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An annotated catalogue of the Iranian Agathidinae and Brachistinae (Hymenoptera: Braconidae)

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A b s t r a c t : The fauna of Iranian Agathidinae and Brachistinae (Hymenoptera: Braconidae) is summarized in this paper, and synonyms and distribution data are given. In total 28 species of Agathidinae from nine genera *Agathis* LATREILLE, *Bassus* Fabricius, *Camptothlipsis* ENDERLEIN, *Coccygidium* SAUSSURE, *Cremnops* FÖRSTER, *Disophrys* FÖRSTER, *Earinus* WESMAEL, *Leptopylus* FÖRSTER, *Therophilus* WESMAEL, and 17 species of Brachistinae from four genera *Eubazus* NEES von ESENBECK, *Foersteria* SZÉPLIGETI, *Schizopyrmus* FÖRSTER, *Triaspis* HALIDAY are listed from the fauna of Iran. Two species of Brachistinae, *Triaspis pallipes* (NEES) and *Eubazus (Brachistes) minutus* (RATZEBURG) are newly recorded from Iran. Host records are also given for each species whenever available.

K e y w o r d s : Hymenoptera, Braconidae, Agathidinae, Brachistinae, catalogue, Iran.

Introduction

Agathidinae is moderately large subfamily with at least 800 species worldwide, which its members are koinobiont endoparasitoids, are natural enemies on lepidopteran families, especially, Gelechiidae, Coleophoridae, Noctuidae, Blastobasidae, Tineidae and Tortricidae (ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992). The biology of most species is unknown, but in general agathidines are koinobiont endoparasitoids of larvae of Lepidoptera. The species with a short ovipositor select exposed larvae and those with a long ovipositor use larvae with a concealed way of life (VAN ACHTERBERG & LONG 2010). Agathidins lay their eggs on the first and second instars of their hosts, mostly, prefer the ventral ganglion or lateral lobe protocerabrum (QUEDNAU 1970; GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011). The egg increases in size before hatching and the caudate first-instar larva, which has a discernible tracheal system but no spiracles, floats freely in the haemoceal. It is equipped fighting mandibles and after feeding, the larva remains in its first instar during the feeding period of the host, diapausing in this stage if the host diapauses partly grown (THORPE 1933; SHAW & HUDDLESTON 1991; SHARKEY 1998). Some species are very important as biological control agents on various insect pests having economical importance (SHAW & HUDDLESTON 1991).

The Brachistinae is a large subfamily of moderately small to large parasitoid wasps with more than 2000 described species worldwide (SHAW & HUDDLESTON 1991). Members of the subfamily live as parasitoids on the families Curculionidae and Apionidae (Coleop-

tera), which also include very important agricultural pests (BELOKOBILSKIJ 1998; BELOKOBILSKIJ et al. 2004).

The fauna of Iranian Agathidinae and Brachistinae was studied rather well especially in the recent papers (including, GHAHARI et al. 2009a, b, c; 2010a, b, 2011a, b, c, d; 2012a, b; GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a, b; 2012; SAKENIN et al. 2011, 2012; LASHKARI BOD et al. 2010, 2011; NADERIAN et al. 2012; SAMIN et al. 2011; RASTEGAR et al. 2012). Additionally, FALLAHZADEH & SAGHAEI (2010) listed 4 species of Iranian Agathidinae from 4 genera (*Agathis*, *Coccygidium*, *Cremonops*, *Disophrys*), and 2 species of Brachistinae from one genus (*Schizoprymnus*). In the present study a faunistic list of Agathidinae and Brachistinae comprising the synonyms, distribution data inside and outside Iran are given for each species as possible.

Materials and Methods

The published data on the Agathidinae and Brachistinae from Iran are summarized. Classification of different taxa follows YU et al. (2012), and in other situations the related references are given. Names of valid genera are listed alphabetically within tribes, and valid species names are listed alphabetically within genera. The following data are included: the valid taxa names, synonyms, published records with provincial distribution (see Fig. 1), or when this information is not available - "Iran (no locality cited)" is given; and the general distribution.

Results

Totally 28 species of Agathidinae and 17 species of Brachistinae are listed from the fauna of Iran. Synonyms, distribution data and host records are also given. Among the 17 brachistines, two species are considered as new records to the Iranian fauna: *Triapis pallipes* (NEES) and *Eubazus (Bracistes) minutus* (RATZEBURG).

Family Bracidae NEES VON ESENBECK 1811

Subfamily Agathidiae HALIDAY 1833

Tribe Agathidiini HALIDAY 1833

Genus *Agathis* LATREILLE 1804

Agathis anglica MARSHALL 1885

Agathis anglica MARSHALL 1885: 265; *Agathis longicauda* KOKUJEV 1895: 385; ?*Agathis nigra* var. *marshalli* FAHRINGER 1937: 469; *Agathis albanica* FISCHER 1957: 3; *Agathis syriaca* FISCHER 1957: 5-6; *Agathis caucasica* TOBIAS 1963: 877; *Agathis taiwanensis* CHOU & SHARKEY 1989: 150.

Distribution in Iran: Golestan (SAMIN et al. 2011; GHAHARI et al. 2011a), Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2012a), Mazandaran (GHAHARI et al. 2011a).

Distribution outside Iran: Albania (FISCHER 1957 as *A. albanica*;

NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Armenia, Azerbaijan, Mongolia, Tajikistan, Ukraine (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. longicauda*; YU et al. 2012), Austria, Bulgaria, Cyprus (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), China (CHOU & SHARKEY 1989 as *A. taiwanensis*; YU et al. 2012), Croatia (SHENEFELT 1970; PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Cyprus (NIXON 1986; PAPP 1998; YU et al. 2012), Europe (FISCHER 1968), France, Kazakhstan, Morocco, Poland, Romania, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan (YU et al. 2012), Finland, Germany, the Netherlands (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Greece (NIXON 1986; PAPP 2007; YU et al. 2012), Hungary (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. longicauda*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 2011-2012), Italy (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. longicauda*; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia (PAPP 2009a), Montenegro, Serbia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. longicauda*; ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010; YU et al. 2012), Russia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. longicauda*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. longicauda*; TOBIAS 1963 as *A. caucasica*; FISCHER 1968 as *Agathis caucasicus*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Syria (FISCHER 1957 as *A. syriaca*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. syriaca*; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (FISCHER 1957 as *A. syriaca*; ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013), UK (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), former Yugoslavia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. longicauda*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Epinotia mercuriana* (FRÖLICH) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae) (NIXON 1986). A large number of lepidopterous hosts were reported for *A. anglica*: *Agonopterix nervosa* (HAWORTH), *A. pallorella* ZELLER (Depressariidae), *Aproaerema anthyllidella* (HÜBNER), *Nothris verbascella* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Pexicopia malvella* HÜBNER, *Syncopacma taeniolaella* ZELLER (Gelechiidae), *Coleophora adjunctella* HODGKINSON, *C. albitalabella* ZELLER, *C. argentula* STEPHENS, *C. discordella* ZELLER, *C. laricella* (HÜBNER), *C. lusciniapenella* TREITSCHKES (Coleophoridae), *Epinotia mercuriana* FRÖLICH (Tortricidae), *Loxostege sticticalis* (LINNAEUS), *Pyrausta aurata* SCOPOLI (Pyralidae) (YU et al. 2012).

Agathis assimilis KOKUJEV 1895

Agathis assimilis KOKUJEV 1895: 387; *Agathis propinqua* KOKUJEV 1895: 384; *A. jakowlewi* KOKUJEV 1895: 381; *A. anchisiades* NIXON 1986: 207.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2012a), Semnan (GHAHARI et al. 2009c).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Austria (FISCHER 1968 as *A. propinqua*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Azerbaijan, Korea, Lithuania, Moldova, Norway, Poland, Switzerland, Ukraine (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. propinqua*; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria, England (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Caucasia, France, Germany, the Netherlands (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Croatia, Macedonia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. propinqua*; PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Europe (FISCHER 1968), Hungary (NIXON 1986 as *A. anchisiades*; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Italy (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. propinqua*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. propinqua*; YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan, Tajikistan (FISCHER 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. propinqua*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Montenegro (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Russia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. jakowlewi*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. jakowlewi*, and *A. propinqua*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. jakowlewi*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001;

ÇETİN ERDOĞAN et al. 2009; YU et al. 2012), Uzbekistan (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. propinqua*; FISCHER 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), former Yugoslavia (PAPP 1975).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Coleophora astragalella* ZELLER (Lepidoptera, Coleophoridae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis breviseta* NEES VON ESENBECK 1812**

Agathis breviseta NEES 1812: 131.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b), Semnan (NADERIAN et al. 2012).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Belgium, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Germany, The Netherlands, England, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovakia (SHENEFELT 1970), Bulgaria, Ireland, former Yugoslavia (NIXON 1986), Caucasia, Middle Asia, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1986), Greece, Russia, Slovenia (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999), Mongolia (SHENEFELT 1970; TOBIAS 1986; PAPP 2009b), Siberia (SHENEFELT 1970; TOBIAS 1986), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Aethes rutilana* HÜBNER, *Argyroploce mygindiana* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *Spilonota ocellana* FABRICIUS (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Chrysoesthia hermanella* FABRICIUS, *Paltodora cytisella* CURTIS (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae), *Aganopterix liturella* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER (Oecophoridae), *Coleophora trochilella* DUPONCHEL, *C. albitalressella* ZELLER, *C. inulae* WOCKE (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae), *Pyrausta purpuralis* LINNAEUS (Lepidoptera: Pyraustidae) (TOBIAS 1986). YU et al. (2012) reported a large number of lepidopterous insects as hosts to *A. breviseta*: *Aethes rutilana* (HÜBNER), *Spilonota ocellana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Stictea mygindiana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER) (Tortricidae), *Agonopterix kaekeritziana* LINNAEUS (Depressariidae), *Chrysoesthia hermanella* FABRICIUS, *Monochroa cytisella* (CURTIS), *Pyrausta purpuralis* (LINNAEUS) (Gelechiidae), *Coleophora albitalressella* ZELLER, *C. conyzae* ZELLER, *C. follicularis* VALLOT, *C. inulae* WOCKE, *C. lutipennella* (ZELLER), *C. trochilella* DUPONCHEL (Coleophoridae).

***Agathis fulmeki* FISCHER 1957**

Agathis fulmeki FISCHER 1957: 6-7.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : East Azarbaijan, West Azarbaijan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a), Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2011a), Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2012a).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Austria (FISCHER 1968; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria (NIXON 1986; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Croatia (PAPP 2009a, 2010; YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2003; YU et al. 2012), France, Morocco, Portugal, Spain (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Hungary, Turkey (YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Serbia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Unknown.

***Agathis fuscipennis* (ZETTERSTEDT 1838)**

Microgaster fuscipennis ZETTERSTEDT 1838: 404; *Agathis glabricula* THOMSON 1895: 2228; *Agathis schmiedeknechti* KOKUJEV 1895: 389; *Agathis tibialis* NEES 1814 var. *annulata* FAHRINGER 1937: 447; *Agathis meridionellae* FISCHER 1957: 1; *Agathis albicostellae* FISCHER 1966: 399; *Agathis artemisiana* FISCHER 1966: 397.

Distribution in Iran: Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b), West Azarbaijan (GHAHARI et al. 2009b, in alfalfa fields).

Distribution outside Iran: Armenia, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Russia, Tajikistan, former Yugoslavia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. schmiedeknechti*; YU et al. 2012), Austria (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; FISCHER 1957 as *A. meridionellae*; FISCHER 1966 as *A. artemisiana*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. artemisiana*, *A. albicostellae*, and *A. meridionellae*; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Bosnia-Herzegovina, Macedonia (PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; FISCHER 1966 as *A. artemisiana*; NIXON 1986; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Central Asia, Central USSR, Siberia, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1995 as *Agathis schmiedeknechti* KOKUJEV), Croatia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Finland (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; FISCHER 1957, 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), France, Hungary, the Netherlands, Poland, Tunisia (YU et al. 2012), Germany (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. schmiedeknechti*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. schmiedeknechti*; FISCHER 1957, 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2003; YU et al. 2012), Ireland (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; FISCHER 1966 as *A. artemisiana*; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Italy (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; FISCHER 1957 as *A. meridionellae*; NIXON 1986 as *A. meridionellae*; YU et al. 2012), Korea (PAPP 2009c; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. schmiedeknechti*; PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Montenegro (ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010; PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Serbia (KOKUJEV 1895 as *A. schmiedeknechti*; PAPP 2009a; ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010; YU et al. 2012), Spain (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; YU et al. 2012), Sweden (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1957 as *A. meridionellae*; FISCHER 1966 as *A. artemisiana*; SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986 as *A. artemesiana*, and *A. glabricula*; YU et al. 2012), Switzerland (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013; YU et al. 2012), UK (THOMSON 1895 as *A. glabricula*; FISCHER 1957 as *A. meridionellae*; FISCHER 1966 as *A. artemisiana*; NIXON 1986 as *A. glabricula*; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Coleophora albicostella* DUPONCHEL, *C. troglodytella* (DUPONCHEL), *C. meridionella* KLIMESH (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae), *Chrysoesthia sexguttella* (THUNBERG), *C. granulatella* ZELLER (NIXON 1986). A large number of Lepidoptera were reported as hosts to this species: *Aproaerema anthyllidella* (HÜBNER), *Caryocolum saginella* ZELLER, *Chrysoesthia hemannella* FABRICIUS, *Scrobipalpa atriplicella* (FISCHER), *S. gallicella* CONSTANT, *S. ocellatella* (FISCHER), *Thiotricha subocellea* (STEPHENS) (Gelechiidae), *Coleophora* spp. (Coleophoridae), *Heliodines rosella* (LINNAEUS) (Heliodinidae), *Ochromolopis ictella* (HÜBNER) (Epermeniidae), *Olethreutes arbarella* (LINNAEUS), *Spilonota ocellana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER) (Tortricidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis glaucoptera* NEES VON ESENBECK 1834**

Agathis glaucoptera NEES 1834: 128; *?Ichneumon apicarius* VILLERS 1789: 189; *?Ichneumon pteromelas* VILLERS 1789: 196.

Distribution in Iran: Ardabil, West Azarbaijan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a), Guilan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011b; SAKENIN et al. 2012), Mazandaran (GHAHARI et al. 2011a).

Distribution outside Iran: Azerbaijan, Germany, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Russia, Spain, Ukraine, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Belarus, Eastern Europe (FISCHER 1968), France (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Italy (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia, Turkey (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

***Agathis lugubris* (FÖRSTER 1862)**

Cenostomus lugubris FÖRSTER 1862: 246; *Agathis minuta* NIEZABITOWSKI 1910: 81.

Distribution in Iran: Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2010a), Ilam (GHAHARI et al. 2011c), Kermanshah (GHAHARI & Fischer 2012).

Distribution outside Iran: Czech Republic, Finland, Hungary, Switzerland, Slovakia, Ukraine (YU et al. 2012), England (FISCHER 1968 as *A. minuta*; NIXON 1986 as *A. minuta*; YU et al. 2012), France, the Netherlands, Norway (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Germany, Ireland (NIXON 1986 as *A. minuta*; YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2007; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Poland (NIEZABITOWSKI 1910 as *A. minuta*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. minuta*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Sweden (NIXON 1986 as *A. minuta*), Turkey (ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; BEYARSLAN et al. 2002; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Coleophora glaucicolella* WOOD (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae) on *Juncus inflexus* LINNAEUS (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012). It was reported on *Coleophora alticolella* ZELLER (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis malvacearum* LATREILLE 1805**

Agathis malvacearum LATREILLE 1805: 175; *Ichneumon panzeri* JURINE 1807: 113, Pl. 8.

Distribution in Iran: Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2010a), Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b), Mazandaran (GHAHARI et al. 2011a), Qazvin (GHAHARI et al. 2011b).

Distribution outside Iran: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Canada, Czech Republic, Finland, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland, Tajikistan, USA, Ukraine, Uzbekistan (YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Israel (PAPP 2011-2012), Corsica, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Mongolia, Poland, Spain, UK, former Yugoslavia (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Croatia, Macedonia (PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968), France (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Greece (NIXON 1986; PAPP 2007; YU et al. 2012), the Netherlands (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; BEYARSLAN et al. 2006; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Pexicopia malvella* (HÜBNER) (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae) (NIXON 1986). It was also reported on a number of hosts: *Coleophora galbulipennella* ZELLER, *C. graminicolella* HEINEMANN (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae), *Hellinsia didactylites* STORM (Lepidoptera: Pterophoridae), *Metzneria aestinella* ZELLER, *M. lapella* (LINNAEUS), *Pexicopia melvella* HÜBNER (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae), *Rhyacionia resinella* (LINNAEUS) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Perilampus fulvicornis* ASHMEAD, *P. similis* CRAWFORD (Hymenoptera: Perilampidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis melpomene* NIXON 1986**

Agathis melpomene NIXON 1986: 213.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Kermanshah (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2012), Mazandaran (GHAHARI et al. 2010a; GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011b; SAKENIN et al. 2012), Northern Iran (no locality cited) (SAKENIN et al. 2011).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Andorra, Austria, Italy, Poland (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999), Bulgaria, Hungary (NIXON 1986; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Russia (NIXON 1986), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Unknown.

***Agathis montana* SHESTAKOV 1932**

Agathis montana SHESTAKOV 1932: 261; *Microodus zaykovi* NIXON 1986: 226.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Ardabil (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a), Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2011a).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Andorra, France, Kyrgyzstan, UK (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Armenia, Azerbaijan, China, Kazakhstan, Korea, Moldova, Poland, Switzerland, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria (NIXON 1986 as *A. zaykovi*; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Israel (PAPP 2011-2012), Greece (NIXON 1986 as *A. zaykovi*; PAPP 2003; YU et al. 2012), Hungary (PAPP 2003; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia (NIXON 1986 as *A. zaykovi*; PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Montenegro (ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010), Russia (FISCHER 1968 as *A. longicauda*; YU et al. 2012), Serbia (PAPP 1975 as *A. longicauda*; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; PAPP 2009a; ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010), Turkey (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Widely distributed in former USSR (TOBIAS 1986).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Pandemis cerasana* (HÜBNER) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Pyrausta aurata* SCOPOLI (Lepidoptera: Pyralidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis nigra* NEES 1812**

Agathis nigra NEES 1812: 191-192; *A. nigra* var. *marshalli* ab. *castanea* FAHRINGER 1937: 469; *Agathis testaceipes* FISCHER 1957: 8; *A. kasachstanica* TOBIAS 1963: 872; *A. nixonii* BELOKOBILSKIJ & JERVIS 1998: 1221-1223.

Distribution in Iran: Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2011a), Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2012a), Iran (no locality cited) (SHENEFELT 1970).

Distribution outside Iran: Austria (FISCHER 1957 as *A. testaceipes*; SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Belgium, Germany, former Yugoslavia (SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria, Finland, France, Italy, the Netherlands, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, UK (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Czech Republic, Greece, Korea, Latvia, Lithuania, Macedonia, Moldova, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Ukraine, Serbia (YU et al. 2012), Croatia (SHENEFELT 1970), Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968), Hungary (FISCHER 1957 as *A. testaceipes*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 1970; YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan (TOBIAS 1963 as *A. kasachstanica*; FISCHER 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (TOBIAS 1963 as *A. kasachstanica*; SHENEFELT 1970; PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Morocco (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Spain (BELOKOBILISKIJ & JERVIS 1998 as *A. nixoni*; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETIN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of a number of host species: *Acleris quercinana* ZELLER, *Eupoecilia roseana* HAWORTH (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Apodia bifractella* (DUPONCHEL), *Isophrritis striatella* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Metzneria lapella* (LINNAEUS), *M. Metzneriella* STANTON, *Monochroa striatella* HÜBNER, *Scrobipalpa atriplicella* (FISCHER) (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae), *Coleophora argentula* STEPHENS, *C. laripennella* (ZETTERSTEDT), *C. meridionella* REBEL, *C. vestianella* (LINNAEUS) (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae), *Ortholepis betulae* GOEZE, *Ptycholoma lecheana* (LINNAEUS), *Pyrausta aurata* SCOPOLI (Lepidoptera: Pyralidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis rostrata* TOBIAS 1963**

Agathis rostrata TOBIAS 1963: 881.

Distribution in Iran: Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b).

Distribution outside Iran: Kazakhstan, Middle Asia (TOBIAS 1963), Kazakhstan, Mongolia, Poland, Switzerland, Turkey (PAPP 2009b).

***Agathis rufipalpis* NEES VON ESENBECK 1812**

Agathis rufipalpis NEES 1812: 192-193.

Distribution in Iran: East Azarbaijan (GHAHARI et al. 2009c), Kermanshah (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2012).

Distribution outside Iran: Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968), widely distributed in the Mediterranean subregions (PAPP 2011-2012), Belgium, Finland, Germany, Hungary, the Netherlands, Poland, Russia, Switzerland, UK (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria, Ireland, Portugal (NIXON 1986; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Croatia, Macedonia, Montenegro (PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Cyprus, Sweden (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Czech Republic, Italy, Norway, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), France (FISCHER 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Israel (SZÉPLIGETI 1901; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), Palestine (SZÉPLIGETI 1904), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ZETTEL & BEYARSLAN 1992; ÇETIN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; ÇETIN ERDOĞAN et al. 2009; ÇETIN ERDOĞAN 2013; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Coleophora alcyonipinella* KOLLAR (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae) on *Trifolium repens* (FISCHER 1968; YU et al. 2012), *Agonopterix kaeketziana* (LINNAEUS) (Lepidoptera: Depressariidae), *Chrysoesthia hermannella* (KOLLAR) (Lepidoptera: Gelchiidae), *Pyrausta aurata* SCOPOLI (Lepidoptera: Pyralidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis syngenesiae* NEES VON ESENBECK 1812**

Agathis syngenesiae NEES 1812: 192, 194; *Vipio insularis* SNELLEN VAN VOLLENHOVEN 1873: 192, 218-219; *Agathis tadzhica* TELENGA 1955: 248; *Agathis gilvus* PAPP 1975: 302-306.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Hamadan, Ilam (GHAHARI et al. 2010b), Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Azerbaijan (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Caucasia, Middle Asia (TOBIAS 1995), Croatia (PAPP 1975 as *A. gilvus*; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Dagestan (FISCHER 1968; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999), Denmark, Finland, Hungary, Sweden (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), France (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Germany (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Greece, Kazakhstan (YU et al. 2012), Italy (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (TELENGA 1955 as *A. tadzhica*; YU et al. 2012), the Netherlands (VOLLENHOVEN 1873 as *A. insularis*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. insularis*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. insularis*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Poland (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Portugal (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Russia (FISCHER 1968; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Spain (SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Tajikistan (TELENGA 1955 as *A. tadzhica*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. tadzhica*; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; BEYARSLAN et al. 2006; YU et al. 2012), Uzbekistan (FISCHER 1968; YU et al. 2012), former Yugoslavia (SHENEFELT 1970; PAPP 1975 as *A. gilvus*; YU et al. 2012), Western and Middle Europe (FISCHER 1968).

H o s t r e c o r d : Unknown.

***Agathis tibialis* NEES VON ESENBECK 1812**

Agathis tibialis NEES 1812:194; *A. genualis* MARSHALL 1898: 192.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Kermanshah (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2012), Qazvin (GHAHARI et al. 2011b).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Austria, Azerbaijan, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Lithuania, Moldova, Montenegro, Poland, Russia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Croatia, Macedonia, Serbia (PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968), Germany, Hungary (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2003, 2007; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (FISCHER 1968; PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), the Netherland (NIXON 1986; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999; YU et al. 2012), Siberia (SZÉPLIGETI 1904), UK (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Apodia bifractella* (DUPONCHEL) (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae) and possibly *Ptocheuusa paupella* (ZELLER) (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae),

both feeding in flower heads of *Pulicaria dysenterica* LINNAEUS (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), *Coleophora astragalella* ZELLER, *C. cracella* VALLOT (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae), *Metzneria lappella* (LINNAEUS) (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae), *Myopites inulaedysertericae* BLOT (Diptera: Tephretidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Agathis umbellatarum* NEES VON ESENBECK 1812**

Agathis umbellatarum NEES 1812: 195; *?A. thoracica* LUCAS 1849: 338; *?A. brullaei* LUCAS 1849: 338; *?A. aurantiaca* FAHRINGER 1937: 445; *Agathis kolazyi* FISCHER 1959: 2; *?A. gussakovskyi* TOBIAS 1963: 868.

Distribution in Iran: Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2011a), Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2010a), Ilam (GHAHARI et al. 2011c), Kermanshah (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2012).

Distribution outside Iran: Algeria (LUCAS 1849 as *A. brullaei* and as *A. thoracica*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. thoracica*; YU et al. 2012), Azerbaijan, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan (TELENKA 1964; FISCHER 1968; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria, France, Macedonia (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Croatia, France, Germany, Caucasia, Hungary, Italy, Middle Asia, Portugal, Russia, Spain (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Croatia (FISCHER 1959 as *A. Kolazyi*; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Cyprus (NIXON 1986; PAPP 1998; YU et al. 2012), Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904; FISCHER 1968), Greece (NIXON 1986; PAPP 2003, 2007; YU et al. 2012), Israel, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Mongolia, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Ukraine (YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), N. Africa (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1999), Palestina (SZÉPLIGETI 1904), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; BEYASLAN et al. 2006; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013; YU et al. 2012), former Yugoslavia (FISCHER 1959 as *A. Kolazyi*; FISCHER 1968 as *A. kolazyi*; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Depressaria* sp. (Lepidoptera: Depressariidae), *Metzneria lappella* (LINNAEUS), *M. aestivella* ZELLER (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae) (YU et al. 2012).

Genus *Bassus* FABRICIUS 1804

***Bassus claustralians* (RATZEBURG 1844)**

Ichneumon (*Microodus*) *claustralians* RATZEBURG 1844a: 25; *Microodus claustralians* (RATZEBURG) RATZEBURG 1844b: 58; *Agathis claustralians* (RATZEBURG) KLOET & HINCKS 1945: 234; *Microodus claustralians* (RATZEBURG) TOBIAS 1971: 260; *Microodus claustralians* (RATZEBURG) NIXON 1986: 224.

Distribution in Iran: Ilam (GHAHARI et al. 2011c).

Distribution outside Iran: Distributed in Europe (TOBIAS 1995 as *Microodus claustralians* Ratzeburg; PAPP 2009b), Britain (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microodus claustralians* RATZEBURG; KLOET & HINCKS 1945 as *Agathis claustralians*; NIXON 1986 as *Microodus claustralians*), Germany (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microodus claustralians* RATZEBURG; NIXON 1986 as *Microodus claustralians*), Ireland, the Netherlands (NIXON 1986 as *Microodus claustralians*), Sweden (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microodus claustralians* RATZEBURG), Mongolia (PAPP 1971, 2009b), Russia (TOBIAS 1971 as *Microodus claustralians*; TOBIAS 1986).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Agonopterix atomella* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *A. scopariella* HEINEMANN (Lepidoptera: Oecophoridae), *Pseudohermemias claustriana*

SAX, *Epinotia tedella* CLERCK, *Spilonota ocellana* FABRICIUS, *Pammene gallicana* (GUENEE), *Epiblema scutulana* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *Archips oporana* LINNAEUS (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), *Dichelia histrionana* (FRÖLICH), *Dichrorampha acuminatana* LIENIG & ZELLER, *Epinotia sordidana* HÜBNER, *Olethreutes hercyniana* TREITSCHKE, *Pseudohermenias abietana* FABRICIUS (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Bassus dimidiator* (NEES VON ESENBECK 1834)**

Microdus dimidiator NEES 1834: 146; *Microdus cingulator* RATZEBURG 1852: 46; *Microdus laticinctus* CRESSON 1873: 53; *Microdus ocellanae* RICHARDSON 1913: 211.

Distribution in Iran: East Azarbaijan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a), Tehran (GHAHARI et al. 2011a).

Distribution outside Iran: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bulgaria, China, Finland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Portugal, Russia, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, UK (YU et al. 2012), Canada (CRESSON 1873 as *Microdus laticinctus*; RICHARDSON 1913 as *Microdus ocellanae*; YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1986 as *Microdus dimidiator* NEES), Czech Republic, Slovakia (RATZEBURG 1852 as *Microdus cingulator*; YU et al. 2012), France, Greece, The Netherlands, Poland, former Yugoslavia (NIXON 1986 as *Microdus dimidiator*; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1992; YU et al. 2012), Germany (RATZEBURG 1852 as *B. cingulator*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus cingulator*, and *M. dimidiator*; NIXON 1986 as *Microdus dimidiator*; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1992; YU et al. 2012), Hungary (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus dimidiator*; YU et al. 2012), USA (CRESSON 1873 as *Microdus laticinctus*; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Tortrix viridana* LINNAEUS and *Spilonota ocellana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae) (NIXON 1986; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1992; TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012). It was also reported on *Pandemis heparana* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *P. cerasana* HÜBNER, *Archips rosana* LINNAEUS, *A. crataegana* (HÜBNER), *Croesia bergmaniniana* LINNAEUS, *Epinotia tetraquetrana* HOWARTH, *Parasyndenus histrionana* LINNAEUS (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Recurvaria nanella* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae) (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), *Acleris forsskaleana* (LINNAEUS), *A. variana* (FERNALD), *Aleimma loeflingiana* (LINNAEUS), *Archips cerasivorana* (FITCH), *A. xylosteana* (LINNAEUS), *Argyrotaenia velutiana* (WALKER), *Choristoneura rosaceana* (HARRIS), *Cydia latiferreana* (WALSINGHAM), *Dichelia histrionana* (FRÖLICH), *Epiblema scutulana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Grapholita interstinctana* (CLEMENS), *G. molesta* (BUSCK), *Hedya nubiferana* (HAWORTH), *Recurvaria leucatella* (CLERCK), *Tortrix viridana* (LINNAEUS) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Blastadacna atra* (Lepidoptera: Blastadacnidae), *Coleophora spinella* SCHRANK (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae), *Yponomeuta malinella* ZELLER (Lepidoptera: Yponomeutidae), *Anthonomus pomorum* (LINNAEUS) (Coleoptera: Curculionidae), *Gelis tenellus* (SAY), *Scambus hispae* (HARRIS) (Hymenoptera: Ichneumonidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Bassus linguarius* (NEES VON ESENBECK 1812)**

Microdus linguarius NEES 1812: 149; *Agathis kaszabi* PAPP 1971: 334-335.

Distribution in Iran: Ardabil (GHAHARI et al. 2009c), Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b).

Distribution in Iran: Armenia, Kazakhstan, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland (YU et al. 2012), Austria, Russia (SHENEFELT 1970), Belgium, Finland, former Yugoslavia (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria, France, Italy (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1992; YU et al. 2012), Croatia (PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Germany (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus linguarius*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2007), Hungary (SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986 as *Microdus linguarius*; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 1971 as *Agathis kaszabi*; PAPP 2009b; YU et al. 2012), the Netherlands (SHENEFELT 1970; SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1992; YU et al. 2012), UK (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus linguarius*; NIXON 1986 as *Microdus linguarius*; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYASLAN 2001; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Coleophora* spp. (Lepidoptera: Coleophoridae) (YU et al. 2012).

Genus *Camptothipsis* ENDERLEIN 1920

Camptothipsis armeniaca (TELENKA 1955)

Baeognatha armeniaca TELENKA 1955: 300.

Distribution in Iran: Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2010a), Kermanshah (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2012 as *Baeognatha armeniaca* (Telenga)), East Azarbaijan (GHAHARI et al. 2009b as *Bassus armeniacus* (TELENKA)).

Distribution outside Iran: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Hungary, Italy, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Switzerland, Ukraine (NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001; YU et al. 2012), Austria (NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001; YU et al. 2012), Caucasus (TOBIAS 1986), Russia (NIXON 1986; TOBIAS 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Grapholitha funebrana* TREITSCHKE (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Anarsia eleagnella* KUZNETZOV, *Recunaria nanella* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae) (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), *Anarsia lineatella* ZELLER (Lepidoptera: Gelchiidae), *Cydia funebrana* (TREITSCHKE) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Recurvia leucatella* (CLERCK) (Lepidoptera: Gelchiidae) (YU et al. 2012).

Genus *Lyptopylus* FÖRSTER 1862

Lyptopylus rufipes (NEES VON ESENBECK 1812)

Microdus rufipes NEES 1812: 189; *Braunia germanica* ENDERLEIN 1904: 436; *Bassus diversus* MUESEBECK 1933: 48; *Microdus amurensis* SHESTAKOV 1940.

Distribution in Iran: East Azarbaijan (RANJBAR AGHDAM & FATHIPOUR 2010 as *Bassus rufipes* (NEES 1812)).

Distribution outside Iran: Widely distributed in the Palaearctic region from Sweden to Turkey in Europe, and west to Japan in Asia. Introduced into

Argentina and USA: Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Georgia, Hungary, Italy, Kazakhstan, Korea, Kyrgyzstan, Lithuania, Moldova, the Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, UK (YU et al. 2012), Germany (ENDERLEIN 1904 as *Braunsia germanica*; YU et al. 2012), Japan (SHARKEY 1996; YU et al. 2012), Russia (SHESTAKOVA 1940 as *Microdus amurensis*; SHARKEY 1996; YU et al. 2012), USA (MUESEBECK 1933 as *Bassus diversus*; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of codling moth, *Cydia pomonella* (LINNAEUS) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae) (RANJBAR AGHDAM & FATHIPOUR 2010 as *Bassus rufipes*). SHARKEY (1996) reported the following hosts that belong to the order Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae: *Gelechia nigra* (HAWORTH); Coleophoridae: *Coleophora gryphipennella* (HÜBNER); Pieridae: *Gonepteryx rhamni* (LINNAEUS); Pyralidae: *Acrobasis consociella* (HÜBNER); Tortricidae: *Apotomis capreana* (HÜBNER), *A. semifasciana* (HAWORTH), *Cacoecimorpha pronubana* (HÜBNER), *Cydia pomonella* (LINNAEUS), *Grapholitha molesta* (BUSCK), *Gypsonoma dealbana* (FRÖLICH), *G. oppressana* (TREITSCHKE), *G. sociana* (HAWORTH), *Hedya dimioalba* (RETZIUS), *H. nubiferana* (HAWORTH), *Rhyacionia buotiana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Tortrix viridana* LINNAEUS; Yponomeutidae: ?*Yponomeuta malinellus* ZELLER.

Genus *Therophilus* WESMAEL 1837

Therophilus tumidulus (NEES VON ESENBECK 1812)

Microdus tumidulus NEES 1812: 189; *Microdus annae* ENDERLEIN 1908: 223; *Microdus tumidulus* var. *ruficoxis* FAHRINGER 1937: 509; *Microdus aino* WATANABE 1937: 92; *Microdus bicolor* SHESTAKOV 1940: 15; *Microdus victoris* TELENGA 1955: 288; *Agathis shestakovi* SHENEFELT 1970: 355; *Microdus anuphrievi* TOBIAS 1986: 288.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2011a), Kermanshah (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2012), Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b), Mazandaran (GHAHARI et al. 2010a).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : This species was reported to be widespread in most regions of Europe and temperate Asia (SHARKEY 1996). Also, widely distributed in the western Palaearctic region (SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG 1992 as *Bassus tumidulus* (NEES)): Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, China, Croatia, Czech Republic, Finland, Hungary, Korea, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Morocco, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland (YU et al. 2012), France, Ireland, Italy, UK, former Yugoslavia (NIXON 1986 as *Microdus tumidulus*; YU et al. 2012), Europe, Siberia (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus tumidulus*; YU et al. 2012), Far East (TELENGA 1955, TOBIAS 1986 as *Microdus victoris* TELENGA), Georgia, Ukraine (IVANOV 1899 as *Eumicrodus intermedius*; YU et al. 2012), Germany (ENDERLEIN 1908 as *Microdus annae*; NIXON 1986 as *Microdus tumidulus*; YU et al. 2012), Greece (NIXON 1986 as *Microdus tumidulus*; PAPP 2003 as *Bassus tumidulus* (NEES); YU et al. 2012), Japan (WATANABE 1937 as *Microdus aino*; SHARKEY 1996 as *Bassus tumidulus*; YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan (TELENGA 1955 as *Microdus victoris* TELENGA; TOBIAS 1986 as *Microdus victoris* TELENGA; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2009b as *Bassus tumidulus* (NEES); YU et al. 2012), Russia (IVANOV 1899 as *Eumicrodus intermedius*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus intermedius*; SHESTAKOV 1940 as *Microdus bicolor*; TELENGA 1955 as *Microdus victoris* TELENGA; TOBIAS 1986 as *Microdus anuphrievi*; YU et al. 2012),

Serbia (ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010 as *Bassus tumidulus*), Sweden (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Microdus tegularis*; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (BEYARSLAN et al. 2006, ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013 as *Bassus tumidulus*; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Dichrorhampha acuminatana* (LIENIG & ZELLER) (Lepidoptera : Tortricidae) (NIXON 1986), *Procheuusa inopula* ZELLER (Lepidoptera : Gelechiidae), *Lobesia botrana* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *Gypsonoma minutana* HÜBNER, *Grapholitha compositella* FABRICIUS, *G. pallifrontana* ZELLER, *G. delineana* WALKER, *Sparganothis pilleriana* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *Rhopobota ustomaculana* CURTIS (Lepidoptera : Tortricidae), *Agonopterix atomella* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER (Lepidoptera : Oecophoridae), *Mompha epilobiella* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER (Lepidoptera : Momphidae) (TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012), *Choristoneura funiferana* CLEMENS, *Cydia compositella* (FABRICIUS), *C. delineana* WALKER, *C. pallifrontana* LIENIG & ZELLER, *C. splendana* HÜBNER, *C. tenebrosiana* DUPONCHEL, *Epiblema cirsiana* ZELLER, *E. scutulana* DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER, *Lathronymphala strigana* FABRICIUS, *Lobesia euphorbianus* (FREYER) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae), *Utetheisa jacobaeae* (LINNAEUS) (YU et al. 2012). According to SIMBOLOTTI & VAN ACHTERBERG (1992), Tortricidae: *Cydia tenebrosana* (DUPONCHE) on *Rosa*, *Dichrorhampha acuminatana* (LIENEG & ZELLER) on *Chrysanthemum leucanthemum* LINNAEUS, *Epiblema scutellana* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER) on *Cirsium*, *E. cirsiana* (ZELLER) on *Centurea nigra* LINNAEUS, and *Lathronympha strigata* (FABRICIUS) on *Hypericum*.

Tribe Cremnopothis SHARKEY 1992

Genus *Cremnops* FÖRSTER 1862

Cremnops richteri HEDWIG 1957

Cremnops richteri HEDWIG 1957: 115.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Sistan & Baluchestan (HEDWIG 1957).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Endemic to Iran (HEDWIG 1957; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

Tribe Disophrinae SHARKEY 1992

Genus *Coccygidium* SAUSSURE 1892

Coccygidium transcaspicum (KOKUJEV 1902)

Ahngeria transcaspica KOKUJEV 1902: 6; *Ahngeria opaca* SHESTAKOV 1928: 226.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Iran (no locality cited) (TOBIAS 1986).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Afghanistan, Japan (YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Turkmenistan (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Uzbekistan (SHESTAKOV 1928 as *Ahngeria opaca*; TOBIAS 1986 as *Zelomorpha transcaspica*; YU et al. 2012), Japan, Korea (SHARKEY 1996), Russia (KOKUJEV 1902 as *Ahngeria transcaspica*).

Host record: Unknown.

Genus *Disophrys* FÖRSTER 1862

Disophrys caesa (KLUG 1835)

Agathis caesa KLUG in WALTL 1835: 89; *A. initiator* FONSCOLOMBE 1846: 40; *A. erythromelas* BRULLÉ 1846: ?; *A. imperialis* COSTA 1888: 9; *Disophrys caesus* (KLUG) MARSHALL 1890: 574; *Disophrys anthracina* KREICHBAMER 1898: 185.

Distribution in Iran: Lorestan (GHAHARI et al. 2012b), Iran (no locality cited) (KRICHBAUMER 1898 as *Disophrys anthracina*).

Distribution outside Iran: Algeria (BRULLÉ 1846 as *Agathis erythromelas*; LUCAS 1849 as *A. bovaei*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Germany, Morocco, Portugal, Russia, Switzerland (YU et al. 2012), Austria (SHENEFELT 1970; NIXON 1986), Caucasia, North Africa, South Western Europe (TOBIAS 1995), Croatia (PAPP 2009a, 2010; YU et al. 2012), France (FONSCOLOMBE 1846 as *A. initiator*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. initiator*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Greece, Iberian Peninsula (NIXON 1986), Hungary (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 2011-2012), Italy (COSTA 1888 as *Agathis imperialis*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. imperialis*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Lithuania (SZÉPLIGETI 1904), Romania (SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Serbia (FONSCOLOMBE 1846 as *A. initiator*; PAPP 2010; ŽIKIĆ et al. 2010 as *Disophrys initiator*; YU et al. 2012), Spain (WALTL 1835 as *Agathis caesa*; SPINOLA 1843 as *Agathis baetica*; KREICHBAMER 1898 as *Disophrys anthracina*; SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *D. anthracina*; SHENEFELT 1970; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (NIXON 1986; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN & BEYARSLAN 2001; ÇETİN ERDOĞAN 2013; YU et al. 2012), West and Middle Asia (SHENEFELT 1970), former Yugoslavia (FONSCOLOMBE 1846 as *A. initiator*; NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

Disophrys dissors KOKUJEV 1903

Disophrys dissors KOKUJEV 1903: 245.

Distribution in Iran: Mazandaran (GHAHARI et al. 2009a).

Distribution outside Iran: Azerbaijan, Hungary, Moldova, Ukraine (YU et al. 2012; PAPP 2011-2012), Caucasus, Central Asia, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1986), Israel, Turkey (PAPP 2011-2012), Macedonia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Serbia (PAPP 2009a; YU et al. 2012), Turkmenistan, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Transcaspia (KOKUJEV 1903).

Host record: Unknown.

Disophrys inculcatrix (KREICHBAMER 1898)

Diophrys inculcatrix KREICHBAMER 1898: 181-185.

Distribution in Iran: Fars (LASHKARI BOD et al. 2011).

Distribution outside Iran: Azerbaijan, Hungary, Russia, Ukraine (KREICHBAMER 1898 as *Diophrys inculcatrix*; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

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Tribe *Earinini* SHARKEY 1992

Genus *Earinus* WESMAEL 1837

Earinus elator (FABRICIUS 1804)

Banchus elator FABRICIUS 1804: 128; *Microodus nitidulus* NEES 1814: 187; *Microodus thoracicus* NEES 1834: 143; *?Agathis major* FONSCOLOMBE 1846: 39; *Earinus nitidulus* (NEES) REINHARD 1867: 351; *Earinus thoracicus* (NEES) SHENEFELT 1970: 407.

Distribution in Iran: East Azarbaijan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a), Golestan (GHAHARI et al. 2011a).

Distribution outside Iran: Widespread over most of the northern Palearctic region (SHARKEY 1996), Austria, Germany, Ireland, Sweden, UK (NIXON 1986; YU et al. 2012), Azerbaijan, Belgium, Czech Republic, Finland, Hungary, Italy, Japan, Korea, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Switzerland, Turkey, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Caucasus to Far East in southern Siberia (TOBIAS 1986 as *E. nitidulus* (NEES)), Central and South USSR, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1995 as *E. thoracicus* (NEES)), Croatia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *E. nitidulus*), France (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *A. major*; YU et al. 2012), Japan (SHARKEY 1996), France (FONSCOLOMBE 1846 as *Agathis major*).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Agrochola circellaris* (HUFNAGEL), *A. lota* (CLERCK) on *Salix caprea*, *Atethmia centrago* (HOWARTH) (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) (NIXON 1986; SHARKEY 1996), *Aconita lucida* (HUFNAGEL), *Dichonia convergens* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER) (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae), *Alsophida aescularia* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Lycia hirtarius* CIERCK (Lepidoptera: Geometridae), *Gracillaria syringella* (FABRICIUS) (Lepidoptera: Gracillariidae) (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), *Atethmia ambusta* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER), *Conistra vaccinii* (LINNAEUS), *Lithophane ornitopus* (HUFNAGEL), *Orthosia stabilis* (DENIS & SCHIFFERMÜLLER) (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) (YU et al. 2012).

Subfamily *Brachistinae* FÖRSTER 1862

Genus *Eubazus* NEES VON ESENBECK 1812

Eubazus (Brachistes) minutus (RATZEBURG 1848)

Brachistes minutus RATZEBURG 1848: 28.

Material examined: East Azarbaijan province: Kaleybar (1024 m), 17.viii.2010. New record for Iran.

Distribution outside Iran: A sporadic to frequent species in Europe (PAPP 2011-2012). Azerbaijan (TOBIAS 1986; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria, China, Czech Republic, Finland, Greece, Italy, Norway, Poland, Slovakia, Switzerland, UK (YU et al. 2012), Germany (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Calyptus minutus* RATZEBURG under Calyptinae; YU et al. 2012), Hungary, Ukraine (PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 2011-2012), Western Europe (TOBIAS 1986).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Rhynchaenus alni* (LINNAEUS), *R. fagi* (WALKER), *R. quercus* (LINNAEUS) (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), *Protapion apricans* (HERBST) (Coleoptera: Brentidae), *Baryscapus endemus* (WALKER),

Pediopius sanlius (WALKER) (Hymenoptera: Eulophidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Eubazus (Brachistes) tibialis* (HALIDAY 1835)**

Helcon (Calyptus) tibialis HALIDAY 1835: 130; *Brachistes uncigenis* WESMAEL 1835: 113

Distribution in Iran: Razavi Khorasan (SAMIN et al. 2011).

Distribution outside Iran: Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Eastern Siberia, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1995), Europe (SZÉPLIGETI 1904 as *Calyptus tibialis* HALIDAY under Calyptinae), Finland (TOBIAS 1986 as *Aliolus novatibialis* SHENEFELT; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia, Montenegro (PAPP 2010), Mongolia (PAPP 2005), Serbia (ŽIKIĆ et al. 2000 under Helconinae; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Anobium* sp. (Coleoptera: Anobiidae), *Diprion palliduta* (Coleoptera: Attelabidae) (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011), *Bytiscus betulae* (LINNAEUS), *B. populi* LINNAEUS (Coleoptera: Attelabidae) (TOBIAS 1995; GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011; YU et al. 2012), *Gilpinia pallida* (KLUG) (Hymenoptera: Diprionidae) (YU et al. 2012).

Genus *Foersteria* SZÉPLIGETI 1896

***Foersteria longicauda* ACHTERBERG 1990**

Foersteria longicauda ACHTERBERG 1990: 10.

Distribution in Iran: West Azarbaijan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a; YU et al. 2012).

Distribution outside Iran: Turkey (VAN ACHTERBERG 1990; GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

Genus *Schizoprymnus* FÖRSTER 1862

***Schizoprymnus angustatus* (HERRICH-SCHÄFFER 1838)**

Sigalpus angustatus HERRICH-SCHÄFFER 1838: 153.

Distribution in Iran: Golestan (SAMIN et al. 2011).

Distribution outside Iran: Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Finland, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Moldova, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine (YU et al. 2012), Germany (HERRISCH-SCHÄFFER 1838 as *Sigalpus angustatus*; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia (PAPP 2010), Mongolia (PAPP 1967, 2005; YU et al. 2012), Russia (BELOKOBYLSKIJ 1998; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

Host record: Unknown.

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***Schizoprymnus elongatus* (SZÉPLIGETI 1898)**

Sigalphus elongatus SZÉPLIGETI 1898: 383.

Distribution in Iran: Ardabil (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011a).

Distribution outside Iran: Afghanistan, Armenia, Belarus, Czech Republic, Georgia, Hungary, Lithuania, Moldova (YU et al. 2012), Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Hungary (SZÉPLIGETI 1898 as *Sigalphus elongatus*; PAPP 2005; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2005), Turkey (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

Host record: Unknown.

***Schizoprymnus excisus* (ŠNOFLÁK 1953)**

Triaspis excisus ŠNOFLÁK 1953: 167, 168; *Schizoprymnus arcuatus* TOBIAS 1976: 163, 176.

Distribution in Iran: Guilan (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011b; SAKENIN et al. 2012), Kerman (GHAHARI et al. 2010b).

Distribution outside Iran: Armenia, Bohemia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Russia, Serbia, Ukraine (PAPP 2005; YU et al. 2012), Caucasus (TOBIAS 1976 as *Schizoprymnus arcuatus*), Czech Republic (ŠNOFLAK 1953 as *Triaspis excisus*; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 1971 as *Triapsis rimulosis* THOMSON; PAPP 2005), former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

***Schizoprymnus nigripes* (THOMSON 1892)**

Sigalphus nigripes THOMSON 1892: 16.

Distribution in Iran: Sistan & Baluchestan (SAMIN et al. 2011).

Distribution outside Iran: Caucasus, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1986), Croatia (PAPP 2009a), Czech Republic, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Sweden, Switzerland (YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Korea, Russia (BELOKOBILISKIJ 1998; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2005; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011), Sweden (THOMSON 1892 as *Sigalphus nigripes*).

Host record: Larval parasitoid of *Acentrus histrio* (FALD) (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

***Schizoprymnus obscurus* (NEES 1816)**

Sigalphus obscurus NEES 1816: 252.

Distribution in Iran: Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2012a), Isfahan (GHAHARI et al. 2011d), Iran (no locality cited) (PAPP 2011-2012).

Distribution outside Iran: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Moldova, Morocco, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, UK, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Central Asia, Southern Siberia up to Far East, Northern Africa (TOBIAS 1986), Greece (PAPP 2007, 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 2011-2012),

Kazakhstan, Russia (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 1967, 2005; TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Tunisia (PAPP 1981); Turkey (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Apion* sp. (*Ceratapion carduorum* KIRBY; *A. craceae* LINNAEUS; *A. semivittatum* GYLLENHAL; *Ceutorhynchus pleurostigma* MARSHAM; *C. echii* (LINNAEUS); *C. assimilis* PAYK.; *C. contractus* MARSHAM; *Gymnetron noctis* HERBST; *G. collinus* GYLLENHAL; *G. antirrhini* PAYKULL; *Orchestes* sp. (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011), *Ceuthorrhynchus picitarsis* GYLLENHAL, *C. sulcicollis* (GYLLENHAL) (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) (TOBIAS 1986; GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011; YU et al. 2012), *Protapion apricans* (HERBST) (Coleoptera: Brentidae), *Mordellistena parvula* GYLLENHAL (Coleoptera: Mordellidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Schizoprymnus pallidipennis* (HERRICH-SCHÄFFER 1838)**

Sigalphus pallidipennis HERRISCH-SCHÄFFER 1838: 153.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Mazandaran (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011b; SAKENIN et al. 2012).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Armenia, China, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Spain, Switzerland, Tajikistan (YU et al. 2012), Croatia, Macedonia (PAPP 2010), Germany (HERRISCH-SCHÄFFER 1838 as *Sigalphus pallidipennis*; YU et al. 2012); Mongolia (PAPP 1967 as *S. crassiceps* 2005), Russia (BELOKOBILSKIJ 1998; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Mordellistena parvula* GYLLENHAL (Coleoptera: Mordellidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Schizoprymnus parvus* (THOMSON 1892)**

Sigalphus parvus THOMSON 1892: 1707.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Ardabil, West Azarbaijan (RASTEGAR et al. 2012), Isfahan (GHAHARI et al. 2011d), Northern Khorasan (SAMIN et al. 2011).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Bosnia-Herzegovina (PAPP 2010), Central Asia, Central and Northern Europe, Western Siberia (TOBIAS 1986), Croatia, Macedonia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Czech Republic, Finland, Germany, Hungary, the Netherlands, Slovakia, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2007; YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan (TOBIAS 1986; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 1971 as *Triaspis obscurus* var. *curtiradialis* PAPP; PAPP 2005; YU et al. 2012), Sweden (THOMSON 1892 as *Sigalphus parvus*; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (GÜCLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

H o s t r e c o r d : Unknown.

***Schizoprymnus pullatus* (DAHLBOM 1833)**

Chelonus pullatus DAHLBOM 1833; *Sigalphus rufipes* HERRISCH-SCHÄFFER 1838: 153; *Schizoprymnus globosus* SZÉPLIGETI 1898; *Schizoprymnus bimaculatus* TELENGA 1941.

D i s t r i b u t i o n i n I r a n : Iran (no locality cited) (SZÉPLEGETI 1898 as *S. globosus* SZÉPLEGETI 1898).

D i s t r i b u t i o n o u t s i d e I r a n : Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech

Republic, Georgia, Germany, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Poland, Slovakia, Ukraine, Uzbekistan (YU et al. 2012), Russia (SZÉPLIGETI 1898 as *S. globosus*; TELENKA 1941 as *S. bimaculatus*; YU et al. 2012), Sweden (HERRISCH-SCHÄFFER 1838 as *Sigalpus rufipes*; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Unknown.

***Schizoprymnus terebralis* (ŠNOFLÁK 1953)**

Triaspis terebralis ŠNOFLÁK 1953.

Distribution in Iran: East Azarbaijan (SAKENIN et al. 2009), Isfahan (GHAHARI et al. 2010b).

Distribution outside Iran: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Greece, Hungary, Moldova, Serbia, Ukraine, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Central Asia, Transcaucasia (TOBIAS 1986 as *S. terebrans* SNOFLÁK), Czech Republic, Slovakia (ŠNOFLAK 1953 as *Triaspis terebralis*; TOBIAS 1986 as *S. terebrans* SNOFLÁK; YU et al. 2012), Macedonia (PAPP 2010; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2005; YU et al. 2012), Russia (BELOKOBILSKIJ 1998; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (GÜÇLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Mordellistena parvula* (Coleoptera: Mordellidae) (GÜÇLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011; YU et al. 2012).

Genus *Triaspis* HALIDAY 1835

***Triaspis complanellae* (HARTIG 1847)**

Sigalpus complanella HARTIG 1847: 17; *S. flavipes* IVANOV 1899: 286.

Distribution in Iran: Guilan (GHAHARI et al. 2012a as *T. flavipes* (IVANOV)).

Distribution outside Iran: Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Kazakhstan, Korea, Mongolia, Russia, Slovakia, Syria (YU et al. 2012), Tunisia (PAPP 1981; YU et al. 2012); Ukraine (IVANOV 1899 as *Sigalpus flavipes*; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Gymnetron antirrhini* PAYKULL (Coleoptera: Curculionidae), *Tischeria ekebladella* (BJERKANDER) (Lepidoptera: Tischeriidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Triaspis floricola* (WESMAEL 1835)**

Sigalpus floricola WESMAEL 1835: 208.

Distribution in Iran: Isfahan (GHAHARI et al. 2011d).

Distribution outside Iran: Algeria, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, UK (YU et al. 2012), Belgium (WESMAEL 1835 as *Sigalpus floricola*; YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2007, 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Israel (HALPERIN 1986; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Russia, North Africa, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Apion rufirostre* FABRICIUS, *A. loti* KIRBY, *A. longirostre* OLIVIER, *Ceutorhynchus pleurostigma* MARSHAM, *C. sulcicollis* (PAYKULL),

C. sulcatus BRISOUT (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) (TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012), *Sinoxylon sexdentatum* OLIVIER, *Xylopertha retusa* OLIVIER (Coleoptera: Bostrichidae), *Apion lemeroi* BIRSOUT, *A. trifolii* LINNAEUS (Coleoptera: Curculionidae), *Caliroa cerasi* (LINNAEUS) (Hymenoptera: Tenthredinidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Triaspis lugubris* ŠNOFLÁK 1953**

Triaspis lugubris ŠNOFLÁK 1953: 167, 168.

Distribution in Iran: Mazandaran (GHAHARI & FISCHER 2011b; SAKENIN et al. 2012).

Distribution outside Iran: Czech Republic (ŠNOFLAK 1953; TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012), Hungary, Kazakhstan, Korea, Russia (YU et al. 2012), Kazakhstan, Siberia (TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012), Mongolia (PAPP 2005; YU et al. 2012).

Host record: Parasitoid of *Rynchaenus sanguinipes* ROELOFS (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) (YU et al. 2012).

***Triaspis obscurellus* (NEES VON ESENBECK 1816)**

Sigalpus obscurellus NEES 1816: 270.

Distribution in Iran: East Azarbaijan (RASTEGAR et al. 2012), Isfahan (GHAHARI et al. 2011d).

Distribution outside Iran: Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Canary Islands, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Kazakhstan, Lithuania, Macedonia, Moldova, Mongolia, the Netherlands, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Ukraine, UK, Uzbekistan, former Yugoslavia (YU et al. 2012), Greece (PAPP 2007; YU et al. 2012), Israel (PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Serbia (ŽIKIĆ et al. 2000 under Helconinae; YU et al. 2012), Turkey (GÜÇLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011).

Host record: This species was reported from the following hosts: *Acanthoscelides pallidipennis* (MOTSCHULSKY), *Anobium rufipes* FABRICIUS, *Anthaxia quadripunctata* (LINNAEUS), *Anthonomus rubi* (HERBST), *Apion carduorum* KIRBY, *A. craccae* LINNAEUS, *A. damryi*, *A. damryi* DESBROCHERS, *A. semivittatum* GYLLENHAL, *Bruchidius pusillus* GERMAR, *Bruchus lentis* FROELICH, *B. rufimanus*, *Ceutorhynchus assimilis* (PAYKULL), *C. contractus* MARSHAM, *C. maculaalba* HERBST, *C. obstrictus* MARSHAM, *C. picitarsis* GYLLENHAL, *C. pleurostigma* MARSHAM, *C. rapae* GYLLENHAL, *C. sulcicollis* (PAYKULL), *Gastrallus corsicus*, *G. corsicus*, *Gymnetron antirrhini* PAYKULL, *G. collinum* GYLLENHAL, *G. noctis* HERBST, *G. villosulum* GYLLENHAL, *Ochina ptinoides*, *Stenocarus fuliginosus*, *Stereonychus fraxini* DEGEER, *Tychius flavus* BECKER (Coleoptera: Curculionidae and Apionidae) (GÜÇLÜ & ÖZBEK 2011; YU et al. 2012).

***Triaspis pallipes* (NEES VON ESENBECK 1816)**

Helcon (Triaspis) fulvipes HALIDAY 1835: 127; *Sigalpus pallipes* NEES 1816: 251.

Material examined: Ardabil province: Aslandooz (246 m), 22.ix.2011. New record for Iran.

Distribution outside Iran: Armenia, Israel (PAPP 2011-2012),

Azerbaijan (TOBIAS 1995; PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Bulgaria (PAPP 2011-2012; YU et al. 2012), Canary Islands, Czech Republic, France, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Moldova, Norway, Poland, Russia, Switzerland, Ukraine (YU et al. 2012), Caucasus, Western Europe (TOBIAS 1995), China (TOBIAS 1995; YU et al. 2012), Germany, UK (HALIDAY 1835 as *Helcon fulvipes*; YU et al. 2012).

H o s t r e c o r d : Parasitoid of *Bruchus atomarius* LINNAEUS, *B. affinis* Froelich (Coleoptera: Bruchidae), *Rhynchaenus fagi* (LINNAEUS), *R. quercus* (LINNAEUS), *R. alni* (LINNAEUS), *R. testaceus* MÜLLER, *Gymnetron tetrum* FABRICIUS, *G. antirrhini* PAYKULL, *Apion aeneum* FABRICIUS, *Anthonomus pomorum* LINNAEUS, *Ceutorhynchus pleurostigma* MARSHAM (Coleoptera: Curculionidae), *Bruchidius seminarius* LINNAEUS, *Bruchus latus* FROELICH, *B. luteicornis* ILLIGER, *B. rufimanus* BOHEMAN, *Ceutorhynchus assimilis* (PAYKULL), *C. sulcicollis* (PAYKULL), *Rynchaenus semirufus* GYLLENHAL (Coleoptera: Curculionidae), *Baryscapus endemus* (WALKER) (Hymenoptera: Eulophidae) (YU et al. 2012).

Discussion

In total 28 species from 9 genera of Agathidinae and 17 species from 4 genera of Brachistinae are listed in this catalogue as the fauna of Iran. Of the Agathidinae the genus *Agathis* with 16 species, and of the Brachistinae the genus *Schizoprymnus* with 9 species are more diverse than the other genera. The members of Agathidinae are the parasitoids of Lepidoptera, and of the Brachistinae are the parasitoids of Curculionidae and Apionidae. So these braconids can have efficient role in biological control of mentioned pests in different agroecosystems of Iran. With attention to the high diversity of Lepidoptera and Curculionoidea in Iran, surely several other species of Agathidinae and Brachistinae remain to be discovered. In addition to the faunistic studies on Iranian Braconidae, determining their hosts is valuable research topic. If there is sufficient knowledge on the hosts of parasitoids, it would be resulted to successful establishment of biological control programs.

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Zusammenfassung

Vorliegende Arbeit gibt eine Zusammenfassung der Fauna der Agathidinae und Brachistinae (Hymenoptera: Braconidae) des Irans. Insgesamt gelang der Nachweis von 28 Arten Agathidinae aus den acht Gattungen *Agathis* LATREILLE, *Bassus* FABRICIUS, *Camptothipsis* ENDERLEIN, *Coccygidium* SAUSSURE, *Cremnops* FÖRSTER, *Disophrys* FÖRSTER, *Earinus* WESMAEL, *Leptopylus* FÖRSTER, *Therophilus* WESMAEL sowie 17 Arten von Brachistinae der Gattungen *Eubazus* NEES

von ESENBECK, *Foersteria* SZÉPLIGETI, *Schizoprymnus* FÖRSTER, *Triaspis* HALIDAY. Die zwei Brachistinae-Arten *Triaspis pallipes* (NEES) und *Eubazus (Brachistes) minutus* (RATZEBURG) sind Erstnachweise für den Iran. Sofern vorhanden wurden den Fundangaben Wirtsangaben beigefügt.

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