

ming, Yunnan Province, China.

***Amblyopone* Erichson**

Amblyopone Erichson, 1842. *Arch. Naturg.*, 5(2): 260. Type-species: *Amblyopone australis*, by monotypy.

Key to species of *Amblyopone* of East and South Asia based on worker caste

1. Antenna 10-segmented. Head rectangular with lateral sides parallel (Figs. 1-5) (Japan) *A. fulvida* Terayama
Antenna 11- or 12-segmented 2
2. Antenna 11-segmented 3
Antenna 12-segmented 4
3. Head as broad as long. Anterior margin of clypeus weakly convex (Figs. 6-7) (India) *A. pertinax* Baroni Urbani
Head distinctly longer than broad. Anterior margin of clypeus strongly convex (Figs. 9-10) (China: Taiwan Province)
..... *A. sakaii* Terayama
4. Anterior margin of clypeus straight, without teeth or denticles. Anterolateral corner of head without genal tooth. Eye with 35-40 facets. Head as broad as long. Total length 8.3 mm (India) *A. bellii* Forel
Anterior margin of clypeus straight or convex, with teeth or minute denticles 5
5. Anterior margin of clypeus divided into 3 lobes, the middle lobe with 4 denticles, the lateral lobes each with 2 denticles (Figs. 11-13) (China: Yunnan Province) *A. triloba* sp. nov.
Anterior margin of clypeus not divided into lobes 6
6. Anterior margin of clypeus with 4-9 teeth 7
Anterior margin of clypeus with more than 10 teeth or denticles 10
7. Anterior margin of clypeus with 4-6 teeth 8
Anterior margin of clypeus with 7-9 teeth 9
8. Anterolateral corner of head with acute genal tooth. Eye tiny, puncture-form (Fig. 8) (Vietnam)
..... *A. ambylops* (Karavaiev)
Anterolateral corner of head without genal tooth. Eye larger, with 7-8 facets (Figs. 14-15) (China: Hunan Province)
..... *A. rubiginoa* Wu et Wang
9. Eye with less than 10 facets. Total length 3.5-4.5 mm. Body in color yellowish brown to reddish brown (Figs. 16-17) (China: Zhejiang and Taiwan Provinces; Korea Peninsula, Japan) *A. silvestrii* (Wheeler)
Eye with 35 facets. Total length 6.0-6.5 mm. Body in color darkish brown (Myanmar) *A. feae* (Emery)
10. Anterior margin of clypeus straight, with 12 rectangular teeth, flanked by triangular corner tooth on each side (China: Taiwan Province) *A. bruni* (Forel)
Anterior margin of clypeus weakly or strongly convex, with 10-12 minute triangular denticles 11
11. Head nearly as broad as long. Anterior margin of clypeus weakly convex. Occipital margin almost straight. Total length 9 mm. Body in color darkish brown (Vietnam) *A. quadrata* (Karavaiev)
Head distinctly longer than broad. Anterior margin of clypeus evenly or strongly convex. Occipital margin distinctly concave. Total length 6.7-8.0 mm. Body in color brownish black to black 12
12. Eye with 100-120 facets. Total length 8 mm. Body in color brownish black (China: Macao; India) *A. rothneyi* Forel
Eye with 18-19 facets. Total length 6.7-7.4 mm. Body in color black (Figs. 18-20) (China: Yunnan Province)
..... *A. crenata* sp. nov.

***Amblyopone triloba* sp. nov. (Figs. 11-13)**

Holotype worker (Unit:mm). TL 4.5, HL 1.00, HW 0.85, CI 85, SL 0.53, SI 62, PW 0.55, AL 1.23, ED 0.00, ML 0.65, DPW 0.50, DPL 0.45, PH 0.55. Head roughly trapezoid, longer than broad, widened forward. Occipital margin weakly concave, occipital corners roundly prominent, lateral sides weakly convex. Anterolateral corner of head with acute genal tooth. Mandibles slender, relatively straight, inner and masticatory margins about equal in length, inner margin with 5-6 teeth, masticatory margin with 4 teeth. Anterior margin of clypeus roundly convex and divided into 3 lobes, middle lobe with 4 denticles, lateral lobes each with 2 denticles, besides an extra tooth present between middle lobe and right lateral lobe. Antennae short, 12-segmented, apex of scape reached to 2/3 of the distance from antennal socket to occipital corner, segments 2-10 each broader than long. Eyes absent. In profile view, dorsum of thorax weakly convex, promesonotal suture distinctly notched, metanotal groove slightly de-