

## Superfamily EMPIDOIDEA

### 43. Family EMPIDIDAE

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Empididae are most numerous in northern temperate and montane regions but are distributed worldwide. There are over 3,000 described species worldwide and they exhibit a greater diversity of form than almost any other family of Diptera. This diversity has led to the recent separation of the Empididae into 4 families (Hybotidae, Atelestidae, Microphoridae, and Empididae) by the raising of some subfamilies to family level (Chvála 1983). This practice is not followed here in the interests of conformity with my contributions to other regional catalogs of Diptera; however, the arrangement of subfamilies follows Chvála's suggestions. Also, in the Australasian/Oceanian Regions there are species that possess characters that render them difficult to place in the existing system of classification. Clearly, many more genera and species occur in the regions covered here than have at present been described, and much more critical taxonomic research is needed before a satisfactory classification can be achieved or a reasonably complete catalog compiled. Because of this situation a conservative view of generic classification is presented here, largely following the literature. However, in an attempt to stimulate much-needed research in this family it can be stated that at least some of the species assigned to the following genera require the erection of new genera to receive them: *Chersodromia*, *Micrempis*, *Leptopeza*, *Anthepiscopus*, *Apalocnemis*, *Atrichopeza*, *Trichopeza*, and *Microphorus*. Some generic reassessments are established in the present catalog, and 2 new replacement names are proposed. In the Drapetini there appears to be a complex of at least 4 genera including *Isodrapetis*

and *Austrodromia*. Following the suggestion of Chillcott & Teskey (1983), *Coloboneura agryopalpa* and *Chersodromia lutescens* are transferred to the genus *Micrempis*. Certainly, new genera will have to be erected for several Australian species in this complex when more material is available for study.

Both adults and larvae are predaceous on other insects, mainly Diptera. Adults also feed at flowers. Some genera, especially of the Empidinae, have evolved an elaborate courtship display in which the prey is used as an essential stimulus initiating copulation. A glandlike structure of possible epigamic function has been described in *Austrodrapetis* (Smith & Davies 1965). Some species form dancing swarms over vegetation on land (*Empis*, *Rhamphomyia*) or over water (*Hilara*); such swarms are usually connected with mating behavior. *Hilara* will take prey trapped in the surface film of water, and *Hilarempis* is found on boulders in streams or among marginal vegetation.

Almost nothing is known of the life history, biology, or behavior of Empididae from the regions covered by this catalog. Dumbleton (1966) described the aquatic larvae of *Chelifera tantula* and *?Clinocera gressitti* from New Zealand. I identified an adult *Micrempis* sp. from a nest of the ant *Myrmecia desertorum* Wheeler in New South Wales. Elsewhere, larvae are known to be predaceous and occur in soil, leaf litter, rotting wood, and dung; others (Hemerodromiinae, Clinocerinae) are aquatic.

Refs.: Collin (1928, 1933, 1961), Melander (1928), Chvála (1981, 1983), Chillcott & Teskey (1983, keys, classif.), Smith (1969c, classif., keys, biol., behav., bibliogr.).

## Subfamily OREOGETONINAE

### Genus ANTHEPISCOPUS Becker

**ANTHEPISCOPUS** Becker, 1891: 281. Type species: *Anthepisopus ribesii* Becker, 1891, des. Coquillett, 1903a: 246.  
**antipodus** Bezz, 1904a: 339. Australia (NSW).

### Genus OREOGETON Schiner

**OREOGETON** Schiner, 1860a: 53. Type species: *Gloma basalis* Loew, 1856, orig. des.  
**TENONTOMYIA** White, 1916b: 237. Type species: *Tenontomyia gracilipes* White, 1916, mon.  
**gracilipes** White, 1916b: 237 (*Tenontomyia*). Australia (Tas).  
**maculipennis** Collin, 1928: 62. NZ (NZ).  
**rostratus** Collin, 1928: 63. NZ (NZ).  
**undulatus** Collin, 1928: 61. NZ (NZ).

## Subfamily EMPIDINAE

### Genus APALOCNEMIS Philippi

**APALOCNEMIS** Philippi, 1865: 752. Type species: *Apalocnemis obscura* Philippi, 1865, mon.  
**TIMALPHES** Melander, 1928: 97. Type species: *Clinocera fumosa* Hutton, 1901, orig. des.  
**fumosa** Hutton, 1901: 31 (*Clinocera*). NZ (NZ).  
**sanguinea** Hardy, 1934d: 173. Australia (Qld).  
**simulans** Collin, 1928: 65. NZ (NZ).

### Genus ATRICHOIPLEURA Bezzi

**ATRICOIPLEURA** Bezzi, 1909: 357. Type species: *Atrichopleura schnusei* Bezzi, 1909, orig. des.  
**compitalis** Collin, 1928: 100. NZ (NZ).  
**conjuncta** Malloch, 1931j: 424. NZ (NZ).

### Genus EMPIDADELPHA Collin

**EMPIDADELPHA** Collin, 1928: 105. Type species: *Empidadelpha propria* Collin, 1928, orig. des.  
**propria** Collin, 1928: 105. NZ (NZ).  
**torrentalis** Miller, 1923b: 463 (*Empimorpha*). NZ (NZ).

### Genus EMPIS Linnaeus

**EMPIS** Linnaeus, 1758: 603. Type species: *Empis pennipes* Linnaeus, 1758, des. Latreille, 1810: 443.  
**alata** Hardy, 1934d: 177. Australia (NSW).  
**aquila** White, 1916b: 234. Australia (Tas).  
**bellatoria** White, 1916b: 232. Australia (Tas).  
**brevirostris** Macquart, 1850: 400(96). Australia (Tas); Australia (NSW).  
**brouni** Hutton, 1901: 30. NZ (NZ).  
**confirmata** Walker, 1852: 205 (*Hilara*). Australia (Tas). N. comb.  
**flabilis** White, 1916b: 233. Australia (Tas).  
**otakouensis** Miller, 1910: 235. NZ (NZ).  
**pachyptodiata** Bigot, 1889b: 132. Australia (NSW).  
**papuana** Bezz, 1904a: 344. "Nuova Guinea."  
**probata** Collin, 1928: 102. NZ (NZ).  
**sericata** White, 1916b: 233. Australia (Tas).

**tasmaniensis** Smith, n. n. Australia (Tas).

*certa* Walker, 1852: 204 (*Hilara*). Australia (Tas). [Preocc. Harris, 1780.]

**thomsoni** Hardy, 1942: 204 (n. n. for *tenuirostris* Thomson). Australia (NSW).

*tenuirostris* Thomson, 1869: 473. Australia (NSW). [Preocc. Fallén, 1816.]

**tibialis** Hardy, 1934d: 178. Australia (Tas).

**waterhousei** Hardy, 1934d: 178. Australia (NSW).

**xanthopyga** Schiner, 1868: 204. Australia (NSW).

#### Genus GYNATOMA Collin

**GYNATOMA** Collin, 1928: 94. Type species: *Gynatoma quadrilineata* Collin, 1928, orig. des.

**atra** Malloch, 1931j: 426. NZ (NZ).

**continens** Collin, 1928: 97. NZ (NZ).

**evanescens** Collin, 1928: 97. NZ (NZ).

**pygmaea** Collin, 1928: 98. NZ (NZ).

**quadrilineata** Collin, 1928: 95. NZ (NZ).

**subfulva** Collin, 1928: 99. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus HILARA Meigen

**HILARA** Meigen, 1822: 1. Type species: *Empis maura* Fabricius, 1777, des. Curtis, 1826: 130.

**anisonychia** Collin, 1928: 73. NZ (NZ).

**balnearia** White, 1916b: 223. Australia (Tas).

**consanguinea** Collin, 1928: 71. NZ (NZ).

**dracophylli** Miller, 1923b: 456. NZ (NZ).

**eficiens** White, 1916b: 222. Australia (Tas).

**flavinceris** Miller, 1923b: 453. NZ (NZ).

**fossalis** Miller, 1923b: 460. NZ (NZ).

**hudsoni** Hutton, 1901: 30 (*Empis*). NZ (NZ).

**intuta** Collin, 1928: 74. NZ (NZ).

**litorea** Fallén – not Australasian/Oceanian.

**littoralis** Miller, 1923b: 454. NZ (NZ).

**macrura** Collin, 1928: 69. NZ (NZ).

**minamurra** Smith, 1960: 373. Australia (NSW).

**mollicella** White, 1916b: 225. Australia (Tas).

**nimia** White, 1916b: 223. Australia (Tas).

**nubila** White, 1916b: 224. Australia (Tas).

**philpotti** Miller, 1913a: 202. NZ (NZ).

**reecta** Collin, 1928: 75. NZ (NZ).

**spinulenta** Collin, 1928: 74. NZ (NZ).

**urophora** Collin, 1928: 70. NZ (NZ).

**urophylla** Collin, 1928: 72. NZ (NZ).

**vector** Miller, 1923b: 454. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus HILAREMPIS Bezzi

**HILAREMPIS** Bezzi, 1905: 443. Type species: *Hilarempis nudifacies* Bezzi, 1905, des. Melander, 1928:

128.

**HILAROPUS** White, 1916b: 226. Type species: *Hilaropus peregrinus* White, 1916, pres. des.

**argentella** Collin, 1928: 88. NZ (NZ).

**benhami** Miller, 1913a: 198 (*Hilara*). NZ (NZ).

**brevistyla** Collin, 1928: 93. NZ (NZ).

**cineracea** Collin, 1928: 89. NZ (NZ).

**cyanescens** Bezzi, 1904a: 342 (*Empis*). Australia (NSW).

**dichropleura** Collin, 1928: 84. NZ (NZ).  
**diversimana** Collin, 1928: 84. NZ (NZ).  
**echinata** White, 1916b: 230 (*Hilaropus*). Australia (Tas).  
**hilaraeformis** Bezzi, 1904a: 340 (*Empis*). Australia (Tas).  
**huttoni** Bezzi, 1904a: 360 (n. n. for *fulvipes* Hutton). NZ (NZ).  
**fulvipes** Hutton, 1901: 31 (*Hilara*). NZ (NZ). [Preocc. Macquart, 1834.]  
**immota** Collin, 1928: 89. NZ (NZ).  
**kaiteriensis** Miller, 1913a: 200 (*Hilara*). NZ (NZ).  
**longistyla** Collin, 1928: 79. NZ (NZ).  
**minthaphila** Collin, 1928: 81. NZ (NZ).  
**nigra** Miller, 1923b: 462. NZ (NZ).  
**nigrimana** White, 1916b: 228 (*Hilaropus*). Australia (Tas).  
**ochrozona** Collin, 1928: 85. NZ (NZ).  
**pallidifurca** White, 1916b: 227 (*Hilaropus*). Australia (Tas).  
**peregrina** White, 1916b: 228 (*Hilaropus*). Australia (Tas).  
**simillima** Collin, 1928: 90. NZ (NZ).  
**smithii** Hutton, 1901: 30 (*Empis*). NZ (NZ).  
**subdita** Collin, 1928: 82. NZ (NZ).  
**trichopleura** Collin, 1928: 92. NZ (NZ).  
**uniseta** Collin, 1928: 87. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus RHAMPHELLA Malloch

**RHAMPHELLA** Malloch, 1930n: 449. Type species: *Rhamphella inconspicua* Malloch, 1930, orig. des.  
**inconspicua** Malloch, 1930n: 449. Australia (NSW).

#### Genus RHAMPHOMYIA Meigen

**RHAMPHOMYIA** Meigen, 1822: 42. Type species: *Empis sulcata* Meigen, 1804, des. Curtis, 1834: 517.  
**albidipennis** Malloch, 1930n: 450. Australia (Vic).  
**aprilis** White, 1916b: 238. Australia (Tas).  
**politella** Malloch, 1931j: 425. NZ (NZ).  
**septembbris** White, 1916b: 239. Australia (Tas).

### Subfamily HEMERODROMIINAE

#### Genus CHELIFERA Macquart

**CHELIFFERA** Macquart, 1823: 150. Type species: *Chelifera raptor* Macquart, 1823 [= *Tachydromia praecatoria* Fallén, 1815], mon.  
**apicata** Collin, 1928: 44. NZ (NZ).  
**fontinalis** Miller, 1923b: 442 (*Hemerodromia*). NZ (NZ).  
**tacita** Collin, 1928: 44. NZ (NZ).  
**tantula** Collin, 1928: 43. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus CHELIPODA Macquart

**CHELIPODA** Macquart, 1823: 148. Type species: *Tachydromia mantispa* Panzer, 1809 [misid., = *Tachydromia vocatoria* Fallén, 1815], orig. des.  
**LITANOMYIA** Melander, 1902: 231. Type species: *Sciodromia mexicana* Wheeler & Melander, 1901, des.  
 Coquillett, 1903a: 252.  
**abdicta** Collin, 1928: 31. NZ (NZ).  
**abjecta** Collin, 1928: 37. NZ (NZ).

- consignata** Collin, 1928: 30. NZ (NZ).  
**delecta** Collin, 1928: 38. NZ (NZ).  
**digressa** Collin, 1931: 353. NZ (NZ).  
**inconspicua** Collin, 1928: 36. NZ (NZ).  
**interposita** Collin, 1928: 37. NZ (NZ).  
**longicornis** Collin, 1928: 34. NZ (NZ).  
**mirabilis** Collin, 1928: 32. NZ (NZ).  
**moderata** Collin, 1928: 39. NZ (NZ).  
**modica** Collin, 1928: 39. NZ (NZ).  
**oblata** Collin, 1928: 40. NZ (NZ).  
**oblinata** Collin, 1928: 41. NZ (NZ).  
**otiraensis** Miller, 1923b: 443 (*Litanomyia*). NZ (NZ).  
**recurva** Collin, 1928: 34. NZ (NZ).  
**secreta** Collin, 1928: 35. NZ (NZ).  
**trepida** Collin, 1928: 35. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus CLADODROMIA Bezzi

- CLADODROMIA** Bezzi, 1905: 453 (*Hemerodromia* subg.). Type species: *Cladodromia inca* Bezzi, 1905, des. Collin, 1928: 46 and Melander, 1928: 259 [precise dates of these two works uncertain].  
**futilis** Collin, 1928: 50. NZ (NZ).  
**insignita** Collin, 1928: 48. NZ (NZ).  
**inturbida** Collin, 1928: 45 (*Neoplasta*). NZ (NZ).  
**negata** Collin, 1928: 50. NZ (NZ).  
**soleata** Collin, 1928: 47. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus DOLIODROMIA Collin

- DOLIODROMIA** Collin, 1928: 27. Type species: *Doliodromia avita* Collin, 1928, orig. des.  
**avita** Collin, 1928: 27. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus HEMERODROMIA Meigen

- HEMERODROMIA** Meigen, 1822: 61. Type species: *Tachydromia oratoria* Fallén, 1815, des. Rondani, 1856: 148. [Suspension of I.C.Z.N. rules required to validate Rondani's type-species designation, and to set aside earlier type designations by Westwood, 1840: 132 and Desmarest *in* d'Orbigny, 1845c: 528 in the interests of stability and common usage; see Melander (1928: 252), Collin (1961: 715).]  
**radialis** Collin, 1928: 42. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus MONODROMIA Collin

- MONODROMIA** Collin, 1928: 24. Type species: *Monodromia fragilis* Collin, 1928, orig. des.  
**fragilis** Collin, 1928: 25. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus PHYLLODROMIA Zetterstedt

- PHYLLODROMIA** Zetterstedt, 1837: 31 (*Hemerodromia* subg.) Type species: *Empis melanocephala* Fabricius, 1794, des. Rondani, 1856: 148.  
**scopulifera** Collin, 1928: 25. NZ (NZ).  
**striata** Collin, 1928: 26. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus PTIOPHYLLODROMIA Bezzi

- PTIOPHYLLODROMIA** Bezzi, 1904a: 344. Type species: *Ptilophyllodromia biroi* Bezzi, 1904, mon.

**biroi** Bezzi, 1904a: 345. Australia (NSW); Australia (Tas).

#### Genus SEMATOPODA Collin

**SEMATOPODA** Collin, 1928: 51. Type species: *Sematopoda elata* Collin, 1928, orig. des.  
*elata* Collin, 1928: 52. NZ (NZ).

#### Subfamily CLINOCERINAE

#### Genus ASYMPHYLOPTERA Collin

**ASYMPHYLOPTERA** Collin, 1933: 323. Type species: *Asymphyloptera discrepans* Collin, 1933, orig. des.  
*quadriseta* Smith, 1961: 245. Australia (NSW).

#### Genus CLINOCERA Meigen

**CLINOCERA** Meigen, 1803: 271. Type species: *Clinocera nigra* Meigen, 1804, subs. mon. Meigen,  
1804: 292.  
**gressitti** Smith, 1964a: 327. NZ (Campbell I).

#### Genus DIPSOMYIA Bezzi

**DIPSOMYIA** Bezzi, 1909: 388. Type species: *Dipsomyia spinifera* Bezzi, 1909, mon.  
*mutabilis* Collin, 1928: 60. NZ (NZ).  
**stigmosa** Smith, 1964a: 325 (*Empidadelpha*). NZ (Campbell I). N. comb.

#### Genus DOLICHOCEPHALA Macquart

**DOLICHOCEPHALA** Macquart, 1823: 147. Type species: *Dolichocephala maculata* Macquart, 1823 [=  
*Tachydromia irrorata* Fallén, 1815], mon.  
**DOLICHOCEPHALUS**. Incorr. orig. spell. of *Dolichocephala* (Macquart, 1823: 165).  
Undetermined sp.—Australia (Tas) (Hardy, 1930c: 244).

#### Genus TRICHOPEZA Rondani

**TRICHOPEZA** Rondani, 1856: 150. Type species: *Brachystoma longicornis* Meigen, 1822, orig. des.  
**milleri** Smith, n. n. NZ (NZ)  
*longicornis*-Miller, 1923b: 446 (*Trichopeza*). NZ (NZ). [Preocc. Meigen, 1822.]

#### Subfamily CERATOMERINAE

#### Genus CERATOMERUS Philippi

**CERATOMERUS** Philippi, 1865: 765. Type species: *Ceratomerus paradoxus* Philippi, 1865, mon.  
**albistylus** Hardy, 1930c: 246. Australia (Tas).  
*tuberculatus* Hardy, 1930c: 247. Australia (Tas). N. syn.  
*crassinervis* Malloch, 1931j: 428. NZ (NZ).  
*dorsatus* Collin, 1928: 19. NZ (NZ).  
*exiguus* Collin, 1928: 20. NZ (NZ).  
*inflexus* Hardy, 1930c: 247. Australia (Tas).  
*longifurcatus* Collin, 1931: 352. NZ (NZ).  
*ordinatus* Hardy, 1930c: 247. Australia (Tas).  
*prodigiosus* Collin, 1928: 20. NZ (NZ).  
*virgatus* Collin, 1928: 17. NZ (NZ).

### Genus ICASMA Collin

**ICASMA** Collin, 1928: 22. Type species: *Icasma singularis* Collin, 1928, orig. des.  
*singularis* Collin, 1928: 23. NZ (NZ).

### Genus TOMIA Paramonov

**TOMIA** Paramonov, 1961c: 100. Type species: *Tomia campbelli* Paramonov, 1961, orig. des.  
*campbelli* Paramonov, 1961c: 101. Australia (Tas).

## Subfamily BRACHYSTOMATINAE

### Genus HOMALOCNEMIS Philippi

**HOMALOCNEMIS** Philippi, 1865: 752. Type species: *Homalocnemis nigripennis* Philippi, 1865, mon.  
**FRAUDATOR** Hutton, 1901: 23. Type species: *Fraudator perspicuus* Hutton, 1901, mon.  
*adebensis* Miller, 1913a: 203 (*Brachystoma*). NZ (NZ).  
*inxpleta* Collin, 1928: 58. NZ (NZ).  
*perspicua* Hutton, 1901: 23 (*Fraudator*). NZ (NZ).  
*hamiltoni* Miller, 1923b: 451 (*Brachystoma*). NZ (NZ).  
*maculipennis* Malloch, 1932f: 458. NZ (NZ).

## Subfamily OCYDROMIINAE

### Genus HOPLOPEZA Bezzi

**HOPLOPEZA** Bezzi, 1909: 385. Type species: *Hoplopeza chloropa* Bezzi, 1909, mon.  
*levicosta* White, 1916b: 244 (*Leptopeza*). Australia (Tas). N. comb.  
*pulcherrima* Bezzi, 1904a: 336 (*Leptopeza*). Australia (NSW); Australia (?Tas). N. comb.  
*serratocosta* White, 1916b: 245 (*Leptopeza*). Australia (Tas). N. comb.

### Genus LEPTOPEZA Macquart

**LEMTOPEZA** Macquart, 1827: 143. Type species: *Ocydromia flavipes* Meigen, 1820 [= *Ocydromia ruficollis* Meigen, 1820], mon.  
**LEPTOPEZA**. Incorr. subs. spell. of *Lemtopeza* (Macquart, 1834a: 320).  
**LEPTOPEZA** Scudder, 1882: 182 (unjust. emend. of *Lemtopeza*). [Though traditionally recorded as such, Macquart did not provide a true emendation from *Lemtopeza* to *Leptopeza* in his 1834 work according to Art. 33b of the *Code*. *Lemtopeza* is not an incorrect original spelling according to Art 32c of the *Code* and should be treated as the correct orthography for this genus. However, following established common usage and in order to maintain stability, *Leptopeza* is used as the accepted orthography for this genus. References to Zetterstedt (1837) as having provided the first emendation are in error as proven by a thorough search of his *Isis* article and other articles by Zetterstedt in years previous and subsequent to it. — Ed.]  
*bimaculata* Bezzi, 1904a: 337. Australia (NSW); Australia (Tas).  
*isolita* Collin, 1928: 16. NZ (NZ).  
*rubrithorax* White, 1916b: 243. Australia (Tas).  
*tachydromiaeformis* Bezzi, 1904a: 338. Australia (NSW).

### Genus OROPEZELLA Collin

**OROPEZELLA** Collin, 1926: 214. Type species: *Leptopeza sphenoptera* Loew, 1873, orig. des.  
**LEPTOMETOPIELLA** Melander, 1928: 70. Type species: *Leptopeza sphenoptera* Loew, 1873, orig. des.  
*antennata* Collin, 1928: 9. NZ (NZ).

**bifurcata** Collin, 1928: 11. NZ (NZ).  
**nigra** Miller, 1923b: 447 (*Leptopeza*). NZ (NZ).  
**tanyerca** Collin, 1928: 11. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus PSEUDOSCELOLABES Collin

**PSEUDOSCELOLABES** Collin, 1933: 49. Type species: *Leptopeza fulvescens* Miller, 1923, orig. des.  
*SCELOLABES*, Collin, 1928, not Philippi, 1865, misid.  
*fulvescens* Miller, 1923b: 448 (*Leptopeza*). NZ (NZ).

#### Subfamily HYBOTINAE

##### Genus HYBOS Meigen

**HYBOS** Meigen, 1803: 269. Type species: *Hybos funebris* Meigen, 1804 [= *Musca grossipes* Linnaeus, 1767], des. Curtis, 1837a: pl. 661. [*Hybos* originally proposed without included species; Curtis's designation is from the first 2 included species in Meigen, 1804: 240-41.]  
**bezzii** Kertész, 1899b: 175. PNG (PNG).  
**brachystigma** Bezzi, 1904a: 327. Australia (NSW).  
**dnonepheros** Quate, 1960b: 70. Micronesia.  
**papuanus** Kertész, 1899b: 175. "Neu-Guinea."  
**pollinosus** Bezzi, 1904a: 326. Australia (NSW).  
**sydneyensis** Schiner, 1868: 203. Australia (NSW).

##### Genus SYNDYAS Loew

**SYNDYAS** Loew, 1858e: 369 [1860b: 332]. Type species: *Syndyas opaca* Loew, 1858, des. Coquillett, 1903a: 257.  
**atterima** de Meijere, 1913a: 53. Philippines; Indonesia (Maluku).  
**eumera** Bezzi, 1904a: 323. PNG (PNG).

##### Genus SYNECHES Walker

**SYNECHES** Walker, 1852: 165. Type species: *Syneches simplex* Walker, 1852, mon.  
**PARAHYBOS** Kertész, 1899b: 176. Type species: *Parahybos iridipennis* Kertész, 1899, mon.

##### Subgenus EPICEIA Walker

**EPICEIA** Walker, 1860b: 149 (as gen.). Type species: *Epiceia ferruginea* Walker, 1860, mon.  
**deficiens** Walker, 1859a: 129 (*Hybos*). Indonesia (Maluku).  
**eustylatus** Bigot, 1889b: 126 (*Pterospylus*). Indonesia (Irian Jaya).  
**ferrugineus** Walker, 1860b: 149 (*Epiceia*). Indonesia (Maluku); Indonesia (Irian Jaya).  
**hyalopterus** Bezzi, 1904a: 331. PNG (PNG).  
**minor** Bezzi, 1904a: 332. PNG (PNG).  
**platybregmus** Quate, 1960b: 71. Belau.  
**pullus** Bezzi, 1928: 54. Fiji.  
**stigma** Walker, 1865b: 111 (*Hybos*). "New Guinea" [= Indonesia (Irian Jaya)].

##### Subgenus HARPAMERUS Bigot

**HARPAMERUS** Bigot, 1859b: 308 (as gen.). Type species: *Harpamerus signatus* Bigot, 1859, mon.  
**matemus** Curran, 1936: 19. Solomon Is.  
**velutinus** de Meijere, 1906b: 79. PNG (PNG).

### Subgenus SYNECHES Walker

**SYNECHES** Walker, 1852: 165. Type species: *Syneches simplex* Walker, 1852, mon.  
**brevispinus** Collin, 1929: 180. Western Samoa.  
**devius** Collin, 1929: 180. Western Samoa.  
**dichaetophorus** Bezzi, 1904a: 330. Singapore & Malaysia (Pen) & PNG (PNG); Philippines.  
**iridipennis** Kertész, 1899b: 176 (*Parahybos*). "Neu-Guinea"; ?Seychelles. **N. comb.**  
**oedicnemus** Bezzi, 1928: 52. Fiji.  
**spinidorsum** Bezzi, 1928: 52. Fiji.

### Subfamily TACHYDROMIINAE

#### Genus APTERODROMIA Oldroyd

**APTERODROMIA** Oldroyd, 1949a: 278. Type species: *Apterodromia evansi* Oldroyd, 1949, orig. des.  
**evansi** Oldroyd, 1949a: 278. Australia (Tas).

#### Genus AUSTRODRAPETIS Smith

**AUSTRODRAPETIS** Smith, 1964b: 247. Type species: *Austrodrapetis coxalis* Smith, 1964, mon.  
**coxalis** Smith, 1964b: 248. Cook Is.

#### Genus CHERSODROMIA Walker

**CHERSODROMIA** Walker, 1849: 1157 [Haliday in Walker, 1851b: 88]. Type species: *Tachypeza brevipennis* Zetterstedt, 1838 [= *Tachypeza arenaria* Haliday, 1833], des. Rondani, 1856: 147.  
**COLOBONEURA** Melander, 1902: 229. Type species: *Coloboneura inusitata* Melander, 1902, mon.  
**argentina** Quate, 1960b: 58. Belau.  
**dissita** Collin in Hardy, 1960: 336. Hawaiian Is.  
**hawaiensis** Melander, 1938: 57. Hawaiian Is.  
**zelandica** Rogers, 1982: 341. NZ (NZ).

#### Genus CROSSOPALPUS Bigot

**CROSSOPALPUS** Bigot, 1857b: 557, 563. Type species: *Platypalpus ambiguus* Macquart, 1827, mon.  
**EUDRAPETIS** Melander, 1918: 187 (*Drapetis* subg.). Type species: *Drapetis spectabilis* Melander, 1902, orig. des.  
**breviculus** Melander, 1928: 310 (*Drapetis*; n. n. for *brevis* Bezzi). Taiwan; Belau, Guam. **N. comb.**  
*brevis* Bezzi, 1912: 480, 483 (*Drapetis*). Taiwan. [Preocc. Meunier, 1908.]  
**cookiensis** Smith, n. n. Cook Is.  
*kraussi* Smith, 1964b: 250. Cook Is. [Preocc. Quate, 1960.]  
*insularis* Melander, 1952b: 419 (*Drapetis*). Hawaiian Is.  
*kraussi* Quate, 1960b: 61 (*Drapetis*). Kiribati (Gilbert Is). **N. comb.**  
*phaeopterus* Bezzi, 1904b: 145 (*Drapetis*; n. n. for *obscuripennis* Bezzi). PNG (PNG). **N. comb.**  
*obscuripennis* Bezzi, 1904a: 351. PNG (PNG). [Preocc. Philippi, 1865.]  
*simplex* Quate, 1960b: 61 (*Drapetis*). Belau. **N. comb.**

#### Genus DRAPETIS Meigen

**DRAPETIS** Meigen, 1822: 91. Type species: *Drapetis exilis* Meigen, 1822, mon.  
**distans** Bezzi, 1904b: 144 (n. n. for *divergens* Bezzi). PNG (PNG).  
*divergens* Bezzi, 1904a: 353. PNG (PNG). [Preocc. Loew, 1872.]  
**savaiensis** Collin, 1929: 183. Western Samoa.  
**xanthopyga** Bezzi, 1904a: 352. PNG (PNG).

### Genus ELAPHROPEZA Macquart

**ELAPHROPEZA** Macquart, 1827: 86. Type species: *Tachydromia ephippiata* Fallén, 1815, mon.  
**CTENODRAPETIS** Bezzi, 1904a: 351 (*Drapetis* subg.). Type species: *Ctenodrapetis ciliatocosta* Bezzii,  
 1904, des. Melander, 1928: 309.  
**adelphide** Quate, 1960b: 65. Belau.  
**atrilinea** Quate, 1960b: 67. Belau.  
**bicolor** Bezzii, 1904a: 349. Australia (NSW).  
**bihamata** Bezzii, 1904a: 353 (*Drapetis*). PNG (PNG).  
**callosotibia** Bezzii, 1904a: 355 (*Drapetis*). PNG (PNG).  
**ciliatocosta** Bezzii, 1904a: 355 (*Drapetis*). Australia (Qld); ?Bolivia.  
**confusa** Curran, 1936: 20 (*Drapetis*). Solomon Is. N. **comb.**  
**crockeri** Curran, 1936: 20 (*Drapetis*). Cook Is. N. **comb.**  
**ekphysis** Quate, 1960b: 69. Micronesia.  
**formosae** Bezzii, 1907c: 566. Taiwan; Belau.  
**gracilis** Bezzii, 1904a: 354 (*Drapetis*). "Nuova Guinea." N. **comb.**  
**hamifera** Bezzii, 1912: 479, 485 (*Drapetis*). "Nuova Guinea." N. **comb.**  
**pollicata** Quate, 1960b: 64. Micronesia.  
**ponapensis** Quate, 1960b: 67. Micronesia.  
**rubrithorax** Bezzii, 1904a: 356 (*Drapetis*). PNG (PNG). N. **comb.**  
**semibadia** Quate, 1960b: 65. Guam.  
**spuria** Bezzii, 1904a: 347. "Nuova Guinea."

### Genus ISODRAPETIS Collin

**ISODRAPETIS** Collin, 1928: 6. Type species: *Isodrapetis nitidula* Collin, 1928, orig. des.  
**nitidula** Collin, 1928: 7. NZ (NZ).  
**subpollinosa** Collin, 1928: 8. NZ (NZ).  
**suda** Collin, 1928: 8. NZ (NZ).

### Genus MICREMPIS Melander

**MICREMPIS** Melander, 1928: 298. Type species: *Micrempis nana* Melander, 1928, orig. des.  
**argyropalpa** Bezzii, 1904a: 358 (*Coloboneura*). PNG (PNG).  
**lutescens** Bezzii, 1904a: 358 (*Chersodromia*). Australia (NSW).  
**setifrons** Bezzii, 1904a: 357 (*Halsanalotes*). Australia (NSW).

### Genus PLATYPALPUS Macquart

**PLATYPALPUS** Macquart, 1827: 92. Type species: *Musca cursitans* Fabricius, 1775, des. Westwood,  
 1840: 132.  
**TACHYDROMIA**, authors, not Meigen, 1803, misid.  
**awarensis** Grootaert, 1984: 286. PNG (PNG).  
**chionochaeta** Bezzii, 1904a: 359 (*Tachydromia*). PNG (PNG).  
**ementitus** Collin, 1928: 5 (*Tachydromia*). NZ (NZ). N. **comb.**  
**isabellae** Grootaert, 1984: 284. PNG (PNG).  
**scambus** Collin, 1928: 4 (*Tachydromia*). NZ (NZ). N. **comb.**  
**spatiosus** Collin, 1928: 6 (*Tachydromia*). NZ (NZ). N. **comb.**

### Genus TACHYDROMIA Meigen

**TACHYDROMIA** Meigen, 1803: 269. Type species: *Musca cimicoides* Fabricius, 1782 (in synonymy  
 with *Musca arrogans* Linneaus, 1767) [misid., = *Tachydromia connexa* Meigen, 1822], des.  
 Curtis, 1833: 477.  
**papuana** Grootaert, 1987: 144. PNG (PNG).

## Subfamily MICROPHORINAE

## Genus MICROPHORELLA Becker

**MICROPHORELLA** Becker, 1909a: 28 (*Microphor* subg.). Type species: *Microphorus praecox* Loew, 1864, orig. des.  
**iota** Colless, 1964: 320. Australia (ACT); Australia (NSW).

## Genus MICROPHOR Macquart

**MICROPHOR** Macquart, 1827: 139. Type species: *Microphor velutinus* Macquart, 1827, des. Rondani, 1856: 151.  
**MICROPHORUS** Macquart, 1834a: 345 (unjust. emend. of *Microphor*).  
**hiemalis** White, 1916b: 240. Australia (Tas).