Lower Carboniferous ostracodes of the Holy Cross Mountains, Poland

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Forty four Tournaisian and Lower Visean ostracode species from the SW Holy Cross Mts (Góry Świętokrzyskie) have been identified, including two new ones: *Graphiadactyloideas slowikensis* sp.n. and *Microchetlinella bushminae* sp.n. Their stratigraphic importance to the Upper Devonian and Lower Carboniferous, as well as their geographical distribution have been discussed.

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