

## ***Celaenopsis badius* (C. L. Koch, 1836) (Acari: Mesostigmata: Celaenopsidae) in Hungary**

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ABSTRACT: Several specimens of *Celaenopsis badius* (C. L. Koch, 1839) were collected in several part of Hungary. Short description, distribution and occurrences of Hungary are given. With 5 figures.

Three family of cohort Antennophorina are known from Europe (BREGETOVA 1977). One of them (Antennophoridae) belongs to the superfamily Antennophoroidea, two of them (Diplogyniidae and Celaenopsidae) belong to the superfamily Celaenopsoidea (KRANTZ 1978).

So far only the family Antennophoridae and Celaenopsidae have been published from Hungary (KANDILL 1983, KONTSCHÁN 2003).

Several part of Hungary were collected several specimens of *Celaenopsis badius* (C. L. Koch, 1839), this species is published by KANDILL (1983), who found this species only in Hortobágy National Park.

The identified specimens are stored in alcohol and deposited in Collection of Soil Zoology of Hungarian Natural History Museum.

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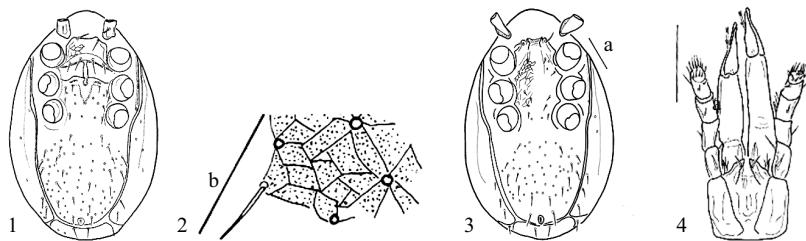
*Celanopsis badius* (sic!): Kandil 1983

Short description – Female: Dorsal side: Holodorsal shield present. Ventral side (Fig. 1): one pair long setiform setae on anterior margin and two pairs long setiform setae on posterior margin of metasternal shield. Ventoanal shield with numerous long and setiform setae and pores. Postanal shield with one pair setae, marginal shield with two pairs setiform setae. Pattern of sternal shield coriaceous, sculpture of ventroanal shield is shown in Fig. 2. Male: Dorsal side: Holodorsal shield present. Ventral side (Fig. 3): St1 longer than the other sternal setae. All of sternal and ventroanal setae smooth and setiform. Sternal shield with coriaceous ornamentation. Gnathosoma of male is shown in Fig 4.

**Material examined:** Nagyrécse, from beech forest, from leaf litter, 06.10.2005. leg. O. Merkl & A. Grabant; Kas-kantyú, 13.05.2005. leg E. Horváth; Ócsa, 13.04.2005. leg. E. Horváth; Kerkabarnabás, Cserhegy from oak forest, from leaf litter, 09.04.2004. leg. Cs. Csuzdi; Böszénfa, Ropoly, from oak forest, from moss, 11.06.2004. leg. S. Mahunka & L. Mahunka-Papp; Pilismarót, from soil, 01.05.1983. leg. L. Fürjes.

Distribution: Russia, Latvia, Italia, Hungary

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Figs 1–4. *Celaenopsis badius* (C. L. Koch, 1839): 1 = Ventral view of female, 2 = ornamentation of ventral shield, 3 = ventral view of male, 4 = gnathosoma of male (scale bar: a: 100 µm, b: 10 µm)

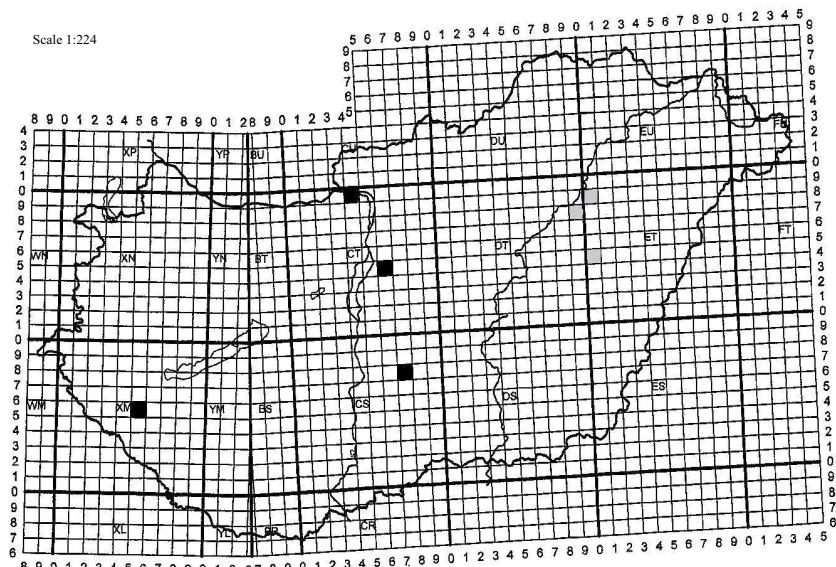


Fig. 5. Occurrences of *Celaenopsis badius* (C. L. Koch, 1839) in Hungary (grey: known data, black: new data)

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