

*Plagiognathus (Plagiognathus) bipunctatus*

Reuter, 1883

Material: Numerous exx from Aqra, 12.V.1981; Baghdad, IV–V.1980; Brozah, 13.V.1981; Darbandikhan, 13.V.1980; Gully Ali Beg, 13.VI.1980; Al Hadr-Sinjar, 7.V.1981; Halabja, 11.VI.1980; Jebel Sinjar, 8.V.1981; Khorsabad, 11.V.1981; Al Qosh, 10.V.1981; Safwan, 13.IV.1980; Sinjar, 7.V.1981; Sinoni, 8–9.V.1981, Linnavuori.

Biology: In steppes. Also found on *Mentha* in moist localities.

*Plagiognathus (Plagiognathus) chrysanthemii*

(Wolff, 1864)

Material: Aqra, 1 ex, 12.V.1981; Darbandikhan, several exx, 13.V.1980, Linnavuori.

Biology: In steppes.

Distribution: Holarctic.

*Plagiognathus (Plagiognathus) fulvipennis*

(Kirschbaum, 1856)

Material: Many exx from Abu Ghraib, 12.IV.1977, Waiel; Brozah, 13.V.1981; Darbandikhan, 13.V.1980; Dukan, 12.VI.1980; Gully Ali Beg, 13.VI.1980; Salahuddin, 13–14.VI.1980, Linnavuori.

Biology: In hilly steppes of northern Iraq.

Distribution: Holomediterranean.

Genus *Badezorus* Distant

*Badezorus* Distant 1910:15. Type species: *B. tyrianus* Distant.

*Chamaepsallus* Wagner 1965:85–86. Type species: *Atomoscelis tomentosus* Reuter, syn. n.

The synonymy was established after examining the type specimens of *Badezorus tyrianus* Distant in the British Museum.

*Badezorus signaticornis* (Reuter, 1904), comb. n.

*Atomoscelis signaticornis* Reuter 1904:20.

*Chamaepsallus signaticornis* Wagner 1965:86.

*Badezorus tyrianus* Distant 1910:283, syn. n.

Types: Pakistan, Lahore, Punjab, ♀ lectotype (designated by Schuh) of *tyrianus*, ♂ syntype, 9.V.1908, N.A., in the British Museum.

Material: Many exx from Ain Al Tamar, 17.VI.1980; Ana, 8.X.1979; Baghdad, IV–VIII.1980; Haditha, 13.VIII.1979; Mosul, 28.VIII.1980; Najaf-Shabakah, 1.V.1980;

Nasiriya-Abu Ghar, 29.VI.1980; Al Qosh, 25.VIII.1980; Rutba-Al Qaim, 4.V.1980; As Salman, 18.IV.1980; As Salman-Shabakah, 4.IV.1981; As Salman-Samawa, 16.IV.1980; Sinjar, 7.V.1980; Waqisah, 1.V.1980, Linnavuori.

Biology: On herbaceous desert plants such as *Aerva javanica*, *Arnebia hispidissima* and *Heliotropium*.

Distribution: Eremian, extending from the Cape Verde Islands to Iran and Pakistan.

*Badezorus tomentosus* (Reuter, 1904), comb. n.

*Atomoscelis tomentosus* Reuter 1904:21.

*Chamaepsallus tomentosus* Wagner 1965:74–92.

Material: Many exx from Ana, 8.X.1974; Baghdad, IV–VIII.1980; Al Hadr, 6–7.V.1981; Najaf-Shabakah, 1.V.1980, 23.VI.1981; 50 km S Nasiriyah, 14.IV.1980; Nukhayb-km 160, 8.IV.1981; Safwan, 25.VI.1980; As Salman, 18.IV.1980; As Salman-Takhadid, 18.IV.1980; Az Zubayr, 14.IV.1980, Linnavuori.

Biology: In desert habitats on *Heliotropium*.

Distribution: Eremian, extending from Egypt to Iraq.

*Atomoscelis onustus* (Fieber, 1861)

Material: Numerous exx from Ain Al Tamar-Ramadi, 20.IV.1980; Ana, 10.IV.1981; Ana-Al Qaim, 5.V.1980; Baghdad, V–VII.1980; Najaf-Shabakah, 23.VI.1981; Sawa lake, 9.IV.1980; Sinjar, 7.V.1981, Linnavuori.

Biology: On *Atriplex halimus* is saline habitats.

Distribution: Holomediterranean.

*Salicarius urnammu* Linnavuori, 1984

Types: Halabja, ♂ holotype, 10 paratypes, 11.VI.1980, Linnavuori, in coll. Linnavuori (AMNH).

Biology: On *Salix* sp.

Distribution: Endemic.

*Sthenaropsis convolvuli* Linnavuori, 1984

Types: near Safwan, ♂ holotype, numerous paratypes, 13.IV.1980 and 30.III.1981; several paratypes from Abu Ghar, 16.IV.1980, and Az Zubayr, 14.IV.1980, Linnavuori, in coll. Linnavuori (AMNH).

Biology: On *Convolvulus oxyphyllus*.

Distribution: Eremian (Arabian), also known from Saudi Arabia.