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A representative of the pulchella group of Alona in Anatolia: *Alona cambouei* Guerne & Richard, 1893 (Cladocera: Chydoridae)

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Abstract: *Alona cambouei* of the pulchella group in Anatolia is considered in this study. A description of the species is supplemented with new data obtained from new specimens and necessary illustrations are provided. *A. cambouei* is diagnosed from other *Alona* species of Anatolia. Some conclusions are given about the distribution of the pulchella group and it is assumed that the group is Gondwana origin and Anatolia is the north-west end of the range of the group in Asia.

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