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This revision of the first key (Waterhouse, 1975) has been made necessary by the description of 21 new species since then and also by the redescription of some old but important species. It remains a tabulation of characters and a diagnostic key. Although the species fall into a number of groups, these do not seek to follow several recently suggested genera and subgenera (see References) into which Entomophthora Fres. has been regrouped. In some sections it so happens that they do so. This serves to strengthen the divisions suggested but whether these merit generic or only subgeneric status remains a debatable point. The lack of information on hyphal bodies, pseudocystidia, nuclear content and descriptions of secondary conidia in many species would indicate that some recent placements of species have been premature.

In general the species have been arranged in each section in increasing size of primary conidia, but where it seemed of more interest to draw attention to similarity of host, e.g. those on mites, by placing these species adjacent this has been given priority.

Massospora Peck is not included. The 13 described species all attack adult cicadas. Fungal growth is confined to the abdomen, usually to the sex organs, and the spores develop in irregular cavities, the conidia and resting spores occurring in different individuals. They are set free while the insects are still moving by disintegration of the abdomen. The resting spores of all species have reticulate walls. The genus has been monographed by R.S. Soper (Mycotaxon 1: 13-40, 1974) and a new key provided in *ibid*. 13: 50-88, 1981.

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Notes to the key. B = British records; C = Have been brought into artificial culture; all measurements in microns ( $\mu m$ ).

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### KEY TO THE SECTIONS

Conidiophores unbranched or occasionally little branched Conidia usually as broad as long (except caroliniana), single-walled, multi-nucleate No pseudocystidia

Conidia multinucleate (2-18)

Conidia usually 4-nucleate (up to 7 in turbinata), usually smoky coloured

Conidiophores branched:
digitate, dichotomous or
irregular (except castrans
& magna)
Conidia usually longer than
broad, double-walled,
usually uninucleate
Pseudocystidia usually
present
Rhizoids present or absent

Conidia not reported

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Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
NO RHIZOIDS 1. muscae incl. syrphi ? pelliculosa scatophagae B C	house flies, bluebottles and other diptera	whitish felt at abdom- inal joints coalescing ventrally, attached by proboscis or legs	irregular, short, multinucleate	flask-shaped with short neck thickene apically
2. weberi	Neuroptera ( <i>Raphidia</i> ) larvae	whitish grey cushions, attached by legs	spherical to irreg- ular or amoeboid large, multinu- cleate, vacuolate	with pointed tips
3. erupta	Heteroptera Lygus and other plant bugs	white dorsal mat. Those with R.S. brown, swollen, attached by the beak	irregular, pear shape to oval	tubular to club- shaped
4. thripidum	Thrips tabaci in glasshouse	dorsal white collars on abdomen	cylindrical, simple or branched	simple
5. acaricida	Acarina Halo- tydeus des- tructor	mite yellowish brown		short stout
WITH RHIZOIDS 6. culicis? incl. rimosa	on gnats and other diptera in wet places	whitish or greyish, occ. greenish <i>rhizoids</i> thick uni- form	forming (a) one conidiophore (b) several conidiophores	sometimes once branched low down, binucleate
7. planchoniana non Thaxter incl. ferrugines chroma- phidis	Homoptera especially aphids, and? occ. small diptera	dark coloured insects go brown, pale ones white to yellow or brick red rhizoids in a thick bundle or several bundles forming a platform stuck firmly	(a) spherical 9 diam. (b) oval 7.5 x 5	flask-shaped with a short neck parallel like felt

conidia usually single-walled, 2-18-nucleate, squat campanulate usually with an apical is *Entomophthora sensu stricto* if the splitting off of other genera is accepted.

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
13-40 (25) x 11-30 (19.5-22), usually with one large oil globule, discharged with halo of protoplasm, double-walled		as primary but smaller or sub-ovoid with apex rounded, discharged by papilla eversion, 1 to few globules	azygospores 20-50 (34) or ellipsoid with truncate end 25-32 (28.5) x 18-25 (21.5), multinucleate, wall smooth, colourless or yellowish brown
like muscae 12-18 (16) x 11-16 (13)			
like muscae 17-23 x 15-18, pale green, protoplasm densely granular	000	spherical to ovoid 13.2- 14.3	azygospores 33-66. ex- ternal, wall smooth pale brown
like muscae 10-15 x 8-12, 2-4 nuclei, discharged with halo of protoplasm		as primary 9-12 x 7-9	
ovoid with truncate-convex base, 9-12 x 5-7 or subglobose 8 x 6	$\bigcirc$	as primary	
like muscae 10-16 x 8-14, binucleate, one large oil globule, discharged with halo of protoplasm			azygospores 25-29 wall smooth, hyaline or pale brown
like muscae 14-23 x 12-20 (19 x 14), base slightly flared, double-walled, dis- charged with halo of proto- plasm, 4-6 nuclei		as primary, minus apical point sometimes slightly smaller, one globule	? azygospores 25-36 (30) wall smooth, red- brown, epispore removable

II Conidiobolus-like with rhizoids. Hyphal bodies multinucleate, conidiophores unbranch prominent basal papilla (and sometimes a basal point) or broadly pyriform; resting

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Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
8. apiculata B C	various	yellow-pink cushions rhizoids few, long, conspicuous, ending in irregular disk	nearly spherical, sometimes elon- gated and branch- ed multinucleate forming stroma	simple, sometimes branched
9. major C	various	white mat over the surface or sparse rhizoids few, strong, with irregular disk	spherical or ellipsoidal	sometimes digitate
10. papillata B	small diptera in wet places	host swollen, cream- ish <i>rhizoids</i> few, large, with sucker end		simple
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11. pseudococci C	mealy bugs	inconspicuous, host chalky white, brittle rhizoids rope like, end branched	irregular with short branches, not breaking away	simple, rarely branched
12. destruens C	Culex	white covering rhizoids broad branching at tip	little branched	simple, thin

ed or rarely branched, enlarged subapically, conidia multinucleate, nearly spherical with a spores zygospores; no pseudocystidia, rhizoids present.

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
spherical with large basal papilla having a point 28.5-37 x 25-30 1 or few globules discharged with a protoplasmic halo	(3)	like primary or spherical	azygo- or zygospores 28.5-45 hyaline
spherical with basal papilla proportionally smaller than preceding 45-60 x 38-55 (av. 50-x 47) many globules		similar	? azygospores 51-75 (av. 62) hyaline
spherical body separated from the very large basal papilla by a ridge 50 x 35 (up to 75 x 50) a few large globules		similar	azygospores 45-55 slightly brownish
spherical with a prominent, marked off basal papilla with a point 20-25 x 24-31.5 (papilla 7-11.5) contents granular with oil globules	(00)	similar or with 4-11 spherical smaller microconidia per primary conidium 7 diam.	zygospores 20-27 wall 4 hyaline, smooth
ovoid to broad pyriform with papilla and occasional basal point but no apiculus 22.5-31 x 18-24		similar	azygospores (converted conidia) 24-33 wall 2-3.5 smooth colourless superficial

III Conidiobolus-like without rhizoids. Hyphal bodies multinucleate, conidiophores un-(Entomophaga sensu Humber, grylli, kansana, aulicae, saccharina, batkoi, tabanivora) secondary conidia like primary but smaller (except caroliniana), resting spores usually pseudocystidia, no rhizoids.

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
13, grylli incl. calopteni, colorata B C	orthoptera	host swollen attached by legs white to buff to greenish fur from the joints	short rounded, occ. amoeboid or irregular	sometimes slightly branched
14. batkoi C	harvest spiders Oligolophus tridens Leiobunum spp.	conidiophores emerge from the joints of the body and legs	amoeboid or irregular	unbranched, flask-shaped
15. kansana	Diptera various flies	white between scleri- tes, body disinte- grates while alive, gelatinous, sticking to substrate.	subspherical to spherical	unbranched, cylindrical to clavate
16. aulicae incl. anticae, egressa, elegans B C	Lepidoptera	yellow-white, velvety	short segments, saccate	unbranched, sinuous entwined
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7 . saccharina	moth cater- pillars	covered with white conidia like grains of sugar, attached by legs		unbranched, coalescing
8. tabanivora	horseflies (Diptera)	cream coloured conidiophores from joints of head, thorax and abdomen	branched, coeno- cytic, short, thick	unbranched, clavate
9. coronatus (Conidio- bolus) B C	various including aphids, soil	yellowish white	branched, seg- ments coarsely granular	sometimes slightly branched

branched or rarely poorly branched, conidia single-walled, with either about 4 nuclei or many small nuclei, usually pyriform with a broad papillate base (except caroliniana), azygospores (sometimes zygospores) with a smooth wall (?? villose in coronatus), no

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
pyriform 25-45 x 20-37 base broadly papillate		same or smaller and more rounded	azygospores up to 40, multinucleate granular with 1 oil globule dark brown, wall smooth 4 thick
pyriform (33.3)43-52(56.9) x 30-37(41.3) base papillate 1 large oil globule	0.0 0.0 0.0	similar, smaller	28-35 smooth, wall 2.5-3 pale yellow
ovoid to pyriform 29-48 x 19-36 (av. 39 x 29) base papillate 1 central oil globule		slightly pointed apex 24-31 x 15-24 (av. 27 x 19)	
pyriform to broadly ovoid 30-40 x 18-30 papilla blunt 1 large globule		similar	azygospores 31.5-37.5 (<45) wall smooth dark yellow to brown multinucleate
pyriform 17-18 x 12-14 large papilla 1 large oil globule		similar but less regular in shape	azygospores and ? zygospores 21 irregular spherical colourless 1 large oil globule
spherical to pyriform 33.2-40.2 x 29.2-35.6 (av. 36.7 x 32.4) base bluntly papillate 3-6 large oil globules			
nearly spherical (10)12-56(61), mostly 32-46 papillate base		similar or stalked microconidia 18 x 10	? azygospores villose, multinucleate slightly dark

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
20. osmodes (Conidio- bolus) C	alfalfa weevil	darkened larvae and pupae filled with black fluid		unbranched some- times swollen subterminally
21. thromboides (Conidio- bolus) incl. virulenta ? pyriformis	aphids, small diptera, moths	pale brown to reddish cover over entire insect host attached by proboscis	short sections more or less branched	simple cystidia doubtful
22. obscura incl. ignobilis thaxteriana planohon- iana sensu Thaxter B C	aphids	little evidence on host, aphids attached by proboscis	short to elongated branched curved or twisted	unbranched occ. ? cystidia
23. conglomera- ta non Thaxter B C	adult culicids (Diptera) floating	whitish in mass	amoeboid or irregular	unbranched
24. gigantea C	Tipula palu- dosa (Diptera) on grasses	host legs clasping grass no fungus externally	amoeboid	unbranched swollen terminally
25. tenthredinis ? non Thaxter ? incl. cimbicis B	on sawfly larvae (Hymenoptera)	velvety, turning brown		simple doubtfully occ. branched
26. tipulae Fres. non Porter	Tipula (Diptera)	single specimen on a reed	long, narrow sometimes branched, 4-celled	unbranched

Primary conidia	Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ovoid almost spherical 20.5-41.9 x 15-35 base papillate, large	similar	zygospores 13-37 (av. 25-30) spherical to elongate ellipsoid yellow- ish wall 2-6.5, rough with minute ridges
spherical 20-35 x 16-28 (av. 27 x 23) broad rounded basal papilla  pyriform 15-31 x 12-25 (av. 25 x 19)	similar	zygospores 15-31 (av.22) hyaline smooth (fine ornamentation under electron microscope) several large oil globules 12-25 (av. 15)
spherical with a papillate base 26-52 x 21-44 dense granular protoplasm many globules	similar	azygospores ? zygospores (ignobilis) 29-51 wall 3-6 smooth 1 — several oil globules
pyriform 25-45 x 20-34 broad papillate base 1 large oil globule discharged with protoplasm	similar 20 x 16	azygospores 34-55 (av. 46) smooth, hyaline
spherical 56-123 x 46-105 (av. 92 x 76) conical, rounded papilla many vacuoles	similar 65-88 x 57-76 (av. 76 x 66) formed at the end of a short germ tube	? azygospores 47-93 (av. 63) smooth, hyaline
broad pyriform tapering to a rounded (? or pointed) apex 40-62 x 30-52 (Petch 32-45 x 22-32) narrow papillate base 1 oil drop		azygospores 46-60 (av. 53), 27-36 (Petch) hyaline or yellowish wall smooth, 4
ovoid 33-40 x 25 short, wide, rounded papilla		

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
27. thaxteri	aquatic flies ( <i>Tipula</i> ) (Diptera)	milky white flies mostly floating	simple, spherical	unbranched clavate
28. caroliniana incl. arrenoctona B C	Tipula (Diptera)	host, mostly males, attached by legs, shrunken, no fungus visible externally	rounded	unbranched scarcely projecting
29. dysderči	Dysdercus spp. (Homoptera)	white, velvety down on larvae and adults	irregular	simple, occ. branching
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IV. Hyphal bodies 4-nucleate, conidiophores usually unbranched, conidia single-walled papillate, secondary conidia on a capillary germ tube, resting spores usually zygospores and vertical; no pseudocystidia, no rhizoids. This is the genus Neozygites Witlaczil and

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
30. fresenii ? incl. neri B	aphids	greenish- or violet- grey or grey, occ. with pinky tinges velvety, attached by proboscis body contents liquefied	yellowish globular or irregular, wall- less and unbranch- ed at first later elongating and branching	parallel like palisade
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31. parvispora	thrips	milky when dying, then pale yellow	rectangular, 17-26.5 x 6.5-10 (21 x 8.5)	clavate
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Primary conidia	Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ovoid to pyriform 25-40 x 22-25 (av. 32 x 23) 1 or few large globules	similar	azygospores 25-45 colourless, borne on a neck-like process
ovoid or long ellipsoid 22-51 x 11-19 (av. 34 x 14) 1/d 2.36; 26-45 x 10-15 (Thaxter) little indication of papilla	(1) pyriform 18-33 x 10-24 (2) fusiform 30-55 x 7-13	azygospores 24-55 (av. 37) 37-55 (av. 45) (Thaxter) spherical, hyaline, smooth
spherical with a large basal papilla 35-46 x 30-40 several large oil drops discharged with a gelatinous halo	similar to primary but smaller	? zygospores 50-60 spherical, smooth, hyaline

(except turbinata) usually with a smoky colour, 4-7-nucleate, base flattened usually non-black or dark brown, binucleate, arising from the fusion point of spherical hyphal bodies of Remaudière & Keller and Triplosporium of Thaxter, Batko, Humber, etc.

Primary conidia	Secondary conidia	Resting spores
16-27 x 13-24, spherical or ovoid with a truncate base; very refractive granular with occ. two globules	like primary but smaller     dark smoky, almond shape, wall minute striate 29 x 13.6	31 x 19-23 broad ellip- soid or sub-ovoid wall black smooth
11-17.5 x 9-14.5 (13.5 x 11.5) spherical with a broad rounded base	12-21 x 5-10 (17 x 7.5) almond shape with apical body	14.5 -20.5 (18) spherical. Wall black, wavy, grooved

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
32. tetranychi	mites (Tetranychus)	red → yellow then after death brown → grey → black	short tubular or clavate	digitate
33. adjarica	mites (Tetrany- chus urticae)	-	short, tubular, 17-27 x 5-7	single
34. floridana	mites	grey to grey-green	short, tubular or club-shape 2-4 nuclei	slightly broadened occ. curved colum- ella persistent
35. lecanii B	scale insect	distended, white → grey → black	spherical, 4-nuc- leate diam. 8-10	short, stout
36. fumosa	mealy bugs, on citrus, ficus and hibiscus	grey woollý → black attached by probos- cis	spherical c. 10 diam.	slender
37. lageniformis	aphids	attached by probos- cis	spherical	bunched into fascicles, when young pseudodigi- tate
38. turbinata B	peach trunk aphid	glistening, reddish to black on lower sides of abdomen. Aphids hanging by proboscis	reddish, wide, long, irregular	unbranched broader just below conidium attachment

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Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
15-17 x 12-15 hyaline, broadly pyriform, base abrupt or not, granular with small vacuoles		1. like primary uncommon 2. almond shape, tip adhesive 25-28 x 8-11 wall brown verruculose	azygospores 21.7 x 17.6 pyriform to oval, wall brown to black, ridged, with a hilum
12-17 x 10-4 pyriform, papilla 3-4, colourless with globules		14-24 x 7-10 clavate, brownish warty	14-25 x 14-22 spherical or subspherical, black
13-18 x 11-13 pyriform, base abrupt, refringent granules		1. like primary 2. claviform, tip adhesive 15-20 x 10-12 wall brownish, striate	22-26 x 20-23 spherical to ovoid, wall dark brown, smooth 2-4
18 x 9-10 pyriform		on fine hyphae pale brown	
16-28 x 8-10 fusiform tapering abruptly to base and apex occ. ellipsoid, basal papilla prominent often with apiculus		4 x 8 ellipsoid on capillary germ tubes, thick walled	? zygospores 15 diam. wall black with hyaline papilla, double, separable
30-38 (35) x 20-30 slightly smoky spherical above tapering to truncate base, contents granular		like primary     almond shape	
long-turbinate (obconical) 17.6-25.7 x 11.2-16 (mean 19.8 x 13.1) base blunt. 2 walls 1/b 1.2-1.86		none found	? azyospores 31.6-44.2 x 15.8-25.3 ellipsoid, smooth shiny black with small pro- tuberance

V. Hyphal bodies multinucleate, conidiophores branched (except crassitunicata), digitate, cleate, wall double, base papillate with a collar, secondary conidia on a capillary germ present, rhizoids usually present. This is part of the subgenus, later genus Zoophthora Erynia by Humber.

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
39. radicans (syn. sphaero- sperma) B C	lepidopterous larvae, cicadas, diptera and aphids	colours various, white to brown-grey, occ. green, orange or black; rhizoids (1) numerous with expanded disk-like ends (2) monohyphal with branched ends	very variable, mycelial to spherical	much branched be- coming confluent cystidia few, slender tapering
10. geometralis	geometrid moths	<i>rhizoids</i> a strong tuft	variable, short sections, round to elongated, branched	branched, digitate, coalescing
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1. lanceolata C	small diptera in wet places	white to greyish mycelium forming partial covering rhizoids present	hypha-like, branched or not	no cystidia
2. petchii = aphro- phorae sensu Petch B	froghopper (Philaenus)	bright orange stroma rhizoids coarse, brown in bundles, ends unexpanded		fused into orange stroma cystidia none
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3. orientalis	citrus aphids	greyish brown no <i>rhizoids</i> seen	various sizes unbranched	digitate cystidia usually 2-celled, conical with bulbous apex

dichotomous or irregular primary conidia usually elongated and often curved, uninutube, resting spores zygo- or azygo-; pseudocystidia (abbreviated to cystidia) sometimes Batko, also Remaudière & Keller and Ben-Ze'ev & Kenneth, but most are placed in

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ellipsoid or long ellipsoid 14-25 x 5-9 (19.5 x 7.6) on larvae 22.4 x 7.2 on media base papillate with a delimiting ridge	100	(1) as primary but smaller (2) pointed and slender fusiform to almond shape 13-17 max 19	azygo- or zygospores 20-37 (24-30) smooth, hyaline to pale yellow
short ellipsoid 15-22 x 10-12		(1) as primary	azygo- or zygospores
base papillate, ridged, protoplasm finely granular		(2) long almond shape	28-37 (30-31) smooth
subcylindrical, oblong or ovoid-ellipsoid 15-24 x 6-9 (17 x 7) base rounded with collar, symmetrical		capillary, fusiform 15-32 x 3-5 (24.4 x 3.8)	19-29 hyaline, smooth
narrow oval to ellipsoid 1/b 3.3 19.8-36.3 x 5.5-11.1 (25.2 x 8.3) papilla broad, defined by a collar mucous coat, pplasm granular with central nuclear body		(1) broadly oval with pointed tip 12-20 x 8-9  (2) almond shape, curved 17.5 x 7.9	azygospores 23.7-34.8 wall smooth, 3 thick
narrow ellipsoid 23.7-34.5(27) x 6.3-10.3 (8.4) 1/b 2.8-4.3 (3.3)		(1) ovoid to obpyriform 19.7-26.9 x 7.1-12.6 (23 x 9) 1/b 1.7-3.2 (2.7) (2) almond-shape 24.5-29.2 x 5.5-10.3	

Species	Hosts -	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
44. occidentalis B C	on aphids on Betula, Cheno- podium album and potatoes			irregular digitate, coalescing yellow; cystidia scarce, slender, tapering
	of Management and Man			
45. canadensis C = aphidis sensu Grobler et al B C	pine woolly aphid	wine red to dark red- dish brown, swollen then shrivelled. rhizoids cord-like	elongated 86 x 4.5	dichotomous or irregular, clustered no cystidia
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46 . crassituni- cata	beetle (? Mal- thodes sp. Cantharidae)	white bands on head joints and abdominal joints rhizoids present		unbranched?
17. nebriae ? = radicans	beetle (Nebria brevicolis)	rhizoids present	<b>y</b>	much branched
8. <i>aphidis</i> sensu Hoffman C	Anoecia aphids on Cornus	brown ochre, later white with conidial cushions, nodular and black with resting spores, fixed by stylets rhizoids black in a mat	sinuous, shortly branched 60-150	branched, grouped cystidia long flexuous, like rhizoids, only with R.S.
9. phalloides B C	aphids on Urtica dioica, other hosts	rhizoids numerous, unbranched, thin, forming pseudo- rhizomorphs	**************************************	cystidia with round tips
0. lampyridar- um Brit. records are misdets.	beetle	attached by man- dibles no <i>rhizoids</i>		? digitate

Primary conidia	ļ	Secondary conidia	Resting spores
spindle shape, tapering to a pointed or bluntly conical apex (25-)35 x (8)-10; max 45 x 12 broad, rounded triangular base, often with apiculus, 1 large globule and smaller ones		(1) as primary (2) capillary, long almond shape 20-25 x 7-9 longer on agar	azygospores or zygo- spores 20-35 wall smooth hyaline pale yellow (20) 24-30 (32) larger on agar
long ellipsoid 15.5-36.5 x 6.5-14.5 (25 x 10) 1/b 2.5 several globules blunt broad papilla		(1) as primary but smaller (2) fusiform ellipsoid 20 x 8.5	azygospores (34) 29-43 light reddish or yellow- ish brown wall verruculose rugose
subcylindrical to slightly fusiform 25-36 x 8.5-12 (31.8 x 9.8) base conical with collar, symmetrical		capillary, fusiform to falciform, slightly curved 33-39 x 8-9	35-56 (43.5) wall brown, smooth at x 400 but with minute warts at higher power 2-to multi-nucleate
ellipsoid to fusiform often curved 28-37 x 10-13 with a globule			azygospores on host surface in a stroma 35-50 wall pale brown, smooth
sub-cylindrical to mostly fusiform (21)27-32(38) x (8)9-12(16) 1/d 2.1-3.9 basal papilla conical often pointed, with collar larger in culture		(1) similar on stout hyphae, projected (2) capillary (15)20-23 (30) x (8) 10-12 (16) almond shape larger in culture	? azygospores, only in winged vivipares, coalescent, brown (29) 37-40 (53) wall with faint irregular ridges, separable
elongated cylindrical 32-48 x 11-14 (40 x 13) basal papilla hemispherical with collar constricted above, no vacuoles, (24.5) 27.5-33 (38.5) x 6-11 on another host		(1) broader than primary, radicans shape but larger (2) capillary crescentic (18) 20-25 x (7) 5-10	
ovoid, slightly tapering to apex 30-37 x 14-20 (35 x 15) base abrupt, broad, slightly papillate contents granular	30	long cylindrical with rounded ends on thin conidiophore	-

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
51. phytonomi Arthur emend. Ben Ze'ev et al. C	beetle (weevil) larvae	green becoming yellow then beige <i>rhizoids</i> present	long, branched	palisade white becoming beige no <i>cystidia</i>
52. elateridi- phaga C	beetle (Agriotes)	rhizoids with disk		

VI. Hyphal bodies multinucleate, conidiophores branched (except castrans and magna), usually prominent, usually double-walled, uni- or multinucleate (nuclei large), resting Erynia of Humber and of Remaudière & Hennebert.

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
53. nouryi = aphidis sensu Petch = exitialis auct. B C	root aphids	rhizoids single hyphae	variable, simple or branched	aggregated in clumps.  Cystidia rare, apex obtuse, cylindrical
54. erinacea	aphids	rusty brown, protrud- ing cystidia, attached by beak no <i>rhizoids</i>	like the conidio- phores	digitate; <i>cystidia</i> very long and thick occ. bifurcate
55. delpiniana	flies (Polietes and Antho- myia)	yellowish-white cover rhizoids not seen		digitate, coalesced cystidia long, occ. bifurcate
56. blunekii C	diamond back moth	grey to pale greenish- yellowish cover rhizoids numerous fine with terminal sucker	long variable	cystidia long slender
57. gloeospora ? incl. sciarae	gnats	rhizoids tapering cylindrical	spherical to slightly irregular	bifurcate

Primary conidia		Seco	ondary conidia	Resting spores
elongated ovoid with rounded apex and broad base, similar to radicans but smaller 19.7-32.4 x 5.5-7.9 1/b 3-5		(2)	shorter and wider than primary 18.2-23.7 x 7.1-7.9 capillary, almond shape 13.4-19.7 x 5.5-7.9	azygospores internal, wall smooth 24.5-44.2
cylindrical 24-39 x 7-13 (28-35 x 8-10) papilla triangular 1/b c. 3.3	$\bigcirc$	(1) (2)	similar capillary fusiform 31-33 x 7	22-48 (30) wall not separable

often digitate, often coalescing, conidia ovoid to pyriform or rarely fusoid, basal papilla spores zygo- or azygo-, pseudocystidia present or absent, rhizoids present or absent. Mostly

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ovoid, rarely asymmetrical, (12) 15-16.6 (20) x (7) 8-10.5 (12), basal papilla medium large, not prominent, rounded or flat	00	not seen	white in mass (20) 24.9-30.4 (36), wall 3-4 smooth
turbinate or obovoid 12.6-20.5 x 7.1-13.4 small papillate base and collar	0	similar but smaller	zygospores 27.7-37.1; wall 4-7 yellowish echinulate
obovoid 14-16 x 6-8 with truncate base	<b>(6)</b>	similar	azygospores, pyriform 40-46 x 23-32 wall smooth, ? hyaline
ovoid or pyriform with papillate base 13-20 x 7-11, mostly 15-18 x 7-9, in culture 16-26 x 9-14 (18-23 x 10-12) 1 or more oil drops		similar but smaller	
ovoid to pyriform, 20 x 14, papillate stout contents granular, shed with capsule		ovoid	azygospores 24-41 (35) ? uninucleate wall 4-6 hyaline ? smooth

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
58. crustosa C	Malacosoma spp. cater- pillars	cinnamon brown tinged orange in a crust all over norhizoids	oval to clavate	digitate, flask or clavate no cystidia
59. myrmeco- phaga sensu Humber confused in the past with the following	ants (Servifor- mica)	pinkish-white bands between segments, distended, attached by legs and man- dibles ? no rhizoids		branched sparingly no <i>cystidia</i>
60. formicae	ants (Formica)	rhizoids few, stout, forming fascicle behind head with disk holdfast	irregular becoming septate and hyphal	in bands at joints dichotomous or digitate cystidia tapering
61. brahminae	defoliating beetles	attached by mouth- parts rhizoids with a disk		not coalescing
62. phalangicida B	harvest spider	pale brown waxy masses rhizoids?	•	10 wide, coalescing rust coloured cystidia?
53. zabrii	beetle larvae (Zabrus tene- brioides)	becoming dark brown rhizoids present	spheroidal or lobed	bifurcate cystidia tapering from bulbous base
54. forficulae var. forficulae	earwigs	conidiophores emerge at joints fixed by feet thorax and antennae; no rhizoids		sparingly branched
5. forficulae vax. major B C	earwigs	conidiophores coales- cing over body; no rhizoids		unbranched?
6. echinospora incl. schroeteri B	diptera	flattish, swollen, brownish-grey to rust rhizoids coalescing		coalescing, rust- coloured cystidia? absent

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ovoid tapering to a papillate base 16.5-25.3 x 6.5-12 (20.7 x 9.6) 1-3 large globules			zygodpores; 20.9-41.8 (28.9), cream to buff in mass; wall hyaline, sinuous
ovoid to pyriform, 18 x 12, slightly papillate, 1 large globule and smaller		similar but smaller no vacuole	doubtful
obovoid to pyriform, 18-25 x 10-16 papilla more or less distinct, everts on discharge		similar but smaller 16-19 x 10.5-13.5	
ovoid with papillate base 18-22 x 11-15	0	(1) as primary (2) small, 4-7, oval on longer germ tubes (doubtful)	zygospores, internal, 29, wall pale yellow or coloured, spiny, not separable; conj. tubes equal budded from junction
ovoid with attenuated base, 19-22 x 10 wall thin hyaline		similar	
ovoid with basal papilla 25 x 14 (max. 29 x 18) 1/d 1.8 with 2 vacuoles		not seen.	internal and external 33-40 wall dark brown, smooth or verrucose
long ellipsoid 20-25 x 6-8, glutinous refringent, no globules			
ellipsoid 20-30 x 15-18, broad flattish convex papilla	0	smaller and rounded on short stalks	21-32.5 (27.5), yellow to pale brown wall reticulate
like dipterigena but not bent 20-32 x 9-14 (25 x 11), basal papilla, 1 or more large globules	(0°3)	similar	zygospores 10-41, external with neck, budded from junction; wall yellow to red, spiny, separable

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Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
67. castrans = hylemyiae B	cereal fly (Hylemyia)	hole in ventral abdomen exudes spores; R.S. masses orange or salmon, internal; no rhizoids	hypha-like, branched, later short	unbranched, from vegetative hyphae cystidia none
placed in Str	ongwellsea by Ba    -	tko, Humber etc.		
68. pyralidarum B now neopyrali- darum	grass moths (Pyralidae)	small tufts form loose stroma chiefly over abdomen rhizoids numerous, terminally expanded		digitate
69. delphacis C	leaf and plant hoppers aphids by inoculation	rhizoids not seen	short, irregular hyphal sections	cystidia long slender
70. neoaphidis  = aphidis sensu Thaxter, Nowak B C	aphids	rhizoids fine, numerous, with disk	very variable, branched, with large nuclei	digitate, cystidia narrowing to apex
71. anglica B	beetles and larvae (Agriotes)	pale or dark cream crust from joints from joints from joints from coarse	? angular	coalescing cystidia ? long, narrow
72. virescens incl. megasperma B	lepidoptera (Agrotis)	greenish-yellow spore mass coating, black shrivelled larvae; rhizoids	spherical, germin- ating in	coalescing cystidia? none
73. creatonoti C	tiger moth and army worm larvae	dark brown to yellow brown pile of buff or pink conidiophores; rhizoids straight, parallel, forming a tube	short irregular sections 20-24 x 8-28	coalescing over whole body <i>cystidia</i> rare
74. americana B	flies (Muscae etc.) and other insects	white to dark rust; rhizoids uniform threads forming mat, ends unexpanded	large, irregular, roundish	regular <i>cystidia</i> absent

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ovoid ellipsoid or obtuse conical 25-33 x 12-19, papilla 3.5 long, contents granular		spherical, forcibly discharged	spherical to ovoid 25-60 wall with short curved spines, orange, internal in females only
pyriform or ovoid 16-28 x 12-16 or globose 18-28, papilla obtuse or conical not apiculate, contents granular, large nucleus		similar but smaller	? azygospores (chlamy-dospores) 22-28 x 13-14 wall thick, central globule? zygospores spherical 25-42, wall smooth, brown
ellipsoidal 26.5 x 16.1 32.7 x 14.8 (host) 30.2 x 15.5 (cult.) (Shimazu) outer wall separates readily		similar	24-28 yellow white
ovoid ellipsoid, asymmetrical, base narrow (15) 21-32 (40) x (9) 11-14 (16)		similar smaller or like muscae	
ovoid to subfusoid, occasionally slightly bent 22-27 x 11-13 papilla broad truncate		similar 18-21 x 10-11	
ovoid to oblong 18-32 x 16-28 (26 x 22), Petch 18-27 x 8-13, apex bluntly rounded, base irregular, multinucleate, numerous small globules		similar	? megasperma (Sect. VIII)
pyriform 32 x 25, base papillate cytoplasm granular	•		azygospores or a few zygospores 10-28 wall smooth thick
long ovoid, 28-30 (35) x 14-15, tapering to papillate base, often slightly bent numerous globules		similar	? azygospores 38-45-50 wall hyaline smooth

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
75. bullata B C	bluebottles (Sarcophaga etc.)	rhizoids numerous, hypha-like, no ex- panded ends, coiled in bundles	variable, hypha- like	digitate, forming a continuous mat cystidia not seen
76. magna placed in Str	flies (Fannia) ongwellsea	hole in ventral abdo- men exuding spores; resting spores in mass, no rhizoids	simple or aparing- ly branched	unbranched <i>cystidia</i> none
77. aquatica C	mosquito larvae and pupae	covered with white mat no rhizoids	irregular, long, branched	cystidia? none
78. vomitoriae B	bluebottles (Calliphora etc.)	<i>rhizoids</i> with tips expanded to star-like holdfasts	short, unequal, sacciform, branched	coalescing to thick mat; cystidia absent
79. coleopter- orum ? incl. carpentieri B	beetle larvae and weevils	rhizoids in conical tufts from thorax		coalescing, cystidia slender, tapering

VII. Hosts diptera and occasionally other insects often in wet places. Hyphal bodies varicurved, uninucleate, single or double-walled, secondary conidia broad (spherical, rhizoids present, pseudocystidia large. All placed in Erynia.

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
80. <i>ovispora</i> incl. <i>henrici</i> C	small flies in wet places	swollen, sometimes greyish, <i>rhizoids</i> present		cystidia large
81. ithacensis C	flies especially Cymphoro- myia	lateral white conidial masses, tawny or rusty glistening RS rhizoids fine numerous with disc or branched base		intertwined cystidia long slender, tapering
82. calliphorae incl. musci- vora	bluebottles (Calliphora)	few symptoms; occ. rusty crusts between last segments rhizoids present		yellowish (muscivora) cystidia slender tapering
83. montana B	small diptera in wet places	swollen, white to dirty white, 'hairy' rhizoids numerous	rounded	cystidia large

Primary conidia	Secondary conidia	Resting spores
like americana in shape 23-37.5 (29.5) x 12-16.5 (14), 1-2 globules, ejected by eversion of papilla	not seen	zygo- or azygospores 37.5-61.5 (49.7); wall pale tan, bullate (? bullater) =fused hyphae) many nuclei
ovoid to ellipsoid 30-40 x 12-17		spherical or ovoid 45±7, internal; wall orange with recurved spines
pyriform 35-40 x 17, basal papilla elongated, 1 large oil drop	similar but smaller	
ovoid 28-44 x 12-19 (37 x 17) subpapillate, uninucleate		ażygospores 25-52 wall smooth hyaline
ovoid 32-44 x 8-14		35-50 wall dark brown verrucose

able, conidiophores digitate often coalescing, conidia tapering to the apex or base, often ovoid or pyriform) or branched, resting spores usually zygospores with a smooth wall,

Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
ovoid tapering to papillate base 16-28 x 9-14 numerous small globules	(j)		zygospores 16-35 (31) hyaline
ovoid to ellipsoid 13.9-24 x 8.3-12		similar 9.3-11 x 6.5-7.4	25.9-40.7, wall yellow with deep ridges
ovoid 20-24 x 11-13 base blunt papillate	0		? azygospores (musci- vora) av. 30; 1 large oil drop wall smooth, deep chestnut brown
top-shaped, apex broadly rounded tapering to a point- ed base 17-26 x 10-19 several large globules		as primary or short ovoid	

Species	Hosts	Field characters	Hyphal bodies	Conidiophores
84. dipterigena B C	diptera, espec- ially small flies and gnats	white or greenish rhizoids few, large with terminal disks		coalescing, cystidia slender tapering
85. variabilis incl. curvispora B C	minute gnats in wet places	olive colour <i>rhizoids</i> numerous		cystidia large, tapering
86. gracilis	minute gnats	white rhizoids present		coalescing, cystidia rare
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87. rhizospora B C	caddis and sm small diptera in damp places	white to grey, swollen <i>rhizoids</i> numerous, tough swollen, tapering and occ. clavate	simple or branch- ed various sizes	coalescing luxurious cystidia large, tapering
88. conica B C	gnats and caddis (and? flies and? aphids) in wet places	pure white to grey, rarely green, shaggy rhizoids numerous, thread-like or coalesting, apex often branched	irregular, elongated, branched	coalescing, cystidia large, base swollen, apex tapering, some- times branched
39. sepulchralis	tipulid flies in wet places	white with conspicu- ous halo (whited sepulchre) rhizoids numerous	spherical, large	coalescing, cystidia very large apex expanded or branch- ed

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Primary conidia		Secondary conidia	Resting spores
narrow ovoid to sub-fusi- form 12-30 x 8-15 (22 x 11) rounded apex, tapering base, sometimes bent, several large globules	000	similar or broader	? zygospores 20-40 external clustered wall smooth, hyaline
first formed short ovoid 15 x 11, later ones elonga- ted often curved 18-30 x 7-9 (25 x 8) apex rounded papilla narrower with collar	9	as the first primary rounded pear shape	30-40 (Petch) wall pale brown, smooth, zygo- spores 25-44 (Gustafsson held together by brown- yellow hyphae
elongated fusiform, very curved 30-45 x 7-9 (40 x 8) apex attenuated, neck-line papillate base	100 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	as primary or nearly spherical, papillate	
tapering at both ends, often curved 30-35 (-62) x (5-) 8-10(-18) papilla rounded, base neck-line with ridge, few large oil globules dis- charged by columella eversion		as primary, obovoid or spherical with a promi- nent narrow papilla, forcibly ejected	zygospores 40-60 brownish with external hyphal network (Gustafsson 41-74 dark brown)
(1) aerial very curved, apex tapering and rounded 35-80 x 10-14, <100 x17-22 2 large vacuoles, base papillate, discharged by columella eversion (2) aquatic; coronate (Y shape) (35-)65(-90) passive detachment single walled, uninucleate		(1) as primary (2) broadly ovoid or globose 17 (-22) (3) stellate in water from other aquatic spore forms 25-42 x 25-30, arms 7-15 single walled	zygospores 30-50 (-60) hyaline or pale brown in network of thick brown-yellow hyphae
wanted, unmidereate		Zw.	
elongated ovoid-ellipsoid or sub-fusiform, 35-48 (-55) x 10-15 base bent, narrow, papilla rounded, numerous large globules, outer wall separates easily	38330	as primary or short ovoid	30-50, wall hyaline, smooth

VIII. Resting spores only present. Hyphal bodies need investigation. Rhizoids present or

Species	Hosts	Field characters
WALL PITTED OR RETICULA	TE	
90. pustulata	Brassica moth larvae (Barathra)	brownish going black, deformed
WALL SMOOTH (see also mega	sperma)	
91. cyrtoneurae	fly	yellow crust between posterior segments and internally rhizoids? present
92. jaapiana	leafhoppers	yellow dust between segments and internally, mummified no rhizoids
WALL WARTED OR VERRUC	OSE	
93. phytonomi Jacz. non Arthur possibly the same as osmodes	weevil larvae	
94. cimbicis Petch suggests tenthredinis	sawfly larvae and pupae (Cimbex)	yellow internal powder mummified
95. dissolvens	night moth larvae	pale yellow mycelium and dark liquid rhizoids present
96. <i>richteri</i> incl. <i>lauxaniae</i> fide Bubák B	flies	reddish internal powder
97. gammae	moth larvae and pupae (Plusia and Agrotis)	yellowish to brown to black fixed by legs
98. <i>porteri</i> formerly <i>tipulae</i> Porter	crane flies (Tipula)	hyphal bodies various, mostly elongate
WALL SPINY		
99. cleoni	beetle larvae and pupae	orange powdery mass
100. punctata ? same as phytonomi Jacz.	beetle (weevil) larvae	pale cream turning black
101. atrosperma B	aphids	black powder fills dead insect; a few <i>rhizoids</i>
WALL ROUGH 102. <i>pallida</i>	adult flies	powdery yellow to brown mass in abdomen
03. lavroviae	moth larvae	
04. bereshkoveana	moth larvae (Barathra)	finally black and mummified
05. inexpectata	moth larvae	dark brown
06. megasperma Cohn? non auct.? plusii? conidial state virescens	moth larvae (Barathra)	black sluggish soft, later mummified brittle hyphal bodies spherical or oval