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A rare and endemic species expanded to Northern Anatolia: *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, 1896 (Hem., Het., Miridae)

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ABSTRACT: In this paper, new record distributional data on a rare Heteroptera (Hemiptera) species, *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, 1896 from northern Anatolia (Gerede district, Bolu province) are given.

KEYWORDS: *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter 1896, Hemiptera, rare endemic species, Turkey.

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INTRODUCTION

New studies have been added over the years regarding the known number and distribution of Heteroptera in Turkey. In this way, while the number of newly recorded species from the fauna of Turkey increases, the distribution limits of the existing species in the fauna also expand.

In general, a species is considered rare if

it lives and found in a geographically narrow naturally area.

On the other hand, the species found naturally in only one geographical area is an endemic species.

In this study, the literatures on the taxonomy and distribution of *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter 1896 was reviewed (Aukema & Rieger, 1999; Carvalho, 1959; Dursun & Fent, 2017; Hoberlandt, 1956;



Kerzhner, 1997; Kerzhner & Matocq, 1994; Önder, et al., 2006; Reuter, 1896a,b; Stichel, 1957-1962; Wagner, 1966; Wagner, 1970/71).

Until now, the distribution of *G.syriacus* Reuter 1896 has been limited to a local geographical area only (Eastern Medi-terranean province of Anatolia). In which case this species is "locally endemic". The *G.syriacus* Reuter, 1896 is also both rare and anatolian endemic species.

According to this study, the rare and endemic species *G.syriacus* Reuter, 1896, expanded its geographical distribution, and it was determined that this species expanded to Northern Anatolia.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

This study was conducted in Gerede surrounding of Bolu province, a total of 6 individual specimens of the species were collected from 2 locations in the study area in 2017 (Table 1).

The specimens were collected by sweep net on the herbaceous vegetation by first author. And killed in 70% alcohol jars and were prepared based on technical and standards of data collection of the zoology museum. These were determined using identification keys by Stichel (1957-1962), and Wagner (1970/71, 1974) by second author.

Table 1. Sampling localities of specimens *G.syriacus* Reuter, 1896 from Gerede/Bolu.

Locality No	Sampling localities	Coordinates	Altitude
Loc.1-S10	Avcılar mahallesi	40°48'16"N 32°28'28"E	1261m
Loc.2-S12	Kayısopran Köyü	40°48'18"N 32°27'13"E	1344m

RESULTS

Family: Miridae Hahn, 1833

Genus: *Grypocoris* Douglas & Scott, 1868

Type species by monotypy: *Grypocoris fieberi* Douglas & Scott, 1868. (Ref.: Wagner, 1966 (key).

Sub Genus: *Turciocoris* Wagner, 1966

Turciocoris Wagner, 1966:211 (as subgenus of *Grypocoris*).

Type species by original designation: *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, 1896. (Nomenclatural variant by Wagner (1974): *Grypocoris Turciocoris syriacus*)

***Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, 1896**

Type locality: Akbez, (Hassa, Hatay)

1896 *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, Wien Ent. Zeit. 15:256 (n.sp) Asia Minor, Syria
1896 *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, Hem. Gymn. Eur. 5:150 (descr., key)
1910 *Grypocoris syriacus* Oshanin, Verz. Pal. Hem.: 703 (cat) (Ref.:Carvalho, 1959)

Habitat:

The individual specimens of this species was found in the scrub and meadow areas at an altitude of 1261-1344m.

Material examined: (Table 1)

Loc. 1, 3♀♀ 2♂♂, 29.06.2017; Loc. 2, 1♀, 30.06.2017.

Distribution in Turkey:

Adana, Osmaniye, Hatay, Kahramanmaraş (Reuter, 1896; Hoberlandt, 1956; Kerzhner & Josifov, 1999; Aukema & Rieger, 1999; Önder et al., 2006).

With this study, this species was recorded for the first time from the north of Anatolia. This species is endemic to Anatolia

Distribution in Palaearctic

Turkey's Asian part (Anatolia), in the Palaearctic catalog is in located Israel with a question mark (?) and it is a suspicious record (Aukema & Rieger, 1999).

Comments:

This species is an endemic species and

its type locality: Hatay (Hassa-Akbez).

According to Kerzner and Matocq (1994), this species was first found in the Hatay (Hassa: Akbez) type locality by Reuter (1896) and later by Hoberlandt (1955) around Akbez (Adana, Osmaniye, Kahramanmaraş) in the Eastern Mediterranean region of Anatolia has mentioned.

Kerzner & Matocq (1994), referring to 2 original specimens of the species *Grypocoris syriacus* Reuter, 1896 state that: possibly male and female, almost completely destroyed, only some legs and the apical part of hemelytra remaining.

Until this study, *Grypocoris syriacus*, which was endemic to the eastern and South-west Mediterranean region of Turkey, appears to be limited to a small geographical area.

However, in the Palaeartic Catalogue, the distribution of this species in Anatolia, and in the as well as for Israel, is marked with a question mark and given as a suspicious record.

This study provides a better understanding of the distribution patterns of the species in the Turkish Heteroptera fauna and the spread of *G. syriacus* to a new settlement area. Six rare examples *G. syriacus* Reuter, 1896 given in this study were obtained from Gerede (Bolu districts) in the Northern Anatolia Region of Turkey.

In order to understand the Turkish entomofauna, it helps to determine the entomogeographic features that affect the distribution of the fauna.

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A Preliminary List on the Host Plants of Lygaeoidea Species (Hemiptera: Heteroptera) in Turkey- II

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ABSTRACT: This study constitutes the second part of a preliminary list on the host plants of Lygaeoidea species in Turkey presented by Kiyak et al (2020).

In the first part of the study, Kiyak et al. (2020) presented and discussed the plant taxa belonging to 36 plant families and the related Lygaeoidea species list in alphabetical order.

In this study, 187 taxa belonging to 38 plant families, 67 at genera level and 120 at species level, were defined in relation to Lygaeoidea species. In addition, additional informations on the 10 plant families in the first study are presented.

KEYWORDS: Hemiptera, Lygaeoidea, host plant, relationship, Turkey.

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INTRODUCTION

The species belonging to the Lygaeoidea superfamily are phytophagous, except for the species of Geocoridae family, which are predators on various insect species. Information about the feeding habits of these species is given in the first part of the study (Kiyak et al., 2020).

In the first part of the study and in the current study, a list of plants related to Lygaeoidea species was created on the literature data of previous years and studies conducted in Turkey in recent years.

In the first part of the study, a total of 222 taxa, 77 of which were defined at the genera level and 145 at the species level, belonging to 36 plant families were given between 1922 and 2020 (Kiyak et al., 2020).

In the last studies, it is seen that more animal and insect species have started to be seen outside their natural ranges due to many reasons such as increased human activation and global warming.

Some of these alien species increase excessively and reach a level that causes significant damage.

These alien and invasive species include Heteroptera and even Lygaeoidea species.

By making a list of plants related to Lygaeoidea species in Turkey, the both studies aim **i)** to provide data about the food preferences of Lygaeoidea species and the plant species and families to which they are more prone **ii)** to assist new studies on this group.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

The previous and recent studies on Lygaeoidea species in Turkey were reviewed, and host plant lists were created from these studies and listed according to plant families.

The literatures used in this study are; Fahringer (1922), Hoberlandt (1956), Seidenstücker (1958, 1963, 1965), Tuatay et al. (1972); Aysev (1974), Lodos et al. (1978, 1999), Çakır (1988), Özbek &

Alaoğlu (1988), Çakır & Önder (1990), Kiyak (1990, 1993, 2019), Çağlar (1992) Stichel (1957-1962) Öz Saraç & Kiyak (2001), Öz Saraç et al. (2001); Beyaz & Tezcan (2002), Atlıhan et al. (2003), Gençer et al. (2004), Öncül Abacıgil et al. (2010), Tezcan et al. (2010), Matocq et al. (2014), Yıldırım & Eroğlu (2015), Dirik & Kıvanç (2016), Kiyak & Özdamar (2017), Arslangündoğdu et al. (2018), Yücel & Kıvanç (2018), Yazıcı (2019), Yazıcı & Sertkaya (2020), Çerçi & Tezcan (2020), Özgen et al. (2020).

As a result of the literature review, plant taxa associated with Lygaeoidea species in Turkey were listed according to families, and a total of 74 plant families were identified.

The first 36 of these plant families in alphabetical order and their related Lygaeoidea species were presented in the first part of the study.

The remaining 38 families and their related taxa and related Lygaeoidea species are presented in Table 1 in alphabetical order in the present part of the study.

In addition, the missing records belonging to the plant families in the first part of the study are added to the bottom of Table 1.

In Table 2 and Figure 1 plant families and the numbers of Lygaeoidea species related to them, and in Table 3 and Figure 2, plant families and plant taxon numbers belonging to these families are given.

Plant species are given with their valid names, and the synonymous names in the old literature are also indicated in parentheses.

RESULTS

In this part of the study, 187 plant taxa belonging to 38 plant families and related Lygaeoidea species are listed alphabetically in Table 1. In addition, the additional records that were overlooked in Part I are added to the under of the table.

Table 1. The plant relationships of Lygaeoidea species in Turkey.

Lamiaceae		
Lamiaceae	<i>Horvathiolus guttatus</i> (Rambur, 1839) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Kıyak, 1993 Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Ajuga</i> sp.	<i>Pionosomus varius</i> (Wolff, 1804)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Ballota</i> sp.	<i>Beosus quadripunctatus</i> (Müller, 1766) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Plinthisus longicollis</i> Fieber, 1861	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Calamintha</i> sp.	<i>Ortholomus punctipennis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1838)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Lavandula multifida</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829	Stichel, 1957
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster cathariae</i> (Geoffroy, 1785)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Marrubium parviflorum</i> Fish & Mey.	<i>Melanocoryphus albomaculatus</i> (Goeze, 1778)	Kıyak 1990
<i>Melissa officinalis</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster cathariae</i> (Geoffroy, 1785)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Mentha</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris arenarius</i> (Jakovlev, 1867) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829 <i>Microplax interrupta</i> (Fieber, 1837) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Scolopostethus affinis</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Stichel, 1957 Çakır, 1988 Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Mentha arvensis</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Mentha piperita</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Mentha rotundifolia</i> (L.) Huds.	<i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Micromeria varia</i> Benth.	<i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829	Stichel, 1957
<i>Nepeta</i> sp.	<i>Scolopostethus affinis</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Nepeta troodi</i> Holmboe	<i>Heterogaster cathariae</i> (Geoffroy, 1785)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Origanum</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804)	Bayaz & Tezcan, 2002
<i>Origanum syriacum</i> L.	<i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Origanum vulgare</i> L.	<i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Stichel 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Phlomis</i> sp.	<i>Artheneis foveolata</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
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<i>Stachys cretica</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Teucrium</i> sp.	<i>Emblethis verbasci</i> (Fabricius, 1803)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Teucrium polium</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i>	Özsaraç & Kıyak, 2001
<i>Thymus</i> sp.	<i>Cymus clavicularis</i> (Fallén, 1807) <i>Emblethis verbasci</i> (Fabricius, 1803) <i>Microplax interrupta</i> (Fieber, 1837) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Ortholomus punctipennis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1838) <i>Pionosomus varius</i> (Wolff, 1804)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Thymus serpyllum</i> L.	<i>Tropistethus holosericus</i> (Scholtz, 1846)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Thymus vulgaris</i> L.	<i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
Lauraceae		
<i>Laurus</i> sp.	<i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Laurus nobilis</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
Linaceae		
<i>Linum</i> sp.	<i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Stichel, 1957
Lythraceae		
<i>Lythrum portula</i> (L.) D. A. Webb (Syn. <i>Peplis portula</i> L.)	<i>Cymus clavicularis</i> (Fallén, 1807)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Punica</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Punica granatum</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
Malvaceae		
<i>Abelmoschus esculentus</i> (L.) Moench. (Syn. <i>Hibiscus esculentus</i>)	<i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Abutilon</i> sp.	<i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Stichel, 1957, Aysev, 1974
<i>Althaea</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Aysev, 1974 ; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Althaea rosea</i> Hohen. ex Boiss.	<i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Gossypium</i> sp.	<i>Cymus melanocephalus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Geocoris arenarius</i> (Jakovlev, 1867) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris lineola lineola</i> (Rambur, 1839) <i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790) <i>Geocoris</i> sp. <i>Graptostetizus servus</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Stichel, 1957; Tuatay et al., 1972; Aysev, 1974 ;Çakır, 1988; Çakır & Önder, 1990; Lodos et al.,1999; Yazıcı, 2019
<i>Gossypium hirsutum</i> L.	<i>Leptodemus minutus</i> Jakovlev 1876	Yazıcı & Sertkaya, 2020
<i>Hibiscus</i> sp.	<i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Malva</i> sp.	<i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Malva multiflora</i> (Cav.) Soldano, Banfi & Galasso (Syn. <i>Lavatera cretica</i> L.)	<i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843)	Stichel 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Urena lobata</i> L.	<i>Graptostetizus servus</i> (Fabricius, 1787)	Stichel, 1957
Moraceae		
<i>Morus</i> sp.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al.,1999
<i>Morus alba</i> L.	<i>Megalonotus praetextatus</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Kıyak, 1990; Lodos et al.,1999
Myrtaceae		
<i>Eucalyptus</i> sp.	<i>Horvathiolus superbus</i> (Pollich, 1781)	Aysev, 1974
Nitrariaceae		
<i>Peganum harmala</i> L.	<i>Emblethis ciliatus</i> Horváth, 1875 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Tropidothorax leucopterus</i> (Goeze, 1778)	Lodos et al., 1999

Oleaceae		
<i>Fraxinus</i> sp.	<i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825)	Aysev, 1974; Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Fraxinus excelsior</i> L.	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825)	Aysev, 1974; Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Jasminum fruticans</i> L.	<i>Macroplax fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Xanthochilus quadratus</i> (Fabricius, 1798)	Çağlar, 1992
<i>Ligustrum</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Olea europaea</i> L.	<i>Aphanus rolandri</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Arlheneis foveolata</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris lineola</i> (Rambur, 1839) <i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790) <i>Graptostethus servus</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Horvathiolus superbus</i> (Pollich, 1781) <i>Kleidocerys ericae</i> (Horváth, 1908) <i>Lamprodema maura</i> (Fabricius, 1803) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> (Lucas, 1854) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macropternella inermis</i> (Fieber, 1851) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Microplax albofasciata</i> (A. Costa, 1847) <i>Microplax limbata</i> Fieber, 1864 <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Peritrechus meridionalis</i> Puton, 1877 <i>Plinthisus longicollis</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Proderus belloveyei</i> Puton, 1874 <i>Raglius alboacuminatus</i> (Goeze, 1778) <i>Remaudiereana annulipes</i> (Bärensprung, 1859) <i>Scolopostethus pictus</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Taphropeltus nervosus</i> (Fieber, 1861) <i>Xanthochilus quadratus</i> (Fabricius, 1798)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988; Öncül Abacıgil et al., 2010
Onagraceae		
<i>Epilobium hirsutum</i> L.	<i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
Papaveraceae		
Papaveraceae	<i>Brachyplax tenuis</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852)	Matocq et al., 2014
<i>Eschscholzia</i> sp.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Fumaria asapela</i> Boiss.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Kiyak, 1990
<i>Fumaria judaica</i> Boiss	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Özsaraç & Kiyak, 2001
<i>Papaver</i> sp.	<i>Brachyplax tenuis</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852)	Seidenstücker, 1958
Pedaliaceae		
<i>Sesamum indicum</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius senecionis senecionis</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
Pinaceae		
<i>Abies</i> sp.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Abies alba</i> Mill.	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Cedrus</i> sp.	<i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Gastrodes grossipes</i> (De Geer, 1773) <i>Geocoris ater</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829 <i>Lasiocoris crassicornis</i> (Lucas, 1849) <i>Lygaeosoma sardeum erythropterum</i> (Puton, 1876) <i>Microplax limbata</i> Fieber, 1864 <i>Orsillodes longirostris</i> Puton, 1884	Çakır, 1988; Lodos Önder et al 1999; Çerçi & Tezcan, 2020
<i>Pinus</i> sp.	<i>Emblethis ciliatus</i> Horváth, 1875 <i>Gastrodes grossipes</i> (De Geer, 1773) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Graptopeltus lynceus</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Ischnopeza hirticornis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Stichel, 1957; Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999

	<i>Ischnodemus suturalis</i> Horváth, 1883 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Megalonotus longipilis</i> (Puton, 1884) <i>Metopoplax fuscinervis</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Orsillus depressus</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852) <i>Orsillus reyi</i> Puton, 1871 <i>Plinthus longicollis</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Rhyparochromus vulgaris</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Scolopostethus affinis</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	
<i>Pinus nigra</i> J.F. Arnold	<i>Graptopeltus validus</i> (Horváth, 1875) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Ortholomus punctipennis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1838) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Rhyparochromus phoeniceus</i> (Rossi, 1794) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Hoberlandt, 1956; Çağlar, 1992;
<i>Pinus strobus</i> L.	<i>Eremocoris plebejus</i> (Fallén, 1807) <i>Gastrodes grossipes</i> (De Geer, 1773)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Pinus sylvestris</i> L.	<i>Eremocoris plebejus</i> (Fallén, 1807) <i>Gastrodes grossipes</i> (De Geer, 1773)	Stichel, 1957; Yıldırım & Eroğlu, 2015
Plantaginaceae		
<i>Antirrhinum majus</i> L.	<i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Misopates orontium</i> (L.) Raf. (Syn. <i>Antirrhinum orontium</i>)	<i>Rhyparochromus phoeniceus</i> (Rossi, 1794)	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Plantago coronopus</i> L.	<i>Henestaris laticeps laticeps</i> (Curtis, 1836) <i>Henestaris halophilus</i> (Burmeister, 1835)	Stichel, 1957; Wagner, 1967; Aysev, 1974
<i>Plantago indica</i> L.	<i>Henestaris halophilus</i> (Burmeister, 1835)	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Plantago maritima</i> L.	<i>Henestaris halophilus</i> (Burmeister, 1835)	Wagner, 1967
<i>Veronica</i> sp.	<i>Beosus quadripunctatus</i> (Müller, 1766) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
Platanaceae		
<i>Platanus</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Megalonotus sabulicola</i> (Thomson, 1870)	Hoberlandt, 1956; Çakır, 1988; Lodos, Önder et al., 1999
<i>Platanus orientalis</i> L.	<i>Arocatus longiceps</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Emblethis ciliatus</i> Horváth, 1875 <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
Plumbaginaceae		
<i>Acantholimon</i> sp.	<i>Xanthochilus quadratus</i> (Fabricius, 1798)	Kiyak, 1990
Poaceae		
Poaceae	<i>Cymophyes ochroleuca</i> Fieber, 1870 <i>Emblethis angustus</i> Montandon, 1890 <i>Emblethis ciliatus</i> Horváth, 1875 <i>Geocoris ater</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Henestaris halophilus</i> (Burmeister, 1835) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur, 1839) <i>Rhyparochromus pini</i> (Unnaeus, 1758) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Hoberlandt, 1956; Stichel, 1957; Ay- sev, 1974; Lodos Önder et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
<i>Aegilops caudata</i> L.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Agropyron</i> sp.	<i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837)	Lodos et al., 1999

<i>Andropogon dystachius</i> L.	<i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur, 1839)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Avena barbata</i> Pott ex Link	<i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Bromus arvensis</i> L.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Bromus madritensis</i> L.	<i>Metopoplax fuscineris</i> Stål, 1872	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Elytrigia repens</i> (L.) Newski (Syn. <i>Agropyron repens</i>)	<i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur, 1839)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Glyceria</i> sp.	<i>Ischnodemus suturalis</i> Horváth, 1883	Seidenstücker, 1958
<i>Imperata arundinacea</i> Cirillio	<i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur, 1839)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	<i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Lolium</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Oryza sativa</i> L.	<i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Panicum turgidum</i> Forrsk.	<i>Cymophyes ochroleuca</i> Fieber, 1870	Stichel, 1957
<i>Phragmites</i> sp.	<i>Cymus melanocephalus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Dimorphopterus blissoides</i> (Baerensprung, 1859)	Stichel, 1957; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Poa bulbosa</i> var. <i>vivipara</i> Koeler	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Kyayak, 1990
<i>Saccharum revanense</i> L. (Syn. <i>Erianthus ravennae</i>)	<i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur, 1839)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Secale cereale</i> L.	<i>Aphanus rolandri</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Sorghum halepense</i> (L.) Pers.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988
<i>Triticum</i> sp.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Cymus claviculus</i> (Fallén, 1807) <i>Emblethis denticollis</i> Horváth, 1878 <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Megalonotus praetextatus</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Oxycarenus modestus</i> (Fallén, 1829) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Rhyparochromus phoeniceus</i> (Rossi, 1794) <i>Rhyparochromus vulgaris</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Tropidothorax leucopterus</i> (Goeze, 1778) <i>Xanthochilus satumi</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988; Dirik & Kivan, 2016
<i>Triticum aestivum</i> L. (Syn. <i>Triticum vulgare</i> , <i>Triticum sativum</i>)	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Metopoplax fuscineris</i> Stål, 1872	Alkan, 1948; Lodos et al., 1999; Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Zea mays</i> L.	<i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Scolopostethus pictus</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Lodos et al., 1978; Özgen et al., 2020
Polygonaceae		
<i>Atraphaxis</i> sp.	<i>Emblethis setifer</i> Seidenstücker, 1966	Seidenstücker, 1967
<i>Polygonum</i> sp.	<i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790) <i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Xanthochilus minusculus</i> (Reuter, 1885)	Kıyık, 1993; Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> L.	<i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Rumex scutatus</i> L.	<i>Horvathiolus superbus</i> (Pollich, 1781)	Stichel, 1957
Portulacaceae		
<i>Portulaca</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790) <i>Geocoris lineola lineola</i> (Rambur, 1839)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Portulaca oleracea</i> L.	<i>Nysius senecionis senecionis</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Fahringer, 1922; Hoberlandt, 1956; Stichel, 1957

Ranunculaceae		
<i>Adonis</i> sp.	<i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Nigella arvensis</i> L.	<i>Apterola louni</i> (Saunders, 1876)	Kıyak & Özdamar, 2017
<i>Nigella sativa</i> L.	<i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
Rhamnaceae		
<i>Paliurus</i> sp.	<i>Orsillus depressus</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Paliurus spina-christi</i> Mill.	<i>Caenocoris neri</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Lodos et al., 1978
Rosaceae		
<i>Amygdalus</i> sp.	<i>Brachyplax tenuis</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Amygdalus communis</i> L. (Syn. <i>Prunus amygdalus</i>)	<i>Emblethis denticollis</i> Horváth, 1878 <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Kleidocerys ericae</i> (Horváth, 1908) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Megalonotus sabulicola</i> (Thomson, 1870) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
<i>Aruncus sylvester</i> Kostel ex Mexim	<i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Cotoneaster integerrimus</i> Medik.	<i>Horvathiolus superbus</i> (Pollich, 1781)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Crataegus</i> sp.	<i>Arocatus melanocephalus</i> (Fabricius, 1798) <i>Artheneis alutacea</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Emblethis denticollis</i> Horváth, 1878 <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Cydonia oblonga</i> Mill. (Syn. <i>Cydonia vulgaris</i>)	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Raglius zarudnyi</i> (Jakovlev, 1905) <i>Rhyparochromus vulgaris</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Gençer et al., 2004
<i>Fragaria</i> sp.	<i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Fragaria vesca</i> L.	<i>Emblethis angustus</i> Montandon, 1890 <i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Lodos et al., 1978; Yazıcı, 2019
<i>Malus angustifolia</i> (Aiton) Michx. (Syn. <i>Pyrus angustifolia</i>)	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Malus domestica</i> Borkh. (Syn. <i>Malus communis</i> , <i>Pyrus malus</i>)	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Metopoplax fuscineris</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Peritrechus meridionalis</i> Puton, 1877 <i>Scolopostethus affinis</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Aysev, 1978; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Malus sylvestris</i> (L.) Mill.	<i>Emblethis griseus</i> (Wolff, 1802) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Yiğit & Uygun, 1982
<i>Mespilus germanica</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854	Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Pirus elaeagrifolia</i> Pall.	<i>Geocoris ater</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Macroplax fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Taphropeltus nervosus</i> (Fieber, 1861) <i>Xanthochilus minusculus</i> (Reuter, 1885)	Lodos et al., 1978

<i>Potentilla</i> sp.	<i>Tropistethus holosericus</i> (Scholtz, 1846)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Potentilla neumanniana</i> Rchb. (Syn. <i>Potentilla verna</i>)	<i>Ortholomus punctipennis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1838)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Prunus</i> sp.	<i>Leptodemus minutus</i> (Jakovlev, 1874) <i>Stygnocoris rusticus</i> (Fallén, 1807)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Prunus armeniaca</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829 <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Peritrechus meridionalis</i> Puton, 1877 <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Prunus avium</i> L.	<i>Aphanus rolandri</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Taphropeltus nervosus</i> (Fieber, 1861) <i>Beosus quadripunctatus</i> (Müller 1766) <i>Eremocoris fenestratus</i> (Herrich & Schaeffer 1839) <i>Graptostethus servus</i> (Fabricius 1787) <i>Icus angularis</i> Fieber 1861 <i>Lamprodema maura</i> (Fabricius 1803) <i>Nysius graminicola</i> graminicola (Kolenati 1845) <i>Nysius helveticus</i> (Herrich & Schaeffer 1850) <i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur 1839) <i>Remaudiereana annulipes</i> (Barensprung 1859) <i>Scolopostethus pictus</i> (Schilling 1829)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Tezcan et al., 2010
<i>Prunus cerasus</i> L.	<i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Prunus domestica</i> L.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Kleidocerys ericae</i> (Horváth, 1908) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Megalonotus sabulicola</i> (Thomson, 1870) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
<i>Prunus mahaleb</i> L.	<i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854	Lodos, Önder et al., 1978
<i>Prunus persica</i> (L.) Batsh.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Lygaeosoma anatolicum</i> Seidenstücker, 1960 <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Pyrus communis</i> L.	<i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplax fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Peritrechus meridionalis</i> Puton, 1877	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Pyrus elaeagrifolia</i> Pall.	<i>Geocoris ater</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Macroplax fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Megalonotus praetextatus</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Taphropeltus nervosus</i> (Fieber, 1861) <i>Xanthochilus minusculus</i> (Reuter, 1885)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Rosa</i> sp.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Engistus salinus</i> (Jakovlev, 1874) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Oxycarenus hyalinipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Stygnocoris rusticus</i> (Fallén, 1807)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988; Yücel & Kıvanç, 2018
<i>Rosa canina</i> L.	<i>Eremocoris praenotatus</i> Seidenstücker, 1965	Seidenstücker, 1965
<i>Rubus</i> sp.	<i>Arocatus longiceps</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Cymus melanocephalus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Kleidocerys ericae</i> (Horváth, 1908) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplax fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Scolopostethus pictus</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Lodos, Önder et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
<i>Rubus ideaus</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Kıyak, 1990

<i>Sanguisorba minor</i> Scop.	<i>Emblethis dilaticollis</i> (Jakovlev, 1874) <i>Ortholomus jordani</i> Hoberlandt, 1953 <i>Raglius confusus</i> (Reuter, 1886)	Kiyak, 1990; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Sarcopterium spinosum</i> (L.) Spach.	<i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835)	Özsaraç et al., 2001
<i>Sorbus aria</i> (L.) Crantz.	<i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
Rubiaceae		
<i>Galium</i> sp.	<i>Cymus claviculus</i> (Fallén, 1807)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Galium mollugo</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
Rutaceae		
<i>Citrus</i> sp.	<i>Metopoplax fuscineris</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
<i>Citrus unshui</i> Marc.	<i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854	Lodos et al., 1978
Salicaceae		
<i>Populus</i> sp.	<i>Arheneis foveolata</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Gonianotus galactodennus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Graptopeltus validus</i> (Horváth, 1875) <i>Homoscelis ruficollis</i> Horváth, 1884 <i>Leptodemus minutus</i> (Jakovlev, 1874) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Ortholomus carinatus</i> (Lindberg, 1932) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Seidens-tücker, 1960; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
<i>Populus alba</i> L.	<i>Leptodemus minutus</i> (Jakovlev, 1874)	Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Populus nigra</i> L.	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797)	Aysev, 1974; Yıldırım & Eroğlu, 2015
<i>Populus tremula</i> L.	<i>Arheneis alutacea</i> Fieber, 1861	Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Salix</i> sp.	<i>Arheneis alutacea</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Arheneis foveolata</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Arheneis hyrcanica</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Arheneis balcanica</i> (Kormilev, 1938) <i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Camptocera glaberrima</i> (Walker, 1872) <i>Cymus glandicolor</i> Hahn, 1832 <i>Geocoris ater</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Horvathiolus superbus</i> (Pollich, 1781) <i>Leptodemus minutus</i> (Jakovlev, 1874) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Microplax limbata</i> Fieber, 1864 <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Peritrechus meridionalis</i> Puton, 1877 <i>Scolopostethus decoratus</i> (Hahn, 1833) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988; Matocq et al., 2014; Kiyak, 2019
<i>Salix aurita</i> L.	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797)	Aysev, 1974
<i>Salix babylonica</i> L.	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797)	Yıldırım & Eroğlu, 2015
Santalaceae		
<i>Viscum album</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
Scrophulariaceae		
<i>Scrophularia</i> sp.	<i>Heterogaster artemisiae</i> Schilling, 1829 <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Aysev, 1974; Kiyak, 1990; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Verbascum</i> sp.	<i>Aphanus rolandri</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Arheneis foveolata</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Cymus melanocephalus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Emblethis angustus</i> Montandon, 1890 <i>Emblethis ciliatus</i> Horváth, 1875 <i>Emblethis verbasci</i> (Fabricius, 1803) <i>Eremocoris fenestratus</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1839)	Stichel, 1957; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Aysev, 1974; Kiyak, 1993; Çakır, 1988; Çakır, & Önder, 1990;

<i>Verbascum</i> sp.	<i>Gastrodes grossipes</i> (De Geer, 1773) <i>Geocoris arenarius</i> (Jakovlev, 1867) <i>Geocoris ater</i> (Fabricius, 1787) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790) <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Horvathiolus superbus</i> (Pollich, 1781) <i>Lamprodema maura</i> (Fabricius, 1803) <i>Lygaeosoma anatolicum</i> Seidenstücker, 1960 <i>Lygaeosoma sardeum sardeum</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Megalonotus emarginatus</i> (Rey, 1888) <i>Megalonotus sabulicola</i> (Thomson, 1870) <i>Metopoplax fuscineris</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Microplax interrupta</i> (Fieber, 1837) <i>Nysius senecionis senecionis</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Plinthus longicollis</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Rhyparochromus phoeniceus</i> (Rossi, 1794) <i>Scolopostethus cognatus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Xanthochilus minusculus</i> (Reuter, 1885)	Stichel, 1957; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Aysev, 1974; Kiyak, 1993; Çakır, 1988; Çakır, & Önder, 1990;
<i>Verbascum sinuatum</i> L.	<i>Emblethis angustus</i> Montandon, 1890	Özşarac et al., 2001
Solanaceae		
<i>Capsicum</i> sp.	<i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837)	Özgen et al., 2020
<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L.	<i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Stichel, 1957; Kiyak, 1990
<i>Solanum melongena</i> L.	<i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837)	Özgen et al., 2020
<i>Solanum nigrum</i> L.	<i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837)	Özgen et al., 2020
<i>Solanum tuberosum</i> L.	<i>Geocoris pallidipennis pallidipennis</i> (A. Costa, 1843) <i>Emblethis griseus</i> (Wolff, 1802) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974; Özbek & Alaoglu, 1988; Atlıhan et al., 2003; Özgen et al., 2020
Sapindaceae		
<i>Acer</i> sp.	<i>Lygaeosoma sardeum sardeum</i> Spinola, 1837	Lodos et al., 1999
Styracaceae		
<i>Styrax</i> sp.	<i>Arocatus melanocephalus</i> (Fabricius, 1798) <i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Styrax officinalis</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854	Lodos et al., 1978
Tamaricaceae		
<i>Myricaria</i> sp.	<i>Artheneis alutacea</i> Fieber, 1861	Lodos, Önder et al., 1999
<i>Reaumuria</i> sp.	<i>Henestaris laticeps laticeps</i> (Curtis, 1836)	Seidenstücker, 1958
<i>Tamarix</i> sp.	<i>Artheneis alutacea</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Artheneis balcanica</i> (Kormilev, 1938) <i>Artheneis foveolata</i> Spinola, 1837 <i>Artheneis hyrcanica</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Beosus quadripunctatus</i> (Müller, 1766) <i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Cymus melanocephalus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Emblethis brachynotus</i> Horváth, 1897 <i>Emblethis griseus</i> (Wolff, 1802) <i>Emblethis verbasci</i> (Fabricius, 1803) <i>Geocoris arenarius</i> (Jakovlev, 1867)	Hoberlandt, 1956; Stichel, 1957; Seidenstücker, 1958; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır & Önder, 1990; Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., Matocq et al., 2014

	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Holcocranum saturejae</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Hyalochilus dolosus</i> Horváth, 1897 <i>Lygaeosoma sardeum erythropterum</i> (Puton, 1876) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius thymi thymi</i> (Wolff, 1804) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Paromius gracilis</i> (Rambur, 1839) <i>Rhyparochromus vulgaris</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	
Thymelaeaceae		
<i>Daphne gnidioides</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988
Tiliaceae		
<i>Tilia</i> sp.	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797) <i>Arocatus melanocephalus</i> (Fabricius, 1798)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Tilia tomentosa</i> Moench	<i>Oxycarenus lavaterae</i> (Fabricius, 1787)	Arslangündoğdu et al., 2018
Typhaceae		
<i>Typha</i> sp.	<i>Ischnodemus caspius</i> Jakovlev, 1871	Lodos et al., 1999
Ulmaceae		
<i>Ulmus minor</i> Mill. (Syn. <i>Ulmus campestris</i>)	<i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847)	Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Ulmus</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Ulmus glabra</i> Huds.	<i>Arocatus melanocephalus</i> (Fabricius, 1798)	Stichel, 1957
Urticaceae		
<i>Parietaria debilis</i> G. Forst	<i>Hyalochilus ovatulus</i> (A. Costa, 1853)	Stichel, 1957
<i>Parietaria vulgaris</i> Hill	<i>Hyalochilus dolosus</i> Horváth, 1897	Stichel, 1957
<i>Urtica</i> sp.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepeletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Heterogaster affinis</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835 <i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Kleidocerys ericae</i> (Horváth, 1908) <i>Metopoplax fuscineris</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Orsillus depressus</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852) <i>Raglius pineti</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Rhyparochromus phoeniceus</i> (Rossi, 1794) <i>Scolopostethus affinis</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Scolopostethus cognatus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Scolopostethus pictus</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Tropidothorax leucopterus</i> (Goeze, 1778)	Hoberlandt, 1956; Stichel, 1957; Çakır, 1988; Lodos, Önder et al., 1999
<i>Urtica dioeca</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Microplax albofasciata</i> (A. Costa, 1847) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Rhyparochromus vulgaris</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974; Lodos et al., 1978
<i>Urtica morifolia</i> Poir.	<i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Urtica urens</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
Verbanaceae		
<i>Verbana officinalis</i> L.	<i>Platyplax inermis</i> (Rambur, 1839)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
<i>Vitex</i> sp.	<i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Lodos et al., 1999

<i>Vitex agnus-castus</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Xanthochilus saturnius</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Çakır, 1988, Lodos et al., 1999; Özsarac et al., 2001
Vitaceae		
<i>Vitis vinifera</i> L.	<i>Heterogaster urticae</i> (Fabricius, 1775) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Megalonotus sabulicola</i> (Thomson, 1870) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Nysius senecionis senecionis</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Nysius ericae ericae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Platylax salviae</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
Additional Information for Part I (Kıyak et al, 2020).		
Apiaceae		
Apiaceae (Umbelliferae)	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Nysius graminicola graminicola</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999; Çakır, 1988
<i>Conium maculatum</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825)	Yazıcı, 2019
Apocynaceae		
<i>Nerium oleander</i> L.	<i>Arocatus longiceps</i> Stål, 1872 <i>Caenocoris nerii</i> (Germar, 1847) <i>Lygaeus creticus</i> Lucas, 1854 <i>Lygaeus equestris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) <i>Metopoplax origani</i> (Kolenati, 1845) <i>Scolopostethus pictus</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Tropidothorax leucopterus</i> (Goeze, 1778)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974; Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
Asparagaceae		
<i>Asparagus</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris megacephalus</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Aysev, 1974
Asphodelaceae		
<i>Asphodelus</i> sp.	<i>Beosus maritimus</i> (Scopoli, 1763) <i>Rhyparochromus vulgaris</i> (Schilling, 1829) <i>Spilostethus pandurus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Asphodelus microcarpus</i> Viv.	<i>Macroplox fasciata fasciata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835)	Lodos et al, 1978
Asteraceae		
Asteraceae (Compositae)	<i>Plinthisus longicollis</i> Fieber, 1861	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Echinops</i> sp.	<i>Pionosomus persimilis</i> Horváth, 1895	Hoberlandt, 1956
Cannabaceae		
<i>Cannabis</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825)	Çakır, 1988; Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Cannabis sativa</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825) <i>Kleidocerys ericae</i> (Horváth, 1908) <i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Lodos et al., 1978, 1999
Colchicaceae		
<i>Colchicum autumnale</i> L.	<i>Spilostethus saxatilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Stichel, 1957; Aysev, 1974
Cupressaceae		
<i>Thuja</i> sp.	<i>Orsillus maculatus</i> (Fieber, 1861) <i>Orsillus depressus</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Platycladus orientalis</i> L. (Syn. <i>Thuja orientalis</i>)	<i>Orsillus depressus</i> (Mulsant & Rey, 1852)	Stichel, 1957
Ericaceae		
<i>Rhododendron tomentosum</i> Harmaja (Syn. <i>Ledum palustre</i>)	<i>Kleidocerys resedae resedae</i> (Panzer, 1797)	Aysev, 1974
Fabaceae		
Fabaceae (Leguminosae)	<i>Cymus melanocephalus</i> Fieber, 1861 <i>Oxycarenus pallens</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) <i>Rhyparochromus phoeniceus</i> (Rossi, 1794) <i>Stygnocoris sabulosus</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Lodos et al., 1999
<i>Acacia</i> sp.	<i>Geocoris luridus luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844) <i>Nysius cymoides</i> (Spinola, 1837) <i>Plinthisus mehadiensis</i> Horvath, 1881	Lodos et al., 1999; Çakır & Önder, 1990
<i>Medicago sativa</i> L.	<i>Geocoris erythrocephalus</i> (Lepelletier & Serville, 1825)	Yazıcı, 2019

Relationship of Lygaeoidea species and host plant families

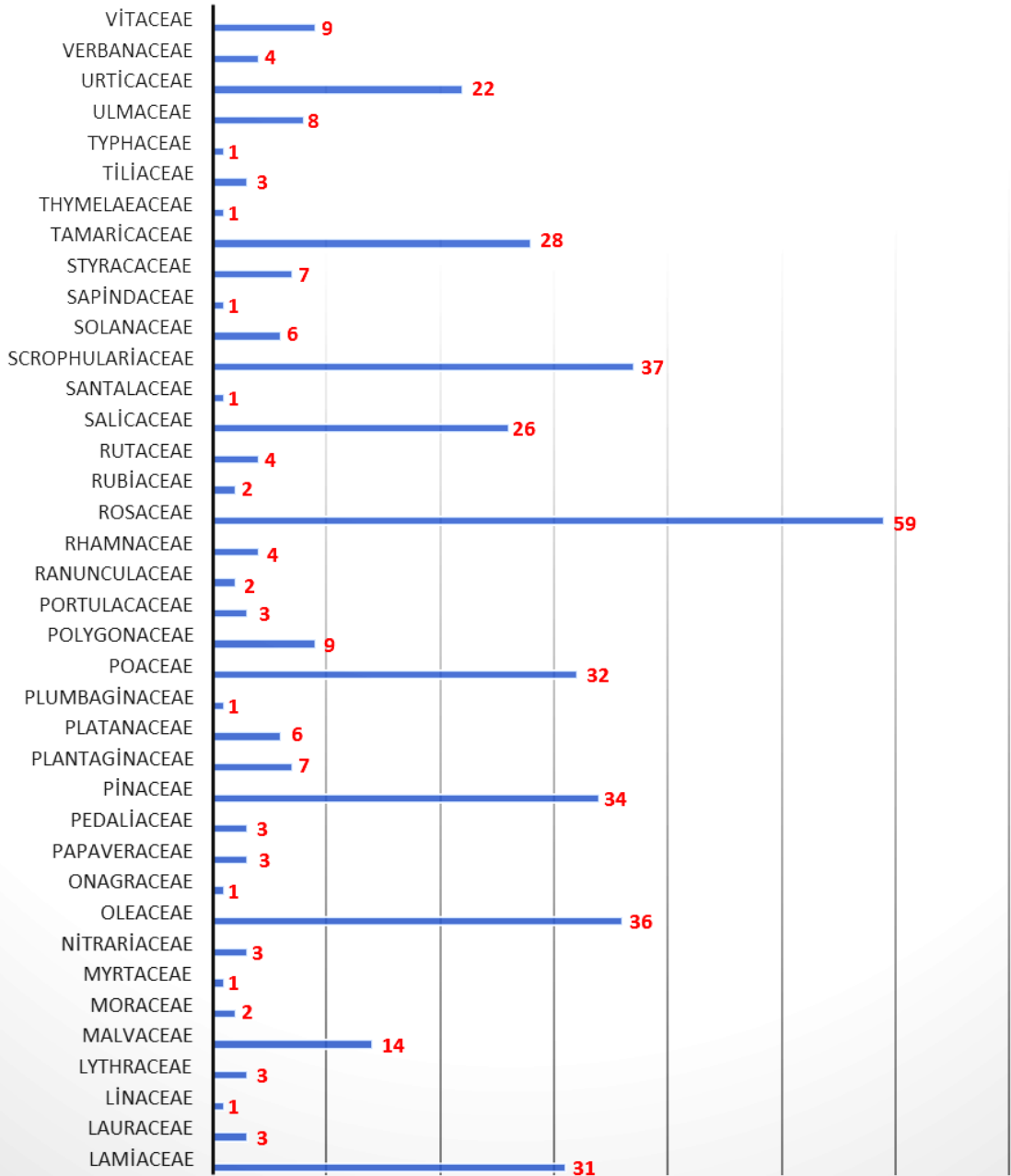


Figure 1. Distribution of Lygaeoidea species numbers according to families of host plants in Turkey.

Table 2. The number of Lygaeoidea species on hostplants family in Turkey

Host plant Family	Number of Lygaeoidea species on the host	Host plant Family	Number of Lygaeoidea species on the host
Lamiaceae	31	Ranunculaceae	2
Lauraceae	3	Rhamnaceae	4
Linaceae	1	Rosaceae	59
Lythraceae	3	Rubiaceae	2
Malvaceae	14	Rutaceae	4
Moraceae	2	Salicaceae	26
Myrtaceae	1	Santalaceae	1
Nitrariaceae	3	Scrophulariaceae	37
Oleaceae	36	Solanaceae	6
Onagraceae	1	Sapindaceae	1
Papaveraceae	3	Styracaceae	7
Pedaliaceae	3	Tamaricaceae	28
Pinaceae	34	Thymelaeaceae	1
Plantaginaceae	7	Tiliaceae	3
Platanaceae	6	Typhaceae	1
Plumbaginaceae	1	Ulmaceae	8
Poaceae	32	Urticaceae	22
Polygonaceae	9	Verbanaceae	4
Polygonaceae	9	Vitaceae	9

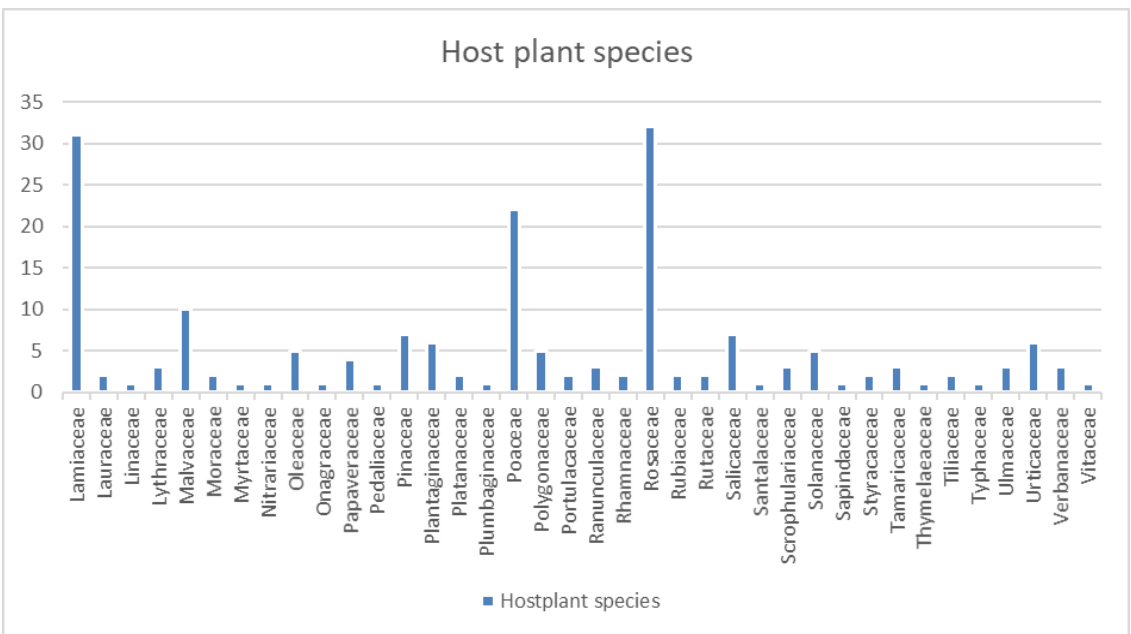


Figure 2. Host plants species of Lygaeoidea species in Turkey.

Table 3. The number of host plant species in Turkey

Host plant Family		Number of Host plant species	Host plant Family		Number of Host plant species
37	Lamiaceae	31	56	Ranunculaceae	3
38	Lauraceae	2	57	Rhamnaceae	2
39	Linaceae	1	58	Rosaceae	32
40	Lythraceae	3	59	Rubiaceae	2
41	Malvaceae	10	60	Rutaceae	2
42	Moraceae	2	61	Salicaceae	7
43	Myrtaceae	1	62	Santalaceae	1
44	Nitrariaceae	1	63	Scrophulariaceae	3
45	Oleaceae	5	64	Solanaceae	5
46	Onagraceae	1	65	Sapindaceae	1
47	Papaveraceae	4	66	Styracaceae	2
48	Pedaliaceae	1	67	Tamaricaceae	3
49	Pinaceae	7	68	Thymelaeaceae	1
50	Plantaginaceae	6	69	Tiliaceae	2
51	Platanaceae	2	70	Typhaceae	1
52	Plumbaginaceae	1	71	Ulmaceae	3
53	Poaceae	22	72	Urticaceae	6
54	Polygonaceae	5	73	Verbanaceae	3
55	Portulacaceae	2	74	Vitaceae	1

CONCLUSION AND DISCUSSION

In this study, as a result of the literature review between the years 1922-2021, a total of 187 taxa from 38 plant families (67 taxon at genera level, 120 taxon at species level) were identified in association with Lygaeoidea species.

Among these families, Rosaceae has the highest number of host plants, followed by Lamiaceae with 31 taxa number, Poaceae with 22 taxa number and Malvaceae with 10 taxa number (Table 3; Figure 2).

Considering the preference of Lygaeoidea species in these families, 59 species were

associated with Rosaceae, 34 species with Pinaceae, 32 species with Poaceae and Scrophulariaceae, 31 species with Lamiaceae and Oleaceae, 28 species with Tamaricaceae, 26 species with Salicaceae, 22 species with Urticaceae and 15 species with Malvaceae.

When the number of Lygaeoidea species is compared with the plant taxa, the most conspicuous family is the Scrophulariaceae with 32 Lygaeoidea species, related to 3 plant taxa.

It is followed by Tamaricaceae with 28 Lygaeid species related to 3 plant taxa, Oleaceae with 31 Lygaeid species related

to 5 plant taxa, Pinaecae with 34 Lygaeid species related to 7 plant taxa, Urticaceae with 22 Lygaeid species related to 6 plant taxa, and Salicaceae with 26 Lygaeid species related to 7 plant taxa.

Among the plant taxa, *Verbascum* is taxon most associated with the Lygaeid species, and 37 Lygaeid species have been identified on the species of this genera. *Olea europea* with 28 species, *Tamarix* sp. with 27 species, *Pinus* sp. with 20 species. and *Salix* sp., *Triticum* sp. with 18 species and *Urtica* sp. follow it.

When looking at this list, it can be seen that various species are present on one or more hosts.

For example, *Lygaeus equestris* (Linnaeus, 1758) and *Spilostethus pandurus* in 28, *Metopoplax origani* (Kolenati, 1845) 24, *Oxycarenus pallens* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1850) 20, *Nysius graminicola graminicola* (Kolenati, 1845) and *Spilostethus saxatilis* (Scopoli, 1763) 16 different hosts were detected.

This study (Part-II), some overlooked records that should be included in the part I presented by Kiyak et al (2020) presents as an addition.

With these additional records, the number of families in the Part-I was increased to 39 families with the addition of Asparagaceae, Asphodelaceae and Colchicaceae families, consequently it include 232 taxa with the addition of 10 taxa (4 of at the genera level and 6 at the species level) which were not mentioned in the first study.

As a result of both studies, a total of 409 plant taxa were obtained from 77 plant families associated with Lygaeoidea species in Turkey.

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First record of Sycamore Seed Bug *Belonochilus numenius* (Say, 1832) (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Lygaeidae) in Turkish Thrace

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ABSTRACT: In this study, an alien invasive species, *Belonochilus numenius* (Say, 1832), was recorded in two localities in Edirne province during field studies in the Thrace Region between 2019-2021. These findings are the first record of this species, which entered from Spain to Europe in 2008 and then spread to other European countries, in the Thrace Region and the second record in Turkey. In addition, the latest distribution of this species in Europe and Turkey is shown on the map.

KEYWORDS: *Belonochilus numenius*, first record, Lygaeidae, Turkish Thrace.

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INTRODUCTION

Belonochilus numenius (Say, 1832) is called the sycamore seed bug, and the natural distribution of this Nearctic species is in Canada, the United States, and Mexico (Slater, 1964; Ashlock & Slater, 1988).

After this alien and invasive species was identified firstly in Spain in 2008 (Gessé

et al., 2009) the species has spread rapidly in Central and Southern European countries. *Belonochilus numenius*, which has been detected in 20 European countries and Madeira (Aukema, 2020) has been identified by Çerçi & Oruz (2021) in İzmir Province, which is located in the western Anatolia (Asian part) in Turkey so far.



RESULTS***Belonochilus numenius* (Say, 1832)**

Material examined: EDİRNE: Uzunköprü-Kırkkavak (41°11'893N; 26°47'591E), 25.05.2019, 1♂; Edirne-Centrum(41°39'597N; 26°35'789E), 01.07.2021, on *Platanus orientalis* L, 1♀.

The identification was made taking into consideration the descriptions and the characteristics of the male genitalia indicated by Baena & Torres (2012). In the photographs were given dorsal and ventral views of the species, and its paramera (Fig. 1). Specimens are deposited in the Trakya University zoology collection.

Distrubution in Turkey: İzmir (Selçuk) (Çerçi & Oruz, 2021).

General Distrubution: Europe: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, Sicily, Slovakia, Slovenia,

Spain, Switzerland. **North Africa:** Madeira. **Asia:** Turkey (Asian part). Extralimital: North America (Canada, Mexico, USA) (Aukema, 2020; Çerçi & Oruz, 2021)

In the present study, *Belonochilus numenius* was recorded in two localities in Edirne province in Thrace Region. When taking into account the rapid spread of the species, which was also recorded in Bulgaria and Greece, it is an expected result that it was found in the Thrace Region near the borders of both countries. The species is recorded for the first time in the Thrace Region, and this finding is the second record in Turkey. It seems that this alien invasive species would continue to spread eastward and it would be possible to encounter it in other parts of Anatolia in the future.

Belonochilus numenius, is an arboreal seed predator, which its adults and nymphs feeding on mature and immature fruits of *Platanus* spp., but it was also occasionally recorded on other deciduous trees in its native area (Wheeler, 1984). In this study, the specimen found in Edirne (Center) was also caught from *Platanus* sp.

Chronological distribution of *Belonochilus numenius* (Say, 1832) in Palaearctic (Fig.2)

- 2008 France (Matocq, 2008; Baena & Torres, 2012; Dusoulier et al., 2013)
- 2009 Spain (Gessé et al., 2009; Riba et al., 2015)
- 2010 Italy (Küchler & Strauß, 2010)
- 2011 Austria (Rabitsch et al., 2011)
- 2011 Czech Republic (Hradil, 2011; Kment et al., 2013)
- 2012 Hungary (Torma, 2012)
- 2013 Bulgaria (Aukema et al., 2013)
- 2013 Germany (Küchler & Kehl, 2013; Werner et al., 2013; Werner, 2014)
- 2013 Slovakia, (Kment & Cunev, 2013)
- 2015 Madeira (Rabitsch & Heiss, 2015)
- 2016 Bosnia and Herzegovina (Kulijer & Miljevic, 2016)
- 2016 Serbia (Protić & Šeat, 2016)
- 2016 Slovenia (Gogala et al., 2016)
- 2018 Albania (Rabitsch 2018)
- 2018 Greece (Davranoglou & Koutsoukos, 2018)
- 2019 Croatia (Martinović et al., 2019)
- 2019 Macedonia (Srebrova et al., 2019)
- 2020 Belgium (Claerebout et al., 2020)
- 2020 Montenegro (Martinović, 2020)
- 2021 Turkey (Asian part) (Çerçi & Oruz, 2021)
- 2021 Turkey (European part) (this study)



Figure 1. *Belonochilus numenius* (Say, 1832) a. Dorsal view b. Ventral view c. Paramere

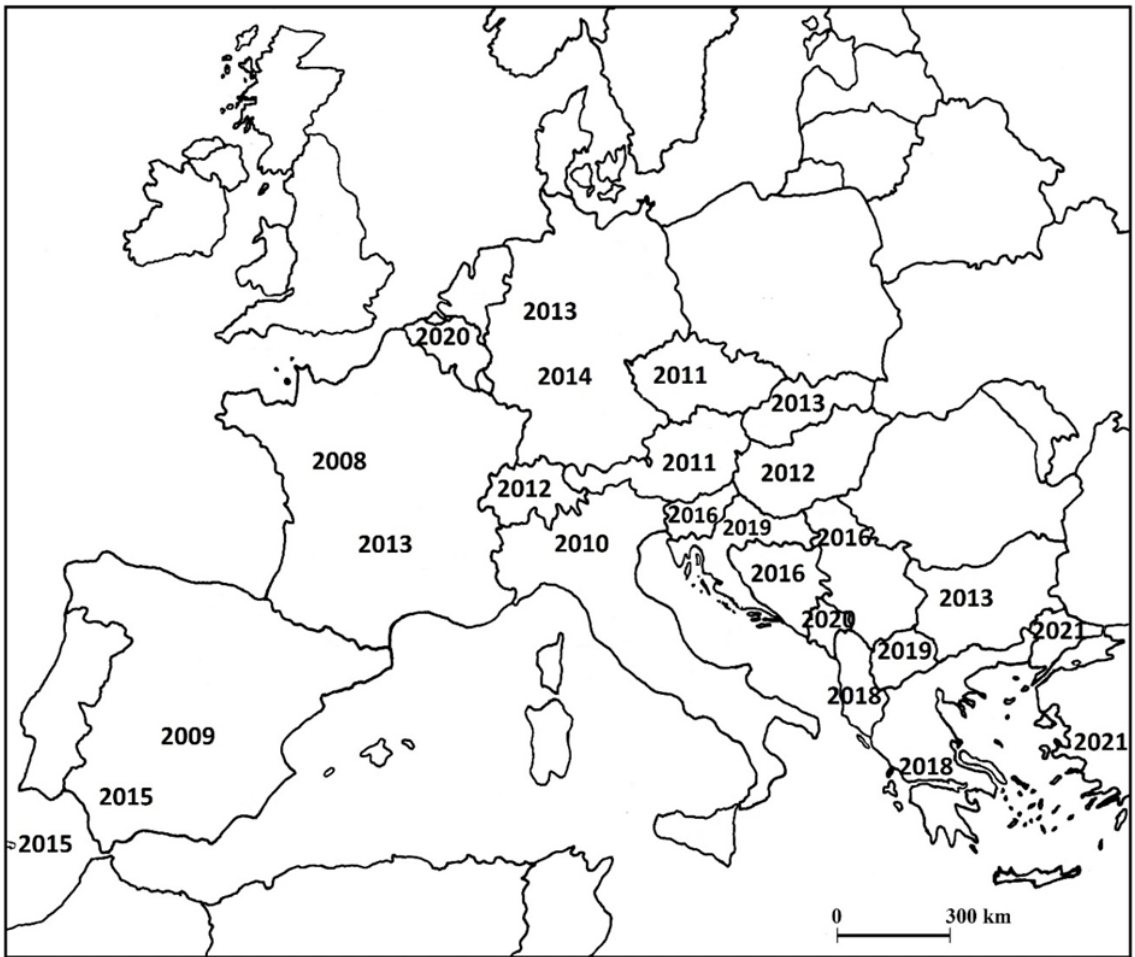


Figure 2. The distribution of *Belonochilus numenius* (Say, 1832) in Europe.

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Confirmation of the presence of *Solenosthedium bilunatum* (Lefèbvre, 1827) (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Scutelleridae) in Albania

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ABSTRACT: Reporting the second record of *Solenosthedium bilunatum* (Lefèbvre, 1827) in Albania, the presence of the species in the country is confirmed. Information on the known distribution of *S. bilunatum* in Europe is summarized.

KEYWORDS: *Solenosthedium bilunatum*, distribution, Albania.

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So far, *Solenosthedium bilunatum* (Lefèbvre, 1827) (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Scutelleridae), a Mediterranean scutellerid belonging to the subfamily Elvisurinae, has been reported from the following European countries: Albania, Croatia (mainland, Korčula), Cyprus, France (mainland, Corsica), Greece, Italy (mainland, Sardinia, Sicily, Ustica), Malta, Portugal and Spain (mainland, Ibiza, Mallorca) (Misja, 1973; Josifov, 1986; Matocq & Pluot-Sigwalt, 2002; Göllner-Scheidig, 2006; Gogala, 2008; Aukema et al., 2013; Dusoulie et al., 2016; Škorput et al., 2019; van der Heyden, 2020). The only known record of *S. bilunatum* from Albania so far, which was found in Kokome (Sarandë) on 31.10.1970, was reported by Misja (1973). Now, the presence of *S. bilunatum* in Albania can be confirmed: On 29.09.2021, a nymph was photographed by Théalie Dhellemmes on *Paliurus spina-christi* Mill. (Rhamnaceae) near the city of Sarandë, located at the Ionian Sea (Fig. 1). The photograph was uploaded to the online database iNaturalist (under the pseudonym thealie) (2021).



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Figure 1. Nymph of *Solenosthedium bilunatum* (Lefebvre, 1827), near Sarandë, Albania, 29.09.2021. (Photo: Théalie Dhellemmes).

An Additional Locality Record for the Rare Distributed *Pasira marinadolina* P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004 (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Reduviidae) in Turkey with Description of Macropterous Female

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ABSTRACT: In this study, a macropter female specimen of *Pasira marinadolina* P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004 was determined in Edirne province in 2021. This finding is the second locality record of this species in Turkey. In this study, the description of the macropter form is given and the differences between it and the related species *Pasira basiptera* Stål, 1859 are discussed.

KEYWORDS: *Pasira marinadolina*, macropterous female, description, Turkey.

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INTRODUCTION

There are 4 species of the genus *Pasira* Stål, 1859 (Heteroptera: Reduviidae: Reduviinae) in the Palearctic Region, and 3 of them are distributed in the Western Palearctic (Aukema, 2020). Of these species, *Pasira perpusilla* (Walker, 1873) is distributed in the southwestern part of

China in the Eastern Palearctic. *Pasira basiptera* Stål, 1859, one of the species distributed in the Western Palearctic, is the most widely distributed species of the genus, and its distribution is known from southern Europe and especially in the Balkans, in North Africa and in the Middle East, Arabian Peninsula, Caucasus



in western Asia and in central Asia. *Pasira lewisi* (Miller, 1951) is distributed only in the Canary Islands in the Palearctic Region. The presence of *Pasira marinadolina* P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004 has been known until now from Ukraine and the European part of Turkey in Europe and from Azerbaijan and Armenia in Asia (Aukema, 2020).

Pasira Stål, 1859 is represented by two species in Turkey. Of these, *Pasira basiptera* has only been given from Anatolia so far (Dursun & Salur, 2013).

Pasira marinadolina P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004 was recorded for the first time by Çerçi & Koçak (2016) from Esenyurt in the European side of Istanbul province in Turkey.

***Pasira marinadolina* P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004**

Material: **Edirne:** Center (Trakya University-Balkan Campus), 20.05.2021, 1 macropterous female.

Distribution in Turkey: İstanbul-Esenyurt (Çerçi & Koçak, 2016), Edirne (the present study)

General Distribution: Europe: Turkey (European part), Ukraine. Asia: Azerbaijan, Armenia, Turkey (Asian part) (Aukema, 2020).

Description of macropterous female: Head black, brownish in distal, with golden bristles equal to the length of the diameter of the first segment of the antenna; and very deep transverse sulcus in dorsal; anterior part in front of the sulcus about twice as long as its posterior part; first two segments of antenna yellowish brown. Pronotum dark brown, posterior corners and posterior margin thinly lighter - reddish brown; anterior part about 1.2 times as long as posterior part; anterior lobe of the pronotum with two oblique lateral impressions, as in the micropter form of this species Scutellum brownish black, with rare and short bristles; the carina-shaped lateral edges joined distally and elongated and formed a "Y"-shaped structure, which is much better seen in

the lateral view. Corium in proximal (up to the distal part of clavus) reddish yellow (lighter in distal of clavus) the rest (including membrane) brown, lateral margins and dorsal with short and golden bristles, veins prominent.

Connexivum unicolor, yellowish brown. Legs, reddish yellow with short golden bristles, tibiae slightly darker, tarsi pale yellow. Size 6,1mm. (Fig. 1).

Comments and remarks: This species was previously given only based on on brachypter specimens (P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004, 2009; Çerçi & Koçak, 2016). The record given by Çerçi & Koçak (2016) from İstanbul in the European part of Turkey is based on 6 brachypter specimens of *Pasira marinadolina*. While the authors listed the differences of this species from *Pasira basiptera*, they reported that *P. marinadolina* was always micropterous unlike *P. basiptera*. However, as later presented its photographs on the Doğal Hayat website by Barış Çerçi, and our study shows that *P. marinadolina* also has macropter forms.

Remarks: P.V. Puthkov & Moulet (2009) stated that the only known micropter form of *P. marinadolina* is very similar to *P. basiptera*, except for the male genitalia. Unfortunately, we were not able to compare the species in terms of male genitalia, as the only sample we have is female. Apart from male genitalia, another difference is that *P. marinadolina* has two oblique lateral impressions on anterior lobe of the pronotum. This diagnostic character given by P.V. Puthkov & Moulet (2009) for the pronotum of micropter form is also seen in the macropter form. Additionally, the pronotum is completely blackish-brown, only the proximal corners and margins are lighter reddish-brown (Fig. 1). However the pronotum in the macropter form of *P. basiptera* is chocalat brown, strangled in its middle, this hollow disc with a strong transverse groove seperated two sub-equal lobes. Pronotum bulging in the anterior, with a medio-longitudinal short furrow generally not reaching the posterior edge and delimiting two erased



a



b

Figure I. *Pasira marinadolina* P.V. Putshkov & Moulet, 2004. a. Habitus (dorsal view) b. Head, pronotum and scutellum (dorsal view)

bumps in the posterior; posterior margin convex and narrowly thinned (See P.V. Putshkov & Molulet, 2009 p. 514, Fig. 95 -a).

Other differences mentioned for the species of genus *Pasira* in the key given by P.V. Putshkov & Moulet (2009) are on the colorations of the connexivum. The connexivum in *P. basiptera* is bicolored and reddish or brownish with black spots, rarely completely yellow/yellowish. The pronotum in *P. marinadolina* is one colored and is given as yellow or yellowish by the authors (P.V. Putshkov & Moule, 2009). In our specimen, the connexivum is yellowish brown as one colored. Çerçi & Koçak (2016) stated that this character is not valuable because the connexivum coloration of microptereous specimens of *P. marinadolina* in their study is bicolored as in *P. basiptera*.

Ecology: *P. marinadolina* occurs on stony slopes covered by sparse vegetation. Adults are mostly found under stones from September to June, but they also live in plant debris, under bushes and overwinter as an adult (Puthkov & Moulet, 2009). Puthkov & Moulet (2009) reported that they collected specimens of *P. marinadolina* at the entrance of a fox hole. In this study, a single specimen was caught inside the building of Biology Department in the Trakya University Campus. Since it was cold and rainy in May and June of 2021, this individual was probably inside the building to protect from the cold.

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The sensilla on head, antenna and mouth parts in *Aelia rostrata* Boh. (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae): A scanning electron microscopical study

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ABSTRACT: The sensilla who act as thermohygroreceptor, chemoreceptor, or mechanoreceptor are the main sensory structures of insects. Insects carry different types, numbers and distributions of sensilla in body parts such as head, antenna, mouth parts, and leg segments. In this study, the sensilla types on the head, antenna and mouth parts of *Aelia rostrata* Boh. (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae) were investigated with using scanning electron microscope. According to the results of the study, 4 major types of sensilla with different diameters and cone-shaped protrusions have been identified: sensilla basiconica, sensilla trichodea, sensilla peg, and sensilla campaniformia. These sensilla show different distributions in the examined structures of the insect. The results obtained from the study were also compared with other species in the literature, and similarities and differences were revealed.

KEYWORDS: Chemoreceptor, Heteroptera, insect, mechanoreceptor, morphology.

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INTRODUCTION

Order Hemiptera is an extensive group that includes plant pests. The species belong to order Hemiptera have piercing-sucking mouth parts which gives insects an advantage in feeding on plant sap (Hao et al., 2016; Kanturski et al., 2017).

Aelia rostrata Boh. (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae) which is known as wheat stink bug is a significant pest in Turkey.

The reason why it is called a wheat stink bug is mainly because it is a wheat pest. In addition, rye, barley, oats and some other graminaceous plants are also infested by this insect.

A. rostrata is a widely distributed and migratory species is located in Adıyaman, Batman, Diyarbakır, Gaziantep, Mardin, Şanlıurfa, and Şırnak provinces in Turkey. This species has also been found in Iran and Iraq (Brown, 1965; Lodos, 1981; Lodos et al., 1984; Önder et al., 1995; Özgen et al., 2005; Gözüaçık et al., 2011; Khaghaninia et al., 2013; Tarla, 2017; Bolu, 2020).

Insects have some structures called sensilla on their mouth parts and antenna which enter into crucial role in some functions such as feeding or mating [(e.g. the sensilla on the mouth parts scan the surfaces of food (Chapman, 1998; Brozek & Zettel, 2014; Parveen et al., 2015) and antenna which is the main sensory organs of insects, detecting volatile chemicals in the air (Carey & Carlson, 2011; Rani et al., 2021)] (Isidoro et al., 2001; Fu et al., 2012; Cao & Huang, 2016; Seada & Hamza, 2018; Faucheux et al., 2020).

So, the insect recognizes plants at a distance (Brozek, 2013). Together with the different types of sensilla on the antenna, they function as chemoreceptors, thermohygroreceptors, and mechanoreceptors (Akent'eva, 2008; Fu et al., 2012; Brozek & Bourgoïn, 2013; Freitas et al., 2020; Giglio et al., 2021; Zhang et al., 2021).

Many different types of classification can be made in sensilla in insects according to different criteria. For example, according to their perception ways, they are divided into 2 main groups as mechanoreceptors and chemoreceptors which are more common (Brozek & Chlond, 2010; Li et al., 2016). Sensilla can also be classified according to their morphological features, such as basiconic, placoid, trichoid, long hair-like, plate-like or coeloconic, etc. (Slifer 1970; Altner & Prillinger, 1980; Hallberg & Hansson, 1999; Shields 2010; Nowinska & Brozek, 2017).

Besides, insect sensilla can be classified according to their sensory modality, such as olfactory, gustatory, mechanosensory,

and thermohygroreceptors (Fernandes et al., 2008; Nowinska & Brozek, 2017; Li et al., 2018). Another classification is based on whether sensilla carry pores or not. According to this, they are collected in 3 groups as aporous, uniporous and multiporous (Nowinska & Brozek, 2017).

The morphological structure of the sensilla on the mouth parts and antenna varies among Hemiptera species (Brozek & Bourgoïn, 2013; Nowinska & Brozek, 2017; Tazsakowski et al., 2019; Amutkan Mutlu et al., 2021).

The main goal of this study is to disclose the morphological features of the cuticular structures of sensilla on the antenna and the mouth parts in wheat stink bug *A. rostrata*.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

The male and female individuals of *Aelia rostrata* (Figures 1A-B) were collected in Sinanlı and Oltan (Ayaş) and Çağa Village (Güdül) in Ankara province in July, 2018. All male and female individuals were adults.

First, the external surface of the integument of insects was cleaned. Then, the specimens were dried in the air and adhesive on the stubs.

Subsequently, the stubs were coated with gold with Polaron SC502 sputter coater, observed in JEOL JSM 6060 LV SEM, and photographed (at 10-15 kV accelerating voltage).

All studies were performed at Gazi University, Faculty of Science, Prof. Dr. Zekiye Suludere Electron Microscope Center.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Insects have sensory organs called sensilla, which enable the detection of chemical substances in their environment in various parts of their bodies (Cao & Huang, 2016; Amutkan Mutlu et al., 2021). In this study, sensilla types found on the head, antennae and mouth parts of male and

female *A. rostrata* individuals were types. In this context, the mean values of investigated with SEM. The diagrams of the sensilla trichodea and the sensilla different types of sensilla on mouth parts, basiconica lengths are given in Table 1 antenna, and head of *A. rostrata* are and Table 2. In addition to these types of shown in Figure 2. As a result of the sensilla, sensilla peg (Sp) and sensilla study, it was observed that the sensilla campaniformia (Sca) were also detected trichodea (St) and the sensilla basiconica as a result of our study. (Sb) were more common than other sensilla

Table 1. Mean values of St lengths in both males and females (μm)

	Mouth parts				
	Labium 1	Labium 2	Labium 3	Labium 4	Labrum
Male	45,1 \pm 19,6	55,0 \pm 15,6	41,3 \pm 21,8	-	46,8 \pm 5,4
Female	61,0 \pm 23,2	40,3 \pm 10,4	53,4 \pm 21,1	-	-
	Antenna				
	Scape	Pedicel 1	Pedicel 2	Flagellum 1	Flagellum 2
Male	-	33,0 \pm 5,6	39,3 \pm 13,8	21,1 \pm 9,5	24,5 \pm 8,4
Female	-	29,9 \pm 6,6	-	28,3 \pm 6,0	33,7 \pm 3,0
	Head				
	1	2	3	4	
Male	78,9 \pm 20,4	82,7 \pm 26,6	71,0 \pm 22,7	-	
Female	37,8 \pm 24,6	83,9 \pm 22,1	52,5 \pm 20,6	-	

Table 2. Mean values of Sb lengths in both males and females (μm)

	Mouth parts				
	Labium 1	Labium 2	Labium 3	Labium 4	Labrum
Male	-	42,1 \pm 6,2	-	2,9 \pm 0,6 (short) 12,3 \pm 2,9 (tall)	-
Female	-	-	-	3,8 \pm 0,8 (short) 14,3 \pm 1,6 (tall)	-
	Antenna				
	Scape	Pedicel 1	Pedicel 2	Flagellum 1	Flagellum 2
Male	-	-	-	50,4 \pm 7,8	37,7 \pm 12,4
Female	-	-	51 \pm 11,1	11,2 \pm 2,3	10,3 \pm 1,9
	Head				
	1	2	3	4	
Male	-	-	-	-	
Female	-	-	-	-	

Sensilla types on the mouth parts

The mouth parts are generally consisted of the labrum (Lm), the labium (Lb), and a labial groove in hemipteran insects (Figures 3A-B). Although the general structure of these parts is very similar, differences can be observed in their detailed structure, number of segments, sensilla types and distributions among different species.

The mouth parts of *A. rostrata* males and females have a labrum with proximal and distal sides, four segmented labium, labial groove, and stylet fascicle which is the defining characteristic of hemipterans species (Wang et al., 2020a; Amutkan Mutlu et al., 2021).

In *Piezodorus hybneri* (Gmelin, 1790) (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae), *Perillus bioculatus* (F.) (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae), *Eocanthecona furcellata* (Wolff) (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae), *Dolycoris indicus* Stål, 1876 (Hemiptera, Pentatomidae), *Macrocheraia grandis* (Gray, 1832) (Hemiptera, Largidae), *Physopelta quadriguttata* Bergroth, 1894 (Hemiptera, Largidae), *Physopelta gutta* (Burmeister, 1834) (Hemiptera, Largidae), *Physopelta cincticollis* Stål, 1863 (Hemiptera, Largidae), and *Cheilocapsus nigrescens* (Liu and Wang) (Hemiptera, Miridae), the labium have four segmented as in *A. rostrata*, but *Eurygaster testudinaria* has three-segmented labium in its mouth parts (Parveen et al., 2015; Wang et al., 2019, 2020a; Amutkan Mutlu et al., 2021).

The labium (Lb) is long, thin, and four segmented in both male and female *A. rostrata*. The first segment is concave and the labrum (Lm) runs parallel to the first segment of the labium (Figures 3A-B).

Therefore, looking at the insect from the ventral side, the labrum is in the middle and the first segment of the labium (Lb1) lie on either side of it. The first segment of labium has many sensilla in different sizes such as sensilla trichodea and sensilla campaniformia (Sca) in both male and female insects.

But, sensilla campaniformia is more common in females than males (Figures 3C-F).

The second and third segments of the labium (Lb2 and Lb3) are seen very similar to each other.

But the second segment is thinner and longer than the third segment. In both sexes of *A. rostrata*, the second segment of the labium has sensilla trichodea, sensilla basiconica and sensilla campaniformia (Figures 4A-F).

The sensilla trichodea and sensilla campaniformia can be also observed on the third segment of labium in both sexes.

However, there are differences in the morphological structures of the sensilla trichodea and sensilla campaniformia in males and females (Figures 5A-F).

In the fourth segment of the labium (Lb4), sensilla density is higher than in other segments.

There are sensilla trichodea and sensilla basiconica on the fourth segment of the labium of females and males (Figures 6A-F).

The labrum (Lm) is the part of the mouth which attaches to the anterior region of the head and extends to first segment of labium (Figures 3A-B).

The labrum has two regions according to the surface patterns: proximal and distal regions.

The proximal region is the part that is close to the region where the labrum attaches to the head and has smooth surface.

Very few sensilla trichodea are seen on this area in both sexes (Figures 7A-B).

The distal region is the part near the free end with transverse crests and has no sensilla in both males and females (Figures 7C-D).

Sensilla types on the antenna

In *A. rostrata*, the antenna is divided into 5 segments in both sexes and each segment has sensilla of different types, density and distribution (Figures 8A-B).

On the surface of the scape, there are numerous one or two apex cone-shaped protrusions. (Figures 11A-D).

Also in this region there are only a few long sensilla peg (Sp) in males and females (Figures 8C-H).

Sensilla trichodea is found on pedicel 1, albeit rarely in males. There are also two different varieties of sensilla campaniformia in male individuals.

Although the sensilla in females are very similar to those in males, they have only 1 type of sensilla campaniformia (Figures 9A-F).

The density of sensilla on the pedicel 2 is much higher than the scape and pedicel 1.

Sensilla basiconica, sensilla trichodea, and two types of sensilla campaniformia were observed in both females and males, but sensilla basiconica is the predominant sensilla type in this segment (Figures 10A-B).

The highest number of sensilla is on the flagellum 1 and 2. In addition, sensilla variety is more in these segments. Different sizes of sensilla basiconica, sensilla peg and two types of sensilla trichodea were detected in the flagellum 1 in male and female individuals. In addition, in males there is also sensilla campaniformia

Flagellum 2 of male insects has sensilla basiconica, sensilla trichodea, sensilla peg, and sensilla campaniformia types.

In females, only sensilla basiconica, sensilla trichodea, and sensilla peg are found, and the bases of some sensilla basiconica appear swollen (Figures 12A-D).

Sensilla types on the head

As a result of the SEM analysis, it was determined that there are many different types of sensilla on the head regions of *A. rostrata* males and females.

The head can be divided into 4 regions, as in the figure, according to the sensilla on its surface (Figures 13A-B).

Sensilla campaniformia and different types of sensilla trichodea are found in the first and the second regions of the head in both males and females (Figures 13C-F).

In both sexes, only sensilla trichodea was seen on the third region of the head (Figures 14A-B).

In the fourth part, there are numerous one or two pointed cone-shaped protrusions on the surface (Figures 14C-F).

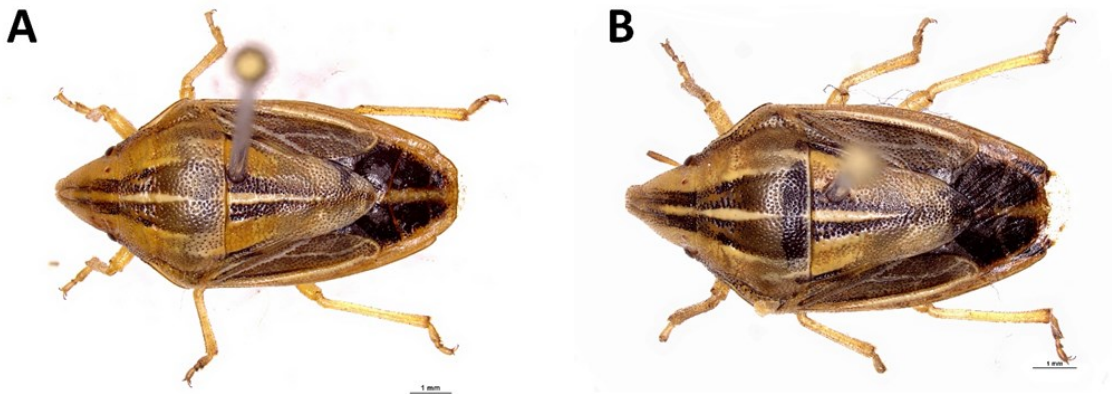


Figure 1. Stereomicroscope photograph of *A. rostrata*. A. Female individual, B. Male individual (Scale bar: 1 mm)

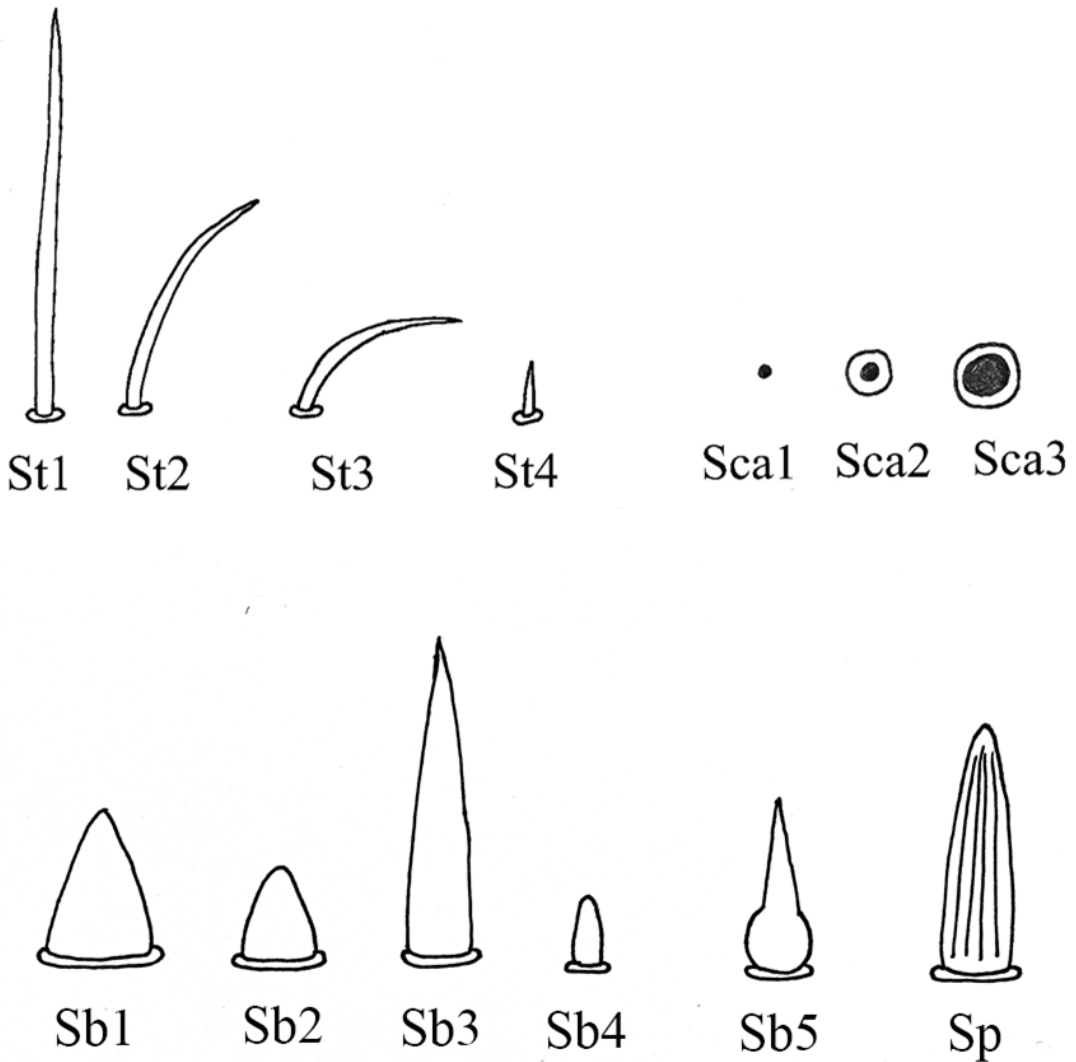


Figure 2. The schematic illustration of different types of sensilla on antenna, mouth parts and head of *A. rostrata*. St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St2: sensilla trichodea 2, St3: sensilla trichodea 3, St4: sensilla trichodea 4, Sb1: sensilla basiconica 1, Sb2: sensilla basiconica 2, Sb3: sensilla basiconica 3, Sb4: sensilla basiconica 4, Sb5: sensilla basiconica 5, Sp: sensilla peg, Sca1: sensilla campaniformia 1, Sca2: sensilla campaniformia 2, Sca3: sensilla campaniformia 3

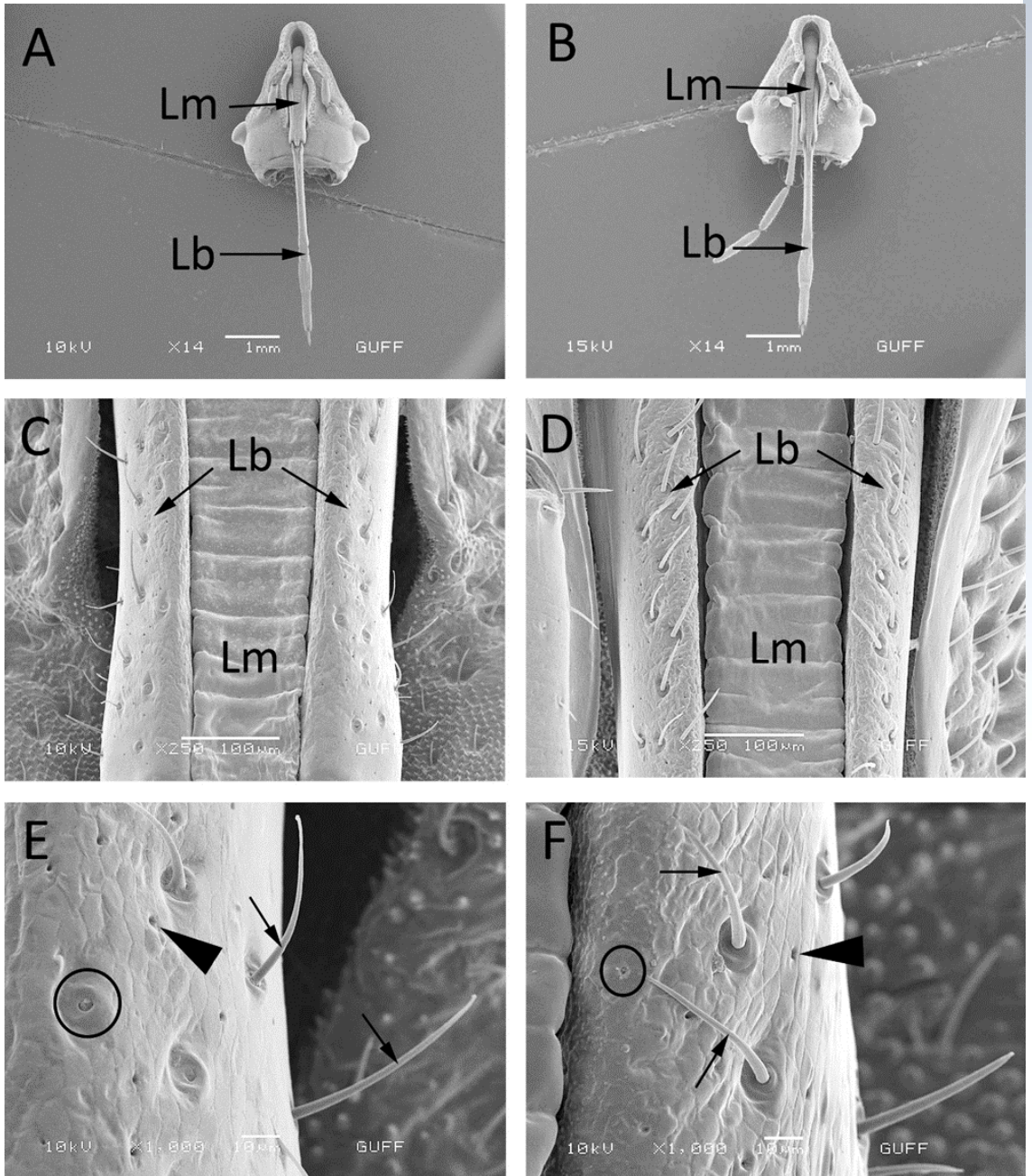


Figure 3. A-B. General view of the mouth parts, A: Female, B: Male. C-F. The first segment of the labium, C-E: Female, D-F: Male. Lb: labrum, Lm: labium, arrow: sensilla trichodea 2, arrowhead: sensilla campaniformia 1, encircled: sensilla campaniformia 2.

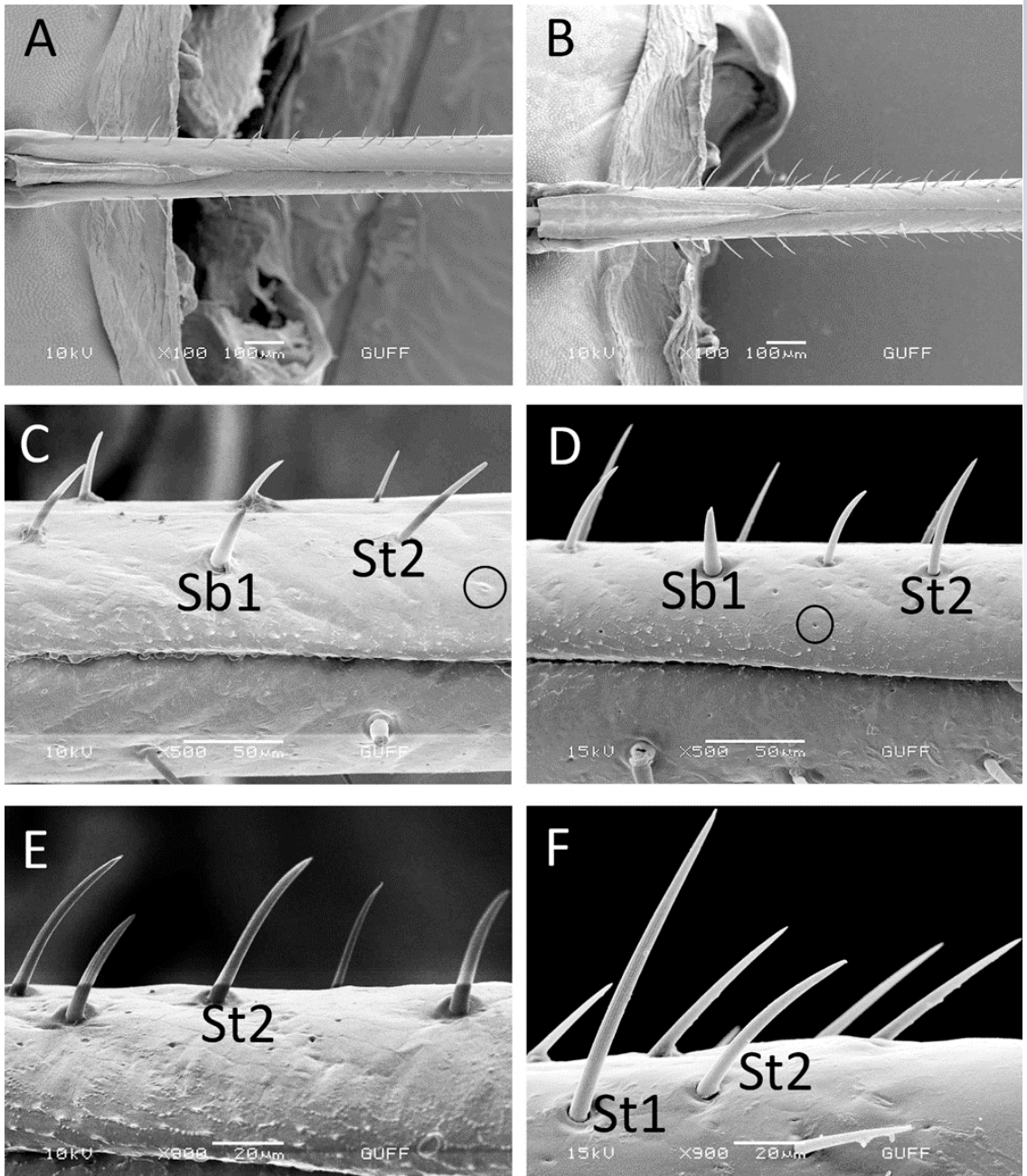


Figure 4. The second segment of the labium. A-C-E: Female, B-D-F: Male. Sb1: sensilla basiconica 1, St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St2: sensilla trichodea 2, encircled: sensilla campaniformia 1.

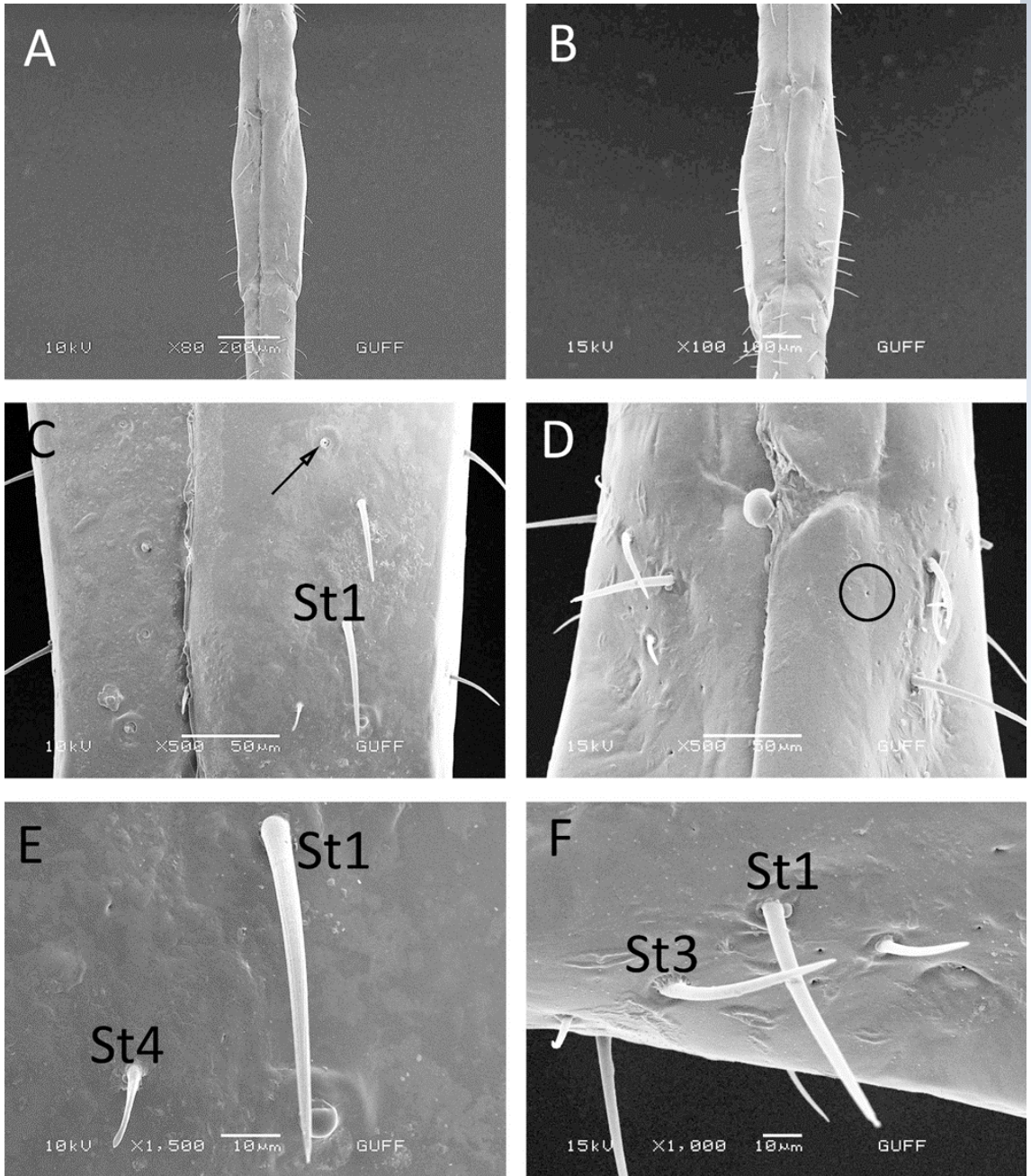


Figure 5. The third segment of the labium. A-C-E: Female, B-D-F: Male. St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St3: sensilla trichodea 3, St4: sensilla trichodea 4, encircled: sensilla campaniformia 1, arrow: sensilla campaniformia 2.

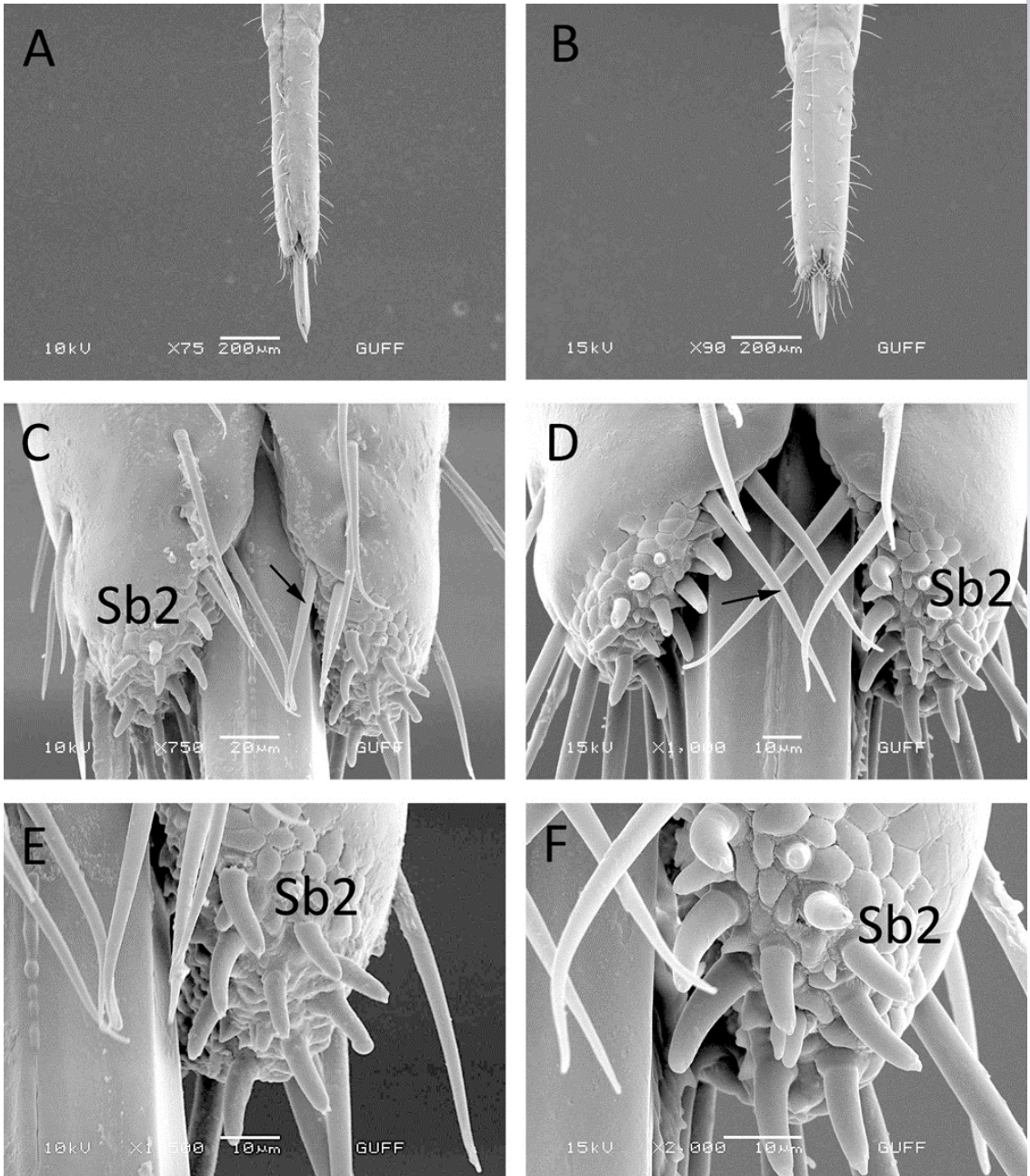


Figure 6. The fourth segment of the labium. A-C-E: Female, B-D-F: Male. Arrow: sensilla trichodea 1, Sb2: sensilla basiconica 2.

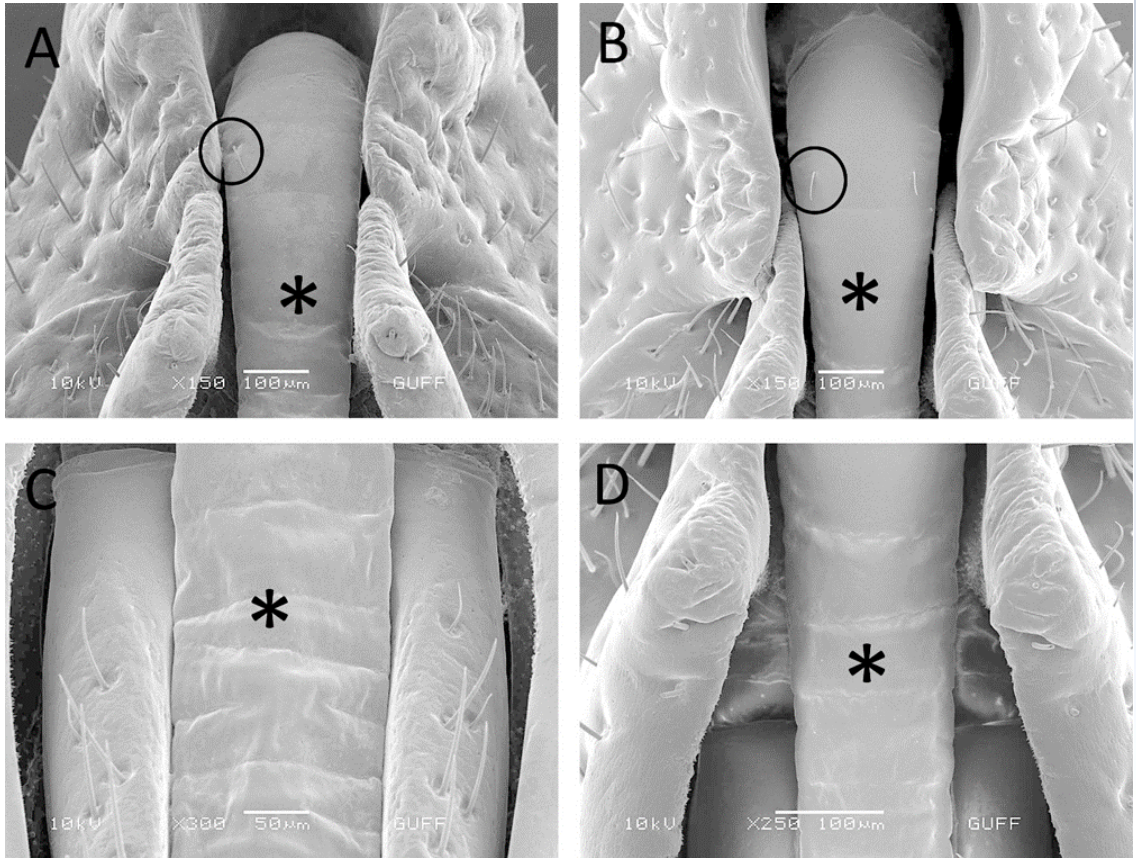


Figure 7. A-B. The proximal region of the labrum, C-D. The distal region of the labrum. A-C: Female, B-D: Male. Encircled: sensilla trichodea 3, asterisk: labrum.

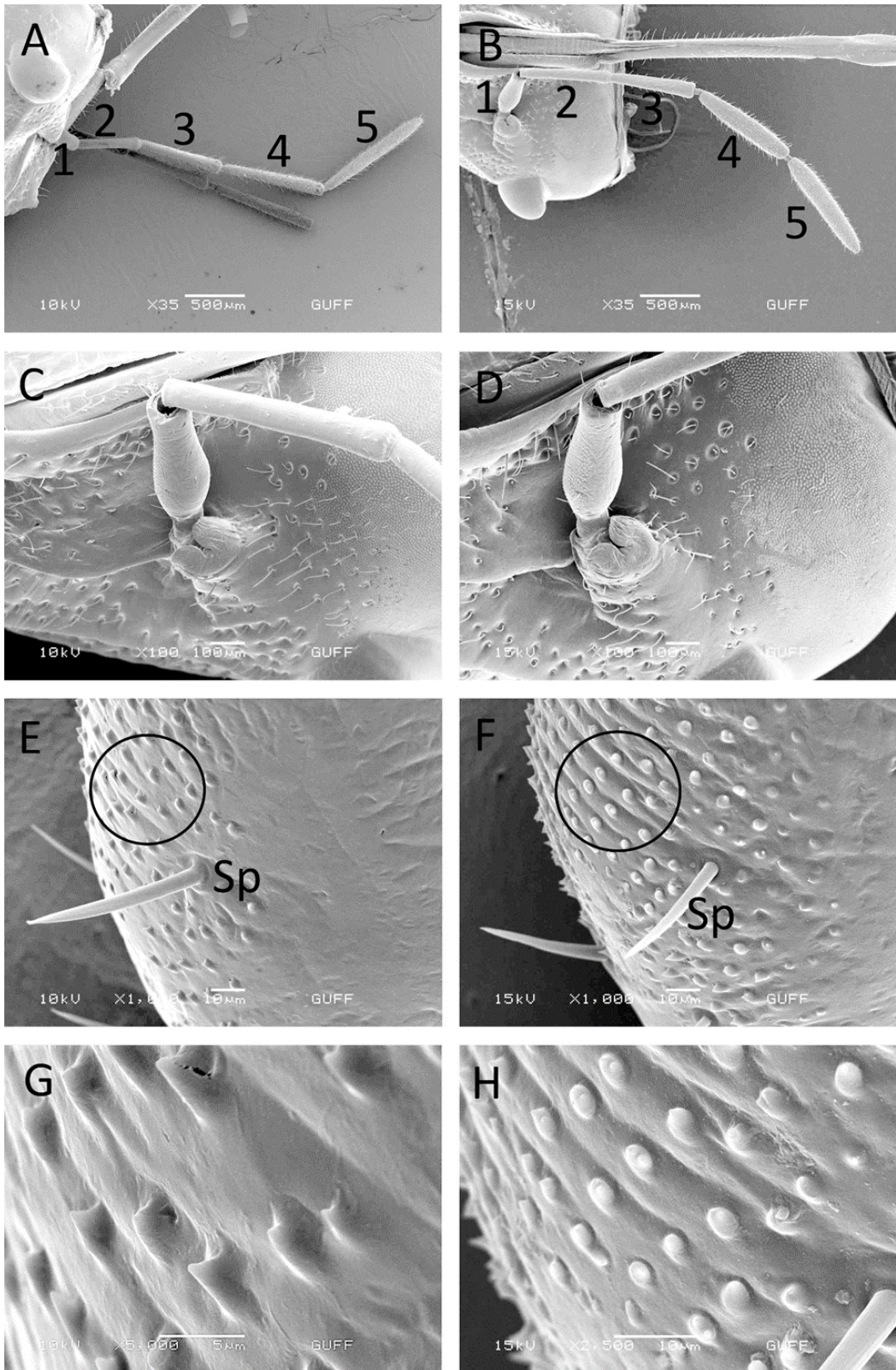


Figure 8. A-B. General view of the five segment of the antenna. C-H. The scape of the antenna. A-C -E-G: Female, B-D-F-H: Male. Sp: sensilla peg, encircled: cone-shaped protrusions.

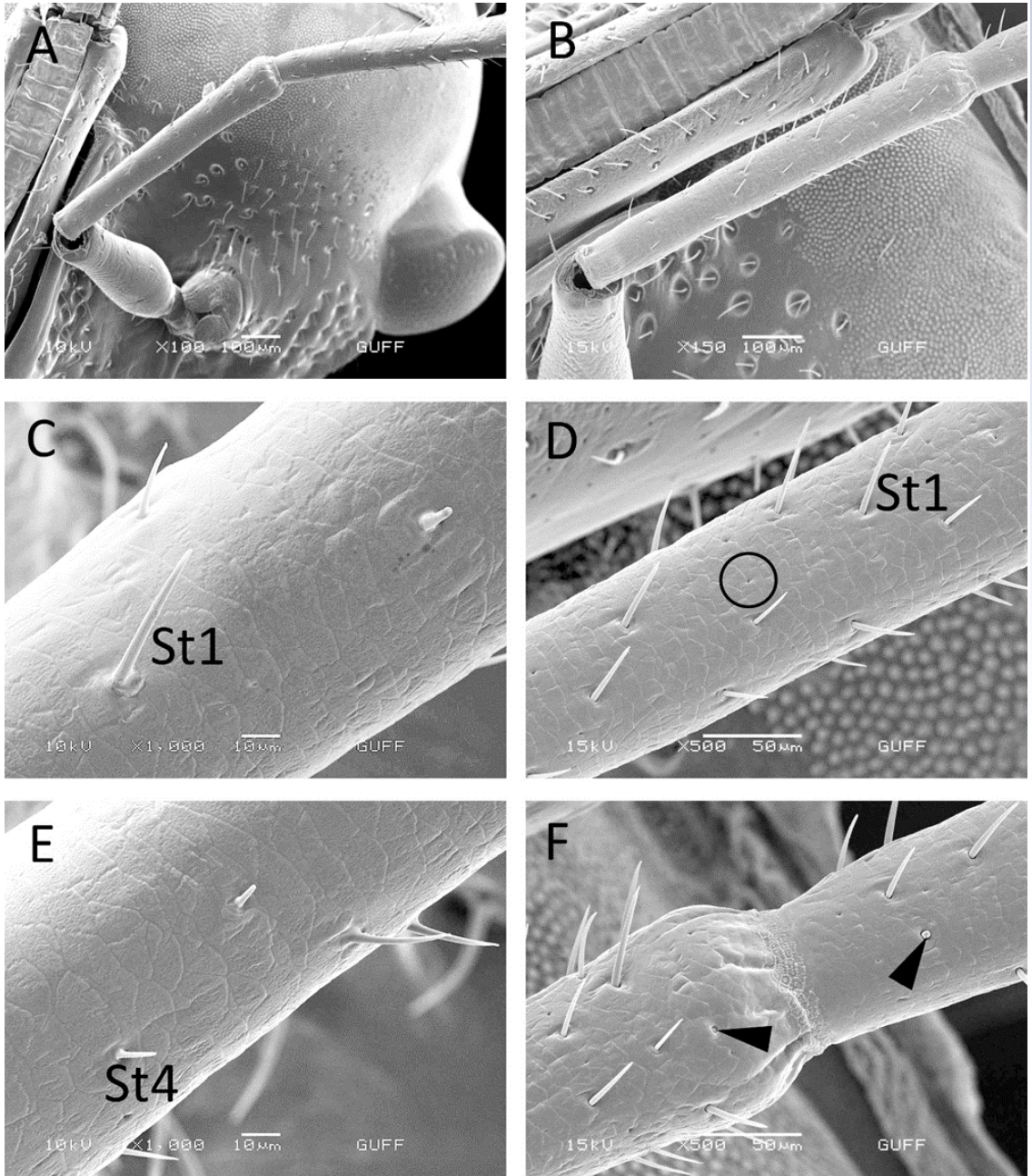


Figure 9. The pedicel 1 of the antenna. A-C-E: Female, B-D-F: Male. Encircled: sensilla campaniformia 1, arrowhead: sensilla campaniformia 2, St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St4: sensilla trichodea 4.

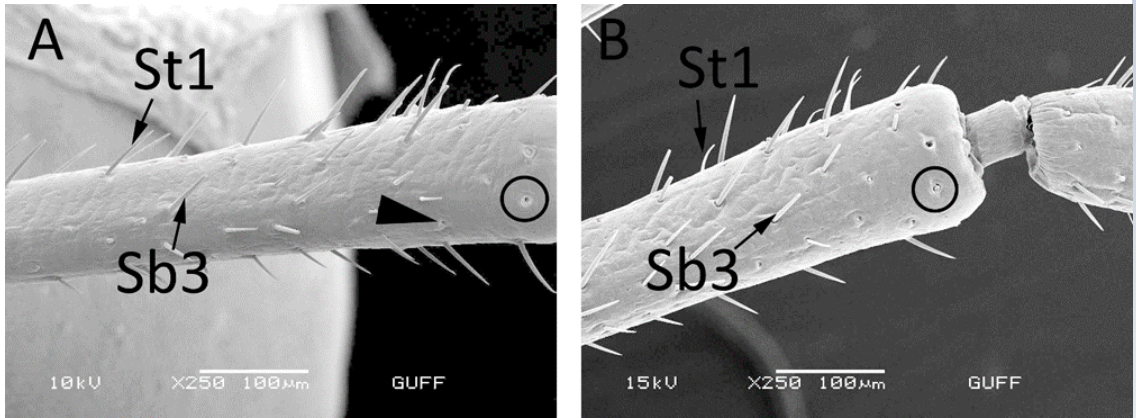


Figure 10. The pedicel 2 of the antenna. A: Female, B: Male. St1: sensilla trichodea 1, Sb3: sensilla basiconica 3, arrowhead: sensilla campaniformia 1, encircled: sensilla campaniformia 2.

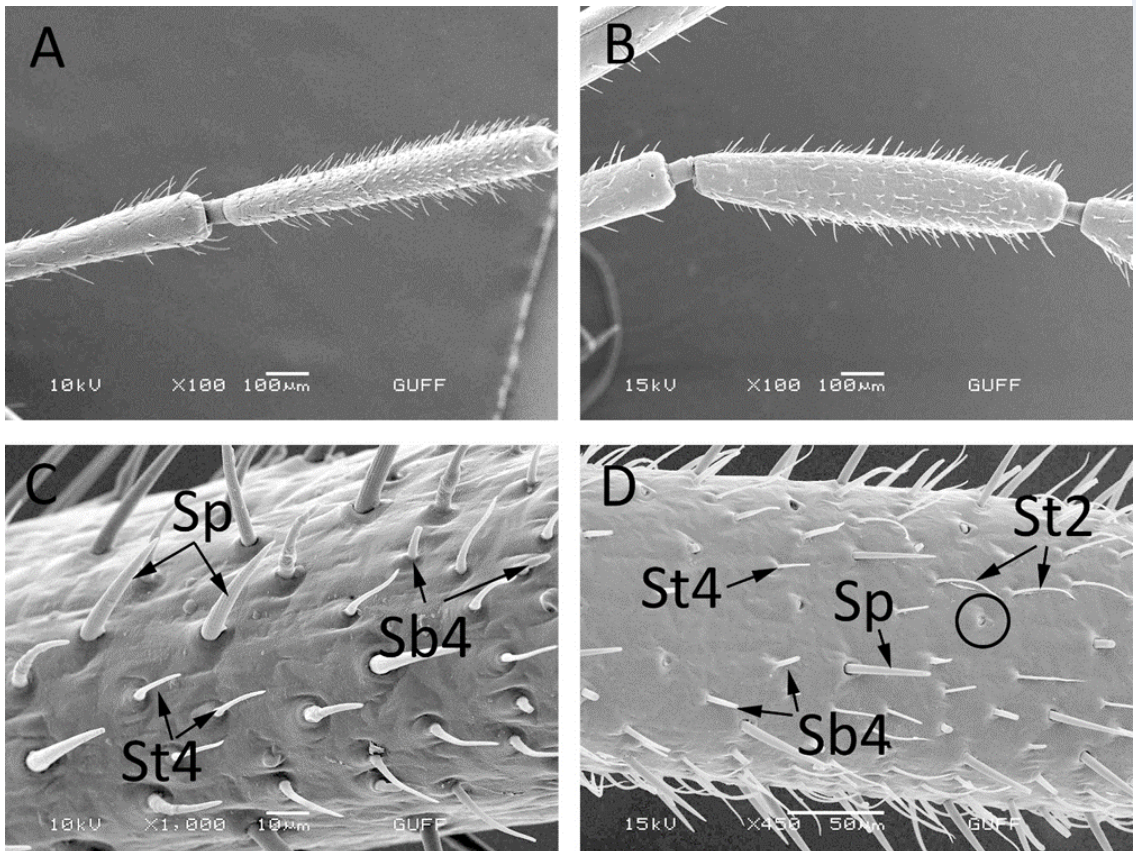


Figure 11. The flagellum 1 of the antenna. A-C: Female, B-D: Male. St2: sensilla trichodea 2, St4: sensilla trichodea 4, Sp: sensilla peg, Sb4: sensilla basiconica 4.

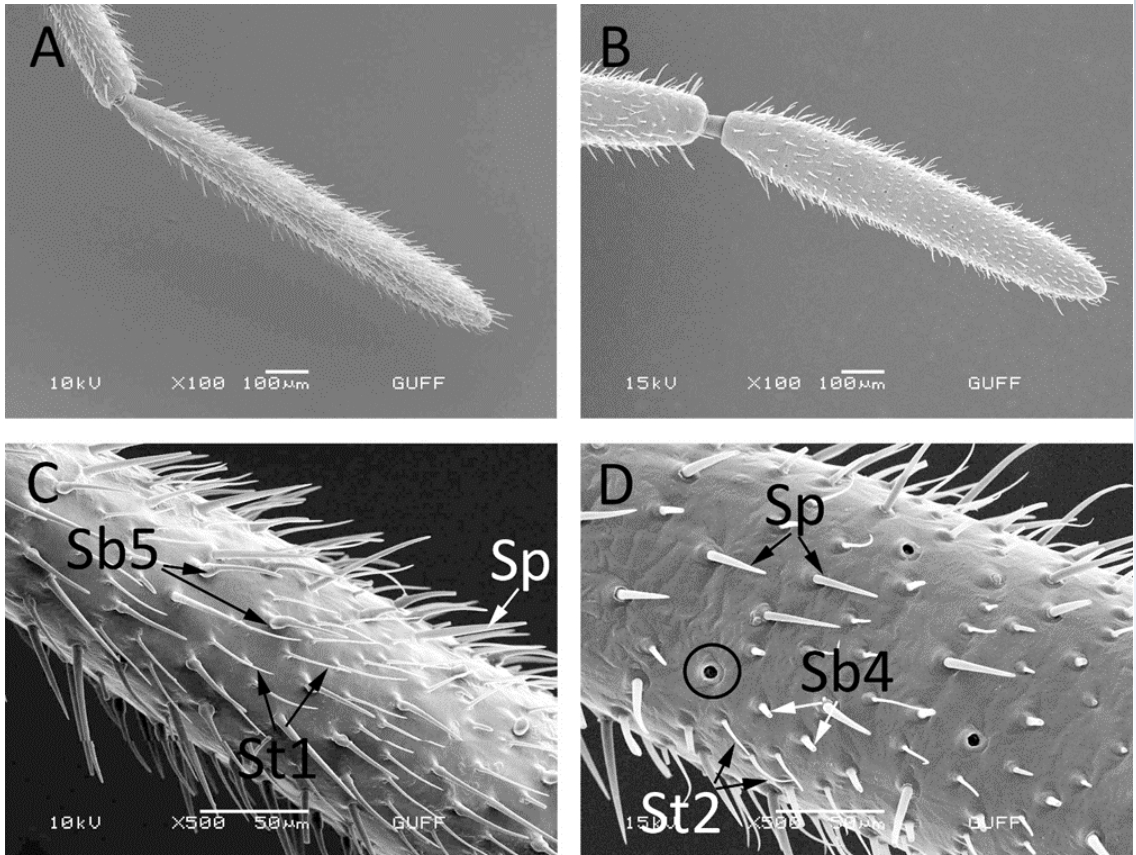


Figure 12. The flagellum 2 of the antenna. A-C: Female, B-D: Male. St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St2: sensilla trichodea 2, Sb4: sensilla basiconica 4, Sb5: sensilla basiconica 5, Sp: sensilla peg, encircled: sensilla campaniformia 3.

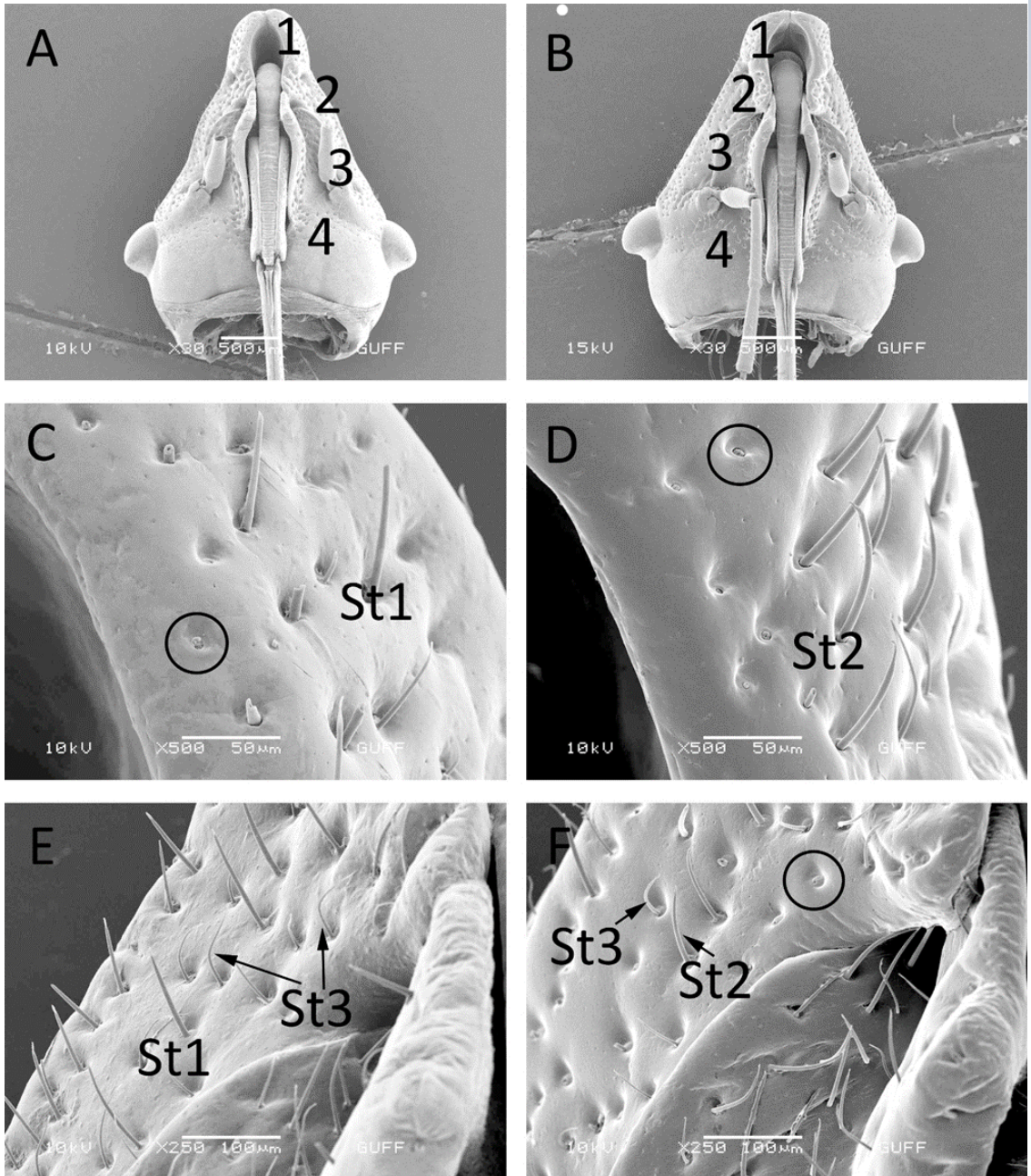


Figure 13. A-B. General view of 4 regions of the head. C-D. The first region of the head. E-F. The second region of the head. A-C-E: Female, B-D-F: Male. St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St2: sensilla trichodea 2, St3: sensilla trichodea 3, encircled: sensilla campaniformia 2.

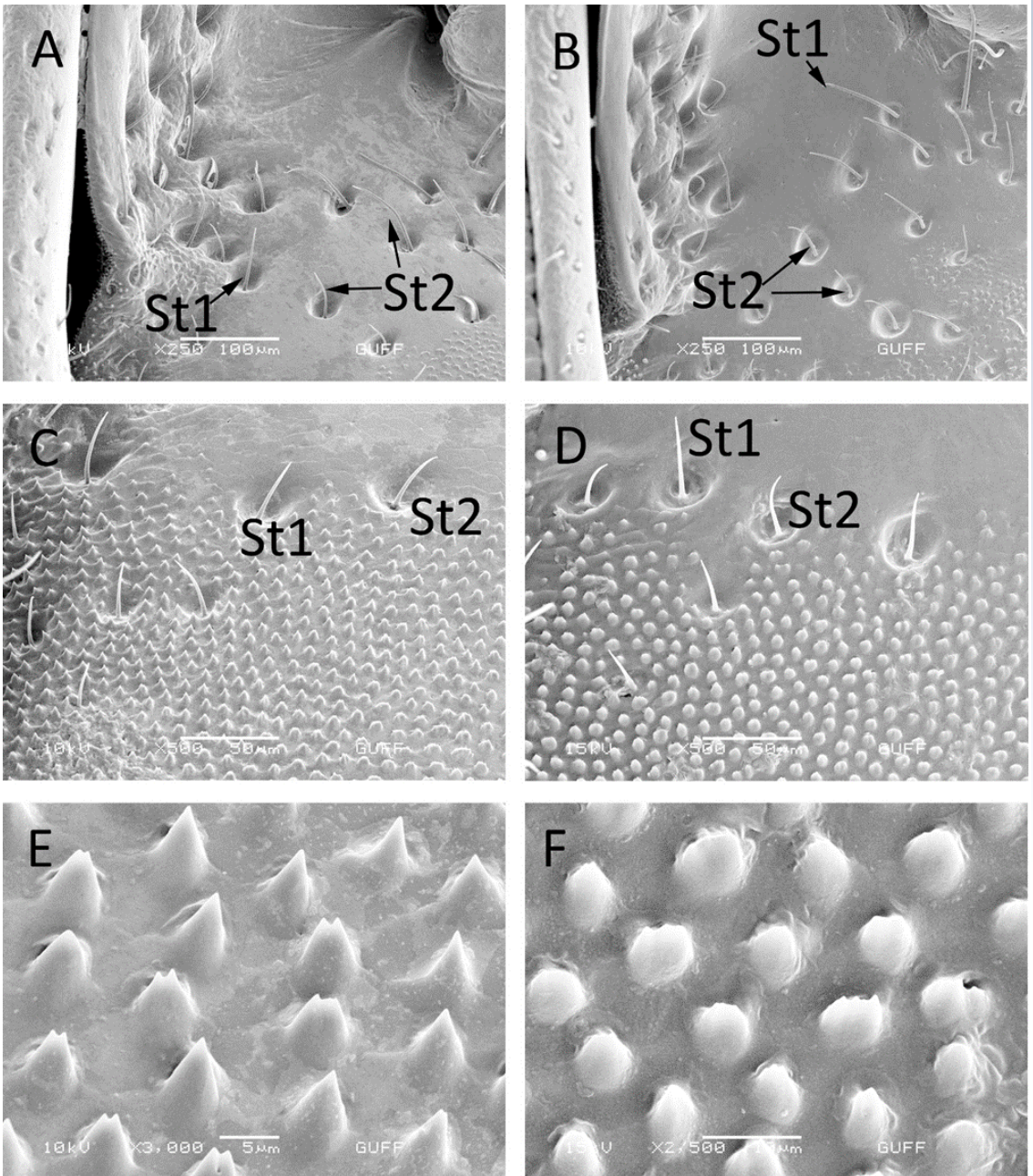


Figure 14. A-B. The third region of the head. C-F. The fourth region of the head. E and F shows the one or two pointed cone-shaped protrusions. A-C-E: Female, B-D-F: Male. St1: sensilla trichodea 1, St2: sensilla trichodea 2.

Sensilla types and distributions in insects are thought to be related to the insects' diet. Because, each sensilla has different sensory functions. For example, sensilla basiconica in the mouthparts is responsible for the movement of these parts, while sensilla trichodea acts as a

mechanoreceptor and in this way ensures the discovery of nutrients (Liang et al., 2013; Gullan & Cranstone, 2014; Wang et al., 2019; Amutkan Mutlu et al., 2021). Comparison of sensilla types of some species in the literature is given in the Table 3. It is seen in the table that

sensilla types can vary in different species of insects. We can say that sensilla varieties, numbers and distributions give us taxonomic and phylogenetic data, especially thanks to their morphological contributions to the nutrition of insects and thus to the structure of their mouth-

parts. The fact that it has so many different types of sensilla shows that it can receive various chemical stimuli in *A. rostrata*. We hope that this study on the sensilla of *A. rostrata* will contribute to other studies and literature on this subject.

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Table 3. Comparison of sensilla types of *A. rostrata* and some species belong to the order Hemiptera in the literature.

Species	Mouth parts								Antenna				Reference
	Labium 1	Labium 2	Labium 3	Labium 4	Labrum	Scape	Pedicel1	Pedicel2	Flagellum1	Flagellum2	Head		
	<i>Aelia rostrata</i>	St, Sca	St, Sb, Sca	St, Sca	St, Sb	St	Sp, cone-shaped protrusions	St, Sca	St, Sb, Sca	St, Sb, Sp	St, Sb, Sca, Sp	Sca, St, cone-shaped protrusions	
<i>Dolyropsis indicus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	St, Sb, Sca, Sch**	-	-	Ahmad et al., 2016	
<i>Planitia crossota</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	St, Sb, Sca	-	-	Ahmad et al., 2016	
<i>Eucanthecoma fuscipennis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	St, Sb, Sca, Sco***, Spl****	-	-	Ahmad et al., 2016	
<i>Perillus bioculatus</i>	Sp, Ssc*, St, Sb, Sca	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	St, Sb, Sca, Sco	-	-	Farvean et al., 2015; Ahmad et al., 2016	
<i>Trissolcus japonicus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	St	Sb, St	-	St, Sch, Spap****, Sca, sickle-shaped, grooved-peg sensilla	-	-	Yang et al., 2016	
<i>Trissolcus plagiatus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	St	Sb, St	-	St, Sch, Spap, Sca, sickle-shaped, grooved-peg sensilla	-	-	Yang et al., 2016	
<i>Stephanitis nashi</i>	-	-	-	-	-	St, Sco	St, Sb, Sca	-	St	St, grooved-peg sensilla, Sco	-	-	Wang et al., 2020b
<i>Halyomorpha halys</i>	-	-	-	-	-	Sb, Sco, Sch	Sb, Sco, Sch	Sb, Sco, Sch	Sb, St, Sco, Sch	Sb, St, Sco, Sch	-	-	Ibrahim et al., 2019
<i>Euschistus heros</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	Sb	Sb	St, Sb	St, Sb	-	-	Shra et al., 2010
<i>Edessa medialis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	Sb, Sch	Sb, Sch	St, Sb	St, Sb	-	-	Shra et al., 2010
<i>Phloxosoma guibaudii</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	Sb, Sch	Sb, Sch	St, Sb	St, Sb	-	-	Shra et al., 2010
<i>Eocanthecoma fuscipennis</i>	Sp, St, Sate, Sb, Sch	-	-	-	-	Sca, Sb	St, Sch, Sb	St, Sch, Sb, Sco	St, Sch, Sb, Sco	St, Sch, Sb, Sco	-	-	Farvean et al., 2015; Zhao et al., 2021
<i>Stylopsis stansfordi</i>	Sp, St, Sb, Sca, Sch	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Farvean et al., 2015;

Table 3. Continued

<i>Plautia crossota</i>	Sp, St, Sb, Sca, Sch	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Farveen et al., 2015;
<i>Plautodorus hybernii</i>	Sp, St, Sb, Sca, Sch	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Farveen et al., 2015;
<i>Eurygaster teredinaria</i>	no sensilla	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca	Sb, St, Sca	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Amudkan Mutdu et al., 2021
<i>Arma chinensis</i>	-	-	-	-	Sb	Sb	Sb, Sch	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	Sb, St, Sca, Sp	St, Sb, Sch, Sca, Sca	Zhang et al., 2014

*, sensilla styloconica, **, sensilla chaetica, ***, sensilla coeloconica, ****, sensilla placoidea, *****: sensilla papillary

Contributions to the Nabidae (Hemiptera: Heteroptera) Fauna in the Thrace Region, Turkey

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ABSTRACT: The present study was conducted in 73 localities between May and September of 2013 and 2014 in Edirne Province and in two localities in 2016 in Kırklareli Province. As a result, 6 species belonging to 3 genera from Nabinae and Prostematinae subfamilies of Nabidae family were determined. Among these species, *Nabis flavomarginatus* Scholtz, 1847 and *Nabis ferus* (Linnaeus, 1758) are first records for the Heteroptera fauna of the Thrace Region and additional locality records for 4 species known from the region are given.

KEYWORDS: Nabidae, fauna, taxonomy, first record, Turkish Thrace, Turkey.

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INTRODUCTION

All species of the Nabidae family are predators and feed on eggs, larvae and adults of insects and other small Arthropods.

Most species are polyphagous, but species of the subfamily Prostematinae particularly feed on Lygaeidae, another family of Heteroptera. All Prostematinae and some Nabinae species live in soil and are found among debris or under stones. Some Nabinae species are found on grasses and some on trees.

Most species spend the winter as adults and some as eggs. Some species belonging to the subfamily Nabinae (*Nabis ferus*, *N. pseudoferus*, *N. punctatus*, *N. palifer*, *N. capsiformis* and *Himacerus apterus*) are more or less important in the control of agricultural and forest pests (Kerzhner, 1996).

Nabidae family is a small family and is represented with 500 species belonging to 21 genera in the world, 122 species belonging to 3 subfamilies and 10 genera in the Palearctic Region and 26 species belonging to 2 subfamilies and 5 genera



in Turkey (Kerzhner, 1996; Önder et al., 2006; Aukema et al., 2013).

Although the studies on the Nabidae family in Turkey started in the old years, they are quite limited. The foreign and native researchers (Horváth, 1883, 1901, 1905, 1918; Reuter, 1890; Puton, 1892; Puton & Noualhier, 1895; Kiritshenko, 1918, 1924; Fahringer, 1922; Gadeau De Kerville, 1939; Hoberlandt, 1956; Linnavuori, 1965, Tuatay et al., 1972; Önder et al., 1981, 1983, 1984, Kıyak, 1990) gave local records limited to a few species, while Erbay (1986) mentioned from 13 species in his master's thesis on Nabidae family collected from different localities from Turkey, and Dursun (2011) from 9 species in his study on Kelkit Valley Heteroptera species.

The records of the Nabidae family from the Thrace Region are very limited and so far 10 species belonging to 4 genera have been recorded (Horváth, 1918; Fahringer, 1922; Hoberlandt, 1956; Önder et al., 1984; Dursun & Fent, 2015). Nabidae family is represented by 42 species in Europe, 15 species in Greece and 17 species in Bulgaria (Aukema, 2013).

MATERIAL AND METHOD

The research material belonging to the family Nabidae were collected from different localities in terms of habitat characteristics, which were determined in Edirne Province between May and September in 2013-2014 years, especially during the spring-summer period when the species are active. In addition, the material obtained from two locations (loc.74, loc.75) from Kirklareli Province was added the study data (Table 1).

The research material was collected with the help of a sweep net from short herbaceous plants and with an aspirator from the soil. In addition, male pygophore and paramer structures are highly useful morphological characters in Nabidae family species, as in most Heteroptera suborder species. For this reason, after the male specimens were kept in hot water for about 5 minutes, the pygophore and its paramers were removed under the microscope with the help of a fine-tipped forceps and a preparation needle, and these structures were also used in the identification of the species.

Table 1. The localities, coordinates, altitudes and the dates of the field studies in Edirne Province

Loc No	Locality	Coordinate	Altitude	Date
1	Havsa-Arpaç	41°41'08N 26°52'33E	113m	30.08.2013
2	Havsa-Necatiye	41°30'18N 26°53'54E	57m	30.08.2013
3	Havsa-Osmanlı	41°35'00N 26°50'13E	82m	22.08.2013 11.06.2014
4	Lalapaşa-Sinanköy	41°48'55N 26°41'49E	127m	05.07.2013
5	Lalapaşa-Vaysal	41° 56' 26N 26° 52' 9E	438m	05.07.2013
6	Süloğlu -around the Süloğlu Dam	41° 46' 8N 26° 54' 36E	155m	21.07.2013
7	Edirne-Center	41°40'33N 26°33'31E	41m	12.06.2014 20.08.2014
8	Enez-Çavuşköy	40°41'17N 26°10'15E	68m	04.08.2008
9	Uzunköprü- Center	41°15'58N 26°41'19E	32m	08.07.2009 15.07.2009
10	İpsala-Center	40°55'16N 26°22'58E	19m	15.07.2009

Table 1. Continued

11	Lalapaşa-Çömlekköy	41°50'34N 26°36'38E	101m	14.08.2013
12	Enez- Center	40°43'29N 26°4'57E	24m	04.09.2013
13	Center-Bosnaköy	41°37'35N 26°36'12E	41m	29.05.2014
14	Center-Üyükütatar	41°32'19N 26°36'3E	44m	29.05.2014
15	Havsa-Bostanlı	41°36'50N 26°58'0E	90m	11.06.2014
16	Havsa-Yolageldi	41°31'0N 26°56'60E	59m	11.06.2014
17	Havsa-Tahal	41° 5'0N 26°51' 0E	42m	13.06.2014
18	Uzunköprü- Değirmenci	41°18'37N 26°42'2E	48m	13.06.2014
19	Uzunköprü-Meşeli	41°22'60N 26°43'60E	83m	13.06.2014
20	Uzunköprü-Başağıl	41°15'49N 26°47'49E	39m	03.07.2014
21	Uzunköprü-Bayramlı	41°18'24N 26°49'34E	77m	03.07.2014
22	Uzunköprü-Çöpköy	41°13'8N 26°49'18E	87m	03.07.2014
23	Uzunköprü-Gazimehmet	41°12'0N 26°55'0E	112m	03.07.2014
24	Uzunköprü-Kırcasalih	41°23'33N 26°48'11E	98m	03.07.2014
25	Uzunköprü-Muhacirkadı	41°,20',30N 26°,52',18E	27m	03.07.2014
26	Uzunköprü-Sipahi	41°13'60N 26° 52' 60E	89m	03.07.2014
27	Uzunköprü-Yağmurca	41°10'0N 26°51'0E	125m	03.07.2014
28	Uzunköprü-Çobanpınar	41°10'60N 26° 33' 0E	25m	07.07.2014
29	Uzunköprü-Karapınar	41°7' 0N 26°37'60E	50m	07.07.2014
30	Uzunköprü-Kavacık	41°11'14N 26°39'56E	53m	07.07.2014
31	Uzunköprü-Kavakayazma	41°7'60N 26°31'60E	27m	07.07.2014
32	Uzunköprü-Kırköy	41°6'0N 26°43'60E	134m	07.07.2014
33	Uzunköprü-Süleymaniye	41°7'22N 26°48'30E	261m	07.07.2014
34	Lalapaşa-Çömlekakpınar	41°51'0N 26°37'0E	148m	09.07.2014
35	Lalapaşa-Çalidere	41°55'60N 26°43'60E	197m	15.07.2014
36	Lalapaşa-Kalkansöğüt	41°58'60N 26°48'60E	414m	15.07.2014
37	Lalapaşa-Ömeroba	41°55'0N 26°55'60E	328m	15.07.2014
38	Lalapaşa-Süleymandanişment	41°53'60N 26°53'60E	383m	15.07.2014
39	Süloğlu-Taşlısekban	41°47'60N 26°52'60E	195m	15.07.2014
40	Enez-Arnautköy	41°43'0N 26°34'60E	76m	04.08.2014
41	Lalapaşa-Kavaklı	41°47'60N 26°45'0E	174m	04.08.2014
42	Meriç-Hasırcı	41°16'0N 26°27'60E	54m	04.08.2014 24.08.2014
43	Meriç-Karayusuflu	41°15'28N 26°25'55E	24m	04.08.2014

Table 1. Continued

44	Uzunköprü-Çiftlikköy	41°14'0N 26° 37' 0E	10m	04.08.2014
45	Uzunköprü-Karayayla	41°15'0N 26°34'60E	25m	04.08.2014
46	İpsala-İbriktepe	41°0'35N 26°30'11E	127m	12.08.2014
47	İpsala-Sarıcaali	40°59'60N 26°22'0E	53m	12.08.2014
48	Meriç-Karaağaç	41°11'28N 26°25'25E	23m	12.08.2014
49	Meriç-Küplü	41°6'25N 26°21'7E	12m	12.08.2014
50	Meriç-Subaşı	41°08'60N 26°22'0E	19m	12.08.2014
51	İpsala-Pazardere	40°58'40N 26°34'52E	125m	13.08.2014
52	İpsala-Turpçular	40°56'28N 26°26'15E	27m	13.08.2014
53	Keşan-Begendik	40°55'57N 26°34'26E	114m	13.08.2014
54	Keşan-Altıntaş	41°00'0N 26°42'60E	185m	23.08.2014
55	Keşan-Kozköy	41°1'0N 26°36'0E	63m	23.08.2014
56	Enez-Abdurrahim	40°38'31N 26°15'25E	40m	24.08.2014
57	Enez-Hasköy	41°38'28N 26°51'31E	102m	24.08.2014
58	Enez-Işıklı	40°43'0N 26°18'0E	13m	24.08.2014
59	Enez-Koyuntepe	40°46'0N 26°20'60E	23m	24.08.2014
60	Enez-Küçükveren	40°38'60N 26°10'0E	41m	24.08.2014
61	Enez-Sultaniçe	40°37'35N 26°9'12E	11m	24.08.2014
62	Enez-Yenikarpuzlu	40°46'0N 26° 12' 0E	17m	24.08.2014
63	Keşan-Çelebi	40°40'41N 26°20'49E	135m	24.08.2014
64	Keşan-Orhaniye	41°43'0N 26°25'60E	29m	24.08.2014
65	Keşan-Bahçeköy	40°46'10N 26°40'32E	45m	26.08.2014
66	Keşan-Boztepe	40°50'60N 26°33' 0E	53m	26.08.2014
67	Keşan-Çeltik	40°40'60N 26°33'0E	117m	26.08.2014
68	Keşan-Karahisar	40°45'0N 26°30'0E	21m	26.08.2014
69	Keşan-Koruklu	40°39'60N 26°25'0E	51m	26.08.2014
70	Keşan-Mecidiye	40°38'20N 26°32'14E	29m	26.08.2014
71	Keşan-Mercan	40°44'60N 26°36'0E	72m	26.08.2014
72	Keşan-Suluca	40°41'20N 26°27'49E	145m	26.08.2014
73	Lalapaşa-Hacıdanişment	41°54'35N 26°49'26E	508m	07.06.2016
74	Kırklareli-Lüleburgaz- Evrensekiz	41°22'11N 27°29'42E	73 m	14.05.2016
75	Kırklareli- between Lüle- burgaz-Pınarhisar	41°29'57N 27°24'51E	106m	16.06.2016

Family: NABIDAE A. Costa, 1853

Subfamily: NABINAE A. Costa, 1853

Genus: NABIS Latreille, 1802

Nabis (Nabicula) flavomarginatus Scholtz, 1847

Material: EDİRNE: İpsala (Turpçular), 13.08.2014, 1♂; **Keşan** (Bahçeköy), 26.08.2014, 2♂♂; **Uzunköprü** (Karapınar), 07.07.2014, 2♂♂

Distribution in Turkey: Turkey Asian part (Anatolia) (Kerzhner, 1996).

Nabis (Nabis) pseudoferus Remane, 1949

Material: EDİRNE: Center-Karaağaç, 12.08.2014, 2♀♀, 7♂♂; **Enez- Center** 5m 04.09.2013 1♂; Çavuşköy, 04.08.2008, 1♀, 2♂♂; Arnavutköy, 04.08.2014, 8♀♀, 5♂♂; Çelebi, 24.08.2014, 4♀♀, 3♂♂; Işıklı, 24.08.2014, 2♀♀, 4♂♂; Küçükevren, 24.08.2014, 10♀♀, 1♂; Sultaniçe, 24.08.2014, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Yenikarpuzlu, 24.08.2014 5♀♀, 4♂♂; **Havsa-Arpaç**, 30.08.2013, 8♀♀, 13♂♂; Osmanlı, 22.08.2013, 7♀♀, 1♂; Neca-tiye, 30.08.2013, 5♂♂; Bostanlı, 11.06.2014, 18♀♀, 5♂♂; Yolageldi, 11.06.2014, 2♀♀, 1♂; Tahal, 13.06.2014, 17♀♀, 3♂♂; **İpsala-Center** 15.07.2009, 1♂; İbriktepe, 12.08.2014, 3♀♀, 2♂♂; Sarıcaali, 12.08.2014, 4♀♀, 5♂♂; Pazardere, 13.08.2014 2♀♀, 9♂♂; Turpçular, 13.08.2014 10♀♀, 8♂♂; Keşan-Beğendik, 13.08.2014, 4♂♂; Kozköy 23.08.2014, 2♀♀, 1♂; Altıntaş, 26.08.2014, 4♀♀; Bahçeköy, 26.08.2014, 6♀♀, 2♂; Boz-tepe, 26.08.2014 1♂; Çeltik, 26.08.2014, 4♀♀; Karahisar, 26.08.2014, 2♀♀, 3♂♂; Ko-ruklu, 26.08.2014, 1♀, 1♂; Mecidiye, 26.08.2014, 14♀♀, 7♂♂; Mercan, 26.08.2014 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Orhaniye, 24.08.2014, 5♀♀, 5♂♂; Suluca, 26.08.2014, 4♀♀, 2♂♂; **Lalapaşa-Sinanköy**, 05.07.2013, 8♂♂, 15♀♀; 05.07.2013, 2♀♀, 4♂♂; Vaysal, 05.07.2013, 1♂; Çömlekköy, 14.08.2013, 1♂; Çömlekakpınar, 09.07.2014, 7♂♂; Çalidere, 15.07.2014, 2♀♀, 4♂♂; Kalkansöğüt, 15.07.2014, 3♀♀, 2♂♂; Ömeroba, 15.07.2014 3♀♀, 4♂♂; Süleymandanişment, 15.07.2014, 1♂; Kavaklı, 04.08.2014, 8♀♀, 1♂; **Meriç-Karayusuflu**, 04.08.2014, 4♂♂; Subaşı, 12.08.2014, 2♀♀, 3♂♂; Hasırcı, 24.08.2014, 10♀♀, 6♂♂; **Süloğlu-** around the Süloğlu Dam. 21.07.2013, 2♀♀, 11♂♂; 21.07.2013 2♀♀; Taşlısekbân, 15.07.2014, 13♀♀, 7♂♂; **Uzunköprü-Center**, 15.07.2009, 1♂; Meşeli, 13.06.2014, 1♀; Başağlı, 03.07.2014, 6♀♀, 3♂♂; Bayramlı, 03.07.2014, 2♂♂, Çöpköy, 03.07.2014, 2♀♀, 4♂♂; Gazimehmet, 03.07.2014, 14♀♀, 10♂♂; Kircasalih, 03.07.2014, 3♀♀, 1♂; Muhacirkadı, 03.07.2014, 10♀♀, 9♂♂; Sipahi, 03.07.2014, 8♀♀, 5♂♂; Yağmurca, 03.07.2014, 2♂♂; Çobanpınar, 07.07.2014, 5♀♀, 2♂♂; Kavacık, 07.07.2014, 1♀, 3♂♂; Karapınar, 07.07.2014, 40♀♀, 29♂♂; Kavakayazma, 07.07.2014, 1♀; Kırköy, 07.07.2014, 7♀♀, 4♂♂; Süleymaniye, 07.07.2014, 12♂♂; Karayayla, 04.08.2014, 10♀♀, 4♂♂.

Nabis (Nabis) punctatus A. Costa, 1847

Material: EDİRNE: Center, 12.06.2014, 5♀♀, 1♂; Karaağaç, 12.08.2014, 1♂; **İpsala-Turpçular**, 13.08.2014, 1♂; **Meriç-Küplü**, 12.08.2014, 4♀♀, 2♂♂; **Uzunköprü-Gazimehmet**, 03.07.2014, 1♂.

Nabis (Nabis) ferus (Linnaeus, 1758)

Material: EDİRNE: Center, 12.06.2014, 3♀♀, 2♂♂; Bosnaköy, 29.05.2014, 6♂♂; Üyükütatar, 29.05.2014, 2♀♀, 5♂♂; Karaağaç, 12.08.2014, 1♀, 8♂♂; **Enez-Arnavutköy**, 04.08.2014, 14♀♀, 10♂♂; Abdurrahim, 24.08.2014, 1♂; Çelebi, 24.08.2014, 3♀♀, 2♂♂; Hasköy, 24.08.2014, 1♂; Işıklı, 24.08.2014, 3♀♀, 2♂♂; Koyun-tepe, 24.08.2014, 2♀♀, 1♂; Küçükevren, 24.08.2014, 11♀♀, 3♂♂; Sultaniçe, 24.08.2014, 1♂; Yenikarpuzlu, 24.08.2014, 5♀♀, 7♂♂; **İpsala-Sarıcaali**, 12.08.2014, 2♀♀, 4♂♂; **Keşan-Kozköy**, 23.08.2014, 1♀, 1♂; Orhaniye, 24.08.2014, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Bah-

çeköy, 26.08.2014, 2♀♀, 1♂; Boztepe, 26.08.2014, 1♂; Çeltik, 26.08.2014, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Karahisar, 26.08.2014, 1♀, 1♂; Mecidiye, 26.08.2014, 10♀♀, 5♂♂; Mercan, 26.08.2014, 1♀, 1♂; Suluca, 26.08.2014, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; **Meriç**-Hasırcı, 04.08.2014, 12♀♀, 12♂♂; **Süloğlu**-Taşlısekban, 15.07.2014, 8♀♀, 4♂♂; **Havsa**-Bostanlı, 11.06.2014, 10♀♀, 6♂♂; Osmanlı, 11.06.2014, 2♀♀, 15♂♂; Tahal, 13.06.2014, 10♀♀, 11♂♂; **Uzunköprü**-Değirmenci, 13.06.2014 5♂♂; Çöpköy, 03.07.2014, 1♀, 4♂♂; Gazimehmet, 03.07.2014, 10♀♀, 9♂♂; Muhacirkadı, 03.07.2014, 7♀♀, 1♂; Sipahi, 03.07.2014, 6♀♀, 7♂♂; Çobanpınar, 07.07.2014, 5♀♀, 2♂♂; Karapınar, 07.07.2014, 15♀♀, 16♂♂; Çiftlikköy, 04.08.2014, 3♂♂; Karayayla, 04.08.2014, 4♀♀, 7♂♂.

Distribution in Turkey: Ağrı, Amasya, Antalya, Bursa, Diyarbakır, Elazığ, Erzurum, Giresun, Iğdır, Hatay, Kahramanmaraş, Kars, Tokat (Hoberlandt, 1856; Dursun, 2011; Yıldırım et al., 2013).

Genus: HIMACERUS Wolff, 1811

***Himacerus (Aptus) mirmicoides* (O. Costa, 1834)**

Material: EDİRNE: Center-Sarayıcı (Tavukormanı), 20.08.2014, 1♀.

Subfamily: PROSTEMMATINAE Reuter, 1890

Genus: PROSTEMMA Laporte, 1832

***Prostemma sanguineum* (Rossi, 1790)**

Material: EDİRNE: Lalapaşa-Hacıdanışment, 07.06.2016, 1♂, 3 nimf; **KIRKLAELİ: Lüleburgaz**-Evrensekiz, 14.05.2016, 1♀, 1♂; between Lüleburgaz-Pınarhisar, 16.06.2016, 2♂♂.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

In this study, 6 species belonging to 3 genera from Nabinae and Prostemmatinae subfamilies of Nabidae family were determined in Turkish Thrace. Among these species, *Nabis flavomarginatus* Scholtz, 1847 and *Nabis ferus* (Linnaeus, 1758) are new records for the Heteroptera Fauna of the Thrace Region and additional records of 4 known species from the region were given.

The first findings of *Nabis flavomarginatus* for the Thrace Region, was detected in 3 localities located in the south of Edirne (Uzunköprü - Karapınar, İpsala - Turpçular, Keşan - Bahçeköy). When taking into account the distributional data of the species in Turkey (Kerzhner, 1996; Aukema, 2020), it is given only as the "Asian part" without specifying the locality. The species, which has a wide distribution in Europe and Asia in the Palearctic distribution, also spreads in Alaska, Canada, Greenland in the Nearctic Region, apart from the Palearctic.

Nabis (Nabis) ferus has a wide distribution, and was detected in 37 different localities in Edirne Province in this study.

Although its known distribution from Anatolia is based on quite old years, it is not very common in Anatolia.

In the Palearctic Region, it shows a very wide distribution in Europe and Asia, including Turkey and the neighboring countries to the research area (Kerzhner, 1996). This species was recorded for the first time in the Thrace Region during this study. It is very similar to *N. pseudoferus* and *N. punctatus* species in terms of general appearance, but it is easily distinguished from these two species by the fact that the apex of the paramer in the male is pointed in the form of spines.

The other 4 species, *Nabis pseudoferus*, *N. punctatus*, *Himacerus mirmicoides* and *Prostemma sanguineum* identified in this study, are very common both in Turkey and in their general geographical distribution. *N. pseudoferus* was also detected in many localities during the research.

The species of the genus *Nabis* were generally detected in the alfalfa fields or the wild green grasses on the field or roadside during our research. These habitats, where the species are detected, are generally rich in other soft-bodied insect larvae or adults hunted by the species. It is thought that *Nabis* species chose these habitats because of the convenience in finding prey by them. *Prostemma sanguineum* was found on the ground in the alfalfa fields, and under stones and *Himacerus mirmicoides* in the mixed forest dominated by poplar.

In the study, when the most common species in 75 localities where field studies were carried out were evaluated respectively; *Nabis pseudoferus* was detected from 62 localities, *N. ferus* from 37 localities, *N. punctatus* from 5 localities, *N. flavomarginatus* and *Prostemma sanguineum* from 3 localities, and *Himacerus mirmicoides* from only 1 locality.

When the data obtained as a result of the research were evaluated, the number of species of Nabidae family in the Thrace Region increased to a total of 12 with the addition of two new records. In addition, new data on the distribution of previously known species were obtained.

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First record of *Dryadocoris apicalis* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1842) (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Pentatomidae) in Greece

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ABSTRACT: The first record of *Dryadocoris apicalis* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1842) for Greece is reported. Information on the known distribution of the species is summarized.

KEYWORDS: *Dryadocoris apicalis*, first record, distribution, Greece.

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So far, *Dryadocoris apicalis* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1842) (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Pentatomidae) has been reported from the following European countries: Albania, France (including Corsica), Italy (including Capraia, Pantelleria, Sardinia and Sicily), Portugal and Spain (including the Canary Islands) (Carapezza, 1995; Jiménez et al., 2003; Aukema et al., 2006; Dusoulie & Lupoli, 2006; Rider, 2006; Belousova, 2007; Gessé, 2011; Roca-Cusachs & Goula, 2017; Fernández Ruiz, 2018; Roca-Cusachs et al., 2018; van der Heyden, 2019).

Outside Europe, the species has been reported from Algeria, Cameroon, the

Democratic Republic of the Congo, the Republic of the Congo, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Guinea, Kenya, Morocco, Nigeria, Rwanda, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tanzania, Togo and Yemen (Rider, 2006; Belousova, 2007; Robertson, 2009).

Now, the first record of *D. apicalis* in Greece can be reported: On 02.11.2021, an adult specimen was photographed by Christopher Bakos in Parga, a coastal village in North-West Greece (Fig. 1).

The specimen was found inside a building where vegetable plants are grown hydroponically. Likely, it was drawn to the heat of the LED lamp that provides the sunlight/heat to the vegetables or



alternatively to the moisture at the base of the vegetable plant (Lettuce) where the bug was found (Christopher Bakos, pers. comm.). So far, the nearest location of findings of other specimens of *D. apicalis* is the Albanian city of Vlorë, located less than 200 km north-west of Parga (van der Heyden, 2019).

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Figure 1. *Dryadocoris apicalis* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1842), Parga, Greece, 02.11.2021. (Photo: Christopher Bakos).

Some Heteroptera (Hemiptera) species that are potential natural enemies of *Cimex quadrimaculata* (Müller, 1766) (Hymenoptera: Cimbicidae)

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ABSTRACT: The study was carried out in the provinces of Elazığ and Diyarbakir between 2020-2021. In the studies conducted in nature and in laboratory conditions, it is observed that the species does not feed on advanced larval stages of the pest. From the species identified in the study, *Deraeocoris trifasciatus* Linnaeus, 1767 and *Globiceps sphaegiformis* Rossi, 1790 species belonging to the Miridae family were observed in nature, and *Nagusta goedelii* Kolenati, 1857 and *Zelus (Diplodacus) renardii* (Kolenati, 1856) species belonging to the Reduviidae family were observed to in laboratory conditions to feed on the pest. *Geocoris luridus* Fieber, 1844 and *Geocoris putonianus* Bergroth, 1892 species belonging to the Geocoridae family were found to be abundant in nature before the pest began to be observed in nature. *Brachycoleus steini* Jakovlev, 1884 specimens and *Macrotylus ponticus* Seidenstücker, 1966 found in abundance in the garden at the larval period of pest of these species.

It has not been determined that they feed on pests. All species have been detected in the fauna of both provinces. These species are also the first record for the provinces where they have been found.

KEYWORDS: Almond, *Cimex quadrimaculata*, Natural Enemies, Predator.

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INTRODUCTION

The Cimbicidae is a small family, with 196 species occurring in the World (Özbek, 2014). In Turkey; There were a 23 species (Önder, 2011). *Cimex quadrimaculata*

(Müller, 1766) is an important pest in fruit-growing areas that especially on almonds of Turkey (Bolu, 2016) (Figure 1). *C. quadrimaculata* was very serious pest on young almond plants (Özbek,



2014; Çakıcı et al., 2015). When this pest is not methodological managed, it creates significant damage of many fruits.

Additionally; There is no licensed chemical control recommended against to this species. Therefore, its biological control is an opportunity. Özgen et al. (2010) obtained *Listrognathus mactator* (Thunberg) (Hymenoptera: Ichneumonidae: Cryptinae) as a parasitoid of *C. quadrimaculata* for the first time. Özbek (2014) obtained

Opheltetes glaucopterus (Linnaeus) and *Phobetes nigriceps* (Gravenhorst) (Hymenoptera: Ichneumonidae: Ctenopelmatinae), as larva – pupa parasitoids of *C. quadrimaculata*. *P. nigriceps* was obtained for the first time from *C. quadrimaculata* larvae. No any studies have been conducted on the predator species of this species. The aim of the study is to determine the predator species belonging to the Heteroptera order of the pest.



Figure 1. The habitus of *Cimbex quadrimaculata* larvae and feeding on almond trees.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

The present study was carried out in Elazığ and Diyarbakır provinces in Anatolia Region of Turkey in 2021-2022. The studies were carried out between 03.05.2021 and 15.06.2021 in Diyarbakır, Egil and Elazığ province and Keban district. Studies were carried out in a climate cabinet with 65% humidity and $25\text{C} \pm 2^{\circ}\text{C}$ temperature conditions (Figure 2). When the larvae started to appear in nature, 50 1st instar larvae

were collected and brought to the laboratory and left to feed on almond leaves in culture plates. Species that have been found to feed in nature and the biological periods of the pest have been recorded. Miridae species could not be brought alive from natural conditions to laboratory conditions, while Reduviidae species brought from nature were left in the same environment as pests with culture plates. It has been observed that some species insert their stylets into the pest.



Figure 2 a) Climate Cabinet b) Containers with *Cimbex quadrimaculata* larvae and pupa.

RESULTS and DISCUSSION

Following 8 species were found in the *C. quadrimaculata* research conducted in two localities in Elazığ and Diyarbakır (Table 1)

Table 1. Heteroptera species, Localities and Biological Observations

Family	Species	Locality	Biological Stage of <i>Cimex quadrimaculata</i> larvae fed by the predator (*Field and laboratory, **Field,***Potential)
MIRIDAE	<i>Brachycoleus steini</i> Jakovlev, 1884	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	No feeding (Abundant)
MIRIDAE	<i>Deraeocoris trifasciatus</i> Linnaeus, 1767 **	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	1st instar larvae
MIRIDAE	<i>Globiceps sphaegiformis</i> Rossi, 1790 **	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	1 instar larvae
MIRIDAE	<i>Macrotylus ponticus</i> Seidenstücker, 1966	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	No feeding (Abundant)
REDUVIIDAE	<i>Nagusta goedelii</i> Kolenati, 1857 *	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	1st instar larvae.
REDUVIIDAE	<i>Zelus (Diplodacus) renardii</i> (Kolenati, 1856) *	Diyarbakır, Eğil	1st instar larvae.
GEOCORIDAE	<i>Geocoris luridus</i> (Fieber, 1844)***	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	Before the pest occurred in nature, it was observed in each orchards in many amounts.
GEOCORIDAE	<i>Geocoris putonianus</i> Bergroth, 1892 ***	Diyarbakır, Eğil, Elazığ, Keban	Before the pest occurred in nature, it was observed in each orchards in many amounts.

The species has been seen during the months of March and July. They are abundant in the egg and larval stage of the pest (Figure 3).

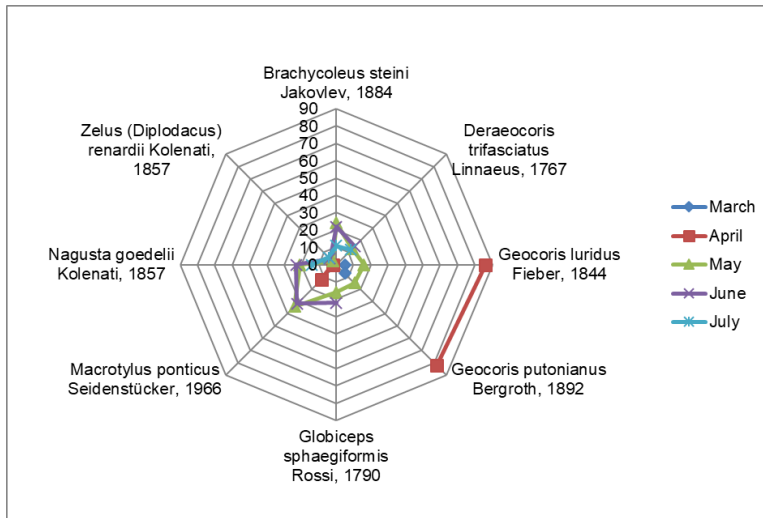


Figure 3. Dates of Predator Species in Nature

Species belonging to the Miridae family were observed in field conditions where they were fed in the first larval stage of the pest. Since the species belonging to this family could not be brought to the laboratory conditions alive, the culture plate feeding experiments could not be conducted. In these species; *Globiceps sphaegiformis* Rossi, 1790 was determined in the provinces of Elazığ and Diyarbakır in previous years (Matocq et al., 2014; Özgen and Dioli, 2019). There are no studies on the food preferences of the species belonging to this genus. Kiyak (2020); reported that *Deraeocoris* spp. is zoophytophagous, generally feeding on aphids and it preys on eggs of true bugs, larvae of whiteflies. However, there is no record of it feeding on the Hymenoptera species. On the other hand; *Zelus (Diplodacus) renardii* (Kolenati, 1856) and *Nagusta goedelii* (Kolenati, 1857) species collected from the field and brought to the laboratory were fed with the first larval stage of the pest. These species stand out as the polyphagous predator. Çelik et al., 2021; reported that this species is fed on *Allantus* (s.str.) *viennensis* (Schrank, 1781) in Diyarbakır. *N. goedelii* was generalist predator potentially capable of attacking the eggs and first instar nymphs of some Pentatomidae specimens and gypsy moth (*Lymantria dispar* (Linnaeus, 1758), Lepidoptera (Erebidae) (Bigsby et al., 2011; Bulgarini et al., 2020). The feeding record on this species is the first. *Geocoris* spp. are among the most important predaceous insects in the world. They feed on eggs and small larvae of most lepidopteran pests. Moreover, *Geocoris* sp. species were found to be abundant in almond trees in gardens where they formed a population before the pest began to appear in nature. In studies conducted in nature and laboratory conditions, it was found that the species did not feed on the advanced larval periods of the pest. All species have been detected in the fauna of both provinces. These species are also the first record for the provinces where they have been found. It has been observed

that *Zelus (Diplodacus) renardii* and *Nagusta goedelii* Kolenati, 1857 species do not feed on the biological periods of the pest after the 2nd larval period. For *Brachycoleus steini*; The presence of the *Centaurea* sp. plant in the garden edges has also increased the probability of this species being found in almond trees. Abundant varieties of this plant in this species in the literature are supportive (Hosseini, 2016). Phytophagous status in *Macrotylus* species should be investigated.

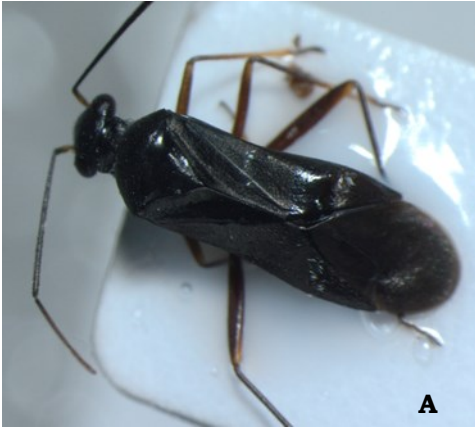
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Figures 2. The Figures of Heteroptera Species in Almond Orchards. A: *Globiceps sphaegiformis* Rossi, 1790; B: *Deraeocoris trifasciatus* Linnaeus, 1767; C: *Geocoris* sp. nymph, D: *Nagusta goedelii* Kolenati, 1857; E: *Geocoris putonianus* Bergroth, 1892 (Çerçi and Özgen, 2021); F: *Macrotylus ponticus* Seidenstücker, 1966.

A study on the Coreoidea (Hemiptera: Heteroptera) fauna of Çorum Province

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ABSTRACT: : In this study is reported 28 species belonging to 20 genera from 4 families (Alydidae, Coreidae, Rhopalidae and Stenocephalidae) of the superfamily Coreoidea on the material collected from 39 different localities in Çorum province between 2019 and 2021. Of them, 23 species are new records for the Coreoidea fauna of Çorum. While 20 species recorded in the present study are of Holomediterranean origin, 3 species of Pontomediterranean origin, 2 species of Irano-Turanian origin, 1 species has distribution in Euro-Siberian, Mediterranean and Nearctic. As a result of our observations in the field, a total of 21 taxon at genus level from 15 plant families were identified in relation to Coreoidea species.

KEYWORDS: Heteroptera, Alydidae, Coreidae, Rhopalidae, Stenocephalidae, new records, Çorum, Turkey.

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INTRODUCTION

The superfamily Coreoidea take part in the infraorder Pentatomomorpha (Hemiptera: Heteroptera) and that includes families

Alydidae, Coreidae, Rhopalidae and Stenocephalidae in Palaearctic region. Currently approximately 344 species in 84 genera of family Coreidae, approximately



69 species in 26 genera of family Alydidae, 71 species belonging to 14 genera of family Rhopalidae and 18 species of a genus of family Stenocephalidae are known from the Palearctic region (Dolling, 2006). Data based on the studies on Coreoidea in Turkey, show that there are 7 species in 4 genera of Alydidae, 48 species from 20 genera of Coreidae, 29 species in 11 genera of Rhopalidae, and 7 species in 1 genus of Stenocephalidae. Of those, *Camptopus bifasciatus* Fieber, 1864 of the family Alydidae from Amasya and *Anoplocerus luteus* (Fieber, 1861) from İzmir, *Arenocoris latissimus* Seidenstücker, 1960 from Ulukışla (Niğde), *Cercinthus griseus* (Fieber, 1861) from Turkish Thrace region, *Cerionomeris armeniacus* Tshernova, 1978 from eastern Anatolia of the family Coreidae, *Corizus brevicornis* Horváth, 1917 from Oltu (Erzurum), *Corizus fenestella* Horváth, 1917 from Tuzluca (Iğdır) of the family Rhopalidae and *Dicranocephalus putoni* (Horváth, 1897) from Hassa (Hatay) of the family Stenocephalidae are species described from Turkey (Puton & Noualhier, 1895; Horváth, 1883, 1901; Fahringer, 1922; Kiritshenko, 1918, 1924; Hoberlandt, 1955; Seidenstücker, 1958, 1960; Wagner, 1959, 1966); Linnavuori, 1965; Pehlivan, 1981; Kiyak, 1990a, b, c; 1993; 2000; Moulet, 1995; Özşaraç & Kiyak, 2001; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009, 2011; Dursun & Fent, 2009, 2017; Dursun et al., 2010; Fent & Kment, 2011; Fent & Dursun, 2019 and Zengin & Dursun, 2019).

Although it has been rarely reported of feeding on fecal and putrefaction matters and that humans were bitten by species of superfamily Coreoidea, especially the species are phytophagous and feed on meristematic tissues and ripe seeds. Many species of Coreoidea are known as economically and biologically important (Dolling, 2006; Faúndez, 2016).

The study area Çorum is located in the Central Black Sea region and is a transition area between the Black Sea and the Central Anatolia region. The Black Sea

climate is generally dominant in the province. The Black Sea climate type is especially prevails in Bayat, Dodurga, İskilip, Kargı, Laçın, Oğuzlar, Osmançık and Uğurludağ districts situated in the Kızılırmak basin. In Alaca, Boğazkale, Mecitözü, Ortaköy and Sungurlu districts prevails Central Anatolian climate. The winter months are cloudy and the summers are hot with the effect of the Central Anatolian climate. In the southern parts of İskilip is the steppes consisting of herbaceous plants. Çorum province is located at the intersection of Irano-Turanian and Euro-Siberian plant belt. Therefore Çorum province has very rich areas in terms of microclimate, different vegetation and habitat properties of flora and faunal elements (Kaya, 2015). The aim of this study is to give the current fauna of superfamily Coreoidea, and to open a new way for scientific and ecological studies in Çorum province.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

The study material was obtained from 39 localities with different vegetation and habitat in Çorum province in the years from 2019 to 2021 (Fig. 1).

The specimens were collected from herbaceous vegetation with a sweep net and from trees plants with a Japanese umbrella. All samples were put in tubes in 70% ethanol and brought to the laboratory. In the laboratory, specimens were softened in hot water (80°C-100°C) for preparation of the male genitalia which was used for further identifications. The specimens were prepared and identified using the relevant diagnostic was investigated under a stereomicroscope (Leica EZ4) and keys of Stichel (1960), Pehlivan (1981) and Moulet (1995).

The material is deposited in the collection of Amasya University, Faculty of Science and Arts, Department of Biology (Amasya, Turkey).

RESULTS**Hemiptera Linnaeus, 1758****Heteroptera Latreille, 1810****Coreoidea Leach, 1815****Alydidae Amyot & Serville, 1843****Alydinae Amyot & Serville, 1843*****Alydus* Fabricius, 1803*****Alydus calcaratus* (Linnaeus, 1758)**

Material examined: **Çorum:** Center, 19.07.2020, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; **Çatak,** 03.07.2021, 1♂;

Osmancık: Yaylabaşı, 06.10.2020, 1♂; Sarpınkavak, 19.10.2020, 2♀♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species was found under *Astragalus* sp. and it is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). In the study, this species was recorded for the first time from Çorum province.

Camptopus* Amyot & Serville, 1843**Camptopus lateralis* (Germar, 1817)**

Material examined: **Osmancık,** Center, 25.05.2019, 1♂; 23.04.2021, 1♂; Sarpınkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♀, 1♂; **Alaca,** 05.06.2021, 1♀; **Kargı,** Karapürçek, 02.10.2021, 11♀♀, 9♂♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species was found on *Chrysantemum* sp., *Rosa* sp., and *Rumex* sp. and it is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Çerçi et al., 2016; Çerçi & Özgen, 2021). In the study, this species was recorded for the first time from Çorum province.

***Camptopus tragacanthae* (Kolenati, 1845)**

Material examined: **Osmancık,** Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♂; Sarpınkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♂.

Comments: This Irano-Turanian species was found under *Astragalus* sp. and it is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Kıyak et al., 2004; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Kıyak & Akar, 2010; Fent & Japoshvili, 2013; Küçükbasmacı & Kıyak, 2015; Kıyak, 2016; Özgen et al., 2018; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Dursun, 2009; Kıyak & Baş, 2021). In the study, this species was recorded for the first time from Çorum province.

Coreidae Leach, 1815**Pseudophloeinae Stål, 1868*****Ceraleptus* A. Costa, 1847*****Ceraleptus gracilicornis* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835)**

Material examined: **Kargı,** Uzunyurt, 19.06.2021, 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is rarely encountered in Turkey and it was recorded for the first time from Çorum province (Önder et al., 2006; Baş, 2013; Yıldırım et al., 2013; Seferoğlu, 2013; Küçükbasmacı & Kıyak, 2015; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). It has been found on *Trifolium* sp. in the study.

Coriomeris* Westwood, 1842**Coriomeris affinis* (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1839)**

Material examined: **Kargı,** Karapürçek, 20.06.2020, 2♂♂.

Comments: The known distribution of this Mediterranean species in Turkey is widely and frequently distributed (Puton, 1892; Seidenstücker, 1960; Önder et al., 2006; Baş, 2013; Matocq, 2014; Çerçi et al., 2016; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). In the study, this species was recorded for the first time from Çorum province and it has been found on *Pinus* sp.

***Coriomeris denticulatus* (Scopoli, 1763)**

Material examined: Alaca, 05.06.2021, 3♀♀, 3♂♂; **Osmancık**, Öbekteş Plateau, 24.07.2021, 1♂.

Comments: The known distribution of this Euro-Siberian species is common and widely distributed in Turkey (Horváth, 1883; Hoberlandt, 1955; Linnavuori, 1965; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2011; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bolu, 2020; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021). This species was found on *Lamium* sp. and the record of the species given in the present study is for the first time from Çorum province.

Coreinae Leach, 1815

Leptoglossus Guérin-Méneville, 1831

***Leptoglossus occidentalis* Heidemann, 1910**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 17.08.2020, 1♀, 1♂♂; **Osmancık**, Yaylabası, 04.05.2020, 1♀, 1♂; Sarpinkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♂; **Laçın**, Yeşilgöl, 03.10.2021, 1♀.

Comments: This western conifer seed bug is an invasive alien species originated from North America. The distribution of *Leptoglossus occidentalis* rapidly expanded to the eastern and western of Turkey. This species was found on *Pinus* sp. This Neactic species is common and widely distributed in Turkey (Arslangündoğdu & Hızal, 2010; Fent & Kment, 2011; Hızal & İnan, 2012; Çerçi & Koçak, 2016; Özgen et al., 2017; Parlak, 2017; Yücel & Kıvan, 2018; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Oğuzoğlu & Avcı, 2020).

Centrocoris Kolenati, 1845

***Centrocoris spiniger* (Fabricius, 1781)**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 06.06.2021, 1♀; **Ortaköy**, Mollahasan, 26.07.2020, 1♀; **Osmancık**, Sarpinkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is common and widely distributed in Turkey according to available data (Horváth, 1883; Kiritshenko, 1918; Hoberlandt 1955; Wagner, 1966; Tuatay et al., 1972; Kıyak, 1993; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun & Fent, 2009; Dursun, 2011; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). This species was found on *Cirsium* sp. and it is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study.

***Centrocoris variegatus* Kolenati, 1845**

Material examined: **Osmancık**, 23.06.2021, 5♀♀, 3♂♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is frequently and widely distributed in Turkey according to the available records (Horváth, 1901; Hoberlandt, 1955; Kıyak, 1990a; Kıyak, 1990b; Öz Saraç, 2004; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2011; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bolu, 2020; Koçakoğlu, 2020; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021). This species was found on *Cirsium* sp. and it is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study.

***Coreus* Fabricius, 1794**

***Coreus marginatus* (Linnaeus, 1758)**

Material examined: **Çorum**, Center, 27.06.2020, 1♀, 1♂; 19.07.2020, 2♀♀; 17.08.2020, 1♂; 18.08.2020, 2♀♀; **Çatak**, 12.06.2021, 5♀♀, 7♂♂; 03.07.2021, 1♀; Kivrıcık, 26.07.2020, 2♀♀, 1♂; **Bayat**, 19.07.2020, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; **Dodurga**, Berkköy, 18.09.2020, 1♀, 1♂; **İskilip**, Seyirtepe, 11.07.2020, 4♀♀; **Kargı**, Hacıhamza, 02.10.2021, 1♀, 1♂; 26.06.2021, 1♀, 3♂♂; Uzunyurt, 19.06.2021, 3♀♀, 4♂♂; Kara-pürçek, 02.10.2021, 2♀♀; **Mecitözü**, Elvançelesi, 30.07.2020, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Hıdırlık, 09.10.2021, 2♀♀, 3♂♂; 09.10.2021, 4♀♀, 2♂♂; **Oğuzlar**, Obruk Barajı, 28.09.2020, 1♀; **Ortaköy**, İncesu; 26.07.2020, 1♀; Oruçpınar, 26.07.2020, 1♂; Mollahasan, 26.07.2020, 1♀, 1♂; **Osmancık**, 25.05.2019, 1♀; Ardıç, 02.10.2021, 1♀; Akören Plateau, 18.06.2020, 1♂; Yaylabaşı, 04.08.2020, 2♀♀, 3♂♂; 04.05.2020, 1♂; Öbektaş Plateau, 24.07.2021, 1♀; **Sungurlu**, Karakaya, 15.07.2020, 1♀; Koparan, 15.07.2020, 1♀, 1♂; **Uğurludağ**, 10.07.2021, 1♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is frequently and widely distributed in all the regions of Turkey according to the available records (Hoberlandt, 1955; Önder et al., 2006; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Baş, 2013; Küçükbasmacı & Kıyak, 2015; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Kaçar, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021; Kıyak & Baş, 2021). This species was found on *Rumex* sp.

Enoplops Amyot & Serville, 1843

Enoplops disciger (Kolenati, 1845)

Material examined: **Osmancık**, 25.05.2019, 1♀; **Ortaköy**, Fındıklı, 26.07.2020, 1♂.

Comments: This Pontomediterranean species is commonly and widely distributed in Turkey according to available records (Horváth, 1901; Kiritshenko, 1918; 1924; Hoberlandt, 1955; Linnavuori, 1965; Moulet, 1995; Kıyak, 2000; Öz Saraç & Kıyak, 2001; Öz Saraç, 2004; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun & Fent, 2009; Dursun, 2011; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). This species was found on *Echium* sp. and it is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study.

Spathocera Stein, 1860

Spathocera lobata (Herrich-Schäffer, 1840)

Material examined: **Çorum**, Center, 06.06.2021, 1♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is rarely encountered in Turkey according to available records (Önder et al., 2006; Yıldırım et al., 2013; Bayrakçı, 2011; Dursun, 2011). This species was recorded for the first time from Çorum province in the study and it was found on *Rumex* sp.

Syromastus Berthold, 1827

Syromastus rhombeus (Linnaeus, 1767)

Material examined: **Osmancık**, 25.05.2019, 1♀; Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♀, 1♂; **İskilip**, Seyirtepe, 11.07.2020, 1♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is common in Turkey according to available records (Horváth, 1883; 1901; Kiritshenko, 1918; 1924; Hoberlandt, 1955; Linnavuori, 1965; Tuatay et al., 1972; Kıyak, 1990a, b; Çağlar, 1992; Öz Saraç, 2004; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun & Fent, 2009; Dursun, 2011; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Altınok & Muştu, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). This species was found on *Poa* sp.

Gonocerus Berthold, 1827

Gonocerus acuteangulatus (Goeze, 1778)

Material examined: **Çorum**, Center, 19.07.2020, 1♀, 1♂; Kivrıcık, 26.07.2020, 2♀♀, 1♂; **Laçın**, Yeşilgöl, 01.09.2019, 1♀; Kırkdilim, 01.09.2021, 1♂; **Osmancık**, 1♀; Yaylabaşı, 14.07.2019, 1♀; 04.05.2020, 1♀, 1♂; Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♀, 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is commonly and widely distributed in

Anatolia according to available records (Horváth, 1883; Hoberlandt, 1955; Linnavuori, 1965; Tezcan & Önder, 1999; Tezcan & Önder, 1999; Öz Saraç, 2004; Önder, et al. 2006; Dursun, 2011; Yıldırım et al. 2011; Küçükbasmacı & Kıyak, 2015; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021; Çerçi & Özgen, 2021). This species was found on *Juniperus* sp. and it is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study.

***Gonocerus juniperi* Herrich-Schaeffer, 1839**

Material examined: Dodurga, Berkköy, 18.09.2020, 1♀, 1♂; Oğuzlar, Obruk Barajı, 28.09.2020, 1♀; Osmancık, Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♂; Sarpınkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♂; Yaylabaşı, 14.07.2019, 1♀; 06.10.2020, 1♀, 1♂; 08.02.2020, 1♀, 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is frequent and widely distributed in Anatolia and Turkish Thrace according to the available records (Horváth, 1883; Kiritshenko, 1918; Hoberlandt, 1955; Kıyak, 1993; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun & Fent, 2009; Dursun, 2011; Kıvan & Dirik, 2016; Özgen et al., 2018; Sert & Özdemir, 2019). It was found on *Juniperus* sp. and is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study.

***Phyllomorpha* Laporte, 1833**

***Phyllomorpha laciniata* (Villers, 1789)**

Material examined: Bayat, 19.07.2020, 1♀, 1♂; Dodurga, Berkköy, 18.09.2020, 1♀, 1♂; Osmancık, Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♂; Osmancık, 25.05.2019, 1♀; Ortaköy, Fındıklı, 26.07.2020, 1♂; Sarpınkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♂; Yaylabaşı, 14.07.2019, 1♀.

Comments: *Phyllomorpha laciniata* (= *Phyllomorpha lacerata* Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835) is Holomediterranean species. It is frequent and widely distributed in Anatolia and Turkish Thrace according to the available records (Fahringer, 1922; Hoberlandt, 1955; Kıyak, 1990a; Kıyak, 1990b; Moulet, 1995; Öz Saraç, 2004; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun & Fent, 2009; Dursun, 2011; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). This species was found under *Acantholimon* sp. and *Astragalus* sp. and is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study.

Rhopalidae Amyot & Serville, 1843

Rhopalinae Amyot & Serville, 1843

***Brachycarenum* Fieber, 1860**

***Brachycarenum languidus* (Horváth, 1891)**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 19.07.2020, 2♀♀, 1♂; Kıvırcık, 26.07.2020, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Laçın, Yeşilgöl, 01.09.2019, 1♂, Kırkdilim, 01.09.2021, 1♂; Osmancık, 1♀, 1♂; Yaylabaşı, 14.07.2019, 2♂♂, 1♀; 04.05.2020, 1♀, 1♂.

Comments: This Irano-Turanian species is rare in Turkey according to available records (Horváth, 1891; Kiritshenko, 1918; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). This species is reported for the first time from Çorum province in the study and it was found on *Chenopodium* sp.

***Brachycarenum tigrinus* (Schilling, 1829)**

Material examined: Kargı, Karapürçek, 02.10.2021, 2♀♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is widespread distributed and frequently found in Turkey (Puton & Noualhier, 1895; Horvath, 1901, 1905; Kiritshenko, 1918; Gadeau de Kerville, 1939; Tuatay et al., 1972; Pehlivan, 1981; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Dursun, 2009; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Kaçar, 2019; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021). This species was found on *Chenopodium* sp.

Corizus Fallén, 1814**Corizus hyoscyami (Linnaeus, 1758)**

Material examined: Alaca, 05.06.2021, 1♂; Bayat, 19.07.2020, 2♀♀, 1♂; Osmancık, 25.05.2019, 1♂; 23.04.2021, 1♂; 23.06.2021, 2♀♀; Yaylabaşı, 17.04.2020, 1♂, 1♀; Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♂, 1♀; Sungurlu, 16.10.2021, 1♂; Uğurludağ, 10.07.2021, 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is widespread distributed and frequently found in Turkey. (Pehlivan, 1981; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Yücel & Kıvanç, 2018; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bolu, 2020; Çerçi & Özgen, 2021; Kıyak & Baş, 2021). This species has been found on the *Hypericum* sp. and *Onosma* sp. It is reported for the first time from Çorum province in this study.

Liorhyssus Stål, 1870**Liorhyssus hyalinus (Fabricius, 1794)**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 23.08.2021, 1♀, 1♂; Kargı, Karapürçek, 02.10.2021, 1♀; Osmancık, Yaylabaşı, 14.07.2019, 1♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean and cosmopolitan species is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Öz Saraç & Kıyak, 2001; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Matocq et al., 2014; Altınok & Muştı, 2019; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Dursun ve Zengin, 2019; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021). This species is new record for the Heteroptera fauna of Çorum province and it was found on the *Poa* sp.

Maccevethus Dallas, 1852**Maccevethus corcicus corsicus Signoret, 1862**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 18.10.2020, 1♀; Sungurlu, 30.10.2021, 1♀.

Comments: The distribution of this Ponto-Mediterranean species is common in the Turkey. (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Altınok & Muştı, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021). In the study, this subspecies was recorded for the first time from Çorum. It has been found on the *Poa* sp.

Maccevethus errans caucasicus (Kolenati, 1845)

Material examined: Sungurlu, 16.10.2021, 1♂.

Comments: This Ponto-Mediterranean subspecies was recorded on the *Erodium* sp. from Çorum for the first time in the study. It is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Altınok & Muştı, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bolu, 2020; Çerçi & Özgen, 2021; Kıyak & Baş, 2021).

Rhopalus Schilling, 1827**Rhopalus parumpunctatus Schilling, 1829**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 19.07.2020, 3♀♀, 2♂♂; 06.06.2021, 2♀♀, 1♂; Kargı, Karapürçek, 02.10.2021, 2♀♀; Osmancık, Ardiç, 02.10.2021, 2♀♀; Yaylabaşı, 17.04.2020, 1♀; Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♀.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species was recorded on the *Alnus* sp., *Artemisia* sp., and *Geranium* sp. and from Çorum for the first time in the study. It is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Matocq et al., 2014; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Altınok & Muştı, 2019).

Rhopalus subrufus (Gmelin, 1790)

Material examined: Kargı, Başköy, 26.06.2021, 1♀, 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species was recorded from Çorum for the first time in the study. It is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Uygun & Yiğit, 1982; Yıldırım et al., 2013; Beyaz & Tezcan, 2002; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Kıyak & Baş, 2021; Sarı & Yıldırım, 2021). It was found on the *Poa* sp.

***Stictopleurus* Stål, 1872**

***Stictopleurus abutilon* (Rossi, 1790)**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 18.08.2020, 1♀, 2♂♂; 06.06.2021, 1♀.

Comments: In the study, this Holomediterranean species was recorded for the first time from Çorum. It was found on the *Achillea* sp. and *Artemisia* sp. It is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey (Puton, 1892; Horvath, 1901; Fahringer, 1922; Gadeau de Kerville, 1939; Tuatay et al., 1972; Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Yıldırım et al., 2011; Matocq et al., 2014; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019; Bolu, 2020; Bulak Korkmaz & Yıldırım, 2021).

***Chorosoma* Curtis, 1830**

***Chorosoma schillingii* (Schilling, 1829)**

Material examined: Çorum, Center, 06.06.2021, 2♀♀, 2♂♂; Dodurga, Berkköy, 18.09.2020, 2♀♀, 1♂; **Osmancık**, Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 2♀♀, 3♂♂; 25.05.2019, 3♀♀, 4♂♂; Ortaköy, Fındıklı, 26.07.2020, 1♀, 2♂♂; Sarpınkavak, 19.10.2020, 1♀ 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is widespread and frequently distributed in Turkey and it was recorded for the first time from Çorum province in this study (Horvath, 1894; 1905; Puton et Noualhier, 1895; Kiritshenko, 1918; Fahringer, 1922; Hoberlandt, 1955; Pehlivan, 1981; Dursun, 2009; Yıldırım et al., 2013; Matocq et al., 2014; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). This species has been found on the *Poa* sp.

Stenocephalidae Dallas, 1852

***Dicranocephalus* Hahn, 1826**

***Dicranocephalus agilis* (Scopoli, 1763)**

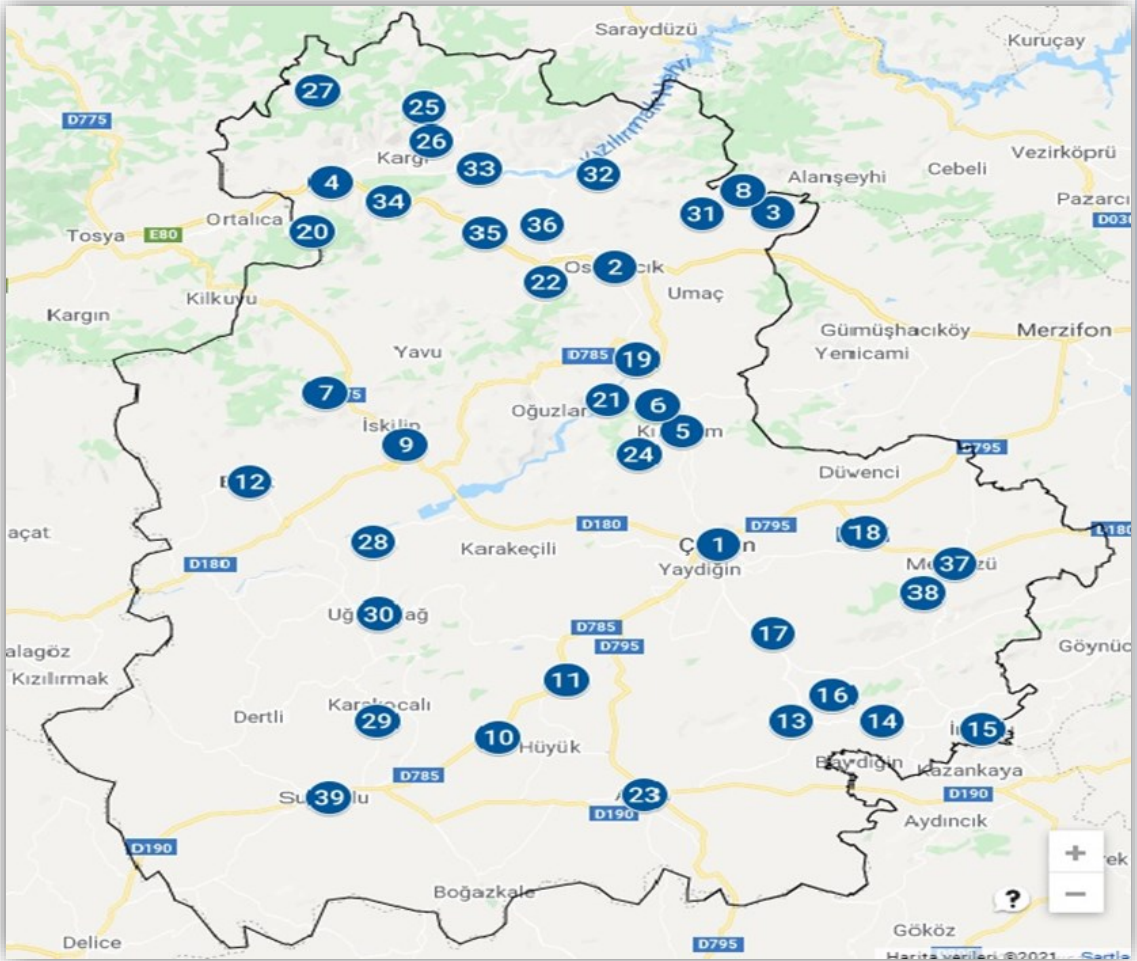
Material examined: Çorum, Center, 27.07.2021, 2♂♂; **Osmancık**, Akören Plateau, 18.04.2020, 1♀, 1♂; **Kargı**, Kargı Plateau, 19.06.2021, 1♀, 1♂.

Comments: This Holomediterranean species is widespread distributed and frequently found in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Fent & Dursun, 2019; Zengin & Dursun, 2019). The finding of the species is the first record for Çorum province and it has been found on *Euphorbia* sp.

***Dicranocephalus albipes* (Fabricius, 1781)**

Material examined: Bayat, 19.07.2020, 2♀♀; **Kargı**, Kargı Plateau, 19.06.2021, 2♀♀, 3♂♂; Kargı Tatil Köyü, 26.06.2021, 6♀♀, 4♂♂; **Osmancık**, Ardıç, 02.10.2021, 1♀; Öbektaş Plateau, 24.07.2021, 1♀; **Sungurlu**, Kertme, 10.07.2021, 4♀♀, 3♂♂.

Comments: The present record of this Holomediterranean species is the first time for the Heteroptera fauna of Çorum province. It has been found on *Euphorbia* sp. This species is widespread distributed and frequently found in Turkey (Pehlivan, 1981; Önder et al., 2006; Dursun, 2009; Küçükbasmacı & Kıyak, 2015; Fent & Dursun, 2019).

Figure 1. The area of study in Çorum (from google earth).

CONCLUSION AND DISCUSSION

In this study, as a result of the identification of the material collected from 39 different localities in around Çorum province between 2019 and 2021 revealed 3 species belonging to 2 genera of the Alydidae family, 13 species belonging to 10 genera of the Coreidae family, 10 species belonging to 7 genera of the Rhopalidae family and 2 species belonging to 1 genera of the Stenocephalidae family. The total 28 species belonging to 20 genera of the superfamily Coreoidea were reported in Çorum province. Of them, 23 species are new records for the Coreoidea fauna of Çorum province.

The species *Ceraleptus gracilicornis*, *Coriomeris affinis*, *Centrocoris variegatus*, *Spathocera lobata* from the family Coreidae

and *Brachycarenum tigrinus*, *Maccevechus errans caucasicus* from the family Rhopalidae found at only in one locality in the research area too. Although of those species *C. affinis*, *C. variegatus*, *B. tigrinus* and *M. errans caucasicus* are widespread reported and frequently founded in Turkey, the species were found rarely in research area. Among the species of superfamily Coreoidea recorded in the surrounding of Çorum; *A. calcaratus*, *C. lateralis*, *C. marginatus*, *G. acuteangulatus*, *G. juniperi*, *P. laciniata*, *C. hyoscyami*, *R. parumpunctatus*, *C. schillingii*, *D. albipes* and the invasive alien species *L. occidentalis* are widespread distributed and frequently found in Turkey and also in our present study area.

In the present study, 1 species origin of Euro-Siberian, 20 species origin of

Table 1. The plant relationships of Coreoidea species from Çorum province

Family	Species	Origin	Host Plant
Alydidae Amyot & Serville, 1843	<i>Alydus calcaratus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Holomediterranean	<i>Astragalus</i> sp. (Fabaceae)
	<i>Camptopus lateralis</i> (Germar, 1817)	Holomediterranean	<i>Chrysanthemum</i> sp. (Asteraceae) <i>Rosa</i> sp., (Rosaceae) <i>Rumex</i> sp. (Polygonaceae)
	<i>Camptopus tragacanthae</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Irano-Turanian	<i>Astragalus</i> sp. (Fabaceae)
Coreoidea Leach, 1815	<i>Ceraleptus gracilicornis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1835)	Holomediterranean	<i>Trifolium</i> sp. (Fabaceae)
	<i>Coriomeris affinis</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1839)	Mediterranean	<i>Pinus</i> sp. (Pinaceae)
	<i>Coriomeris denticulatus</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Euro-Siberian	<i>Lamium</i> sp. (Lamiaceae)
	<i>Leptoglossus occidentalis</i> Heidemann, 1910	Neactic region	<i>Pinus</i> sp. (Pinaceae)
	<i>Centrocoris spiniger</i> (Fabricius, 1781)	Holomediterranean	<i>Cirsium</i> sp. (Asteraceae)
	<i>Centrocoris variegatus</i> Kolenati, 1845	Holomediterranean	<i>Cirsium</i> sp. (Asteraceae)
	<i>Coreus marginatus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Holomediterranean	<i>Rumex</i> sp. (Polygonaceae)
	<i>Enoplops disciger</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Pontomediterranean	<i>Echium</i> sp. (Boraginaceae)
	<i>Spathocera lobata</i> (Herrich-Schaeffer, 1840)	Holomediterranean	<i>Rumex</i> sp. (Polygonaceae)
	<i>Syromastus rhombeus</i> (Linnaeus, 1767)	Holomediterranean	<i>Poa</i> sp. (Poaceae)
	<i>Gonocerus acuteangulatus</i> (Goeze, 1778)	Holomediterranean	<i>Juniperus</i> sp. (Cupressaceae)
	<i>Gonocerus juniperi</i> Herrich-Schaeffer, 1839	Holomediterranean	<i>Juniperus</i> sp. (Cupressaceae)
	<i>Phyllomorpha laciniata</i> (Villers, 1789)	Holomediterranean	<i>Acantholimon</i> sp. (Plumbaginaceae) <i>Astragalus</i> sp. (Fabaceae)
Rhopalidae Amyot & Serville, 1843	<i>Brachycarenum languidus</i> (Horváth, 1891)	Irano-Turanian	<i>Chenopodium</i> sp. (Chenopodiaceae)
	<i>Brachycarenum tigrinus</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Holomediterranean	<i>Chenopodium</i> sp. (Chenopodiaceae)
	<i>Corizus hyoscyami</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Holomediterranean	<i>Hypericum</i> sp. (Hypericaceae) <i>Onosma</i> sp. (Boraginaceae)
	<i>Liorhyssus hyalinus</i> (Fabricius, 1794)	Holomediterranean	<i>Poa</i> sp. (Poaceae)
	<i>Maccevechus corcicus corsicus</i> Signoret, 1862	Pontomediterranean	<i>Poa</i> sp. (Poaceae)
	<i>Maccevechus errans caucasicus</i> (Kolenati, 1845)	Pontomediterranean	<i>Erodium</i> sp. (Geraniaceae)
	<i>Rhopalus parumpunctatus</i> Schilling, 1829	Holomediterranean	<i>Alnus</i> sp., (Betulaceae) <i>Artemisia</i> sp., (Asteraceae) <i>Geranium</i> sp. (Geraniaceae)
	<i>Rhopalus subrufus</i> (Gmelin, 1790)	Holomediterranean	<i>Poa</i> sp. (Poaceae)
	<i>Stictopleurus abutilon</i> (Rossi, 1790)	Holomediterranean	<i>Achillea</i> sp., <i>Artemisia</i> sp. (Asteraceae)
	<i>Chorosoma schillingii</i> (Schilling, 1829)	Holomediterranean	<i>Poa</i> sp. (Poaceae)
Stenocephalidae Dallas, 1852	<i>Dicranocephalus agilis</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	Holomediterranean	<i>Euphorbia</i> sp. (Euphorbiaceae)
	<i>Dicranocephalus albipes</i> (Fabricius, 1781)	Holomediterranean	<i>Euphorbia</i> sp. (Euphorbiaceae)

Holomediterranean, 2 species origin of Nearctic region (cosmopolitan) have been recorded from Çorum. Holomediterranean, 3 species origin of Pontomediterranean species are a very common and abundant in the surroundings of Çorum.

As a result of our observations in the field, a total of 21 taxon at genus level from 15 plant families were identified in relation to Coreoidea species. When take into account the preferences of Coreoidea species in these families, 5 species were associated with Asteraceae and Poaceae, 4 species with Fabaceae, 3 species with Polygonaceae, 2 species with Boraginaceae, Chenopodiaceae, Cupressaceae, Euphorbiaceae, Geraniaceae and Pinaceae, 1 species with Betulaceae, Hypericaceae, Plumbaginaceae and Rosaceae (Table.1).

Many microclimate areas is very important for faunal component. The geographical location of Çorum is beetwen central Antolia and central Black sea region. There are also microclimate areas in Çorum. Because of its location, Çorum is a dispersal corridor for different animal. With the present additional records were contributed to the distribution of the families Alydidae, Coreidae, Rhopalidae and Stenocephalidae, in Turkey the determination of biodiversity of this families in the surroundings of Çorum.

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