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Clupeid scales from the Menilite Beds (Palaeogene) of the Carpathians

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A reconstruction of the arrangement and variation of the scales in different parts of the body of the Carpathian Clupeidae, *Clupea sardinites* Heckel and *Alosa* cf. *sagorensis* Steindachner, has been made. The squamation of *Alosa* sp. is partially described. The taxonomy of the species is revised. *Alosa* cf. *sagorensis* Steindachner has not previously been recorded from the Menilite Beds, and it is suggested that clupeid scales may be useful for stratigraphical purposes in the Carpathians.

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