



Figs 32-37. *Lepidargyrus syriacus* Wgn., male from Gosmalyan: 32, right paramere; 33, left paramere; 34, theca; 35-36, aedeagus; 37, its apex.

Male genitalia: Figs 16-20.

Distribution. North Africa (Algeria, Morocco).

***Lepidargyrus ancorifer* (Fieber, 1858), comb. n.**

(Figs 21-26)

Apocremnus ancorifer Fieber, 1858: 336.

Atractotomus nigripes Fieber, 1861: 295.

Atractotomus fuscineris Reuter, 1875: 46.

✓ *Psallus ancorifer* var. *minor* Reuter, 1886: 460 (nom. n. pro *fuscineris*).

✓ *Psallus puberulus* Montandon, 1887: 68.

✓ *Psallus ancorifer* f. *nigellata* Stichel, 1933: 260.

✓ *Psallus ancorifer* f. *marginata* Stichel, 1993: 262.

Psallus (Apocremnus) ancorifer ancorifer: Wagner, 1956: 204; 1975: 167.

Material. Germany: 1 ♂, 2 ♀, Achern in Bayern, 22.VII.1930; France: 1 ♀, locality not indicated, from Jakovlev's collection; Italy: 1 ♂, 1 ♀, Rome, 4-5.VII.1933 (Jenjourist); 1 ♀, Sicily, Achireale, 10.VI.1947 (Rubzov); 3 ♀, Sardinia, Oristano (Krausse); 1 ♂, Sardinia, Asuni, III-IV (A. Krausse); 1 ♂, Sardinia, Sorgono, 1913 (Krausse); Greece: 4 ♂, 14 ♀, Athens, 22.V.1914 (Pastukhov); Turkey: 1 ♂, 4 ♀, Bdikule near Istanbul, 31.V.1909 (Pliginski); 1 ♀, Prince's Islands, the Sea of Marmora, 2.VI.1909 (Pliginski).

Description. Coloration variable. Body black; elytra sometimes brownish, cuneus sometimes reddish. Membrane black; veins black or grey-

ish. Hind margin of vertex usually yellowish brown.

Antennal segment I and basal third to half of segment II (in male, sometimes entire segment II) black, apical part of segment II and segments III and IV dirty yellow. Femora black or dark brown; apex of fore femora often dirty yellow. Tibiae dirty yellow; fore and middle ones with black apex; hind ones black in apical half or entirely. Tarsi black; segments I and II sometimes brown; segments II and III of subequal length. Rostrum reaching apex of middle coxae.

Male genitalia: Figs 21-26.

Distribution. Southern and partly central part of Western Europe.

Biology. Recorded from various herbaceous plants (*Trifolium*, *Echium*, etc.), overwintering as egg; imago from June to August (Wagner & Weber, 1964).

***Lepidargyrus instabilis* (Reuter, 1878)**
(Figs 27-31)

Maurodactylus instabilis Reuter, 1878: 28; 1887: 37.

Lepidargyrus instabilis: Muminov, 1962: 43; Putshkov, 1975: 948.

Material. Turkmenistan: 144 ♂ and ♀, Repetek,