

# BRAZILIAN APHIDOIDEA: I. KEY TO FAMILIES, SUBFAMILIES AND ACCOUNT OF THE PHYLLOXERIDAE<sup>1</sup>

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**ABSTRACT** - Keys are provided for the identification of the families and subfamilies of Aphidoidea occurring in Brazil. Host plant and geographical distribution data of Phylloxeridae are also provided. The keys are illustrated by 67 line drawings. The check list of aphids occurring in Brazil indicates the presumed origin of each species. The origin of the Brazilian fauna is discussed.

**Index terms:** Brazilian Aphids, identification Keys, host plants, check list of Genera and Species, distribution.

## AFÍDEOS BRASILEIROS: I. CHAVES PARA FAMÍLIAS, SUBFAMÍLIAS E UMA CONTRIBUIÇÃO SOBRE PHYLLOXERIDAE

**RESUMO** - São apresentadas chaves para identificação de famílias e subfamílias de afídeos (Hemiptera, Aphidoidea) que ocorrem no Brasil. Apresentam-se também dados sobre plantas hospedeiras e sobre a distribuição geográfica da família Phylloxeridae. As chaves de identificação são ilustradas com 67 desenhos, e a lista classificada das espécies de afídeos que ocorrem no Brasil inclui a presumível origem de cada uma delas. Discute-se, outrossim, a origem da fauna brasileira.

**Termos para indexação:** Aphidoidea, afídeos brasileiros, chaves para identificação, hospedeiros, distribuição geográfica.

## INTRODUCTION

The works of Lima (1923) and of Moreira (1925) contain the first published reviews about the aphid fauna of Brazil. Oliveira et al. (1977) gave references to a number of early and little known papers on Brazilian aphids and listed species trapped in the state of Espírito Santo. Lima (1928, 1936, 1942), Silva et al. (1968), Bergamin (1957) and Costa et al. (1972) also listed species occurring in the country and provided some information on their host plants.

The importance of some aphid species as vectors of plant viruses has also been pointed out (Costa 1957, Costa et al. 1972). Worldwide, aphids are known to transmit more than 200 plant virus diseases. The effects of predators and parasites on the populations of aphid species, on vegetables and on fruit trees have been studied in the State of Paraná (Schmitt 1974, Bartoszeck 1976a, 1976b, Leal et al. 1976, Lark & Smith 1976, Pereira & Smith 1976a, 1976b, Pimenta 1976, Zúñiga-Salinas 1982).

Information on individual species or groups of pest species of different crops is available, especially from the southern part of the country, but a comprehensive systematic study of Brazilian species is lacking. Bertel's (1973) account of aphid

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species from Rio Grande do Sul is of limited help for the identification of Brazilian aphids, as the species mentioned in the text do not correspond to the keys which were translated with some errors from Blanchard's (1939) excellent revision of Argentinian aphids.

The aim is to provide a means of identifying the aphid species from Brazil and to give information on host plants, geographical distribution and synonymy. This paper contains a key to the families and subfamilies and an account of the Phylloxeridae. Keys to Brazilian genera and species belonging to the other subfamilies have been prepared for publication in accounts of those groups.

Where possible, several different characters are given to discriminate similar species in the keys. This facilitates the identification of incomplete or damaged specimens from trap catches and food contaminants. These mini-descriptions also reduce the risk of confusing previously overlooked or newly introduced species with those already known in Brazil. The keys have been structured to facilitate the addition of further species.

The specimens studied are deposited in the British Museum (Natural History) aphid collection and in that of C.L. Costa in Brasília. Aphids have been seen from the States of Bahia, Ceará, Distrito Federal (Brasília), Espírito Santo, Goiás, Minas Gerais, Maranhão, Mato Grosso, Pará, Paraná, Pernambuco, Rio de Janeiro, Rio Grande do Norte, Rio Grande do Sul, Santa Catarina and São Paulo.

The classification system adopted is that used by Eastop (1977) which recognized three families of Aphidoidea: Aphididae, Adelgidae and Phylloxeridae. Species belonging to 8 out of the 10 subfamilies of Aphididae are known in Brazil; none belonging to Pterocommatinae, Phloemyzinae or to Adelgidae have been seen. The wide-spread species of Phylloxeridae, *Viteus vitifoliae*, is recorded from Brazil.

The nomenclature adopted is that of Eastop & Hille Ris Lambers (1976) in their "Survey of the World Aphids" hereafter referred to as "Survey".

Of the 115 species of aphids known from Brazil, 18 are native South or Central American species, 5 others also occur in North America but probably occur here naturally. Most if not all the others were probably introduced by man on cultivated plants or weeds. Of these 92 introduced species 15 probably originated from North America, 42 from the Western Palaearctic region including the Mediterranean sub-region, 3 from subtropical areas adjacent to the Western Palaearctic, 5 from South Western Asia, 10 from southern Asia and 12 from the Eastern Palaearctic region. The remaining 5 species are of uncertain origin, being now widespread and without close relatives of a restricted distribution, and living on plants occurring naturally in several geographical regions.

The distribution of species within subfamily groups, including World and Brazilian Fauna, is given in Table 1. The 115 species known to occur in Brazil constitute only 2.8% of the known world fauna.

The information for each collection includes: State, locality, host plant or trap, date and (collector - leg).

Full synonymy is not given as it is readily available in the "Survey". Only synonyms that have been used in Neotropical region literature are given.

TABELA 1. Distribution of species in the subfamily groups.

Family	Subfamily	Brazilian fauna			World Fauna	
		Number of genera	Nº	Species %	Nº	Species %
PHYLLOXERIDAE		1	1	0.9	67	1.6
ADELGIDAE		0	0	0	48	1.2
APHIDIDAE		54	114	99.1	3937	97.2
Lachninae		3	5	4.3	346	8.5
Chaitophorinae		1	1	0.9	150	3.7
Drepanosiphinae		5	12	10.4	407	10.0
Pterocommatinae		0	0	0	44	1.1
Aphidinae		35	84	73.0	2412	59.5
Aphidiini		( 6)	(24)	(20.9)		
Aphidina		( 2)	(17)	(14.8)		
Rhopalosiphina		( 4)	( 7)	( 6.1)		
Macrosiphini		(29)	(60)	(52.1)		
Anoecinae		1	1	0.9	19	0.5
Greenideinae		1	1	0.9	122	3.0
Phloeomyzinae		0	0	0	1	0.1
Hormaphidinae		1	2	1.7	167	4.1
Pemphiginae		7	8	6.9	269	6.6
Total		55	115	100.0	4052	100.0

## CLASSIFIED LIST OF BRAZILIAN APHIDS

The presumed origin of each species is indicated in the list below, by \* = native South or Central American, EP = Eastern Palaearctic, N = North American, Or = Oriental; SWA = South West Asian; WP = Western Palaearctic; WP, M = Mediterranean region.

## PHYLLOXERIDAE

## Phylloxerini

Genus *Viteus* Shimer, 1867*Viteus vitifoliae* (Fitch, 1855)

N

## APHIDIDAE

## Lachninae

## Cinarini

Genus *Cinara* Curtis, 1835*Cinara (Cinarella) maritimae* (Dufour, 1833)

WP

*Cinara (Cinarella) piniformosana* (Takahashi, 1923)

EP

*Cinara (Cupressobium) tujafilina* (del Guercio, 1909)

WP

Genus *Eulachnus* del Guercio, 1909*Eulachnus rileyi* (Wilson, 1911)

WP

## Lachnini

Genus <i>Tuberolachnus</i> Mordvilko, 1909		
<i>Tuberolachnus salignus</i> (Gmelin, 1790)		WP
Chaitophorinae		
Siphini		
Genus <i>Sipha</i> Passerini, 1860		
<i>Sipha flava</i> (Forbes, 1884)	* ? or N	
Drepanosiphinae (=Callaphidinae)		
Neophyllaphidini		
Genus <i>Neophyllaphis</i> Takahashi, 1920		
Subgenus <i>Chileaphis</i> Essig, 1954		
<i>Neophyllaphis (Chileaphis) ? podocarpini</i> Carrillo, 1980	*	
Lizeriini		
Genus <i>Lizerius</i> Blanchard 1923		
<i>Lizerius acunai</i> (Holman, 1974)	*	
<i>Lizerius melanocallis</i> (Quednau, 1974)	*	
<i>Lizerius ocotaeae</i> E.E. Blanchard, 1923	*	
<i>Lizerius tuberculatus</i> (E.E. Blanchard, 1939)	*	
Subgenus <i>Paralizerius</i> Quednau, 1974		
<i>Lizerius (Paralizerius) brasiliensis</i> Quednau, 1974	*	
<i>Lizerius (Paralizerius) cermelii</i> Quednau, 1974	*	
<i>Lizerius (Paralizerius) costai</i> Quednau, 1974	*	
<i>Lizerius (Paralizerius) intermedius</i> Quednau, 1974	*	
Phyllaphidini		
Genus <i>Eucallipterus</i> Schouteden, 1906		
<i>Eucallipterus tiliae</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	WP	
Genus <i>Myzocallis</i> Passerini, 1860		
<i>Myzocallis castanicola</i> Baker, 1917	WP	
Genus <i>Tuberculatus</i> Mordvilko, 1984		
Subgenus <i>Tuberculoides</i> van der Goot, 1915		
<i>Tuberculatus (Tuberculoides) annulatus</i> (Hartig, 1841)	WP	
Aphidinae		
Aphidini		
Aphidina		
Genus <i>Aphis</i> Linnaeus, 1758		
<i>Aphis amaranthi</i> Holman, 1974	*	
<i>Aphis coreopsisidis</i> (Thomas, 1878)	?N	
<i>Aphis craccivora</i> Koch, 1854	WP	
<i>Aphis fabae</i> Scopoli, 1763	WP	
<i>Aphis fabae solanella</i> Theobald, 1914	WP	
<i>Aphis forbesi</i> Wood, 1889	?N	
<i>Aphis gossypii</i> Glover, 1877	?WP	
<i>Aphis illinoiensis</i> Shimer, 1866	N	
<i>Aphis nerii</i> Boyer de Fonscolombe, 1841	?	
<i>Aphis sambuci</i> Linnaeus, 1758	?	
<i>Aphis sedi</i> Kaltenbach, 1843	WP	
<i>Aphis spiraecola</i> van der Goot, 1913	EP	
<i>Aphis yuccicola</i> Wilson, 1911	N	
<i>Aphis (Protaphis) middletonii</i> Thomas, 1879	N	

<i>Aphis (Protaphis) terricola</i> Rondani, 1847	WP
Genus <i>Toxoptera</i> Koch, 1856	
<i>Toxoptera aurantii</i> (Boyer de Fonscolombe, 1907)	EP
<i>Toxoptera citricidus</i> (Kirkaldy, 1907)	EP
Genus <i>Rhopalosiphina</i>	
Genus <i>Hysteroneura</i> Davis, 1919	
<i>Hysteroneura setariae</i> (Thomas, 1878)	N
Genus <i>Melanaphis</i> van der Goot, 1917	
<i>Melanaphis (Longiunguis) Sacchari</i> (Zehtner, 1897)	EP
Genus <i>Rhopalosiphum</i> Koch, 1854	
<i>Rhopalosiphum maidis</i> (Fitch, 1856)	?N or EP
<i>Rhopalosiphum nymphaeae</i> (Linnaeus, 1761)	?N or WP
<i>Rhopalosiphum padi</i> (Linnaeus, 1899)	?N or WP
<i>Rhopalosiphum rufiabdominalis</i> (Sasaki, 1899)	?N or EP
Genus <i>Schizaphis</i> Borner, 1931	
<i>Schizaphis graminum</i> (Rondani, (1847) 1852)	WP
Genus <i>Macrosiphini</i>	
Genus <i>Acyrtosiphon</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Acyrtosiphon bidenticola</i> Smith, 1960	*
<i>Acyrtosiphon kondoi</i> Shinji, 1938	SWA
<i>Acyrtosiphon malvae</i> (Mosley, 1841)	WP
<i>Acyrtosiphon pisum</i> (Harris, 1776)	WP
Genus <i>Aulacorthum</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Aulacorthum solani</i> (Kaltenbach, 1843)	?WP
<i>Aulacorthum (Neomyzus) circumflexus</i> (Buckton, 1876)	Or
Genus <i>Brachycaudus</i> van der Goot, 1913	
<i>Brachycaudus helichrysi</i> (Kaltenbach, 1843)	WP
<i>Brachycaudus (Acaudus) persicae</i> (Passerini, 1860)	WP
<i>Brachycaudus (Thuleaphis) rumexicolens</i> (Patch, 1917)	WP, M
<i>Brachycaudus (Appelia) schwartzi</i> (Borner, 1931)	WP
Genus <i>Brevicoryne</i> van der Goot, 1913	
<i>Brevicoryne brassicae</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	WP
Genus <i>Capitophorus</i> van der Goot, 1913	
<i>Capitophorus elaeagni</i> (del Guercio, 1894)	WP
<i>Capitophorus hippophaes</i> (Walker, 1853)	WP
<i>Capitophorus hippophaes javanicus</i> Hille Ris Lambers	Or
Genus <i>Carolinaia</i> Wilson, 1911	
<i>Carolinaia cyperi</i> Ainslie, 1915	* or N
Genus <i>Cavariella</i> del Guercio, 1911	
<i>Cavariella aegopodii</i> (Scopoli, 1763)	WP
Genus <i>Chaetosiphon</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Chaetosiphon (Pentatrichopus) fragafolii</i> (Cockerell, 1901)	N
<i>Chaetosiphon (P.) tetrarhodum</i> (Walker, 1849)	WP
Genus <i>Coloradoa</i> Wilson, 1910	
<i>Coloradoa rufomaculata</i> (Wilson, 1923)	EP
Genus <i>Dysaphis</i> Borner, 1931	
<i>Dysaphis apiifolia</i> (Theobald, 1923)	WP
<i>Dysaphis cynarae</i> (Theobald, 1915)	WP

<i>Dysaphis emicis</i> (Mimeur, 1935)	WP
<i>Dysaphis foeniculus</i> (Tehobald, 1923)	WP
Genus <i>Glabromyzus</i> Richards, 1960	
<i>Glabromyzus ? howardii</i> (Wilson, 1911)	* or N
Genus <i>Hyadaphis</i> Kirkaldy, 1904	
<i>Hyadaphis foeniculi</i> (Passerini, 1860)	WP
Genus <i>Hyperomyzus</i> Borner, 1933	
<i>Hyperomyzus carduellinus</i> (Theobald, 1915) - old world subtropics, derived from <i>lactucae</i>	?SWA
<i>Hyperomyzus lactucae</i> (Linnaeus, 1768)	WP
Genus <i>Lipaphis</i> Mordvilko, 1928	
<i>Lipaphis erysimi</i> (Kaltenbach, 1843) - sub-species <i>pseudobrassicae</i> Davis, 1911, old world subtropics derived from <i>erysimi</i>	WP ? M
Genus <i>Macrosiphoniella</i> del Guercio, 1911	
<i>Macrosiphoniella sanborni</i> (Gillette, 1908)	EP
<i>Macrosiphoniella tanacetaria bonariensis</i> E.E. Blanchard, 1932	WP, M
<i>Macrosiphoniella yomogifoliae</i> (Shingi, 1924)	EP
Genus <i>Macrosiphum</i> Passerini, 1860	
<i>Macrosiphum euphorbiae</i> (Thomas, 1878)	N
<i>Macrosiphum rosae</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	WP
Genus <i>Metopolophium</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Metopolophium dirhodum</i> (Walker, 1849)	WP
Genus <i>Microparsus</i> Patch, 1919	
<i>Microparsus (Picturaphis) brasiliensis</i> (Moreira, 1925)	*
<i>Microparsus (Picturaphis) vignaphillus</i> (E.E. Blanchard, 1922)	*
Genus <i>Myzus</i> Passerini, 1860	
<i>Myzus hemerocallis</i> Takahashi, 1921	Or
<i>Myzus nicotianae</i> Blackman, 1987	?Or
<i>Myzus ornatus</i> Laing, 1932	hybrid origin or Or
<i>Myzus persicae</i> (Sulzer, 1776)	SWA?
Genus <i>Nasonovia</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Nasonovia ribisnigri</i> (Mosley, 1841)	WP
Genus <i>Neotoxoptera</i> Theobald, 1915	
<i>Neotoxoptera formosana</i> (Takahashi, 1921)	Or or EP
<i>Neotoxoptera oliveri</i> (Essig, 1935)	Or or EP
Genus <i>Ovatus</i> van der Goot, 1913	
<i>Ovatus crataegarius</i> (Walker, 1850)	WP
Genus <i>Pentalonia</i> Coquerel, 1859	
<i>Pentalonia nigronervosa</i> Coquerel, 1859	Or
Genus <i>Pleotrichophorus</i> Borner, 1930	
<i>Pleotrichophorus chrysanthemi</i> (Theobald, 1920)	EP
Genus <i>Rhodobium</i> Hille Ris Lambers, 1947	
<i>Rhodobium porosum</i> (Sanderson, 1900)	?
Genus <i>Rhopalosiphoninus</i> Baker, 1920	
<i>Rhopalosiphoninus latysiphon</i> (Davidson, 1912)	?EP
Genus <i>Sitobion</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Sitobion avenae</i> (Fabricius, 1775)	WP

<i>Sitobion lambersi</i> David, 1956	Or
<i>Sitobion luteum</i> (Buckton, 1876)	Or
<i>Sitobion pauliani</i> Remaudiere, 1957	?Africa
<i>Sitobion ptericolens</i> (Patch, 1919)	N
<i>Sitobion salviae</i> (Bartholomew, 1932)	*
Genus <i>Uroleucon</i> Mordvilko, 1914	
<i>Uroleucon ambrosiae</i> (Thomas, 1878)	* or N
<i>Uroleucon lizerianum</i> (E.E. Blanchard, 1922)	*
<i>Uroleucon sonchi</i> (Linnaeus, 1767)	WP
<i>Uroleucon (Lambersius) erigeronensis</i> (Thomas, 1878)	* or N
<i>Uroleucon (Uromelan) compositae</i> (Theobald, 1915)	Or
Genus <i>Utamphorophora</i> Knowlton, 1947	
<i>Utamphorophora commelinensis</i> (Smith, 1960)	*
Anoeciinae	
Anoeciini	
Genus <i>Anoecia</i> Koch, 1857	
<i>Anoecia cornicola</i> (Walsh, 1863)	N
Greenideinae	
Genus <i>Brasilaphis</i> Mordvilko, 1930	
<i>Brasilaphis bondari</i> Mordvilko, 1930	*
Hormaphidinae	
Cerataphidini	
Genus <i>Cerataphis</i> Lichtenstein, 1882	
<i>Cerataphis orchidearum</i> (Westwood, 1879)	Or
<i>Cerataphis variabilis</i> HRL, 1953	Or
Pemphiginae	
Eriosomatini	
Genus <i>Eriosoma</i> (Hausmann, 1802)	
<i>Eriosoma lanigerum</i> (Hausmann, 1802)	N
Genus <i>Tetraneura</i> Hartig, 1841	
<i>Tetraneura (Tetraneurella) nigriabdominalis</i> (Sasaki, 1899)	EP
Fordini	
Genus <i>Asiphonella</i> Theobald, 1923	
<i>Asiphonella dactylonii</i> (Theobald, 1923)	SWA
Genus <i>Geoica</i> Hart, 1894	
<i>Geoica lucifuga</i> (Zehtner, 1897)	SW Asia
Genus <i>Geopemphigus</i> Hille Ris Lambers, 1933	
<i>Geopemphigus floccosus</i> (Moreira, 1925)	*
Genus <i>Smynthurodes</i> Westwood, 1849	
<i>Smynthurodes betae</i> Westwood, 1849	WP
Pemphigini	
Genus <i>Pemphigus</i> Hartig, 1839	
<i>Pemphigus bursarius</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	WP
<i>Pemphigus populitanversus</i> Riley, 1879	N

## TAXONOMY OF BRAZILIAN APHIDS

### Key to the families and subfamilies of Brazilian aphids

- 1 (2) All apterae oviparous and pear-shaped, broadest near the front (Fig. 2), with 3-segmented antennae bearing only a single rhinarium (Fig. 1a). Alatae with only 3 oblique veins, all simple, in the forewing, and Cu1 and Cu2 with a common base (Fig. 3), and wings held horizontally in repose. Alatae with 3-segmented antennae, the third segment bearing 2 primary rhinaria (Fig. 3a). . . . . *Phylloxeridae*.
- 2 (1) Apterae viviparae oval, broadest near the middle across the anterior part of the abdomen (Figs. 1, 4, 5), antennae usually 5-or 6-segmented and all morphs with a primary rhinarium on each of the last two segments (Figs. 4a, 5a, 10, 11, 32, 34, 38, 40, 55, 57). Alatae with 4 oblique veins in the forewing and the media often once (Figs. 7, 13, 35, 37) or twice (Figs. 8, 18) branched, sometimes simple (Fig. 6) Cu 1 and Cu 2 mostly originating individually (Figs. 6-8, 13, 18, 35) but sometimes adjacent or fused at the base (Fig. 37) . . . . . *Aphididae*.
- 3 (4) Siphunculi weakly clavate and with a ring of three subapical hairs and 3 or 4 other hairs placed more proximad (Fig. 9); abdomen bearing a pair of elongate tubercles on the 7th tergite better developed in the immatures than in the alate; antennae 4- or 5-segmented. . . . . *Brasilaphis* (Greenideinae).
- 4 (3) Siphunculi without hairs (Figs. 1, 4) or some truncate siphunculi bearing a single hair at the very base, or siphunculi flat rings on hairy cones (Figs. 16, 36, 52, 61); siphunculi sometimes absent; abdomen without paired elongate projections posterior to the siphunculi, or if with a pair on the eighth tergite then with lateral pairs of similar tubercles on segments 3, 4, 6 and 7, and cauda strongly knobbed (*Lizerius brasiliensis*, Fig. 12) and antennae 6-segmented.
- 5 (10) Terminal process of antennae at least 0.75 but usually as long as or much longer than the base of the last antennal segment (Figs. 1, 4, 10, 11, 14, 46), in borderline cases (Fig. 26) Drepanosiphinae, take either alternative; usually siphunculi and cauda elongate (Figs. 4, 22, 62-64) or siphunculi truncate and cauda knobbed (Figs. 12, 15), sometimes siphunculi short and tapering and cauda rounded (Figs. 19-21).
- 6 (7) Siphunculi usually elongate (Figs. 1, 4, 20, 22, 63-65), sometimes short and tapering (Figs. 19, 62); terminal process usually more than twice as long as the base of the last antenal segment (Figs. 4, 10, 11); cauda usually elongate (Figs. 4, 22, 62-65), never knobbed, sometimes broadly rounded, or pentagonal or helmet-shaped (Figs. 19, 21); first tarsal segments usually bearing only 2 or 3 hairs (Figs. 23, 24), if with 4 or 5 (Figs. 29, 30) the siphunculi very elongate (Figs. 63, 64), many times longer than their middle diameter. On many plants, particularly herbs . . . . . *Aphidinae*.
- 7 (6) Siphunculi truncate cones, about as long as broad (Figs. 12, 15), cauda knobbed in Brazilian species; terminal process rarely more than twice as long as the base of the last antennal segment (Figs. 14, 26, 46); first tarsal segments bearing 5-7 ventral hairs. (Figs. 27, 28).

- 8 (9) Antennae 5-segmented (Fig. 46), with terminal process about twice as long as the base of fifth segment. Apteræ viviparae common, alatae without dorsal hairs on the first tarsal segments and with the media of the fore-wing twice branched. On Gramineæ . . . . . *Siphæ* (Chaitophorinae).
- 9 (8) Antennae usually 6-segmented; if apteræ viviparae present then terminal process of antennae little if any longer than the base of the last segment. Some species only with alatae viviparae and these usually with a pair of dorsal hairs on the first tarsal segments in addition to the 5-7 ventral hairs (Figs. 27, 28), media of fore-wing once (Fig. 13) or twice branched. Mostly on trees and shrubs . . . . . Drepanosiphinae in part.
- 10 (5) Terminal process of antennae usually less than half as long as the base of the last antennal segment (Figs. 5, 17, 25, 32, 34, 38), sometimes relatively longer when the antennae are very short (Figs. 39, 40); cauda broadly rounded (Figs. 5, 36, 45, 52, 61) or knobbed (Figs. 12, 15), never elongate 'finger-like'; siphunculi either truncate (Figs. 12, 15, 39), ring-like (Fig. 42), on flat hairy cones (Figs. 16, 36, 52, 61) or absent (Figs. 5, 45).
- 11 (12) Cauda strongly knobbed (Figs. 12, 15), antennæ 6-segmented, siphunculi truncate (Figs. 12, 15); alatae with once (Fig. 13) or twice branched media and round or oval, or rarely annular secondary rhinaria and first tarsal segments usually bearing a pair of dorsal hairs in addition to the 5-7 ventral hairs (Fig. 27). Mostly free living on the leaves of trees and shrubs. . . . . Drepanosiphinae in part.
- 12 (11) Cauda broadly rounded (Figs. 5, 36, 45, 52, 61, or slightly constricted near the base (Fig. 39); antennæ 4- (Fig. 40), 5-(Figs. 38, 46) or 6-segmented (Figs. 5, 32, 34, 57); siphunculi ring-like (Fig. 42), sometimes placed in broad flat hairy cones (Figs. 16, 36, 52, 61), and sometimes absent (Figs. 5, 45). Media of forewing simple (Fig. 6) or once (Figs. 35, 37) or twice (Fig. 18) branched.
- 13 (14) First tarsal segments with 9 or more ventral hairs (Figs. 51, 54), empodial hairs very short, inconspicuous (Figs. 31, 54); fifth rostral segment distinct from the fourth with an evident suture between them (Figs. 47, 48, 50); forewing usually with the radius arising from near the apex of an elongate pterostigma, media often pale and twice branched (Fig. 18); apteræ with large compound eyes (Fig. 56), abdomen without lateral tubercles; antennæ 6-segmented and bearing long hairs and round secondary rhinaria (Fig. 32); siphunculi usually on large dark hairy cones (Fig. 16), sometimes little more than sclerotic rings. In South America only known from Coniferae and *Salix* . . . . . Lachninae.
- 14 (13) First tarsal segments with 2-7 ventral hairs and without dorsal hairs (Figs. 41, 58, 59); empodial hairs one third or more as long as the claws (Figs. 33, 41, 58, 59); rostral segments 4 and 5 more or less fused, with the suture between them usually indistinct or absent (Figs. 49, 60) but suture often indicated by a clear area; media of forewing once branched (Fig. 37) or simple (Fig. 6) and the pterostigma often short and thick with the radius arising from about its mid length (Fig. 35); true apteræ with only 3-facetted eyes but alatiform apteræ may have small compound eyes.

- 15 (16) Abdomen with large transparent lateral tubercles on segments 1-5 at least and sometimes also on segments 6 and 7; siphunculi on broad flat hairy cones; dorsum usually pigmented (Fig. 36); antennae 6-segmented and bearing long hairs and round or transversely oval rhinaria (Fig. 34); wax glands not evident, not aggregated into plates; media of forewing once branched and pterostigma characteristically broad and dark (Fig. 35); first tarsal segments with 5-7 ventral hairs; rudimentary gonapophyses ill-defined, represented by an irregular row of 10-12 hairs between the genital and anal plates. On the roots of Gramineae, and in temperate climates on the leaves of *Cornus* ..... *Anoecia* (Anoeciinae).
- 16 (15) Abdomen without large transparent lateral tubercles; siphunculi ring like, small cones (Fig. 61) or absent (Figs. 5, 45); antennae 4- (Fig. 40) or 5- or 6-segmented (Figs. 5, 57) and usually bearing only short hairs (Figs. 51, 57) if the antennal hairs are long then the siphunculi if present are mere sclerotic rings or horse-shoe shaped (Fig. 61) and the abdomen bears evident wax gland plates (Figs. 44, 45, 61); secondary rhinaria often annular (Fig. 38), sometimes round or oval (Fig. 57); first tarsal segments with only 2 (Figs. 41, 59) or 3-4 (Fig. 58) or rarely 5 hairs; rudimentary gonapophyses usually two distinct groups of 5-8 hairs between genital and anal plates.
- 17 (18) Abdomen with only 6 pairs of spiracles. Siphunculi present as rings, sometimes on small cones and cauda weakly knobbed or rounded. Media of forewing once branched (Fig. 37) and alatae with 5-segmented antennae bearing annular rhinaria on segments III-V (Fig. 38). Femur and trochanter often fused (Fig. 66). Apterae (Fig. 39) often 'aleyrodiform'; head and pronotum fused, and the second tarsal segments bear long dorso-apical capitate hairs, empodial hairs long and slightly expanded at the apex (Fig. 41). On leaves of palms, grasses and orchids ..... Hormaphidinae.
- 18 (17) Abdomen with 7 pairs of spiracles, siphunculi present (Fig. 61) or absent (Figs. 5, 45), cauda rounded. Media of forewing once branched or simple (Fig. 6), if secondary rhinaria annular then antennae 6-segmented, if antennae of alatae are 5-segmented then the secondary rhinaria are round or oval. Trochanter usually separated from femur by a distinct suture (Figs. 5, 67), if not (*Asiphonella*) then siphunculi absent. Apterae (Fig. 5) never aleyrodiform, head and thorax distinct. Tarsal hairs normal, fine pointed (Figs. 58, 59). On roots of angiosperms or in wooly masses on Rosaceae ..... Pemphiginae.

#### Family Phylloxeridae

The sole species known in the Brazil is the world-wide "filoxera-da-videira", *Viteus vitifoliae* Fitch, of which all available Brazilian specimens are apterous.

#### *Viteus vitifoliae* Fitch, 1855 - Figs. 2-3

Collection data:

SÃO PAULO: Campinas, 14.x.1970 (A.H. Camargo - C.L. Costa).

Distribution in South and Central America: Argentina.

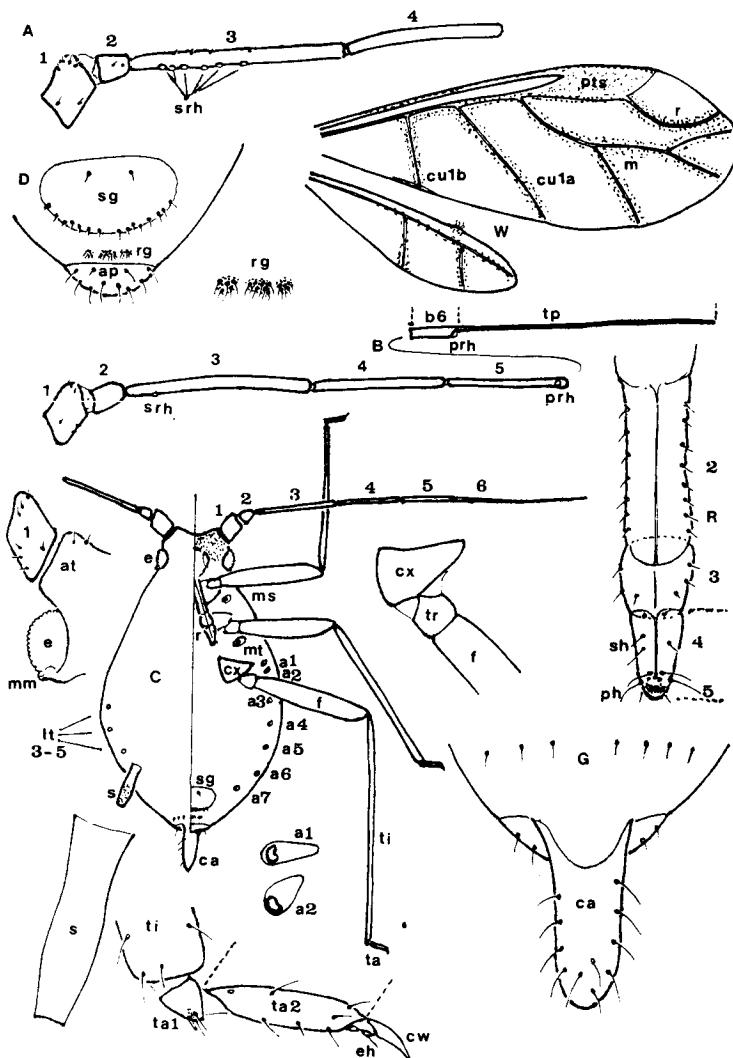
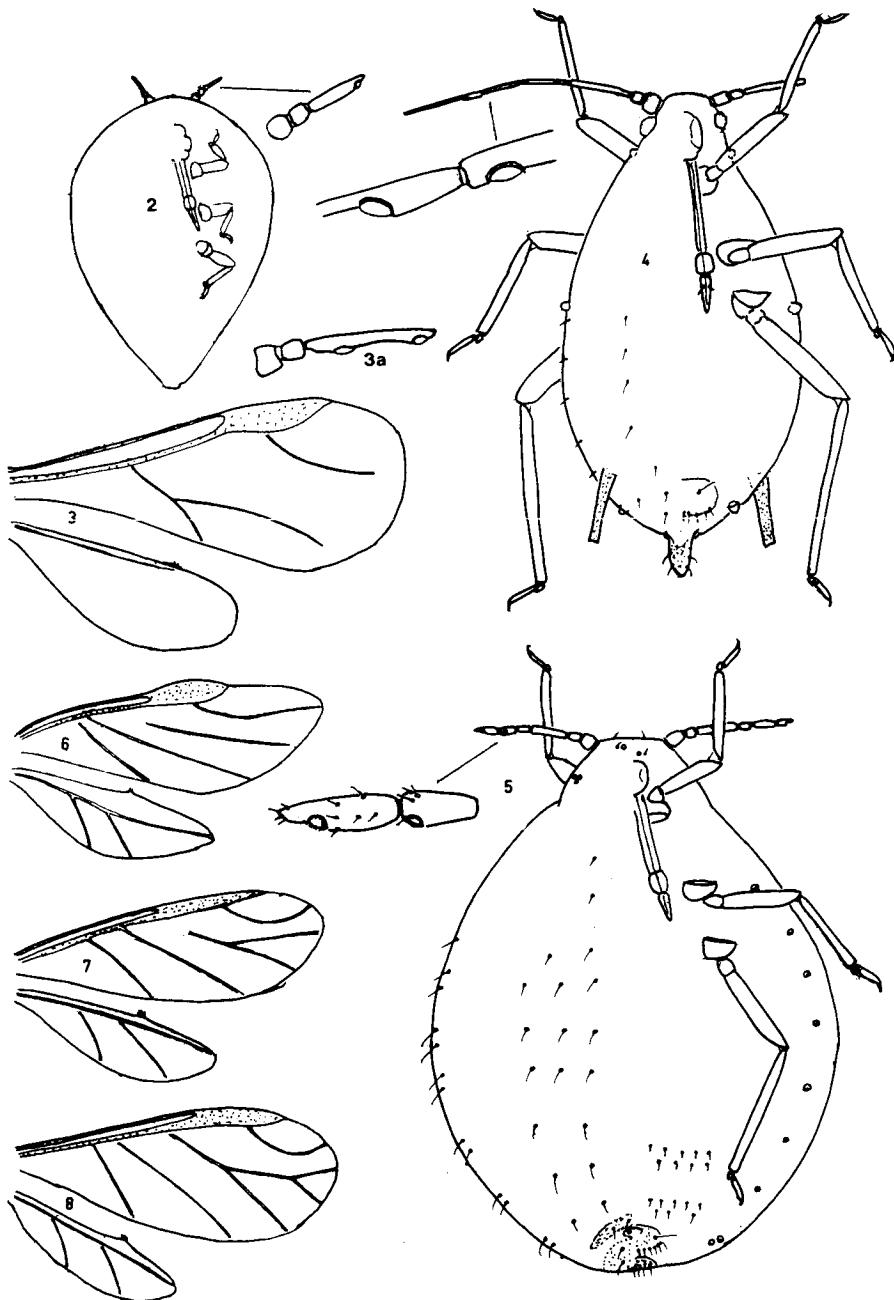


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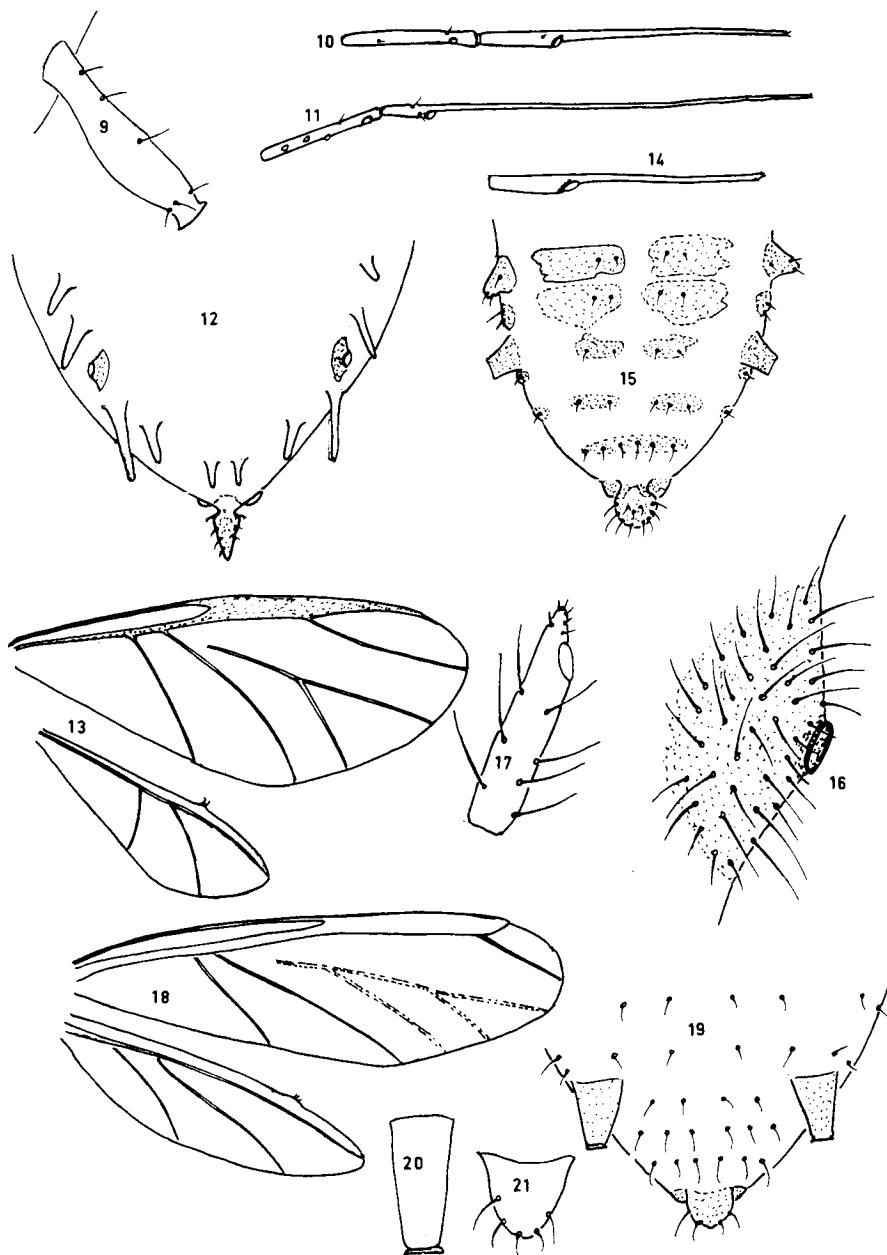
**FIG. 1.** *Microparsus (Picturaphis) brasiliensis*.

- A. Alata, Antennal segments 1-4. srh: secondary rhinarium .
- B. Apterous, antennal segments 1-6. b6: base of sixth antennal segment. prh: primary rhinarium. srh: secondary rhinarium. tp: terminal process of last antennal segment.
- C. Apterous. a1-a7: abdominal spiracles 1-7. at: antennal tubercle. ca: cauda. cw: claw. cx: coxa. e: eye. eh: empodial hair. f: femur. lt: lateral tubercle. mm: triomatidion. ms: mesothoracic spiracle. mt: metathoracic spiracle. r: rostrum. s: siphunculus. sg: subgenital plate. ta: tarsus. ti: tibia. tr: trochanter.
- D. ventral view of subgenital plate (sg), rudimentary gonapophyses (rg) and anal plate (ap).
- E. dorsal view of cauda (ca) and eighth abdominal tergite.
- F. rostral segments (R) and ultimate rostral segment (r1-r5)
- G. rostral segments (R) and ultimate rostral segment (r1-r5) = 4+5 = ultimate rostral segment. sh: subsidiary or secondary hair W: wing. cu: cubitus. m: media. r: radius. pts: pterostigma.



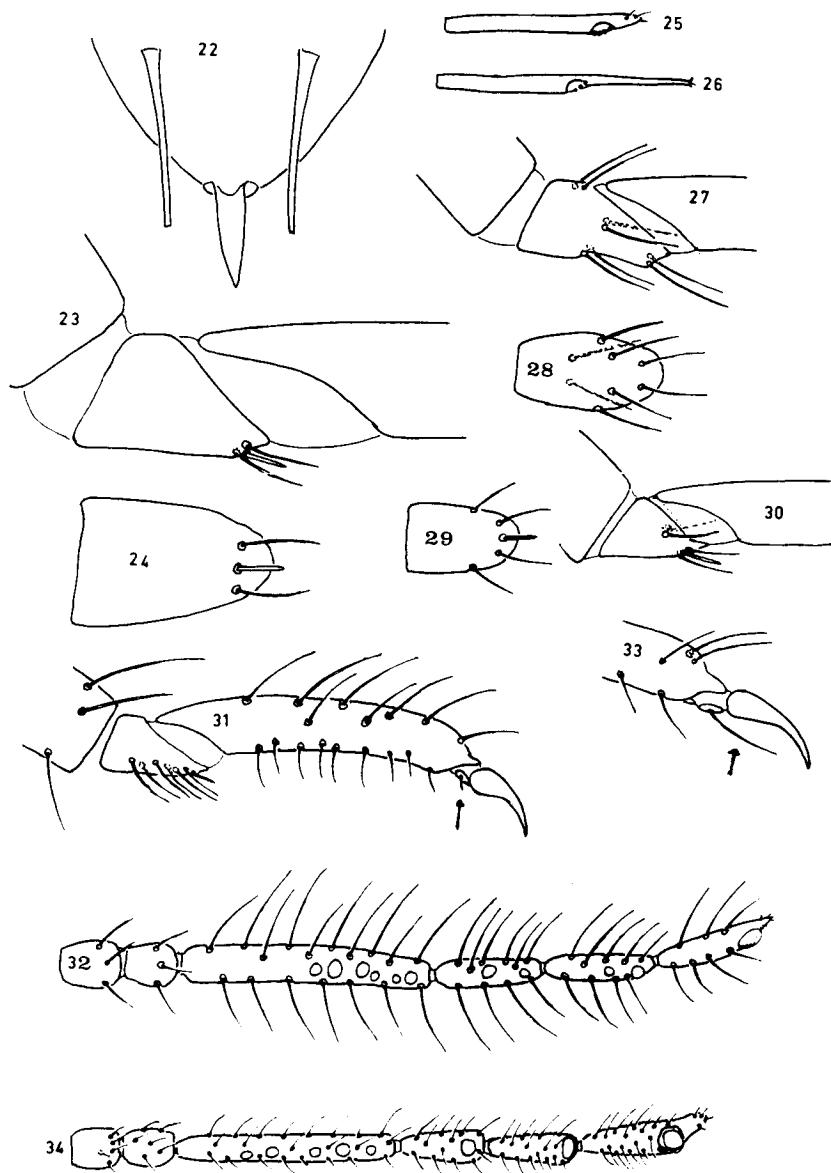
**Plate 2**

**FIG. 2-3.** *Viteus vitifoliae*, 2 apterous exule, 2a enlargement of antenna, 3 wings, 3a antenna of alata. 4, *Aphis gossypii*, aptera vivipara, 4a enlargement of apex of 5th and base of 6th antennal segment. 5 & 6. *Geopemphigus floccosus*, 5 apterous exule, 5a enlargement of antennal segment V and VI. 6-8 wings, 6 *Geopemphigus floccosus*, 7 *Schizaphis graminum*, 8 *aphis gossypii*.



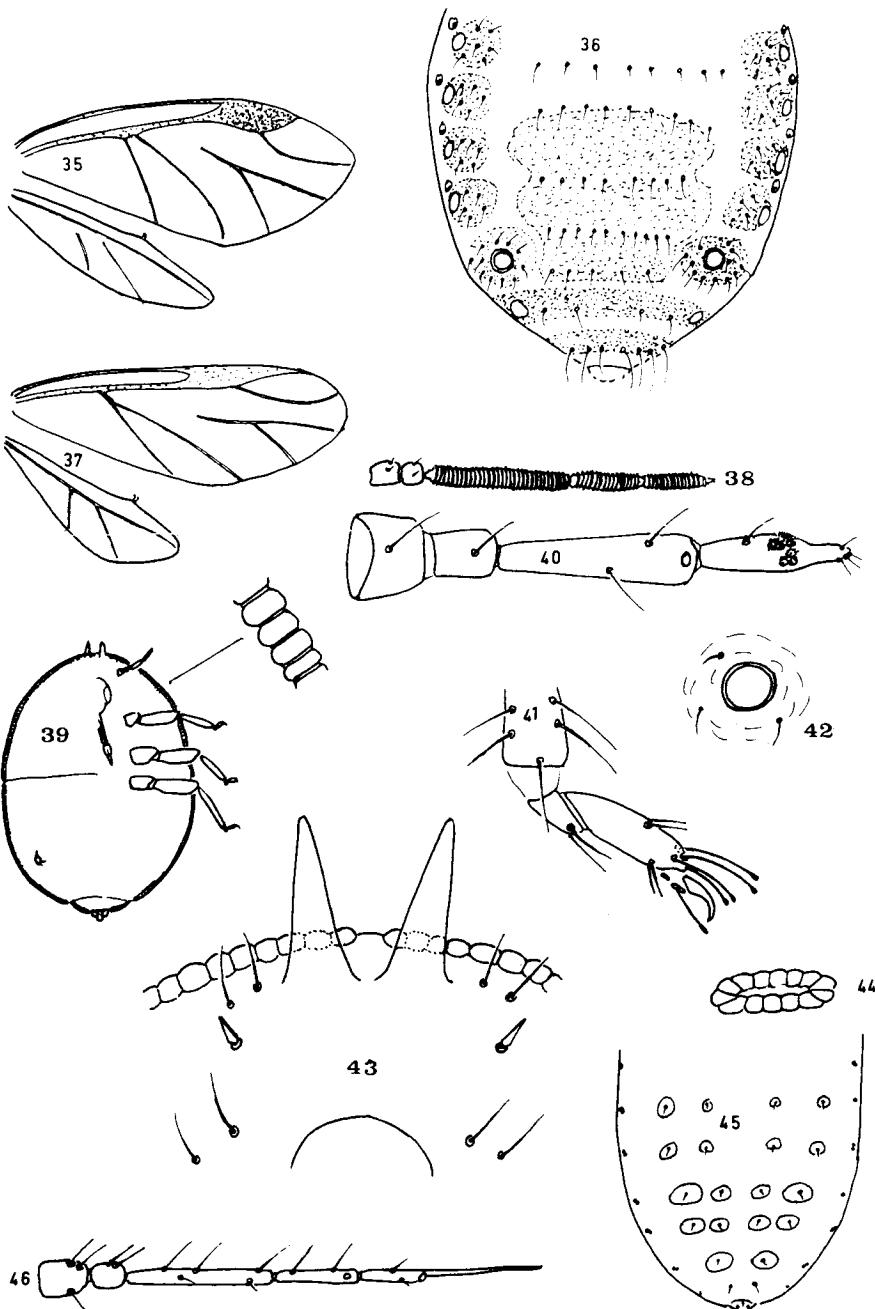
## Plate 3

**FIG. 9.** *Brasilaphis bondari*, alata, siphunculus. 10-11 antennal segments V & VI, 10 *Aphis gossypii*, 11 *Hyperomyzus lactucae*. 12-13 *Lizerius brasiliensis* alata, 12 apex of abdomen, 13 wings. 14-15 *Myzocallis castanicola* alata, 14 antenna VI, 15 abdominal tergites 4-8 and cauda. 16 *Cinara maritimae* aptera, siphunculus, 17-18 *Cinara tujafilina* alata, 17 antennal VI, 18 wings. 19-21 *Brachycaudus helichrysi*, 19 aptera, apex of abdomen, 20 & 21 alata, 20 siphunculus, 21 cauda.



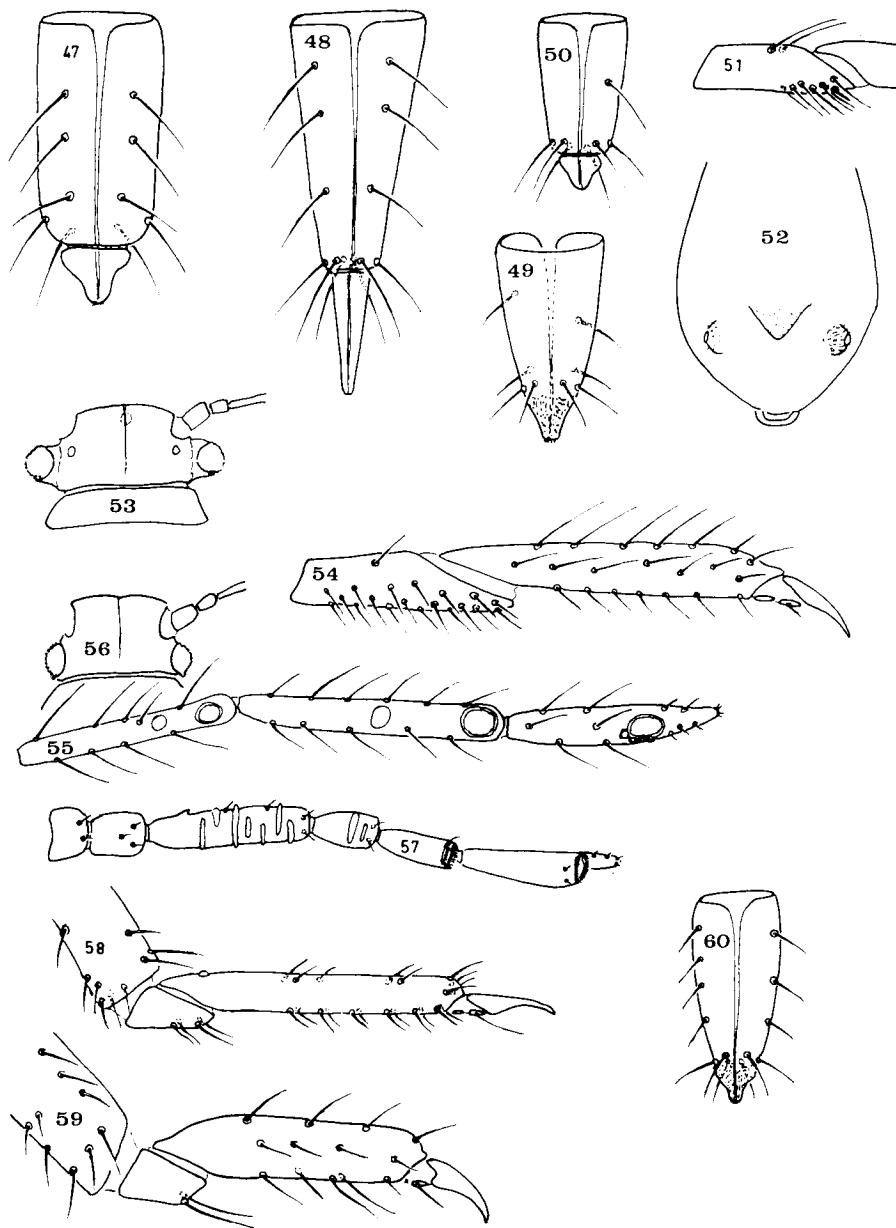
## Plate 4

**FIG. 22-24.** *Acyrhosiphon pisum*, 22 aptera, apex of abdomen, 23 & 24 alata, first tarsal segments of hind leg, 25 lateral view, 24 ventral view. 25-26 *Lizerius* spp., alatae, antennal VI, 25 *L. costai*, 26 *L. cermelii*. 27-30 first tarsal segments of hind leg, 27 & 28 *Myzocallis castanicola*, 27 lateral view, 28 ventral view, 29, 30 *Uroleucon sonchi*, 29 ventral view, 30 lateral view. 31-32 *Cinara tujafilina* alata, 31 hind tarsus, 32 antenna. 33-34 *Anoecia cornicola* alata, 33 apex of second segment of hind tarsus and claw, 34 antenna.



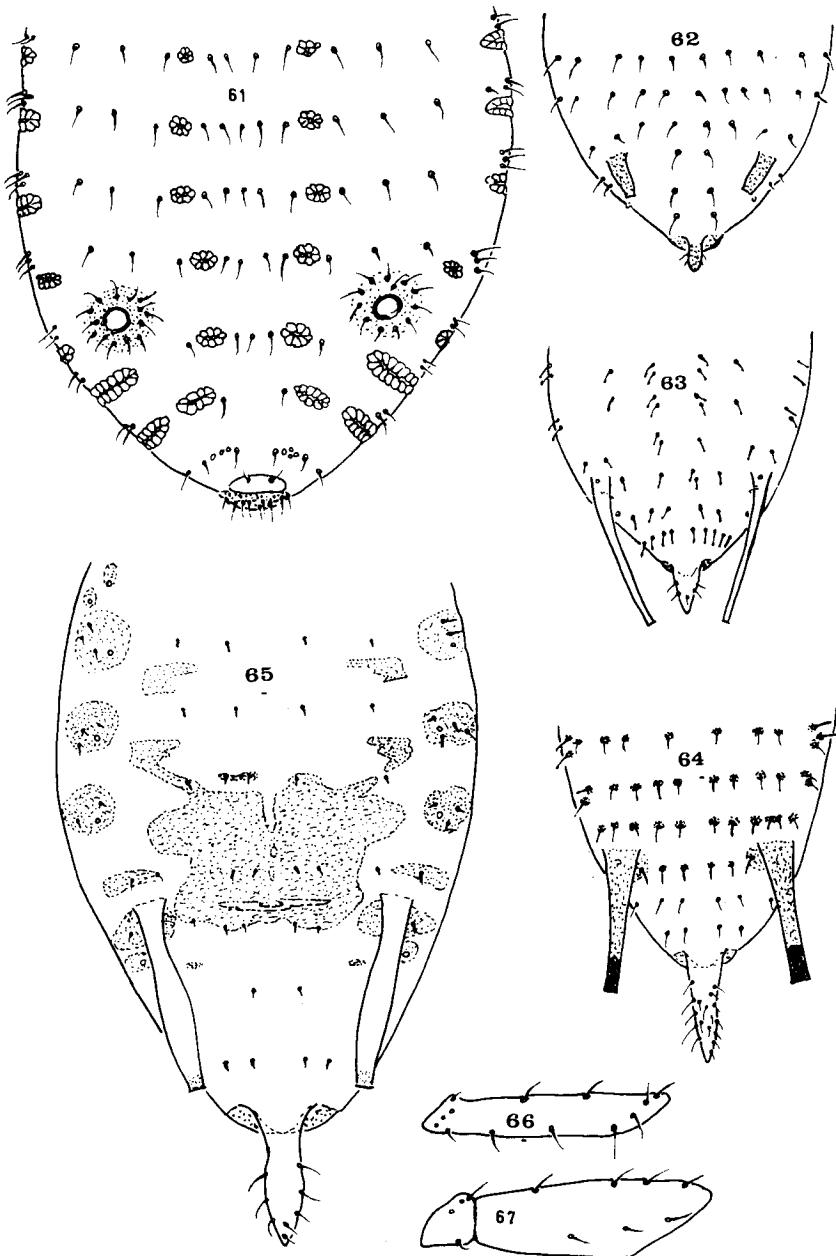
## Plate 5

FIG. 35-36. *Anoecia cornicola* alata, 35 wing, 36 abdomen. 37-43 *Cerataphis* spp.  
37-38, *C. orchidearum* alata, 37 wings, 38 antenna, 39-43 *C. variabilis*  
aptera, 40 antenna, 41 hind tarsus, 42 siphunculus, 43 front of head  
ventral view. 44 *Eriosoma lanigerum* aptera, wax plate. 45 *Pemphigus*  
*bursarius* apterous exule, abdomen showing distribution of wax plates. 46  
*Sipha flava* aptera, antenna.



## Plate 6

**FIG. 47-50.** Ultimate rostral segments, **47** *Tuberolachnus salignus*, **48** *Cinara tujafilina*, **49** *Geopemphigus floccosus*. **50-51** *Eulachnus* sp., **51** first segment of hind tarsus. **52** *Tuberolachnus salignus* aptera, abdomen. **53-55** *Cinara maritimae* alata, **53** head, **54** hind tarsus, **55** antennal segments IV-VI. **56** *C. tujafilina* aptera, head. **57-58** *Pemphigus bursarius* alate sexupara, **57** antenna, **58** hind tarsus. **59** *Geopemphigus floccosus* hind tarsus. **60** *Geoica lucifuga* ultimate rostral segment.

**Plate 7**

**FIG. 61-65. Abdominal dorsum, 61 *Eriosoma lanigerum* apterous exule, 62 *Rhopalosiphum maidis* aptera, 63 *Chaetosiphon fragaefolii* aptera, 64 *Uroleucon ambrosiae* aptera, 65 *Hyperomyzus carduellinus* alata. 66 & 67 hind trochanter and femur, 66 *Cerataphis orchidearum*, 67 *Eriosoma lanigerum*.**

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