homonym of *Ectopsocus brunneus* (Edwards, 1950), transferred to *Ectopsocus McLachlan* from *Interpsocus* Edwards by Thornton and Wong (1968). A new name is thus required for Vishnyakova's Armenian species to replace the junior homonym.

***Ectopsocus vishnyakovae* nom. nov.**

*Ectopsocus brunneus* Vishnyakova, V.N. in Svadzhyan, R.K., Vishnyakova, V.N. and Mardzhanyan, K.S., 1963: 92, [preoccupied by *Ectopsocus brunneus* (Edwards, 1950: 126, figs 95–102) transferred to *Ectopsocus* by Thornton and Wong, 1968].

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