

## A checklist of the Limnichidae and the Lutrochidae (Coleoptera) of the world

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**Abstract.** A checklist of the world species of Limnichidae (35 genera, 345 species) and Lutrochidae (1 genus, 11 species) is presented. The author, year of publication and page number, synonyms, distribution by country, and a terminal bibliography are given for each genus and species. Biological information is also reviewed.

### Introduction

The Limnichidae Erichson (1847) and Lutrochidae Kasap and Crowson (1975) are small semi-aquatic beetles; adults of both families most frequently live in riparian habitats. Both families were previously assigned to the superfamily Dryopoidea (Crowson, 1978); however, they are now placed in the Byrrhoidea (Lawrence and Newton, 1995). From 1975 through 1993, D. P. Wooldridge published numerous limnichid descriptions and revisions but much systematic work remains to be done for the Limnichidae, especially in the tropical regions of the Eastern Hemisphere.

Not much has been published dealing with the biology of the families. Paulus (1970) described the larva of the European species *Limnichus sericeus* Duftschmid (1825) and the larva and pupa of *Pelochares versicolor* Waltl (1838). Paulus also reported that the larvae of both genera are terrestrial and live in the soil under the "Chlorophyceae-Bryophyta layers," and reportedly feed on those plants.

Adults may be found near the waterline on branches and grasses hanging over stream banks or in riffles, on driftwood, in logjams, and on rocks in streams; some are found in splash zones beside cascades and waterfalls and on dam breasts. Specimens of at least five limnichid genera, *Pseudeucinetus* Heller (1921), *Martinius* Spilman (1959), *Hyphalus* Britton (1971, 1973, 1977), *Throscinus* LeConte (1874) (fide Wooldridge, 1981), and *Mexico* Spilman (1972) are known to live on coral reefs (Satô, 1997; Hernando and Ribera, 2000b), coastal lagoons, mangrove swamps, or edges of mud or rocky flats along coastal areas.

Brown (1965) discussed characteristic micro-habitats of various dryopoids including *Lutrochus* Erichson (1847). Brown and Murvosh (1970) de-

scribed the species and adult behavior of *Lutrochus arizonicus* Brown and Murvosh. Hilsenhoff and Schmude (1992) reported that adults of *L. laticeps* Casey (1893) were found in small to large, warm, calcareous streams; that adults oviposit on submerged wood or on travertine rocks; and larvae were aquatic and were collected on the travertine rocks.

Previous world catalogs that included the limnichids and lutrochids are by Zaitzev (1910) and von Dalla Torre (1911) who recorded 11 genera and 75 species. Blackwelder (1944) published a checklist of the Coleoptera of Mexico, Central America, the West Indies, and South America in which he reported 11 genera and 44 species of Limnichidae and 8 species of Lutrochidae in the nominate genus. Wooldridge (1986b) published a catalog of the Limnichidae (including *Lutrochus*) of North America in which he included 6 genera and 29 species of Limnichidae and the single genus, *Lutrochus* with 3 species. Some recent revisionary studies on the Limnichidae are those by Wooldridge (1976, 1977a, 1977b, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981b, 1982, 1983, 1987b). Additional studies that have added to our knowledge of the Limnichidae are by Darlington (1936), fauna of the West Indies; Wu (1937), China; Satô (1965), Formosa; Satô (1966, 1976, 1997), Japan; Delève (1968, 1974), Herando and Ribera (2000a), Africa; Delève (1971, 1973), Asia; Wooldridge (1975), Western Hemisphere; Pütz (1991b), Germany; Mascagni (1995), Italy; Pütz (1998a, 1998b), China and neighboring countries; Ribera and Hernando (1999), and Hernando and Ribera (2000b), Oriental Region.

This checklist is an effort to bring the limnichid and lutrochid names and pertinent taxonomic literature into a single publication and was compiled by examining the literature for descriptions, synonyms,

and distributional data plus examination of the collection of the Smithsonian Institution.

### A checklist of the Limnichidae of the world

*ACONTOSCELES* Champion, 1924a:27  
*hydroporoides* Champion, 1924a:29

Taiwan [Formosa], India  
*tagalog* Spilman, 1959:116  
 Philippines  
*yorioi* Satô, 1966:60  
 Japan (Ryukyus)

*AFROLIMNICHUS* Delève, 1968:259  
*brevicornis* Delève, 1968:260

Congo  
*oblongus* Delève, 1974:40  
 South Africa (Cape Province)

*BABALIMNICHUS* Satô, 1994:174  
*masamii* Satô, 1994:175

Japan (Ryukyus)  
*taiwanus* Satô, 1994:174  
 Taiwan

*BOTHRIOPHORUS* Mulsant and Rey, 1852:19  
*atomus* Mulsant and Rey, 1852:20  
 (syn., *ventetus* Ferrari, 1864:108)  
 Europe

*BYRRHINUS* Motschulsky, 1858:50  
 syn., *BYRRHININUS* Pic, 1922:6  
 syn., *CYPHONICHUS* Sharp, 1902a:679  
 syn., *NOTIOCYPHON* Blackburn, 1896:272  
 syn., *PELOCHEROPS* Pic, 1923a:3  
*amoenus* Wooldridge, 1987a:310

Belize, British Guiana, Colombia, Ecuador  
*andamanus* (Pic), 1935a:2

Andaman Islands  
*angustatus* Motschulsky, 1858:51

India, Thailand  
*antipodium* Fauvel, 1903:348

New Caledonia  
*apicalis* Pic, 1922:5

Katanga  
*atricornis* (Pic), 1935a:3

Congo, Sierra Leone  
*atrolucidus* (Pic), 1923a:3

New Guinea  
*binhanus* (Pic), 1923b:5

Vietnam

- biroi* Pic, 1956:75  
 New Guinea
- bomansi* (Delève), 1968:245  
 Tanganyika
- borneensis* Pic, 1923b:7  
 Borneo
- boucardi* Pic, 1923b:7  
 Sumatra
- brevior* (Pic), 1927a:65  
 Sumatra
- convexus* (Pic), 1923b:5  
 Philippines
- cribrosus* Champion, 1923:253  
 India, Sri Lanka
- curtus* Pic, 1935b:471  
 Sierra Leone
- densepunctatus* (Pic), 1923b:6  
 Ivory Coast
- diversus* (Pic), 1923b:5  
 Ivory Coast
- ellypticus* Motschulsky, 1858:51  
 India
- euryaspis* Champion, 1923:250  
 India [Nilgiri Hills]
- ferax* Wooldridge, 1993b:359  
 Philippines, Borneo
- flavicornis* Champion, 1923:251  
 India
- formosanus* Pic, 1935a:2  
 Taiwan [Formosa]
- fuscus* Motschulsky, 1858:52  
 India
- goldbachi* Wooldridge, 1987b:310  
 Ecuador, Paraguay
- gracilicornis* Pic, 1922:5  
 Brazil, Paraguay, Venezuela
- grandis* (Pic), 1956:74  
 New Guinea
- grossepunctatus* (Delève), 1968:249  
 Congo
- hargreavesi* (Pic), 1935b:470  
 Sierra Leone
- hirsutulus* Champion, 1923:250  
 India [Kumaon]
- hirsutus* Pic, 1922:5  
 French Guiana, Trinidad
- hulstaerti* (Pic), 1952:9  
 Kinshasa [Congo]
- improcerus* Wooldridge, 1987b:310  
 Ecuador
- inlineatus* Pic, 1923c:15  
 India

- irregularis* Pic, 1922:5  
     Philippines
- jacobsoni* Pic, 1927a:65  
     Sumatra
- latus* Motschulsky, 1858:50  
     Bangladesh, Burma, India, Sri Lanka
- leleupi* (Delèvre), 1968:257  
     Kivu [Zaire]
- leonensis* (Pic), 1923b:6  
     Congo, Sierra Leone
- maculatus* Wooldridge, 1987b:307  
     Ecuador
- magnus* Wooldridge, 1987b:307  
     Ecuador, Perú,
- marginatus* Champion, 1923:249  
     India [Kumaon], Pakistan
- maroniensis* Pic, 1923b:7  
     Brazil, Colombia, French Guiana, Trinidad-Tobago, Venezuela
- mimicus* Wooldridge, 1987b:308  
     Colombia, Panamá
- misellus* (Sharp), 1902a:681  
     Colombia, Costa Rica, México, Nicaragua, Panamá
- monilicornis* Champion, 1923:251  
     India [Kumaon]
- neoguineensis* (Pic), 1956:75  
     New Guinea
- niger* Pic, 1922:5  
     Vietnam
- nitidicollis* Pic, 1956:75  
     New Guinea
- nitidulus* Motschulsky, 1858:51  
     India, Thailand
- noctivagus* Lea 1920:277  
     Australia
- oculatus* Motschulsky, 1858:52  
     India
- olibroides* (Sharp), 1902a:679  
     (syn., *celatus* Sharp, 1902a:680)  
     Belize, El Salvador, Guatemala, México
- orientalis* (Sharp), 1902b:63  
     Taiwan [Formosa], Malaysia (Borneo)
- padangus* Pic, 1927b:49  
     Sumatra
- panamensis* (Sharp), 1902a:679  
     (syn., *mollis* Sharp, 1902a:681)  
     (syn., *rufipennis* Pic, 1923b:7)  
     Belize, Colombia, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Panamá
- peguensis* Pic, 1923c:15  
     India
- plenus* Wooldridge, 1987b:305  
     Bolívar, Ecuador
- pubiventris* Lea:1920:277  
     Australia
- punctaticeps* Pic, 1927b:49  
     Sumatra
- punctatus* (Pic), 1922:5  
     Philippines
- punctulatus* (Delèvre), 1968:243  
     Upemba [Zaire]
- reitteri* (Pic), 1923b:6  
     Ghana
- rhomboideus* Champion, 1923:253  
     India
- rufoapicalis* (Pic), 1955:132  
     Ruanda, Kiva [Zaire]
- rufus* Pic, 1935a:2  
     Thailand
- schoutedeni* (Pic), 1952:9  
     Congo
- semirufus* Pic, 1923b:8  
     Trinidad-Tobago, Venezuela
- seydeli* (Delèvre), 1968:252  
     Elisabethville [Zaire]
- sikkimensis* Champion, 1923:249  
     India [Sikkim]
- subglobosus* (Delèvre), 1968:254  
     Elisabethville [Zaire]
- subglobosus upembanus* (Delèvre), 1968:256  
     Upemba [Zaire]
- subregularis* Pic, 1923c:15  
     Vietnam
- subtestaceous* Pic, 1923b:8  
     Philippines
- tarawakanus* Delèvre, 1973:23  
     Borneo [Sabah], Philippines (Tawi Tawi)
- testaceicornis* (Pic), 1923b:5  
     Philippines
- testaceipes* Pic, 1922:5  
     <sub>subregularis</sub> Pic, 1923b:7 Lapsus Calami  
     Sumatra
- tschoffeni* (Delèvre), 1968:235  
     Boma [Congo]
- vatovai* (Pic), 1953:113  
     Ethiopia
- vestitus* (Sharp), 1902a:681  
     Guatemala, México
- vicinus* (Delèvre), 1968:248  
     Congo
- wittei* (Delèvre), 1968:253  
     Upemba [Zaire]

- CACCOTHRYPTUS* Sharp, 1902b:63  
 syn., *MACROBYRRHINUS* Pic, 1922:4  
*compactus* Sharp, 1902b:63  
 Borneo, Vietnam  
*laosensis* Pic, 1928:2  
 Laos  
*maculosus* Pic, 1923a:3  
 Tonkin  
*multiseriatus* Champion, 1923:224  
 India [Bengal]  
*ripicola* Champion, 1923:223  
 India [W. Almora]  
*rouyeri* (Pic), 1922:4  
 Sumatra  
*testudo* Champion, 1923:222  
 India [W. Almora], Nepal
- CEPHALOBYRRHINUS* Pic, 1923b:6  
*brevis* Wooldridge, 1986a:512  
 Ecuador  
*curticornis* Pic, 1923b:6  
 Costa Rica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama,  
 Venezuela  
*impressopunctatus* Wooldridge, 1977b:32  
 Bolivia  
*lineatus* Wooldridge, 1986a:513  
 Costa Rica, Panama  
*robustus* Wooldridge, 1986a:512  
 Ecuador, Peru  
*sedatus* Wooldridge, 1986a:513  
 Ecuador
- CEPHALOBYRRHUS* Pic, 1923b:4  
*bertiae* Pütz, 1998b:344  
 China [Yünnan]  
*brevipalpus* Pütz, 1998b:346  
 China [Yünnan]  
*emeishanensis* Pütz, 1998b:347  
 China [Sichuan]  
*gibbicollis* Champion, 1925a:175  
 India [Kumaon]  
*jaechi* Pütz, 1998b:351  
 China [Sichuan]  
*japonicus* Champion, 1925a:176  
 Japan  
*jiangxiensis* Pütz, 1998b:354  
 China [Jiangxi]  
*jinggangshanensis* Pütz, 1998b:355  
 China [Jiangxi]  
*latus* Pic, 1923b:4  
 Taiwan [Formosa]  
*longipalpis* Pütz 1998:359  
 China [Jiangxi]
- nepalensis* Pütz, 1998b:360  
 Nepal [Myagdi]  
*schillhammeri* Pütz, 1998b:362  
 China [Sichuan]  
*schuelkei* Pütz, 1998b:363  
 China [Sichuan]  
*sichuanensis* Pütz, 1998b:365  
 China  
*subelongatus* Pic, 1923b:4  
 India [Sikkim]
- CHIBIDORONUS* Satô, 1966:59  
*aureus* Satô, 1966:60  
 Japan (Ryukyu)
- CORRINEA* Wooldridge, 1980:69  
*admirandus* (Sharp) 1902a:677  
 México  
*audax* Wooldridge, 1980:75  
 México  
*aurata* Wooldridge, 1980:71  
 Brazil, Ecuador  
*delicata* Wooldridge, 1980:75  
 Colombia, Costa Rica, México, Panamá  
*edita* Wooldridge, 1993a:36  
 Venezuela  
*incondita* Wooldridge, 1980:73  
 Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador  
*lecta* Wooldridge, 1980:74  
 Bolivia  
*parva* Wooldridge, 1980:74  
 Bolivia, Ecuador, Perú  
*placida* Wooldridge, 1980:76  
 Trinidad  
*salebrosa* Wooldridge, 1980:75  
 Guatemala  
*spicula* Wooldridge, 1980:73  
 Ecuador  
*splendida* Wooldridge, 1980:71  
 Ecuador, Perú  
*vianai* (Pic), 1939:249  
 Argentina
- CYCOLIMNICHUS* Delève, 1968:270  
*dentoni* Hernando and Ribera 2000a:216  
 Cameroon  
*jaechi* Hernando and Ribera 2000a:215  
 Kenya  
*ovalis* Hernando and Ribera 2000a:215  
 Cameroon  
*presignis* Delève, 1968:272  
 Congo

- ERSACHUS* Erichson 1847:497  
*erichsonianus* Sharp, 1902a:683, pl. 20  
 Guatemala, México, Panamá  
*lugubris* Sharp, 1902a:684  
 Guatemala  
*mexicanus* Sharp, 1902a:684  
 México  
*variegatus* Erichson, 1847:497  
 Colombia
- EULIMNICHUS* Casey, 1889:146  
*acutus* Wooldridge, 1979:7  
 Costa Rica, Colombia, El Salvador, Guatemala,  
 Honduras, México, Panamá  
*analis* (LeConte), 1879:515  
 (syn., *analis rugiceps* Casey, 1912:47)  
 (syn., *analis coloradensis* Casey, 1912:47)  
 México, Panamá, USA (AR, AZ, CA, CO, MO,  
 OR, TX, UT, WA)  
*ater* (LeConte), 1854:117  
 (syn., *guatemalicus* Sharp, 1902a:676)  
 (syn., *sculpticeps* Casey, 1912:50)  
 (syn., *Limnichoderus oblongus* Pic, 1922:4)  
 Argentina, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, British  
 Guiana, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba,  
 Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Jamaica,  
 México, Panamá, Perú, USA (FL, GA, IN,  
 LA, MA, MS, NC, SC, TX), Venezuela  
*californicus* (LeConte), 1879:515  
 USA (CA, OR)  
*coheni* Wooldridge, 1979:4  
 Bolivia, Ecuador  
*confertus* Sharp, 1902a:676  
 México, Guatemala  
*corrineae* Wooldridge, 1979:3  
 Argentina, Brazil, Venezuela  
*epistemus* Sharp, 1902a:673  
 Costa Rica, Guatemala, Nicaragua, México  
*evanescens* Casey, 1912:48  
 USA (CA)  
*expeditus* Wooldridge, 1984b:57  
 Guatemala, Honduras  
*impostus* Wooldridge, 1978:172  
 (syn. *elongatus* Pic, 1923b:7; preoccupied)  
 Brazil  
*improcerus* Wooldridge, 1979:4  
 USA (MA)  
*incultus* Wooldridge, 1979:6  
 Bolivia, Ecuador  
*langleyae* Wooldridge, 1979:3  
 Ecuador, Perú  
*montanus* (LeConte), 1879:514  
 (syn., *laeticulus* Sharp, 1902a:674)
- México, USA (AZ, CA, CO, NM, OR)  
*nitidulus* (LeConte), 1854:117  
 Argentina, Brazil, Costa Rica, Ecuador,  
 México, Nicaragua, Panamá, USA (AL, FL,  
 GA, IN, ME, MO, NC, NH, PA, SC, VA)  
*obscurus* (LeConte), 1854:116  
 USA (DC, IL, IN, KS, MD, MS, NC, NY, TN,  
 TX, VA)  
*optatus* Sharp, 1902a:675  
 Guatemala, México, USA (AL, GA, LA, TX)  
*pellucidus* Wooldridge, 1979:5  
 Venezuela  
*perpolitus* Casey, 1889:151  
 USA (AZ, CA, NM, TX)  
*plebius* Sharp, 1902a:675  
 (syn., *Limnichoderus convexus* Pic, 1922:4)  
 (syn., *Limnichoderus breyeri* Pic, 1930:43)  
 (syn., *Limnichoderus peruvianus* Pic, 1954:178)  
 Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Dominican  
 Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala,  
 Haiti, Honduras, México, Puerto Rico, Perú,  
 Trinidad, Venezuela  
*rugulosus* Wooldridge, 1979:6  
 USA (IL, MI, WI)  
*rusticus* Wooldridge, 1979:7  
 México  
*sharpi* Wooldridge, 1979:5  
 México  
*sordidus* Sharp, 1902a:676  
 Guatemala  
*spangleri* Wooldridge, 1979:8  
 El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, México  
*subtitus* Wooldridge, 1979:8  
 USA (AL, FL)  
*sublaevis* Sharp, 1902a:674  
 Guatemala, Panamá  
*visendus* Wooldridge, 1979:1  
 México
- EUTHRYPTUS* Sharp, 1902a:682  
*orbicularis* Sharp, 1902a:682  
 Guatemala, México, Panamá  
*trigonalis* Sharp, 1902a:682  
 Guatemala
- HYPHALUS* Britton, 1971:88  
*crowsoni* Hernando and Ribera 2000b:240  
 Seychelles [Aldabra]  
*insularis* Britton, 1971:90  
 Australia  
*kuscheli* Britton, 1977:82  
 New Zealand

- prolixus* Britton, 1977:85  
 New Zealand
- taekoae* Satô, 1997:110  
 Japan (Ryukyus)
- ultimus* Britton, 1977:85  
 New Zealand
- wisei* Britton, 1973:121  
 New Zealand
- JAECHOBYRRHINUS* Pütz, 1991a:132
- amanosius* Pütz, 1991a:132  
 Turkey
- LICHMINUS* Casey, 1889:147
- tenuicornis* Casey, 1889:155  
 USA (CA)
- LIMNICHITES* Casey, 1889:147
- browni* Wooldridge, 1977a:187  
 El Salvador, México
- confertus* (Sharp), 1902a:676  
 Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Jamaica,  
 México, Nicaragua
- foraminosus* Casey, 1912:43  
 México, USA (AZ, CA, NM, OR, TX, UT)
- huronicus* Casey, 1912:43  
 Canada, USA (IL, MA, MI)
- imparatus* Wooldridge, 1977a:181  
 México
- nebulosus* (LeConte), 1879:515  
 (syn., *densissimus* Casey, 1912:41)  
 México, USA (AR, AZ, CA, OK, OR, TX)
- olivaceus* (LeConte), 1854:116  
 (syn., *virginicus* Casey, 1912:42)  
 USA (AL, AR, CT, DC, IA, IL, IN, MA, MD, MI,  
 MO, NC, OH, OK, PA, TX, VA, WV)
- perforatus* (Casey), 1889:155  
 México, USA (CA)
- porrectus* Wooldridge, 1977a:182  
 México
- punctatus* (LeConte), 1854:116  
 (syn., *austinianus* Casey, 1912:42)  
 Canada, USA (AL, DC, GA, IA, IL, MA, MD,  
 ME, MI, MN, MS, NH, NJ, NY, OH, OK, PA,  
 RI, TX, UT, VA, WI)
- rudis* Wooldridge, 1977a:183  
 Cuba, Jamaica
- simplex* Wooldridge, 1977a:188  
 Costa Rica, México
- LIMNICHODERUS* Casey, 1889:147
- amoenus* Wooldridge, 1981b:179  
 Ecuador
- angustus* Wooldridge, 1981b:180  
 Colombia, Ecuador, Panamá, Venezuela
- barberi* Wooldridge, 1981b:174  
 Haiti, Puerto Rico, Trinidad-Tobago
- conspectus* Wooldridge, 1981b:181  
 Ecuador, Perú
- cupidus* Wooldridge, 1981b:178  
 Brazil
- curtulus* Sharp, 1902a:678  
 (syn., *minutus* Pic, 1922:4)  
 Costa Rica, Panamá
- durus* Wooldridge, 1981b:182  
 Brazil
- excelsus* Wooldridge, 1993a:35  
 Venezuela
- fragosus* Wooldridge, 1981b:178  
 Ecuador
- imprioris* Blackwelder, 1944:274  
 (syn., *oblongus* Bréthes, 1922:297; preoccupied)  
 Argentina
- insularis* Wooldridge, 1981b:188  
 Dominican Republic, Haiti, Puerto Rico
- lutrochinus* (LeConte), 1879:515  
 (syn., *indiscretus* Sharp, 1902a:678)  
 (syn., *lanosus* Casey, 1912:55)  
 Belize, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala,  
 Honduras, México, Panamá, USA (AZ, CA,  
 IL, OK, TX)
- magnus* Wooldridge, 1981b:179  
 Costa Rica, Guatemala, México
- modicus* Wooldridge, 1981b:176  
 Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala,  
 Honduras, Panamá
- moratus* Wooldridge, 1981b:185  
 Colombia, Costa Rica, Guatemala, México,  
 Panamá
- naviculatus* (Casey), 1889:156  
 Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras,  
 México, Nicaragua, Panamá, Puerto Rico,  
 USA (AZ, CA, NM, NV, OK, TX)
- ovatus* (LeConte), 1854:117  
 (syn., *pulvereus* Casey, 1912:54)  
 México, USA (AL, FL, GA, LA, NC, SC, TX)
- placidus* Wooldridge, 1987a:330  
 Costa Rica
- plenus* Wooldridge, 1981b:185  
 México
- punctiventris* (Casey), 1889:159  
 USA (FL)
- seclusus* Wooldridge, 1987a:330  
 Ecuador
- seriatus* (Casey), 1889:158  
 (syn., *floridanus* Casey, 1912:55)

- USA (AL, FL, GA, LA, MS, NC, SC, VA)  
*similis* Wooldridge, 1981b:182  
 Perú  
*vicinus* Pic, 1922:4  
 Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Panamá, Venezuela
- LIMNICHOMORPHUS* Pic, 1922:4  
*curtulus* Pic, 1922:4  
 Vietnam (Tonkin)  
*ohbayashii* Satô, 1966:58  
 Japan (Ryukyus)
- LIMNICHUS* Latreille, 1829:510  
*aeneipennis* Pic, 1935a:1  
 Vietnam  
*africanus* Pic, 1923a:3  
 Ghana  
*angustulus* Weise, 1877:300  
 Sardinia  
*astruci* Pic, 1922:3  
 India  
*ater* Lea 1920:279  
 Australia  
*aurosericus* Jacquelin du Val, 1857 (1859):268  
 (syn., *lepraeuri* Perris, 1864:282)  
 Algeria, France, Italy, Spain  
*australis* Erichson, 1842:153  
 Australia, Tasmania  
*brevior* Fairmaire, 1898:224  
 Madagascar  
*coomani* Pic, 1935a:1  
 Vietnam  
*cuneatus* Champion, 1923:275  
 India [Kumaon]  
*curtus* Pic, 1922:3  
 Java  
*decorus* Broun, 1880:247  
 New Zealand  
*demoulini* Delève, 1968:217  
 Congo  
*ellipticus* Lea 1920:280  
 Australia  
*falsus* Delève, 1971:371  
 India  
*fragilicornis* Wollaston, 1868:80  
 Cape Verde Islands  
*fulvopubens* Pic, 1922:3  
 China  
*globosus* Champion, 1923:276  
 India [Kumaon]  
*incanus* Kiesenwetter, 1851:584  
 Mediterranean area, southern Europe,  
 Caucasus, Turkestan
- inornatus* Weise, 1877:301  
 (syn., *punctipennis* Baudi, 1870:64)  
*Cyperus*  
*javanicus* Pic, 1922:3  
 Java  
*latiusculus* Reitter, 1901:72  
 Turkestan  
*lederi* Weise, 1877:302  
 Caucasus  
*lewisi* Nakane, 1963:43  
 (syn., *paululus* Lewis, 1879:12)  
 China, Japan, Russia  
*longitarsis* Champion, 1923:275  
 India [Sarda]  
*marmoratus* Fairmaire, 1898:224  
 Madagascar  
*micraspis* Champion, 1923:276  
 India [Sarda]  
*monticola* Delève, 1968:220  
 Kenya  
*murinus* Baudi, 1870:63  
*Cyperus*  
*nigripes* Broun, 1893:1449  
 New Zealand  
*obliteratus* Champion, 1923:275  
 India [Kumaon]  
*orientalis* Motschulsky, 1861:112  
 Sri Lanka  
*palawanus* Delève, 1973:18  
 Philippines (Palawan)  
*picinus* Broun, 1881:671  
 New Zealand  
*pruinosus* Fleischer, 1909:244  
 Samarkand  
*pumilio* Obenberger, 1916:29  
 Corfu  
*punctatus* Broun, 1880:247  
 New Zealand  
*punctipennis* Kraatz, 1858:148  
 Greece, Italy  
*pygmaeus* Sturm, 1807:114  
 (syn., *sericeus* Stephens, 1832:411)  
 (syn., *auricomus* Reitter, 1877 (1878):180)  
 (syn., *minutus* Rey, 1889:66)  
 (syn., *variegatus* Guillebeau, 1886:2)  
 (syn., *pygmaeus* var. Reitter, 1887:104)  
 Turkestan, middle Europe, Caucasus  
*ruficolor* Pic, 1935a:2  
 N. Borneo  
*rufipes* Pic, 1923b:6  
 Ivory Coast  
*rufulopubens* Fairmaire, 1897:368  
 Madagascar

- rufus* Pic, 1923b:7  
     Philippines (Luzon)
- saegeri* Delèvre, 1968:218  
     Congo
- sericeus* Duftschmid, 1825:24  
     Europe, Asia
- subchalybeus* Reitter, 1881:85  
     Caucasus
- subelongatus* Pic, 1922:3  
     Sumbawa
- subnotatus* Champion, 1923:273  
     India [Kumaon]
- sulcatus* Pic, 1922:3  
     Guadeloupe
- tonkineus* Fairmaire, 1888:337  
     Tonkin, Vietnam
- trachyformis* Pic, 1922:3  
     India [Kumaon]
- turkestanicus* Pic, 1905:97  
     Turkestan
- unistriatus* Champion, 1923:274  
     India [Kumaon]
- vagegluttatus* Fairmaire, 1898:223  
     Madagascar
- waelbroecki* Delèvre, 1968:215  
     Kinshasha
- MANDERSIA* Sharp, 1902b:62
- scymnoides* Sharp, 1902b:62  
     Burma, China [Shan states], India
- MARTINIUS* Spilman, 1959:118
- ripisaltator* Spilman, 1966:124  
     Cuba
- tellepontis* Spilman, 1959:119  
     Panamá
- temporalis* Wooldridge, 1988:314  
     Ecuador
- MEXICO* Spilman, 1972:113
- litoralis* Spilman, 1972:114  
     México
- PARALIMNICHUS* Delèvre, 1973:24
- castaneus* (Lea), 1920:279  
     Australia
- panamensis* Wooldridge, 1983:232  
     Panamá
- punctatus* (Pic), 1923b:5  
     (syn., *punctatus* var. *obscurior* Pic, 1923b:5)  
     (syn., *rufescens* Pic, 1923b:5)  
     Borneo, Guadalcanal, Philippines [Banguey]
- PARATHROSCINUS* Wooldridge, 1984c:121
- corrinae* Wooldridge, 1990:254  
     Singapore
- magnus* Wooldridge, 1990:254  
     Singapore
- murphyi* Wooldridge, 1990:251  
     Singapore
- oculatus* (Motschulsky), 1858:52  
     Burma, India
- orientalis* Wooldridge, 1984c:122  
     Philippines, Vietnam
- PELOCHARES* Mulsant and Rey, 1869:161
- acuminatus* Champion 1923:271  
     India [Sikkim]
- acutipennis* Pic, 1935a:2  
     Malaysia
- alluaudi* Delèvre, 1968:226  
     Africa Orientale
- basilewskyi* (Pic), 1955:131  
     Ruanda
- biroi* (Pic), 1956:75  
     New Guinea
- congoensis* Delèvre, 1968:221  
     Congo
- densatus* Pic, 1922:3  
     Java
- diversus* (Pic), 1922:3  
     Philippines (Los Banos)
- emarginatus* Mulsant and Rey, 1869:161  
     Europe
- gibbipennis* Champion, 1923:269  
     Europe, Burma, India [Bengal], Sri Lanka
- minutus* Delèvre, 1968:224  
     Kivu [Zaire]
- murinus* Baudi, 1870:63  
     Cyperus, Caucasus
- oblongulus* Champion, 1925b:263  
     India (Kumaon)
- orientalis* (Motschulsky), 1861:112  
     (syn., *horni* Delèvre, 1971:368)  
     Sri Lanka
- philippinensis* Delèvre, 1973:21  
     Philippines (Tawi Tawi)
- rugiventrus* Champion, 1923:270  
     (syn., *ceylanicus* Delèvre 1971:370)  
     India [Kumaon], Sri Lanka
- ryukyuensis* Satô, 1966:57  
     China, Japan (Ryukyus)
- sulciger* Champion, 1923:270  
     Sri Lanka
- trifidus* Champion, 1923:272  
     Burma

- versicolor* Waltl, 1838:273  
 (syn., *emarginatus* Mulsant and Rey, 1869:161)  
 (var., *opacus* Reitter, 1881:84)  
 Europe, New Caledonia
- vitalisi* Pic, 1935a:1  
 Cambodia
- PHALACRICHUS* Sharp, 1902a:678  
 syn., *LIMNICHALIA* Casey, 1912:52
- atomarius* Sharp, 1902a:679  
 (syn., *colonica* Casey, 1912:52)  
 Belize, Bolivia, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador,  
 El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, México,  
 Nicaragua, Panamá, Perú, Surinam,  
 Trinidad, Venezuela
- diligens* Wooldridge, 1982:389  
 Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Venezuela
- durus* Wooldridge, 1982:387  
 Bolivia, Brazil, Ecuador, Paraguay, Perú,  
 Venezuela
- golbachi* Wooldridge, 1982:388  
 Paraguay
- latus* Wooldridge, 1982:386  
 Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Perú, Venezuela
- punctatus* Wooldridge, 1982:389  
 Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Panamá, Venezuela
- rudis* Wooldridge, 1982:385  
 Surinam, Venezuela
- simplex* Wooldridge, 1982:387  
 Bolivia, Brazil, Venezuela
- spangleri* Wooldridge, 1982:386  
 Ecuador, Venezuela
- sublimus* Wooldridge, 1993a:36  
 Venezuela
- vianai* (Pic), 1938:77  
 Argentina, Brazil, British Guiana, Trinidad
- PHYSEMUS* LeConte, 1854:117  
 syn., *DITAPHRUS* Casey, 1886:250
- excavatus* Wooldridge, 1976:182  
 El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras
- latifrons* Wooldridge, 1976:180  
 Panamá
- levis* Wooldridge, 1984a:538  
 Brazil, Trinidad, Venezuela
- minutus* LeConte, 1854:117  
 (syn., *Ditaphrus scymnoides* Casey, 1886:250)  
 México, USA (AZ, CA, TX)
- mirus* Wooldridge, 1984a:538  
 Ecuador
- punctatus* Wooldridge, 1976:180  
 Colombia
- PLATYPELOCHARES* Champion, 1923:271  
 syn. *WOOLDRIDGEUS* Spangler, 1999:181
- latimargo* Champion, 1923:272  
 India [Kumaon]
- perforatus* (Spangler), 1999:182  
 Malaysia
- periculosisssimus* Ribera and Hernando, 1999:107  
 Loas, Thailand, Vietnam
- petrus* Ribera and Hernando, 1999:108  
 Malaysia
- trifidus* Champion, 1923:272  
 Burma
- PSEUDEUCINETUS* Heller, 1921:155  
 syn., *THAUMASTODUS* Champion, 1924a:25
- PSEUDOEUUCHINETUS* Satô, 1994:173  
 (misspelling)
- novabritannica* Delève, 1973:18  
 Bismarck (New Britain)
- spilmani* Spangler, 1995:399  
 Indonesia
- uenoi* Spangler, 1995:396  
 Malaysia
- zygops* Heller, 1921:156  
 (syn., *Thaumastodus fusiformis* Champion,  
 1924a:27)  
 India, Malaysia, New Ireland, Philippines,  
 Solomon Islands
- RESACHUS* Delève, 1968:263
- lineatifrons* Delève, 1968:266  
 Congo
- striatellus* Delève, 1968:268  
 Congo
- SIMPLOCARINA* Pic, 1922:4  
 syn., *CYRTOLIMNICHUS* Delève, 1968:267
- curticollis* Pic, 1922:4  
 (syn., *punctulatus* Delève, 1968:267)  
 Congo
- THROSCINUS* LeConte, 1874:51
- aethiops* Darlington, 1936:75  
 Cayman Islands, Cuba, Dominican Republic,  
 Haiti, Jamaica, Puerto Rico
- crotchi* LeConte, 1874:52  
 Mexico, USA (CA)
- politus* Casey, 1889:162  
 USA (TX)
- punctatus* Wooldridge, 1981a:220  
 Colombia
- schwarzi* Schaeffer, 1904:204  
 Jamaica, USA (TX)

- simplex* Wooldridge, 1981a:220  
Colombia  
*spangleri* Wooldridge, 1981a:218  
Ecuador
- TRICHLIMNICHUS** Hernando and Ribera, 2001:153  
*maior* Hernando and Ribera, 2001:159  
Malaysia  
*minor* Hernando and Ribera, 2001:160  
Malaysia  
*sabahensis* Hernando and Ribera, 2001:160  
Malaysia

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- LUTROCHUS** Erichson, 1847:509  
  *BYRRMOPHUS* Sharp, 1882:125  
*acuminatus* Grouvelle, 1889:163  
  Venezuela  
*arizonicus* Brown and Murvosh, 1970:1031  
  USA (AZ)  
*geniculatus* Chevrolat, 1864:406  
  Cuba, Haiti  
*germari* Grouvelle, 1889:163  
  Brazil  
*gigas* Hinton, 1939:23  
  Perú  
*laticeps* Casey, 1893:580  
  USA (AL, AR, DC, IL, IN, MD, MI, MO, OH,  
    MS, OK, PA, TN, WI, WV)  
*luteus* LeConte, 1852:42  
  USA (NM, OK, TX)  
*misellus* Grouvelle, 1896:17  
  Brazil  
*montanus* Grouvelle, 1896:16  
  Bolivia  
*pilula* Erichson, 1847:510  
  Brazil  
*vestitus* Sharp, 1882:126  
  Guatemala

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