



Retraction for Polev et al., “Draft Genome Sequence of *Geotrichum candidum* Strain 3C”

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Volume 2, no. 5, e00956-14, 2014, <https://doi.org/10.1128/genomeA.00956-14>. We retract this article. The *Geotrichum candidum* strain 3C was initially identified and classified in the early 1970s (N. A. Rodionova, N. A. Tiunova, R. V. Feniksova, T. I. Kudriashova, and L. I. Martinovich, Dokl Akad Nauk SSSR 214:1206–1209, 1974). In 2014, we had sequenced and published its draft genome, so the genome analysis of the strain became possible (D. E. Polev, K. S. Bobrov, E. V. Eneyskaya, and A. A. Kulminskaya, Genome Announc 2:e00956-14, 2014, <https://doi.org/10.1128/genomeA.00956-14>). After the publication of the draft genome sequence of the *G. candidum* strain CLIB 918 (ATCC 204307) in 2015 (G. Morel, L. Sterck, D. Swennen, M. Marcet-Houben, et al., Sci Rep 5:11571, 2015, <https://doi.org/10.1038/srep11571> [Erratum, 5:12596, <https://doi.org/10.1038/srep12596>]) and due to the inconsistency between these genome sequences, it became clear that *G. candidum* strain 3C needed to be reclassified. In further work, the yeast-like fungus previously known as *G. candidum* 3C was reclassified as *Scytalidium candidum* 3C (I. Y. Pavlov, K. S. Bobrov, A. D. Sumacheva, A. E. Masharsky, et al., J Basic Microbiol 58:883–891, 2018, <https://doi.org/10.1002/jobm.201800066>).

We apologize to the readers of *Genome Announcements/Microbiology Resource Announcements* for any inconvenience that this causes.

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