

**ANNOTATED CHECK-LIST OF APHODIINAE (SCARABAEIDAE :
COLEOPTERA) FROM INDIA**

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INTRODUCTION

The dung beetles belonging to subfamily Aphodiinae are usually coprophagous in habit and complete their life cycle in dung deposits. Some of the species are myrmecophilous and also inhabit the mammal nests. They play an important role in decomposition of dung from soil surface and thus making the environment clean and earning the name of "Nature's Scavengers". These beetles are characterized by the nine-segmented antennae and club 3-segmented; labrum and mandibles concealed by the clypeus; posterior spiracles situated in the membrane between dorsal and ventral segments; middle coxae almost contiguous and hind tibiae with two terminal spurs and elytra completely covering the abdomen.

The Aphodiinae fauna of the World is represented by about 1,200 species. The present knowledge about the Indian Aphodiinae is due to initial efforts made by Linnaeus (1767) and Fabricius (1781, 1787, 1792, 1801) and upto nineteenth century only 32 species of Aphodiinae were described by various workers namely Dejean (1833), Fairmaire (1896, 1897), Gestro (1891), Harold (1859, 1860, 1861, 1862, 1867, 1868, 1869, 1874, 1881), Klug (1855), Lansberg (1866), Motschulsky (1863), Reiche (1863, 1869), Roth (1847), Walker (1858), Wassmann (1899), Waterhouse (1875, 1876), Westwood (1847), Wiedemann (1823) and Wiedemann & Germar (1821). Later on in the present century Arrow (1909), Balthasar (1933, 1935, 1937, 1939, 1940, 1941 (a & b), 1946, 1955, 1963, 1965, 1967, 1973), Benard (1917, 1930), Boucomont (1935), Champion & Wassmann (1923), Clouet (1901), Johnson (1978), Koshantschikov (1916), Mittal (1993), Paulian (1934, 1936 a & b), Petrovitz (1958, 1961 a & b, 1962 a & b, 1963 a & b, 1964, 1965, 1967, 1968 a & b, 1970, 1973, 1975, 1976), Pittino (1983, 1984, 1988), Pittino and Mariani (1986), Schmidt (1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1916, 1923), Stebnicka (1981, 1983, 1989), Tangelder and Krikken (1982), Wassmann (1902, 1911, 1918, 1923) described 101 species from India. An analysis of the fauna of Indian Aphodiinae described during the different period indicate that most of the species were described from 1901 to 1995 (Table 1) and analysis of contributions made by different

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coleopterists indicates that Petrovitz, Schmidt, Tangelder and Krikken, Balthasar, Wassmann, Harold, Pittino and Mariani and Mittal were the significant contributors, who described maximum species of Indian Aphodiinae.

Table 1 : Number of Indian species of Aphodiinae described during different periods

Sl. No	Period		Number of species described
	From	To	
1	1751	- 1800	5
2.	1801	- 1850	9
3.	1851	- 1900	18
4.	1901	- 1950	38
5.	1951	- 1995	63

CHECK LIST OF INDIAN FAUNA

Subfamily APHODIINAE Leach, 1815

Tribe APHODIINI Leach, 1815

Genus *Aphodius* Illiger, 1798

Cytoderhinus Seabra, 1909

Digonorhinus Seabra, 1909

Hemicyclorhinus Seabra, 1909

Subgenus *Acrossus* Mulsant, 1842

Aphodius (Acrossus) angustiarum Balthasar, 1967

hingstoni Petrovitz, 1976 : Tangu; Sikkim

simlaicus Petrovitz, 1970 : Simla;

Himachal Pradesh

ab. *rufipennis* Petrovitz, 1976 : Tangu; Sikkim

A. (A.) *emodus* Petrovitz, 1976 : Lachen; Sikkim

A. (A.) *opacipennis* A. Schmidt, 1910a : Sikkim

A. (A.) *ritsemai* A. Schmidt, 1909a : Sikkim

A. (A.) *ustulatus* Harold, 1862 : North-east India;
Chakratta, Kedarnath; Uttar Pradesh.

Subgenus *Aganocrossus* Reitter, 1895*Aphodius* (*Aganocrossus*) *amoenus* Boheman, 1857*centralis* Harold, 1868*centromaculatus* Germar, 1869ab. *fuscus* Petrovitz, 1962ab. *impugnans* A. Schmidt, 1907ab. *pallidicornis* Walker, 1858 : Chennai; Tamil NaduA. (A.) *khuntianus* Balthasar, 1940 : Khunti; Himachal Pradesh*urostigmoides* Balthasar, 1939Subgenus *Alocoderus* A. Schmidt, 1913*Aphodius* (*Alocoderus*) *decrepidus* Petrovitz, 1975 : India*patricius* Petrovitz, 1975A. (A.) *teyrovskyi* Balthasar, 1935 : Sikkim*milvus* Balthasar, 1955*pedongensis* Paulian, 1936a : Darjeeling; West BengalSubgenus *Aphodius* Illiger, 1798*Aphodius* (*S. Str.*) *elongatulus* Fabricius, 1801*chinensis* Harold, 1861*cruentus* Reiche, 1869 : Bengal*testaceus* Germar, 1813*tuberifrons* Fairmaire, 1889A. (*S. Str.*) *fasciger* Harold, 1881 : Darjeeling , West Bengalab. *infestus* A. Schmidt, 1907 : Assamab. *schenklingi* A. Schmidt, 1907 Khasis; Meghalayaab. *sexsignatus* A. Schmidt, 1907 : SikkimA. (*S. Str.*) *irregularis* Westwood, 1839 : Himalaya*basalis* Reiche, 1863 : IndiaSubgenus *Balthasarianus* Paulian, 1934*Aphodius* (*Balthasarianus*) *fruhstorferi* Petrovitz, 1970

Darjeeling; West Bengal

A. (*B.*) *gregori* Balthasar, 1941b : Sikkim.*abditus* Petrovitz, 1970 : Darjeeling; West BengalA. (*B.*) *nainiensis* Petrovitz, 1963a Bhimtal, Nainital; Uttar PradeshA. (*B.*) *pilosus* Harold, 1874 : India

- Subgenus ***Blackburneus*** A. Schmidt, 1913
Aphodius (*Blackburneus*) *minutissimus* A. Schmidt, 1908 :
 Hulikal, Nilgiri; Tamil Nadu
 A. (B.) *stebnickae* Pittino, 1988 : Nagpur; Maharashtra
- Subgenus ***Bodilus*** Mulsant and Rey, 1869
Aphodius (*Bolidus*) *liesenfeldti* Petrovitz, 1958 : Dehradun;
 Kumaon; Uttar Pradesh
- Subgenus ***Emadiellus*** A. Schmidt, 1913
Aphodius (*Emadiellus*) *rufopustulatus* Wiedemann, 1823 :
 Bengal
- Subgenus ***Erytodes*** A. Schmidt, 1916
Aphodius (*Erytodes*) *confirmatus* A. Schmidt, 1916 :
 Chennai; Tamil Nadu
- Subgenus ***Euorodalus*** Dellacasa, 1983
Aphodius (*Euorodalus*) *himalayanus* W. Koshantschikov,
 1916 : Kulu, Himachal Pradesh
- Subgenus ***Koshantschikovius*** A. Schmidt, 1913
Aphodius (*Koshantschikovius*) *andrewesi* A. Schmidt, 1908 :
 Belgaum; Karnataka
 A. (K.) *nagporensis* Petrovitz, 1968a :
 Nagpur; Maharashtra
 A. (K.) *strandi* Balthasar, 1935 : Nagpur; Maharashtra
- Subgenus ***Labarrus*** Mulsant and Rey, 1869
Aphodius (*Labarrus*) *lividus* Olivier, 1789 : Widely
 distributed in India, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh,
 Himachal Pradesh, Rajasthan and Andaman
 (Chandra, 1992)
bilituratus Marsham, 1802
cincticulus Hope, 1846
discus Wiedemann, 1823
fimetifex Gistel, 1857
hircinus Gistel, 1857
maculicollis Montrouzier, 1860
obliteratus Mannerheim, 1833
osoletus Fabricius, 1801
sequens Walker, 1858
spilopterus Germar, 1848

- saturalis* Fabricius, 1792
saturalis Schonherr, 1833
verpertinus Ponzer, 1799
 ab. *anachoreta* Fabricius, 1801
 ab. *limbatus* Wiedemann, 1821
 ab. *limicola* Ponzer, 1798
 ssp. *matusitai* Nakane, 1961
 Subgenus ***Loboparius*** A. Schmidt, 1913
Aphodius (*Loboparius*) *immarginatus* A. Schmidt, 1907
crossulus Fairmaire, 1893
vitalisi Boucomont, 1921
 ssp. *cordieri* Boucomont, 1921
 ssp. *kumaoensis* Petrovitz, 1962a; Dehradun;
 Siwalik hills, 3000 m above; Uttar Pradesh
 ssp. *malabaricus* Petrovitz, 1962a : Mahe, Malabar;
 Kerala
minimus Reiche, 1863
 A. (L.) *nathani* Johnson, 1978 Anamalai Hill;
 Tamil Nadu
 A. (L.) *schereri* Petrovitz, 1963a : Nainital, Bhimtal; Uttar
 Pradesh
 Subgenus ***Megatelooides*** Landin, 1974
Aphodius (*Megatelooides*) *bostricoides* Harold, 1860 : North-
 East India
 Subgenus ***Mendidaphodius*** Reitter, 1901
Aphodius (*Mendidaphodius*) *pseudoadustus* Petrovitz, 1958
 Thar-desert; Rajasthan & Gujrat
 Subgenus ***Mesontoplatys*** Motschulsky, 1860
Aphodius (*Mesontoplatys*) *dorsalis* Klug, 1855 : India
probes Peringuey, 1901
tenuitarsis Fairmaire, 1897
 ab. *indorsalis* Endrodi, 1960
 ab. *maoensis* Endrodi, 1964
 A. (M.) *mungo* Balthasar, 1946 : Chennai, Tamil Nadu
 A. (M.) *ovatulus* Harold, 1861 : East India
ovatulus Reiche, 1861
 ab. *numerosus* A. Schmidt, 1913

- A. (M.) *scutatus* Petrovitz, 1961b : Kerala
 Subgenus *Neocalaphodius* Bordat, 1988
Aphodius (*Neocalaphodius*) *moestus* Fabricius, 1801 : India,
 widely distributed. Andaman (Chandra, 1992)
investigator Reiche, 1862
madagascariensis Dejean, 1833
madagascariensis Harold, 1859
mutans Walker, 1858
subvittatus Fairmaire, 1896
 ab. *connectena* Endrodi, 1960
 ab. *innotatus* Endrodi, 1960
 Subgenus *Oxyaphodius* Balthasar, 1965
Aphodius (*Oxyaphodius*) *sikkimensis* Balthasar, 1965 :
 Tumlong; Sikkim
 Subgenus *Paradidactylia* Balthasar, 1937
Aphodius (*Paradidactylia*) *brivioi* Petrovitz, 1961b. :
 Machilipatnan; Kistna; Andhra Pradesh
 A. (P.) *dehradunensis* Petrovitz, 1961b : Dehradun, U. P.
 A. (P.) *haafi*, Petrovitz, 1964 : Orissa
 Subgenus *Paremadus* Nakane, 1976
Aphodius (*Paremadus*) *mahriensis* Stebnicka, 1983 : Mahri;
 Himachal Pradesh
 A. (P.) *schawalleri* Stebnicka, 1989 : Jammu & Kashmir
 A. (P.) *zajilae* Stebnicka, 1981 : Ladakh, Zojila, Jammu
 & Kashmir
 Subgenus *Phalacronothus* Motschulsky, 1859
Emadus Mulsant and Rey, 1869
Paragolius Balthasar, 1946
Aphodius (*Phalacronothus*) *avunculus* Balthasar, 1946 :
 Chennai; Tamil Nadu
 A. (P.) *carinulatus* Motschulsky, 1863 : India
 Subgenus *Pharaphodius* Reitter, 1892
Aphodius (*Pharaphodius*) *acutus* A. Schmidt, 1908 :
 South India
 A. (P.) *cornutus*, Wiedemann, 1823 : Bengal
 A. (P.) *costatulus* A. Schmidt, 1908 : Belgaum; Karnataka
dindigalensis Balthasar, 1951b : Dindigal; Tamil
 Nadu

- subpilosus* Petrovitz, 1965 : Vinukonda; D. Kistna
- A. (P.) *crenatus* Harold, 1862 : India; widely distributed; Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Andaman (Chandra, 1992)
- buphalinus* Eschscholtz, 1833
- crenatus* Dejean, 1833
- pubiventris* Motschulsky, 1869
- A. (P.) *indicus* Petrovitz, 1958 : Coimbatore; Tamil Nadu
- A. (P.) *jodhpurensis* Petrovitz, 1958 : Barmer. Thar-Desert; Rajasthan
- A.(P.) *marginellus* Fabricius, 1781 : South India
- assimilis* Megerle, 1833
- attritus* Balthasar, 1933
- lucidus* Dejean, 1862
- marginellus* Schuppel, 1833
- A. (P.) *perfidus* A. Schmidt, 1908 : Belgaum; Karnataka
- Subgenus ***Plagiogonus*** Mulsant, 1842
- Eccoaptaphodius*** Iablokov, 1964
- Oloperus*** Mulsant and Rey, 1869
- Aphodius* (*Plagiogonus*) *oberthuri* Paulian, 1936a : Darjeeling; West Bengal
- ab. *nigrescens* Paulian, 1936a : Darjeeling; West Bengal
- ab. *rubricatus* Paulian, 1936a : Darjeeling; West Bengal
- A. (P.) *palea* Balthasar, 1967 : Darjeeling; West Bengal
- A. (P.) *ramamiensis* Stebnicka, 1981 : Raman, Darjeeling; West Bengal
- Subgenus ***Pleuraphodius*** A. Schmidt, 1913
- Aphodius* (*Pleuraphodius*) *impudicus* Fabricius, 1801 : India
- A. (P.) *lewisi* Waterhouse, 1875 : South India
- Subgenus ***Teuchestes*** Mulsant, 1842
- Aphodius* (*Teuchestes*) *analisis* Fabricius, 1787 : India
- cinctipennis* Chevrolat, 1869
- ab. *niger* Landin, 1974
- ab. *sorex* Fabricius, 1792 : India
- beckeri* Mader, 1938

- Subgenus *Trichaphodius* A. Schmidt, 1913
Gilletianus Balthasar, 1933
Neoheptaolacus Paulian & Villiers, 1939
Schmidtaphodius Paulian, 1942
Trichaphodioides Paulian, 1942
- Aphodius* (*Trichaphodius*) *assamensis* Petrovitz, 1976 :
 Patkai Mt., Assam
- A. (T.) *costatulus* A. Schmidt, 1908 : Belgaum, Karnataka
subpilosus Petrovitz, 1965 : Vinukonda, Andhra Pradesh
- A. (T.) *humilis* Roth, 1851 : India
lanuginosus Perringuey, 1901
- ab. *decoloratus* Endrodi, 1957
 ab. *flavus* Endrodi, 1955
 ab. *fumosulus* Endrodi, 1957
 ab. *luctuosus* Endrodi, 1957
 ab. *nigrellus* Endrodi, 1957
 ab. *ovatus* Endrodi, 1957
 ab. *partitus* Endrodi, 1957
 ab. *punctiger* Endrodi, 1957
- ssp. *hindustanicus* Balthasar, 1935 : India
- A. (T.) *kazirangensis* Stebnicka, 1981 : Kaziranga; Assam
- A. (T.) *moorei* Paulian, 1936 : South India
- A. (T.) *reichei* Harold, 1859 : South India
binonatus Dalman, 1833
- A. (T.) *segmentaroides* A. Schmidt, 1909a : East India
- Subgenus *Trichonotulus* Bedel, 1911
Trichonotus Mulsant & Rey, 1842
- Aphodius* (*Trichonotulus*) *biseriatus* A. Schmidt, 1908 :
 India
- A. (T.) *castersi* Paulian, 1936a : Tiruchchirapalli, Tamil Nadu
echinatus Petrovitz, 1961 : Bengal
- A. (T.) *coimbatorensis* Balthasar, 1973 : Coimbatore;
 Tamil Nadu
- Aphodius* *campestris* Mittal, 1993 : Dehradun; U. P. ;
 Kurukshetra; Haryana

- A. *devabhumi* Mittal, 1993 : Badrinath; U. P.
 A. *mussooriensis* Mittal, 1993 : Mussoorie; U. P.
 A. *parvatia* Mittal, 1993 : Gorikund, Kedarnath; U. P.
 A. *rugosicapita*, Mittal, 1993 : Kalpa, H. P. ;
 Gorikund, U. P.
- Genus *Oxyomus* Dejean, 1833
Amidorinus W. Koshantschikov, 1912
Oxyomus Castelnau, 1840
Oxyomus Erichson, 1844
Oxyomus Eschscholtz, 1833
Oxyomus Stephens, 1839
Renaudius Balthasar, 1951
- Oxyomus cameratus* A. Schmidt, 1908 : Hulikal, Nilgiri;
 Tamil Nadu
- O. nibigenus* Petrovitz, 1968 : India
O. simillimus A. Schmidt, 1908 : Nilgiri Hills; Tamil
 Nadu
- Tribe CORYTHODERIINIA A. Schmidt, 1910
 Genus *Chaetopisthes* Westwood, 1847
 Subgenus *Chaetopisthes* Westwood, 1847
- Chaetopisthes (s. str.) fulvoides* Tangelder and Krikken : Chotanagpur,
 Nowatoli; Bihar
- C. (s. str.) fulvus* Westwood, 1847 : Mhow, Malwa; Madhya
 Pradesh
arrowi Balthasar, 1941
- C. (s. str.) latipes* Tangelder and Krikken 1982 : Faizabad;
 Uttar Pradesh
- C. (s. str.) oberthueri* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Ramnad,
 Tamil Nadu
- Subgenus *Chaetopisthides* Wassmann, 1918
Chaetopisthes (Chaetopisthides) popei Tangelder and Krikken,
 1982 : Chikkaballapuro; Karnataka
- C. (C.) sulciger* Wassmann, 1899 : Ahmed Nagar;
 Maharashtra
tibialis Wassmann, 1923 : Khandesh, S. India
- Subgenus *Miochaetopisthes* Tangelder & Krikken 1982
Chaetopisthes (Miochaetopisthes) cincinnatus

- Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Chipurupalle;
Andhra Pradesh
- Subgenus ***Neochaetopisthes*** Wassmann, 1918
- Chaetopisthes* (*Neochaetopisthes*) *angustipes*, Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Nilgiri Hills; Tamil Nadu
- C. (N.) assmuthi* Wassmann, 1911 : Khandala; Maharashtra
- C. (N.) brevipes* Wassmann 1923 : Nowatoli, Chotanagpur, Bihar
- C. (N.) brunneus* Wassmann, 1918 : Kirkee, Poona; Maharashtra
- C. (N.) heimi* Wassmann, 1902 : Wallon, Ahmad Nagar, Maharashtra
- C. (N.) longulus* Wassmann, 1923 : Kumaon, Tanakpur; Uttar Pradesh
- C. (N.) meridionalis* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Kodaikanal; Tamil Nadu
- C. (N.) saetiger* Tangelder & Krikken, 1982 : Faizabad; Uttar Pradesh
- C. (N.) semisulcatus* Tangelder and Krikken 1982 : Faizabad; Uttar Pradesh
- C. (N.) septentrionalis* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Gurdaspur; Punjab
- C. (N.) simplices* Gestro, 1891 : North India
- C. (N.) ventriosus* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Namkun, Ranchi; Bihar
- Genus ***Corythoderus*** Klug, 1845
- Subgenus ***Eurycorythoderus*** Wassmann, 1918
- Corythoderus* (*Eurycorythoderus*) *gibbiger* Wassmann, 1899 : Sangammer, Ahmad Nagar; Maharashtra
- assmuthi* Wassmann, 1918
- fossiger*, Wassmann, 1918
- Subgenus ***Stenocorythoderus*** Wassmann, 1918
- Corythoderus* (*Stenocorythoderus*) *braminus* Wassmann, 1918 : Anand; Gujrat
- Genus ***Termitopisthes*** Wassmann, 1918
- Termitopisthes* *forticulus* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Kumaon, Haldwani; Uttar Pradesh

- T. kistneri* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 : Haldwani, Tanakpur; Uttar Pradesh
- T. parallelus* Wassmann, 1923 : Dehradun; Uttar Pradesh
- T. schmidtii* Champion, 1923 : Kumaon, Tanakpur; Uttar Pradesh
- T. submissus* Tangelder and Krikken, 1982 Kumaon, Haldwani; Uttar Pradesh
- T. wasmanni* A. Schmidt, 1911 : Chotanagpur; Bihar
- laticollis* Wassmann, 1918 : Bangalore; Karnataka
- nobilis* Wassmann, 1918 Bangalore, Karnataka
- Tribe EUPARIINI A. Schmidt, 1910
- Genus *Ataenius* Harold, 1867
- Auperia* Chevrolat, 1864
- Auperia* Duval, 1856
- Brancoataenius* Paulian, 1979
- Euparia* Burmeister, 1877
- Euparia* Erichson, 1847
- Hexalus* Mulsant & Rey, 1870
- Oxyomus* Blanchard, 1843
- Stenataenius* Chalumeau, 1982
- Ataenius dentatus* W Koshantschikov, 1916 Andaman Islands, A & N Islands
- Genus *Dialytes* Harold, 1869
- Dialytes punctatus* A. Schmidt, 1911 : Andaman Islands, A & N Islands
- Genus *Odontolytes* W. Koshantschikov, 1916
- Odontolytes andamanensis* W Koshantschikov, 1916 : Andaman Islands, A & N Islands
- Genus *Sybacodes* Fairmaire, 1896
- Sybacodes lutulentus* Fairmaire, 1896 : India
- Tribe PSAMMODIINI Mulsant, 1842
- Genus *Psammodius* Fallen, 1807
- Psammodius* Heer, 1841
- Psammodius* Castelnau, 1840
- Psammodius* Gyllenhal, 1808
- Psammodius ovatus* Pittino, 1983 : Guwahati; Assam
- Tribe RHYSSEMINI Pittino and Mariani, 1986

- Genus *Platytomus* Mulsant, 1842
Platytomus indicus Balthasar, 1941 : Chennai, Tamil Nadu
P. nagporensis Pittino and Mariani, 1986 : Chota Nagpur; Bihar
P. nathani Pittino and Mariani, 1986 : Coimbatore; Tamil Nadu
- Genus *Pleurophorus* Mulsant, 1842
Pleurophorus bengalensis Pittino and Mariani, 1986 : West Bengal
P. besucheti Pittino and Mariani, 1986 : Kerala
P. schereri Pittino and Mariani, 1986 : Kaziranga; Assam
- Genus *Rhyssamodes* Reitter, 1892
Rhyssamodes indicus Pittino, 1984 : Dhanjuri; West Bengal
- Genus *Rhyssemus* Mulsant, 1842
Boucardius Petrovitz, 1967
Rhyssemus bufonis Boucomont, 1935 : Srinagar; Jammu & Kashmir
R. falcatus Petrovitz, 1961 : Tasso, Gilgit, Satil; Jammu & Kashmir
R. freyi Petrovitz, 1963 : Kaziranga; Assam
R. germanus Linnaeus, 1767 : Haryana, Uttar Pradesh; India; Widely distributed. Andamans (Chandra, 1991)
funnebris Roubal, 1912
geminatus Reitter, 1890
obsoletus Rey, 1890
puncticollis Brown, 1929
R. hamatus Petrovitz, 1963 : Rangpur; Bengal
R. inscitus Walker, 1858
crispus Reiche, 1907
insignicellis Lea, 1923
malasiacus Lansberge, 1886 : India
mussardi Petrovitz, 1975
papuanus Petrovitz, 1965
scabripennis Fauvel, 1907
sculpifrons Fairmaire, 1907

- tarsalis* Waterhouse, 1876 : North India
transversus Reiche, 1907
- R. karnatakaensis* Pittino, 1984 : Chikmagalur; Karnataka
- R. loebli* Petrovitz, 1975 : Udamapelt; Tamil Nadu
- R. procerus* Petrovitz, 1973 : New Delhi
- R. ritsemae* Clouet, 1901 : East India
costulatus Clouet, 1901
- R. sinuaticollis* Pittino, 1984 : Puna; Maharashtra
- Genus *Trichiorhyssemus* Clouet, 1901
- Trichiorhyssemus babaulti* Benard, 1917 : Sarada, Ganjam; Tamil Nadu
- T. expansicollis* Benard, 1930 : Kodaikanal; Tamil Nadu
- T. klapaleki* Balthasar, 1963 : South India
- T. malabricus* Balthasar, 1963 : Malabar Coast; Kerala
- T. setiventris* Petrovitz, 1968b : Kochin; Kerala
- Tribe RHYPARIINI A. Schmidt, 1910b
- Genus *Rhyparus* Westwood, 1843
Antrisis Pascoe, 1866
Rhyparus De jean, 1833
Rhyparus Westwood, 1843
- Rhyparus nilgirensis* Arrow, 1909 : Nilgiri Hills, Tamil Nadu

SUMMARY

A check-list of 133 species of subfamily Aphodiinae so far reported from India is given citing the distribution and references.

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