

A WORLD LIST OF PARASITES OF COCCINELLIDAE¹

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ABSTRACT

The parasitic organisms attacking Coccinellidae of the world are presented in two lists: parasites of a given host, and hosts of a known parasite. Parasites listed include: 9 fungi, 1 bacterium, 8 protozoans, 9 nematodes, 2 mites, and 83 insects. Forty-three genera and 125 species of coccinellid hosts are included. Two hundred and three references are cited.

INTRODUCTION

The current interest in biological control or integrated control programs against insect pests requires a full understanding of the organisms being used. Coccinellids, a widely used group of predators, are attacked by various parasitic or pathogenic organisms. These organisms may reduce the effectiveness of predators or even prevent their establishment. The following lists are compiled from published reports of parasitic organisms on all stages of coccinellids of the world.

The first list contains coccinellid species listed alphabetically with their parasites. The numbers refer to literature citations. The second list contains the parasites found attacking coccinellids. The parasites are listed phylogenetically and the genera alphabetically. An asterisk against names of parasites in second list indicates synonymy. A list of synonyms is given. The parasites are coded as follows: F-Fungi, B-Bacteria, G-Gregarinidae, M-Microporidia, N-Nematoda, A-Acarina, DP-Diptera Phoridae, DT-Diptera Tachinidae, HB-Hymenoptera Braconidae, HC-Hymenoptera Ceraphronidae, HCH-Hymenoptera Chalcididae, HEN-Hymenoptera Encyrtidae, HEU-Hymenoptera Eulophidae, HEP-Hymenoptera Eupelmidae, HI-Hymenoptera Ichneumonidae, HP-Hymenoptera Proctotrupidae, HPT-Hymenoptera Pteromalidae.

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- Beauveria bassiana* Vuillman — *Adalia bipunctata*,
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B. tenella (Del.) Siemasko — *Epilachna vigintioctopunctata*
Cladosporium sp. — *Cycloneda sanguinea*
Hesperomyces virescens Thaxter — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
Laboulbenia sp. — *Coccinella undecimpunctata*
Laboulbeniaceae — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
Metarrhizium anisopliae (Metchnikoff) —
Epilachna vigintioctopunctata
Myrothecium roridum Tode — *Epilachna varivestis*
Phyllactinia suffulta (Reb.) Sacc. — *Halyzia duodecimguttata*, *H. sedecimguttata*, *H. vigintiduopunctata*
 Unidentified Fungi — *Olla abdominalis*

BACTERIA

- Bacterial or Viral — *Stethorus punctillum*
 Unidentified Bacteria — *Cycloneda sanguinea*,
Hippodamia convergens
 Protozoa
 Gregarinidae
Gregarina sp. — *Adonia variegata*, *Coccinella septempunctata*, *Harmonia conglobata*, *H. quadrunderdecimpunctata*, *Pullus impexus*
G. coccinellae Lipa — *Coccinella quinquepunctata*, *C. septempunctata*, *Myrrha octodecimguttata*
 Unidentified Gregarinidae — *Hippodamia convergens*, *Coccinella undecimpunctata*
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Nosema coccinellae Lipa — *Coccinella septempunctata*, *Hippodamia tredecimpunctata*, *Myrrha octodecimguttata*
N. hippodamiae Lipa — *Anatis rathvoni*, *Hippodamia convergens*, *Olla abdominalis*

- N. tracheophila** Cole and Briggs — *Coccinella septempunctata*
Rickettsia stethorae Hall — *Stethorus* sp., *S. gilivfrons*, *S. punctum*, *S. punctillum*
Unidentified Microsporidia — *Hippodamia convergens*

NEMATODA

Agameris decaudata Christie — *Coleomegilla maculata*
Hexameris sp. — *Aphidecta oblitterata*
Mermis sp. — *Adonia undecimnotata*, *A. variegata*, *Coccinella septempunctata*, *Harmonia quaduordecimpunctata*
M. coccinellae Dies. — *Coccinella septempunctata*
M. nigrescens Duj. — *Coccinella septempunctata*
Nematodeum scymni glacialis Dies. — *Scymnus glacialis*
Parasytlenchoides sp. — *Harmonia conglobata*, *H. quaduordecimpunctata*
Parasytlenchus coccinellae Iberti and Waerebeke — *Adalia bipunctata*, *Adonia variegata*, *Harmonia conglobata*, *H. quadripunctata*, *H. quaduordecimpunctata*.
Unidentified Mermithidae — *Pullus impexus*
Unidentified Nematode — *Coccinella trifasciata*, *Coleomegilla maculata*

ACARINA

Tetrapolipus hippodamiae McDaniel and Morril — *Hippodamia convergens*
Typhlodromus fallacis (Garman) — *Stethorus punctillum*
Unidentified Acarina — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*

INSECTA

Diptera — Phoridae
Megaselia sp. — *Epilachna varivestis*
Phalacrotophora sp. — *Adonia variegata*, *Coccinella septempunctata*
P. berolinensis Schmitz — *Aphidecta oblitterata*, *Coccinellidae*
P. fasciata Fall. — *Adalia* sp., *A. bipunctata*, *Adonia* sp., *A. undecimnotata*, *A. variegata*, *Anatis ocellata*, *Calvia quatuordecimguttata*, *Chilocorus* sp., *C. bipustulatus*, *Coccinella* sp., *C. septempunctata*, *C. undecimpunctata*, *Coccinellidae*, *Cydonia* sp., *Harmonia quaduordecimpunctata*, *Hippodamia* sp., *Neomysia* sp., *N. oblongoguttata*, *Semiadalia* sp., *S. undecimnotata novempunctata*, *Thea* sp., *T. vigintiduopunctata*, *Vibidia* sp., *V. duodecimguttata*
P. nedae Schmitz — *Coccinellidae*
Tachinidae
Clistomorpha triangulifera (Loew) — *Adalia undecimpunctata*, *Coccinella trifasciata*, *Coc-*

cinellidae, *Coleomegilla* sp., *Coleomegilla maculata*, *Epilachna* sp., *E. varivestis*
Degeeria collaris Fall. — *Coccinellidae*
D. luctosa Meigan — *Adalia decimpunctata*, *Semiadalia undecimnotata*
Exoristoides slossonae Coq. — *Coccinellidae*, *Epilachna varivestis*
Doryphorophaga doryphorae Ril. — *Coccinellidae*
Lydinolydella brucki Blanch. — *Coccinellidae*
L. metallica Townsend — *Coccinellidae*, *Epilachna* sp., *E. eusema*, *E. marginella*
Nemorilla maculosa Mg. — *Coccinellidae*, *Epilachna varivestis*
Paradexodes *epilachnae* Aldrich — *Epilachna varivestis*, *E. defecta*, *E. philippensis*
Phorocera doryphorae Riley — *Epilachna varivestis*
P. claripennis Macquart — *Epilachna varivestis*
Sarcophaga latisternus Park. — *Coccinellidae*, *Epilachna varivestis*
S. rapax Walk. — *Coccinellidae*, *Epilachna varivestis*
S. reinhardi Hul. — *Coccinellidae*, *Epilachna varivestis*
Stomatoya edwarsi Will. — *Coccinellidae*
Unidentified Tachinidae — *Adalia undecimnotata*, *A. variegata*, *Epilachna varivestis*, *Harmonia conglobata*, *H. quaduordecimpunctata*
Unidentified Diptera — *Adalia bipunctata*
Hymenoptera — Braconidae
Centistes scymni Ferriere — *Pullus impexus*
Perilitus sp. — *Adalia flavomaculata*, *Chilomenes lunata*, *Exochomus nigrimaculata*
P. coccinellae (Schrank) — *Adalia bipunctata*, *A. decimpunctata*, *A. undecimpunctata*, *A. frigida*, *Adonia* sp., *A. undecimnotata*, *A. variegata*, *Anatis quinquedecimpunctata*, *Coccinella arcuata*, *C. divaricata*, *C. novemnotata*, *C. quinquepunctata*, *C. repanda*, *C. septempunctata*, *C. transversoguttata*, *C. trifasciata*, *C. undecimpunctata*, *Coccinellidae*, *Coelophora biplagiata*, *C. inaequalis*, *Coleomegilla maculata*, *Cyclonedra munda*, *C. sanguinea*, *Epilachna quaduordecimnotata*, *Halyzia quaduordecimguttata*, (= *sedecimguttata*), *H. quaduordecimpunctata*, *Harmonia conglobata*, *H. quadripunctata*, *H. quaduordecimpunctata*, *Hippodamia convergens*, *H. glacialis*, *H. parenthesis*, *H. quinquesignata*, *H. sinuata*, *H. transversoguttata*, *H. tredecimpunctata*, *Leis dimidiata*, *Macronaemia hauseri*, *Olla abdominalis*, *Propylea quadridecimpunctata*, *Psyllobora vigintiduopunctata*, *Semiadalia undecimnotata*, *Verania discolor*
P. stuardoi Porter — *Adalia bipunctata*, *A.*

- deficiens**, *Eriopsis connexa*, *Cryptolaemus montrouzieri*
- Synaldis** sp. — *Epilachna varivestis*
- Unidentified Braconidae** — *Leis conformis*
- Ceraphronidae
- Aphanogmus** sp. — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
- Chalcididae
- Brachymeria** sp. — *Epilachna chrysomelina*
- B. carinatifrons** Gahan — *Epilachna defecta*, *E. varivestis*
- Unidentified Chalcididae** — *Epilachna vigintioctopunctata*
- Encyrtidae
- Achrysopophagus aegypticus** Mercet — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
- Anisotylus** sp. — *Coccinellidae*, *Hyperaspis* sp., *Scymnus* sp.
- A. albifrons** Ishii — *Scymnus* sp.
- A. similis similis** (Ashmead)* — *Scymnus cervicolis*
- A. similis texanus** Timberlake — *Coccinellidae*, *Hyperaspis bigeminata*
- A. similis utahensis** Timberlake — *Scymnus americanus*, *S. collaris*, *S. lacustris*, *S. melshiemeri*
- Homalotyloides laticapes** Mali — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
- Homalotylus** sp. — *Adalia flavomaculata*, *Adonia* sp., *Chilocorus* sp., *C. bipustulatus*, *Chilomenes* sp., *C. lunata*, *Coccinella* sp., *C. septempunctata*, *Coccinellidae*, *Cycloneda sanguinea*, *Cydonia* sp., *Exochomus* sp., *E. nigrimaculata*, *E. quadripustulatus*, *Hippodamia* sp., *Hyperaspis* sp., *H. guttulata*, *H. lateralis*, *Nephus* sp., *Scymnus* sp., *Sidis* sp., *Vibidia* sp.
- H. affinis** Timberlake — *Hyperaspis osculans*
- H. albatarsus** Gahan — *Coccinellidae*
- H. brevicauda** Timberlake — *Scymnus* sp.
- H. cockerelli** Timberlake — *Hyperaspis trimaculata*, *H. vittigera*
- H. flaminius** Dalman* — *Adonia variegata*, *Chilocorus* sp., *C. bipustulatus*, *C. kuwanae*, *Chilomenes lunata*, *Coccinella brucki*, *C. quinquepunctata*, *C. repanda*, *C. septempunctata*, *Coccinellidae*, *Egleis kingi*, *Exochomus* sp., *E. flavipes*, *E. quadripustulatus*, *Harmonia conglobata*, *H. quaduordecimpunctata*, *Hippodamia tibialis*, *H. tredecimpunctata*, *Hyperaspis campestris*, *H. senegalensis*, *Orcus chalybaeus*, *O. janthinus*, *O. laferti*, *O. nummularis*, *Rodalia cardinalis*, *Scymnus* sp., *S. ornatus*, *S. soudanensis*, *Thea vigintiduopunctata*, *Verania frenata*
- H. hyperaspidius** Timberlake — *Hyperaspis undulata*
- H. oculatus** Girault — *Scymnus bipunctatus*
- H. quaylei** Timberlake — *Scymnus* sp., *S. fenestratus*, *S. includens*, *S. quadrimaculata*, *S. suturalis*
- H. terminalis californicus** Girault* — *Adalia bipunctata*, *Chilomenes sexmaculata*, *Coccinella novemnotata*, *C. quinquepunctata*, *Hippodamia convergens*
- H. terminalis terminalis** (Say)* — *Anatis quinquedecimpunctata*, *Chilocorus similis*, *Coccinella novemnotata*, *Coccinellidae*, *Coleomegilla* sp., *C. innotata*, *C. maculata*, *Cycloneda* sp., *C. munda*, *C. sanguinea*, *Hippodamia convergens*, *Neomysia pullata*, *Psyllobora vigintimaculata*, *Scymnus* sp., *S. lacustris*
- H. vicinus** Say — *Nephus vetustus*
- Isodromus niger** Ashmead — *Chilocorus similis*
- Lepidaphycus bosqui** Blanch — *Cycloneda sanguinea*, *Eriopsis connexa*
- Mestocharis lividus** Girault — *Epilachna vigintioctopunctata*
- Oenocyrthus johnsoni** (Howard) — *Coccinellidae*
- Stomatoceras colliscutellum** Girault — *Epilachna vigintioctopunctata*
- Zeteticontus** sp. — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
- Eulophidae**
- Pediobiuss epilachnae** Rohwer* — *Epilachna* sp., *E. chrysomelina*, *E. philippensis*, *E. varivestis*, *E. vigintioctopunctata*
- P. mediopunctata** Wtstn. — *Coccinella* sp.
- P. foveolatus** Crawford — *Epilachna* sp.
- Syntomosphyrum taprobanes** Wtstn. — *Scymnus* sp.
- Tetrastichus** sp. — *Adalia* sp., *Adonia variegata*, *Chilocorus* sp., *Chilomenes lunata*, *Coccinella* sp., *Epilachna* sp., *E. indica*, *Exochomus* sp., *Hyperaspis senegalensis*, *Nephus* sp., *Scymnus ornatus*, *S. soudanensis*, *Sidis* sp.
- T. coccinellae** Kurdjumov — *Adalia bipunctata*, *Calvia quaduordecimpunctata* (= *sedecimguttata*), *Chilocorus bipustulatus*, *C. renipustulatus*, *Chilomenes sexmaculata*, *Coccinella quinquepunctata*, *C. septempunctata*, *C. undecimpunctata*, *Coccinellidae*, *Harmonia quaduordecimpunctata*, *Synharmonia conglobata*
- T. epilachnae** Giard* — *Adalia bipunctata*, *Chilocorus bipustulatus*, *Coccinella septempunctata*, *Epilachna* sp., *E. argus*, *E. chrysomelina*, *Exochomus flavipes*, *E. quadripustulatus*, *Subcoccinella vigintiquatropunctata*
- T. melanis** Burks — *Coccinella* sp., *C. quinquedecimnotata*, *C. quinquepunctata*
- T. minutus** (Howard)* — *Adalia bipunctata*, *Chilocorus similis*, *Coccinella* sp., *Coccinellidae*, *Cycloneda sanguinea*
- T. neglectus** Domenichini — *Chilocorus bijugus*, *C. bipustulatus*, *Coccinella septempunctata*, *Exochomus quadripustulatus*, *Scymnus subvillosus*
- T. sempronius** Erdoes — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*

T. *thanasimi* Ashmead* — *Chilocorus stigma*
 T. *tibialis* (Ashmead)* — *Coccinella novemnotata*
 T. *ovulorum* Laboulbene — *Epilachna chrysomelina*, *E. vigintioctopunctata*
 Eupelmidae
Anastatus disparis Ruschka — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
Eupelmus sp. — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
 Ichneumonidae
 Unidentified Ichneumonidae — *Coccinella septempunctata*
 Prototrupidae
Lygoerus sp. — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*, *Coccinella septempunctata*
 Unidentified Prototrupidae — *Epilachna admirabilis*
 Pteromalidae
Metastenus townsendi (Ashmead)* — *Azya lutipes*,
Hyperaspis sp., *H. lateralis*, *H. senegalensis*, *H. undulata*, *Scymnus* sp., *S. guttulatus*, *S. lacustris*
Pachyneuron sp. — *Adonia variegata*, *Chilomenes lunata*, *Hippodamia tredecimpunctata*, *Hyperaspis senegalensis*, *Scymnus kiesenwetteri*, *S. ornatus*, *S. soudanensis*
P. chilocori Domenichini — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
P. siphonophorae (Ashmead)* — *Hippodamia tibialis*, *H. tredecimpunctata*
P. syrphi (Ashmead) — *Coccinella septempunctata*
Pseudocatalaccus sp. — *Chilocorus bipustulatus*
Scymnophagus (= *Metastenus*) *mesnili* Farriere —
Pullus impexus
Tripolycestus cryptognathae Girault — *Cryptognatha nodiceps*

Unidentified Pteromalid — *Hyperaspis lateralis*
 Unidentified Parasite — *Chilomenes sexmaculata*,
Olla abdominalis

SYNONYMY

PARASITES

Anisotylus similis similis (Ashmead) (HEN) —
Homalotylus similis
Homalotylus flaminius Dalman (HEN) —
Homalatylus flaminius, *Homalotylus flaminus*
Homalotylus terminalis californicus Girault
 (HEN) — *Homalotylus obscurus* var. *californicus*,
Homalotylus terminalis
Homalotylus terminalis terminalis (Say) (HEN)
 — *Eutelus scymnae* Shimer, *Homalatylus terminalis*, *Homalotylus obscurus*, *H. scymni*, *H. terminalis*
Metastenus townsendi (Ashmead) (HPT) —
Scymnophagus secundus, *S. townsendi*, *Xenocrepis mexicana*
Pachyneuron siphonophorae (Ashmead) (HPT)
 — *Pachyneuron aphidiorum*
Pediobius epilachnae Rohwer (HEU) —
Pleurotropis epilachnae
Tetrastichus epilachnae Giard (HEU) — *Lygellus epilachnae*, *Tetrastichus jablonowskii*
Tetrastichus minutus (Howard) (HEU) —
Epomphaloïdes minutus, *Syntomosphyrum esurus*,
Tetrastichus blephyrī, *T. blephyria*, *Tetrastichodes detrimentosus*
T. thanasimi Ashmead (HEU) — *Tetrastichodes thanasimi*
T. tibialis (Ashmead) (HEU) — *Tetrastichodes tibialis*

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DRIFT PERIODICITY AND UPSTREAM DISPERSION OF STREAM INSECTS¹

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ABSTRACT

Drift periodicity and upstream dispersion by larval and nymphal insects from two north Idaho streams were investigated. Drift was determined with drift nets sampling at 2-hour intervals over 24-hour periods. Upstream dispersion was evaluated using a marking-release-recapture technique. Mayflies demonstrated nocturnal drift as did the corixid **Sigara (Vermicorixa) grossolineata** Hungerford and dipteran **Simulium** sp.; chironomids showed continuous drift as opposed to behavioral drift for most of the other insects studied. Both nocturnal and diurnal drift occurred with species in the order Trichoptera. Stoneflies showed little tendency to drift. Mid-summer upstream dispersion by mature nymphs and larvae of selected species was found to be insignificant as a means of recolonizing insect-decimated riffle habitats and offsetting downstream displacement by drift.

INTRODUCTION

Knowledge of recolonization processes of insect-decimated streams is a matter of increasing importance in understanding stream ecology. The presence or absence of certain species of insects often reflects the quality of a stream. Insects also constitute an important trophic link in food chains and play an important role in secondary production. Maintenance of unpolluted, high-quality streams and rehabilitation of those that have been rendered unproductive are vital considerations in stream management.

Population dynamics of stream insects, particularly dispersion by drift, has been investigated by Anderson (1967), Elliot (1967), Müller (1954), Pearson (1968), Waters (1962, 1968) and others.

Upstream dispersion of benthic invertebrates has been studied to a much lesser extent. Neave (1930) reported nymphs of the mayfly **Blasturus cupidus** Say to annually move up newly formed tributaries. Studying energy flow in a stream, Ball *et al.* (1963) detected upstream dispersion of radiophosphorus and suggested it was possibly transported by invertebrates. Bishop and Bishop (1968) reported no upstream movement of nymphs labeled with P³². Studying dispersal patterns of the mayfly nymph, **Baetis** sp. and a crustacean, **Gammarus** sp., Waters (1965) concluded that major movements in an experimental enclosure occurred in a downstream direction and at night, but did not exclude the possibility of some upstream movement. Roos (1967) reported the flight of egg-bearing, adult insects was principally upstream.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

Downstream dispersion by drift was studied

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