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Redescription of *Diacyclops alticola* Kiefer, 1935 (Copepoda, Cyclopoida) from the Pamirs (Tajikistan)

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Abstract: *Diacyclops alticola*, a poorly known cyclopoid, is redescribed on specimens from a shallow pool near Lake Rang-Kul in the Pamirs (Tajikistan) at an altitude of 3700 m. Synonymy of *D. alticola* Kiefer, 1935 and *D. longifurcus* Shen et Sung, 1963 is proposed. A key to the species of the genus *Diacyclops* Kiefer, 1927 in Central Asia is presented.

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