

A Contribution to the Knowledge of Ichneumonidae (Hymenoptera) from Turkey

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ABSTRACT

The present study is based upon the material collected from Bayburt, Diyarbakır, Erzurum, Kars and Pankırf provinces in recent years. A total of eight species have been recorded in the subfamilies Acaenitinae, Campopleginae, Collyriinae, Cremastinae, and Ichneumoninae of the family Ichneumonidae. Three species and the two genera, *Ctenichneumon* Thomson and *Procinetus* Foerster are new for the Turkish fauna.

Key words: Ichneumonidae, fauna, Turkey, new record

INTRODUCTION

Ichneumonidae is the largest family in the Hymenoptera with at least 60 000 extend species worldwide (Townes, 1969). Studies on Ichneumonidae of Turkey accelerated recently. Kolarov (1995) listed in his catalogue 383 species in 179 genera occurring in the country. After below mentioned contributions (Kolarov & Beyarslan, 1993; Beyarslan & Kolarov, 1994; Kolarov & Beyarslan, 1994a, 1994b, 1999; Kolarov *et al.*, 1994, 1997a, 1997b, 1999, 2000, 2002a, 2002b, 2002c; Kolarov, 1995, 1997; Hinz, 1996; Özdemir, 1996; Kolarov & Özbek, 1998; Yurtcan *et al.*, 1999; Pekel, 1999; Özbek *et al.*, 2000; Pekel & Özbek, 2000; Pekel *et al.*, 2000; Özdemir, 2001; Kasparyan & Gültekin, 2002; Yurtcan & Beyarslan, 2002; Çoruh *et al.*, 2002; Özbek *et al.*, 2003; Gürbüz 2004; Yurtcan 2004; Çoruh *et al.*, 2004; Kolarov & Gürbüz, 2004) these numbers increased to