

*Medicago disciformis* L.

+ **RK:** Ukraine, Crimea: Sevastopol, Kazachya harbour (44°34'35.4"N, 33°24'26.6"E), area of semiruderal herbaceous vegetation near the coast, 1 m, 8.5.2011, Yena (CSAU). – The species has not been reported previously from the Crimea. It was first found by the amateur botanist T. A. Karpenko in 2009 who identified it tentatively as *M. disciformis* using data from floristic Internet forums. Later I confirmed his identification. *M. disciformis* was found in the same localities and habitats as the recently reported *Beta vulgaris* subsp. *maritima* (L.) Arcang. (Yena & Evseenkov 2010) and *Sagina maritima* G. Don (Yena & al. 2011), all of coastal Atlantic-Mediterranean distribution. Hence I consider *M. disciformis* indigenous to the Crimea, or a long established archaeophyte. In the highly transformed urban area of Sevastopol, the coastal zone by the Kazachya harbour remains comparatively little modified.

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