

# A Provisional List of the North American Sphaeriidae: Common, Scientific Names, and Distribution.

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During the Freshwater Mollusk Conservation Society (FMCS) Bivalve Common and Scientific Names Subcommittee meeting held 10 April 2023 in Portland, Oregon, we discussed expanding the FMCS list of freshwater bivalves to include the Sphaeriidae. These are Fingernail, Pill or Pea clams and have a global distribution excluding Antarctica. This family was not included in Williams et al. (2017) and has not been included in the FMCS lists (2019, 2021, 2023) of freshwater bivalves of North America. The committee discussed this addition and noted the current limited active systematic and taxonomic research on this family in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

Sphaeriidae is the second largest freshwater bivalve family currently containing 260 recognized modern species in two subfamilies and eight genera (MolluscaBase, 2024) or 272 recognized species in nine genera (MUSSELp). Bogan (2008) reported 196 species, while Graf (2013), Lee (2019), and Graf and Cummings (2021) estimated current worldwide Sphaeriidae diversity at 227 species. The most recent Sphaeriinae phylogeny was by Bespalaya et al. (2023).

Herrington (1962) revised the Sphaeriidae of North America (Canada and the United States only). An illustrated key to the North American species was provided by Burch (1972, 1975). Sphaeriidae was included in the two editions of the American Fisheries Society list of scientific and common names of mollusks of the US and Canada (Turgeon et al., 1988, 1998). The most recent work covering this family in North America was produced by Mackie (2007), who overlooked *Pisidium sanguinichristi* D.W. Taylor, 1987 and recognized *Pisidium moitessierianum* (Paladilhe, 1866), now *Odhneripisidium moitessierianum*, as introduced into the Great Lakes (Mackie, 2007). The common name Pygmy Peaclam was used for *Pisidium*

*moitessierianum* by the Great Lakes Aquatic Nonindigenous Species Information System [NOAA GLANSIS] (2024a) and the introduced distribution confirmed (See Grigorovich, Korniushin and MacIsaac, 2000; Korniushin, Grigorovich and Mackie, 2001; United States Geological Survey, Nonindigenous Aquatic Species, 2024a).

The taxonomy for the species reported from Canada and the United States has not been updated in the past 16 years. Table 1 and Table 2 were constructed using Turgeon et al. (1998), Mackie (2007), MUSSELp (2024) and MolluscaBase (2024) to update our current taxonomic understanding of the North American fauna and provide a new provisional list. The new updated list of Mexican Sphaeriidae compiled by Bogan and Naranjo-Garcia (2024) has been included.

The Canadian and United States Sphaeriidae fauna is updated in Table 1. The North American fauna is summarized in Table 2 including common names (both English and Spanish) for Canada, Mexico and the United States. The distribution data for Canada and the United States is from Mackie (2007) and may not include all the states or provinces where the species occurs. This is an area for future research. This fauna is comprised of 34 species known from Canada, 19 from Mexico and 40 from the United States for a total North American sphaeriid fauna of 50 species.

Halabowski et al. (2024) has provided an overview of the European Sphaeriidae fauna and the problems they are facing. We are facing these same problems and they provide a useful flow diagram of the systematics, zoogeography and conservation needs that may be used a starting point for the North American Sphaeriidae.

We encourage constructive comments and suggestions regarding this preliminary list.

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Table 1. Comparison of the various classifications for the Sphaeriidae of Canada and the United States with an updated generic placement of the species.

Turgeon et al. (1998)	Mackie (2007)	MolluscaBase (2024)	MUSSEL p (2024)	Updated Canada and US list
<i>Eupera cubensis</i> (Prime, 1865)	<i>Eupera cubensis</i>	<i>Eupera cubensis</i>	<i>Eupera cubensis</i>	<i>Eupera cubensis</i> (Prime, 1865)
<i>Musculium lacustre</i> (Müller, 1774)	<i>Musculium lacustre</i>	<i>Sphaerium lacustre</i>	<i>Sphaerium lacustre</i>	<i>Sphaerium lacustre</i> (Müller, 1774)
<i>Musculium partumeium</i> (Say, 1822)	<i>Musculium partumeium</i>	<i>Sphaerium partumeium</i>	<i>Sphaerium partumeium</i>	<i>Sphaerium partumeium</i> (Say, 1822)
<i>Musculium securis</i> (Prime, 1852)	<i>Musculium securis</i>	<i>Sphaerium securis</i>	<i>Sphaerium securis</i>	<i>Sphaerium securis</i> (Prime, 1852)
<i>Musculium transversum</i> (Say, 1829)	<i>Musculium transversum</i>	<i>Sphaerium transversum</i>	<i>Sphaerium transversum</i>	<i>Sphaerium transversum</i> (Say, 1829)
<i>Pisidium adamsi</i> Stimpson, 1851*	<i>Pisidium adamsi</i> *	<i>Euglesa adamsii</i>	<i>Euglesa adamsii</i>	<i>Euglesa adamsii</i> (Stimpson, 1851)
<i>Pisidium amnicum</i> (Müller, 1774)	<i>Pisidium amnicum</i>	<i>Pisidium amnicum</i>	<i>Pisidium amnicum</i>	<i>Pisidium amnicum</i> (Müller, 1774)
<i>Pisidium casertanum</i> (Poli, 1791)	<i>Pisidium casertanum</i>	<i>Euglesea casertana</i>	<i>Euglesa casertana</i>	<i>Euglesa casertana</i> (Poli, 1791)
<i>Pisidium compressum</i> Prime, 1852	<i>Pisidium compressum</i>	<i>Euglesa compressa</i>	<i>Euglesa compressa</i>	<i>Euglesa compressa</i> (Prime, 1852)
<i>Pisidium conventus</i> Clessin, 1877	<i>Pisidium conventus</i>	<i>Conventus conventus</i>	<i>Conventus conventus</i>	<i>Conventus conventus</i> (Clessin, 1877)
<i>Pisidium cruciatum</i> Sterki, 1895	<i>Pisidium cruciatum</i>	<i>Pisidium cruciatum</i>	<i>Pisidium cruciatum</i>	<i>Pisidium cruciatum</i> Sterki, 1895
<i>Pisidium dubium</i> (Say, 1817)	<i>Pisidium dubium</i>	<i>Pisidium dubium</i>	<i>Pisidium dubium</i>	<i>Pisidium dubium</i> (Say, 1817)
<i>Pisidium equilaterale</i> Prime, 1852	<i>Pisidium equilaterale</i>	<i>Euglesa equilateralis</i>	<i>Euglesa equilateralis</i>	<i>Euglesa equilateralis</i> (Prime, 1852)
<i>Pisidium fallax</i> Sterki, 1896	<i>Pisidium fallax</i>	<i>Euglesa fallax</i>	<i>Euglesa fallax</i>	<i>Euglesa fallax</i> (Sterki, 1896)

<i>Pisidium ferrugineum</i> Prime, 1852	<i>Pisidium ferrugineum</i>	<i>Euglesa ferruginea</i>	<i>Euglesa ferruginea</i>	<i>Euglesa ferruginea</i> (Prime, 1852)
<i>Pisidium henslowanum</i> (Sheppard, 1825)	<i>Pisidium henslowanum</i>	<i>Euglesa henslowana</i>	<i>Euglesa henslowana</i>	<i>Euglesa henslowana</i> (Sheppard, 1825)
<i>Pisidium idahoense</i> Roper, 1890	<i>Pisidium idahoense</i>	<i>Pisidium idahoense</i>	<i>Pisidium idahoense</i>	<i>Pisidium idahoense</i> Roper, 1891
<i>Pisidium insigne</i> Gabb, 1868	<i>Pisidium insigne</i>	<i>Conventus insigne</i>	<i>Conventus insigne</i>	<i>Conventus insigne</i> (Gabb, 1870)
<i>Pisidium lilljeborgi</i> (Clessin in Esmark and Hoyer, 1886)	<i>Pisidium lilljeborgi</i>	<i>Euglesa lilljeborgii</i>	<i>Euglesa lilljeborgii</i>	<i>Euglesa lilljeborgii</i> (Clessin in Esmark & Hoyer, 1886)
<i>Pisidium milium</i> Held, 1836	<i>Pisidium milium</i>	<i>Euglesa milium</i>	<i>Euglesa milium</i>	<i>Euglesa milium</i> (Held, 1836)
	<i>Pisidium moitessierianum</i> Paladilhe, 1866	<i>Odhneripisidium moitessierianum</i>	<i>Odhneripisidium moitessierianum</i>	<i>Odhneripisidium moitessierianum</i> (Paladilhe, 1866)
<i>Pisidium nitidum</i> Jenyns, 1832	<i>Pisidium nitidum</i>	<i>Euglesa nitida</i>	<i>Euglesa nitida</i>	<i>Euglesa nitida</i> (Jenyns, 1832)
<i>Pisidium punctatum</i> Sterki, 1895	<i>Pisidium punctatum</i>	<i>Pisidium punctatum</i>	<i>Pisidium punctatum</i>	<i>Pisidium punctatum</i> Sterki, 1896
<i>Pisidium punctiferum</i> (Guppy, 1867)	<i>Pisidium punctiferum</i>	<i>Pisidium punctiferum</i>	<i>Pisidium punctiferum</i>	<i>Pisidium punctiferum</i> (Guppy, 1867)
<i>Pisidium rotundatum</i> Prime, 1852	<i>Pisidium rotundatum</i>	<i>Euglesa rotundata</i>	<i>Euglesa rotundata</i>	<i>Euglesa rotundata</i> (Prime, 1852)
<i>Pisidium sanguinichristi</i> Taylor, 1987		<i>Pisidium sanguinichristi</i>	<i>Pisidium sanguinichristi</i>	<i>Pisidium sanguinichristi</i> Taylor, 1987
<i>Pisidium subtruncatum</i> Malm, 1855	<i>Pisidium subtruncatum</i>	<i>Euglesa subtruncata</i>	<i>Euglesa subtruncata</i>	<i>Euglesa subtruncata</i> (Malm, 1855)
<i>Pisidium supinum</i> Schmidt, 1850	<i>Pisidium supinum</i>	<i>Euglesa supina</i>	<i>Euglesa supina</i>	<i>Euglesa supina</i> Schmidt, 1850
<i>Pisidium ultramontanum</i> Prime, 1865	<i>Pisidium ultramontanum</i>	<i>Euglesa ultramontana</i>	<i>Euglesa ultramontana</i>	<i>Euglesa ultramontana</i> (Prime, 1865)
<i>Pisidium variabile</i> Prime, 1852	<i>Pisidium variabile</i>	<i>Euglesa variabilis</i>	<i>Euglesa variabilis</i>	<i>Euglesa variabilis</i> (Prime, 1852)

<i>Pisidium ventricosum</i> Prime, 1851	<i>Pisidium ventricosum</i>	<i>Euglesa ventricosa</i>	<i>Euglesa ventricosa</i>	<i>Euglesa ventricosa</i> (Prime, 1851)
<i>Pisidium walkeri</i> Sterki, 1895	<i>Pisidium walkeri</i>	<i>Euglesa walkeri</i>	<i>Euglesa walkeri</i>	<i>Euglesa walkeri</i> (Sterki, 1895)
<i>Sphaerium corneum</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	<i>Sphaerium corneum</i>	<i>Sphaerium corneum</i>	<i>Sphaerium corneum</i>	<i>Sphaerium corneum</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)
<i>Sphaerium fabale</i> (Prime, 1852)	<i>Sphaerium fabale</i>	<i>Sphaerium fabale</i>	<i>Sphaerium fabale</i>	<i>Sphaerium fabale</i> (Prime, 1852)
<i>Sphaerium nitidum</i> Westerlund, 1876	<i>Sphaerium nitidum</i>	<i>Sphaerium nitidum</i>	<i>Sphaerium nitidum</i>	<i>Sphaerium nitidum</i> Clessin in Westerlund, 1876
<i>Sphaerium occidentale</i> (Lewis, 1856)	<i>Sphaerium occidentale</i>	<i>Sphaerium occidentale</i>	<i>Sphaerium occidentale</i>	<i>Sphaerium occidentale</i> (Lewis, 1856)
<i>Sphaerium patella</i> (Gould, 1850)	<i>Sphaerium patella</i>	<i>Sphaerium patella</i>	<i>Sphaerium patella</i>	<i>Sphaerium patella</i> (Gould, 1850)
<i>Sphaerium rhomboideum</i> (Say, 1822)	<i>Sphaerium rhomboideum</i>	<i>Sphaerium rhomboideum</i>	<i>Sphaerium rhomboideum</i>	<i>Sphaerium rhomboideum</i> (Say, 1822)
<i>Sphaerium simile</i> (Say, 1817)	<i>Sphaerium simile</i>	<i>Sphaerium simile</i>	<i>Sphaerium simile</i>	<i>Sphaerium simile</i> (Say, 1817)
<i>Sphaerium striatinum</i> (Lamarck, 1818)	<i>Sphaerium striatinum</i>	<i>Sphaerium striatinum</i>	<i>Sphaerium striatinum</i>	<i>Sphaerium striatinum</i> (Lamarck, 1818)

\*Misspelled, originally described as *P. adamsii*.

TABLE 2. Revised list of the Sphaeriidae reported from North America: Canada, United States and Mexico. Mexican taxa, common names, and distribution from Bogan and Naranjo-Garcia (2024).

New North American Sphaeriidae List	English Common Names	Spanish Common Names	North American Distribution
<i>Conventus conventus</i> (Clessin, 1877)	Alpine Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB, BC, MB, NT, ON, QC, SK, YT. <b>US:</b> AL, AS, CO, MI, NY, WA.
<i>Conventus insigne</i> (Gabb, 1870)	Tiny Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> BC, ON, PI. <b>US:</b> AZ, CA, COL, ID, ME, MI, MT, NV, NM, NY, OR, PA, WA, WY. <b>Mex:</b> VER.
<i>Euglesa adamsii</i> (Stimpson, 1851)	Adams Peaclam***		<b>Can:</b> NB, NF, NS, ON, QT, SK. <b>US:</b> AL, CO, DE, FL, GA, IL, IN, IO, KS, MA, ME, MI, MT, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, TN, TX, VA, WI.
<i>Euglesa casertana</i> (Poli, 1791)	Ubiquitous Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB, BC, MB, NB, NF, NT, NS, ON, PI, QC, SK, YT. <b>US:</b> AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, FL, GA, ID, IL, IN, IO, KS, KY, LA, MA, ME, MD, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NC, ND, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NV, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY. <b>Mex:</b> EDOMEX, VER.
<i>Euglesa compressa</i> (Prime, 1852)	Ridgebeak Peaclam	Almeja Comprimida	<b>Can:</b> AL, BC, MB, NT, ON, PI, QC, SK. <b>US:</b> AL, AK, AZ, AR, CO, GA, ID, IL, IN, IO, KS, MA, ME, MI, MN, MO, MT, ND, NJ, NM, NV, NY, OH, OR, PA, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, WI, WY. <b>Mex:</b> COAH, NL, SLP.
<i>Euglesa equilateralis</i> (Prime, 1852)	Round Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> NB, ON, QC. <b>US:</b> MA, ME, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VA.
<i>Euglesa fallax</i> (Sterki, 1896)	River Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB, MB, NT, ON, SK, QC. <b>US:</b> AL, IL, IO, ME, MI, MN, NJ, NY, OH, WA.
<i>Euglesa ferruginea</i> (Prime, 1852)	Rusty Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB, BC, MB, NB, NT, ON, QC, SK, YT. <b>US:</b> CA, IL, IN, MA, ME, MI, MT, NJ, NY, OH, OR, UT, WA, WY.
<i>Euglesa henslowana</i> (Sheppard, 1825)*	Henslow Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> ON. <b>US:</b> MI, NY.
<i>Euglesa lilljeborgii</i> (Clessin in Esmark & Hoyer, 1886)	Lilljeborg Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB, BC, MB, NT, ON, QC, SK, YT. <b>US:</b> CA, CO, IN, MA, MI, MT, NY, UT, VT, WA, WI.
<i>Euglesa milium</i> (Held, 1836)	Quadrangular Pillclam		<b>Can:</b> BC, MB, NF, ON, SK. <b>US:</b> CO, ME, MI, MN, MT, NY, OR, UT.
<i>Euglesa nitida</i> (Jenyns, 1832)	Shiny Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB, BC, MB, NB, NF, NT, ON, PI, QC, SK, YT. <b>US:</b> CA, CO, ID, IL, IN, IO, KS, MA, ME, MI, MN, MT, MA, ND, NJ, NM, NY, NV, OH, PA, RI, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WI. <b>Mex:</b> COAH.

<i>Euglesa obtusalis</i> (Lamarck, 1818)		Almeja obtusa	<b>Mex:</b> ?
<i>Euglesa rotundata</i> (Prime, 1852)	Fat Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> AB,MB,NF,NT,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> FL,IL,MA,ME,MI,MT,NJ,NY,UT,VR,WA.
<i>Euglesa subtruncata</i> (Malm, 1855)	Shortended Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> AB,BC,MB,NT,ON,QC,SK,YT. <b>US:</b> CA,MI,MT,NY,ND,SD,WI,WY.
<i>Euglesa supina</i> Schmidt, 1850*	Humpbacked Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> ON <b>US:</b> MA,MI,NY,OR.
<i>Euglesa ultramontana</i> (Prime, 1865)	Montane Peachlam		<b>US:</b> CA,OR.
<i>Euglesa variabilis</i> (Prime, 1852)	Triangular Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> AB,BC,MB,NB,NF,NS,NT,ON,PI,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> AL,CA,CO,CN,ID,IL,IN,IO,KS,MA,ME,MI,MN,MT,NJ,NY,OH,OR, PA,RI,SD,TN,UT,VT,WA,VA,WY?
<i>Euglesa ventricosa</i> (Prime, 1851)	Globular Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> AB,MB,NF,NT,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> CA,CO,IL,MA,ME,MI,MN,MT,NJ,NY,ND,OH,SD,UT,VT,WA,WI.
<i>Euglesa walkeri</i> (Sterki, 1895)	Walker Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> AB,MB,NT,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> ALAS,IL,IO,MA,ME,MI,MN,MO,MT,NY,OH,PA,RI,SD,VA.
<i>Eupera cubensis</i> (Prime, 1865)**	Mottled Fingernailclam		<b>US:</b> AL,FL,GA,IL,LA,ME,MI,MS,NC,SC,TX. <b>Mex:</b> COAH.
<i>Eupera insignis</i> Pilsbry, 1926		Almeja distinguida	<b>Mex:</b> VER.
<i>Eupera singleyi</i> (Pilsbry, 1889)		Almeja de singley	<b>Mex:</b> YUC.
<i>Odhneripisidium</i> <i>moitessierianum</i> (Paladilhe, 1866)* <sup>1,2</sup>	Perforated Peachlam		<b>US:</b> MI,MN,OH.
<i>Pisidium</i> <i>annicum</i> (Müller, 1774)*	Greater European Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> ON. <b>US:</b> MI,NJ,NY,OH,PA.
<i>Pisidium</i> <i>cruciatum</i> Sterki, 1895	Ornamented Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> ON. <b>US:</b> AL,AR?,IL,MI,MS,MT,OH,WI.
<i>Pisidium dubium</i> (Say, 1817)	Greater Eastern Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> ON,QC,YT? <b>US:</b> AL,ALAS?FL,GA,MA,MI,MN,NJ,NY,PA,SC,TN,VT,VA.
<i>Pisidium</i> <i>idahoense</i> Roper, 1891	Giant Northern Peachlam		<b>Can:</b> AB,MB,NB,NT,ON.PI,SK,YT. <b>US:</b> CA,ID,IN,MI,MT,WA,WI.

<i>Pisidium punctatum</i> Sterki, 1896	Perforated Peaclam		<b>Can:</b> BC,MB,ON,SK. <b>US:</b> AL,IL,IN,MA,MI,OH,VA,WI.
<i>Pisidium punctiferum</i> (Guppy, 1867)	Striate Peaclam		<b>US:</b> AL,AZ,FL,MS,NM,TX. <b>Mex:</b> SIN.
<i>Pisidium sanguinichristi</i> Taylor, 1987 <sup>3</sup>	Sangre de Cristo Peaclam		<b>US:</b> NM.
<i>Pisidium vegae</i> Pilsbry, 1926		Almeja de vega	<b>Mex:</b> QR.
<i>Sphaerium corneum</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)* <sup>4,5</sup>	European Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> ON. <b>US:</b> FL,IL,GA,MI,NY,TN,VT.
<i>Sphaerium fabale</i> (Prime, 1852)	River Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> ON. <b>US:</b> AL,GA,ID,MD,MI,MT,NJ,NY,OH,PA,TN,VA,WA,WV.
<i>Sphaerium lacustre</i> (Müller, 1774)	Lake Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> AB,BC,MB,NF,NT,ON,PI,QC,SK,YT. <b>US:</b> AL,CA,CO,DE,FL,GA,HI,ID,IL,IN,IO,KS,LA,MA,ME,MI,MN,MTT,NE,NH,NJ,NY,OH,OR,PA,RI,SD,TN,VA,WA,WI,WY.
<i>Sphaerium martensi</i> Pilsbry, 1899		Almeja de martens	<b>Mex:</b> MICH.
<i>Sphaerium mexicanum</i> Dall, 1905		Almeja mexicana	<b>Mex:</b> SLP.
<i>Sphaerium novoleonis</i> Pilsbry, 1904		Almeja de Nuevo León	<b>Mex:</b> NL.
<i>Sphaerium nitidum</i> Clessin in Westerlund, 1876	Arctic Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> AB,BC,MB,NL,NT,ON,QC,SK,YT. <b>US:</b> AK,ID,IO,MA,ME,MI,MN,MT,NY,OR,UT,WA.
<i>Sphaerium occidentale</i> (Lewis, 1856)	Herrington Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> MB,0NT,QC. <b>US:</b> AL,CA,CO,CT,DE,GA,ID,IL,IN,IO,KS,MA,ME,MI,MN,MT,NJ,NY,OH,OR,PA,SC,TN,UT,VT,VA,WA,WI.
<i>Sphaerium partumeium</i> (Say, 1822)	Swamp Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> MB,NB,NF,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> AL,CA,CN,DE,FL,GA,IL,IN,IO,KS,LA,MA,Me,MI,MN,MO,MS,MT,NE,NEV,NJ,NY,NC,ND,OH,OK,PA,RI,SC,TN,TX,VT,VA,WI. <b>Mex:</b> TAB.
<i>Sphaerium patella</i> (Gould, 1850)	Rocky Mountain Fingernailclam		<b>US:</b> CA,CO,GA,ID.

<i>Sphaerium queretaronis</i> Pilsbry, 1926		Almeja de Querétaro	<b>Mex:</b> QRO,VER.
<i>Sphaerium rhomboideum</i> (Say, 1822)	Rhomboid Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> BC,NB,NFL,ON. <b>US:</b> CT, ID, NY, OH, PA, RI, VT, WI.
<i>Sphaerium securis</i> (Prime, 1852)	Pond Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> AL,BC,NB,NF,NS,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> AL,AR,CT,FL,IL,IN,IO,KS,LA,MA,ME,MD,MI,MN,MS,MT,NE,NJ,NY,NC,ND,OH,PA,RI,SC,TN,TX,VA,WA,WI.
<i>Sphaerium simile</i> (Say, 1817)	Grooved Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> AL,MB,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> AL,DE,ID,IL,IN,IO,KS,MA,ME,MI,MN,MT,NJ,NY,OH,PA,SD,VA,WY.
<i>Sphaerium striatinum</i> (Lamarck, 1818)	Striated Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> AB,BC,NB,NT,ON,QC,SK,YT. <b>US:</b> AL,AZ,AR,CA,CO,DE,FL,GA,ID,IL,IN,IO,KS,KY,LA,MA,ME,MD,MI,MN,MS,MO,MT,NE,NV,NJ,NM,NY,NC,ND,OH,OR,PA,RI,SD,TN,TX,UT,VA,WA,WI,WY. <b>Mex:</b> JAL,QRO,VER.
<i>Sphaerium subtransversum</i> Prime, 1860		Almeja subtransversa	<b>Mex:</b> EDOMEX,MICH,TAB,YUC.
<i>Sphaerium transversum</i> (Say, 1829)	Long Fingernailclam		<b>Can:</b> AL,BC,MB,NT,ON,QC,SK. <b>US:</b> AL,AR,CO,FL,GA,ID,IL,IN,IO,KS,KY,LA,ME,MI,MN,MO,MT,NE,NJ,NY,NC,ND,OH,OK,PA,TN,TX,WV,WI. <b>Mex:</b> QRO,TLAX.
<i>Sphaerium triangulare</i> (Say, 1829)		Almeja triangular	<b>Mex:</b> EDOMEX,GTO,JAL,MICH.

\*Introduced; \*\* native and introduced; \*\*\*changed to Adams Peaclam to match species name; <sup>1</sup>Great Lakes Aquatic Nonindigenous species (2024a); <sup>2</sup>USAGS-NAS (2004a);

<sup>3</sup>Taylor (1987); <sup>4</sup>Great Lakes Aquatic Nonindigenous species (2024b); <sup>5</sup>USGS-NAS (2024b).