Notes on the hosts of *Trissolcus* Ashmead (Hymenoptera: Scelionidae) from China

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Abstract

**Background**

*Trissolcus* Ashmead (Hymenoptera: Scelionidae) is a cosmopolitan genus of egg-parasitoid wasps associated with stink bugs (Pentatomidae, Scutelleridae, Urostylididae), many of which are important insect pests. Documentation of host associations for these wasps, which we here provide via museum specimens, can support their use as biological control agents of invasive stink bugs.

**New information**

The hosts of seven *Trissolcus* species are reported from China: *Trissolcus cultratus* (Mayr) (hosts: *Hippotiscus dorsalis* Stål, Pentatomidae; *Urochela luteovaria* Distant, Urostylididae), *Trissolcus elasmuchae* (Watanabe) (host: *Niphe elongata* (Dallas), Pentatomidae), *Trissolcus japonicus* (Ashmead) (hosts: *Erthesina fullo* (Thunberg), Pentatomidae; *Rhaphigaster nebulosa* (Poda), Pentatomidae), *Trissolcus latisulcus* (Crawford) (host: *Poecilocoris latus* Dallas, Scutelleridae), *Trissolcus mitsukurii* (Ashmead)

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Species of *Trissolcus* are egg parasitoids of stink bugs, many of which are important agricultural pests. During the past decade, the Asian fauna of *Trissolcus* has received increased attention, driven largely by the search for biological control agents to manage two invasive stink bugs of global significance: *Halyomorpha halys* (Stål) and *Bagrada hilaris* (Burmeister) (Pentatomidae). The research required to develop effective biological control programs against these pests is multifaceted and includes taxonomy, behavior, ecology, molecular diagnostics and assessments of host specificity for candidate biocontrol agents (Qiu et al. 2007, Yang et al. 2009, Matsuo et al. 2014, Talamas et al. 2017, Gariepy et al. 2018, Tortorici et al. 2019, Konopka et al. 2016, Santacruz et al. 2017, Zhang et al. 2017, Boyle et al. 2019). Host range testing can be accelerated if information about parasitoid-host interactions in the native range of a pest is already available. For example, if a stink bug is known to be attacked by very few parasitoid species, this provides a shortlist for additional testing. Similarly, if a parasitoid is known to attack many species in its native range, it is unlikely to be considered sufficiently specific to be introduced in the invaded range of the pest as a biocontrol agent.

Zhejiang University in Hangzhou is a leading institution in building insect collections in China, with emphasis on parasitic Hymenoptera (Chen et al. 2014). Importantly, many parasitoid wasps in this collection were reared from a variety of hosts, dating back to the 1930s and thus it contains a wealth of historical and biological information on parasitoid-host associations. However, many of these specimens, especially in the family Scelionidae, have not been identified to the species level. The current study focuses on the genus *Trissolcus* reared from field-collected eggs and is the first effort to fully investigate the parasitoid-host data of these invaluable specimens.

**Materials and methods**

This work is based on specimens deposited in the Institute of Insect Sciences, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China (ZJU). The label data of all specimens have been georeferenced and recorded in the Hymenoptera Online database. Specimens were identified to species using the keys of Talamas et al. (2017) and Tortorici et al. (2019). Images and measurements were made using a Nikon SMZ25 microscope with a Nikon DS-Ri 2 digital camera system. Images were post-processed with Adobe Photoshop CS6 Extended.
Taxon treatments

Trissolcus cultratus (Mayr) 1879

Materials

a. scientificName: *Trissolcus cultratus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *cultratus*; country: China; stateProvince: Sichuan; county: Qionglai; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Sichuan, Qionglai County, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, 10.vi.1986, Qian Tan"; [四川, 邛崃, 1986.vi.10, 谭茜；寄主：蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 878859-6; recordedBy: Qian Tan; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; language: en

b. scientificName: *Trissolcus cultratus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *cultratus*; country: China; stateProvince: Jiangsu; county: Rugao; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Jiangsu, Rugao, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, viii.1980, Min Huang"; [江苏, 如皋, 1980.viii, 黄敏; 寄主: 蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1980-08; individualCount: 1; sex: male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816258-1; recordedBy: Min Huang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1980-12; individualCount: 1; sex: male;
lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816258-5; recordedBy: Min Huang;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;
dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1980-13; individualCount: 1; sex: female;
lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816259-1; recordedBy: Min Huang;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;
dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1980-14; individualCount: 1; sex: female;
lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816259-2; recordedBy: Min Huang;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;
dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1980-15; individualCount: 1; sex: female;
lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816259-3; recordedBy: Min Huang;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;
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samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1980-16; individualCount: 1; sex: female;
lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816259-4; recordedBy: Min Huang;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;
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lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816259-5; recordedBy: Min Huang;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;
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s. scientificName: *Trissolcus cultratus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *cultratus*; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; locality: Mount Mogan; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hippotiscus dorsalis, 1985, Maozhi Wang"; [浙江，莫干山，1985，王茂芝；寄主：竹圆蝽Hippotiscus dorsalis]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1985; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 853650-1; recordedBy: Maozhi Wang; associatedOccurrences: Hippotiscus dorsalis; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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w. scientificName: *Trissolcus cultratus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *cultratus*; country: China; stateProvince: Shaanxi; county: Hanzhong; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Shaanxi, Hanzhong, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, ix.1974"; [陕西，汉中，1974.ix；寄主：稻蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1974-11; individualCount: 1; sex: male, egg mass; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 740720-1; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en
Figure 1.

*Trissolcus cultratus* (Mayr), female (ZJU 816259-2)

a: dorsal habitus

b: lateral habitus

c: head and mesosoma, dorsal view

d: head and mesosoma, lateral view

e: head, anterior view

f: metasoma, dorsal view
Distribution

China (Qinghai, Shaanxi, Sichuan, Guizhou, Jiangsu, Zhejiang, Taiwan); Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Poland, Russia, South Korea, Sweden, Switzerland and United Kingdom (Talamas et al. 2017).

Biology

Host associations. This species was reared from the eggs of Hippotiscus dorsalis Stål (Pentatomidae), Urochela luteovaria Distant (Urostylididae) and some unidentified species of Pentatomidae in China.

Images: Trissolcus cultratus Mayr 1879 (Fig. 1).

Trissolcus elasmuchae (Watanabe) 1954

Materials

a. scientificName: Trissolcus elasmuchae; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: elasmuchae; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Niphe elongata, 18.vii.1957, Junhua He"); [浙江，杭州，1957.vii.18, 何俊华；寄主：褐蝽象卵Niphe elongata]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/18/1957; individualCount: 3; sex: 2 female, 1 male, egg mass; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5728.17-1; recordedBy: Junhua He; associatedOccurrences: Niphe elongata; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

b. scientificName: Trissolcus elasmuchae; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: elasmuchae; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Niphe elongata, 18.vii.1957, Junhua He"); [浙江，杭州，1957.vii.18, 何俊华；寄主：褐蝽象卵Niphe elongata]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/18/1957; individualCount: 3; sex: 2 female, 1 male, egg mass; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5728.17-2; recordedBy: Junhua He; associatedOccurrences: Niphe elongata; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

c. scientificName: Trissolcus elasmuchae; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: elasmuchae; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Niphe elongata, 18.vii.1957, Junhua He"); [浙江，杭州，1957.vii.18, 何俊华；寄主：褐蝽象卵Niphe elongata]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/18/1957; individualCount: 3; sex: 1 female, 2 males; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5728.17-3; recordedBy: Junhua He; associatedOccurrences: Niphe elongata; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

d. scientificName: Trissolcus elasmuchae; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: elasmuchae; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Niphe elongata, 18.vii.1957, Junhua He"); [浙江，杭州，1957.vii.18, 何俊华；寄主：褐蝽
Figure 2.

*Trissolcus elasmuchae* (Watanabe), female (ZJU 572817-1)

a: dorsal habitus  [doi](#)
b: lateral habitus  [doi](#)
c: head and mesosoma, dorsal view  [doi](#)
d: head and mesosoma, lateral view  [doi](#)
e: head, anterior view  [doi](#)
f: metasoma, dorsal view  [doi](#)
Distribution
China (Zhejiang, Taiwan); France, India, Japan, South Korea, Sweden, United Kingdom and Vietnam (Talamas et al. 2017).

Biology

Host associations. This species was reared from the eggs of *Niphe elongata* (Dallas) (Pentatomidae) in China.

Images

*Trissolcus elasmuchae* Watanabe 1954 (Fig. 2).

### *Trissolcus japonicus* (Ashmead) 1904

**Materials**

a. scientificName: *Trissolcus japonicus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; vernacularName: samurai wasp; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *japonicus*; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Songyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Songyang County, ex. from eggs of *Erthesina fullo*, 14.viii.1985, Hanlin Chen"; [浙江,松阳，1985.viii.14, 陈汉林; 寄主: 麻皮蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 08/14/1985; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 853338-1; recordedBy: Hanlin Chen; associatedOccurrences: *Erthesina fullo*; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en; collectionCode: Insects; basisOfRecord: PreservedSpecimen

b. scientificName: *Trissolcus japonicus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; vernacularName: samurai wasp; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *japonicus*; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Songyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Songyang County, ex. from eggs of *Erthesina fullo*, 14.viii.1985, Hanlin Chen"; [浙江,松阳，1985.viii.14, 陈汉林; 寄主: 麻皮蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 08/14/1985; individualCount: 1; sex: male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 853338-2; recordedBy: Hanlin Chen; associatedOccurrences: *Erthesina fullo*; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en; collectionCode: Insects; basisOfRecord: PreservedSpecimen

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**eventDate:** 08/14/1985; **individualCount:** 1; **sex:** female; **lifeStage:** adult; **catalogNumber:** ZJU 853338-4; **recordedBy:** Hanlin Chen; **associatedOccurrences:** Erthesina fullo; **identifiedBy:** Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;  
**dateIdentified:** 2019; **modified:** 04/29/2020; **language:** en; **collectionCode:** Insects; **basisOfRecord:** PreservedSpecimen 

**scientificName:** Trissolcus japonicus; **order:** Hymenoptera; **family:** Scelionidae; 
**vernacularName:** samurai wasp; **genus:** Trissolcus; **specificEpithet:** japonicus; **country:** China; **stateProvince:** Zhejiang; **county:** Songyang; **locationRemarks:** label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Songyang County, ex. from eggs of Erthesina fullo, 14.viii.1985, Hanlin Chen"; 
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**identifiedBy:** Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen;  
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**eventDate:** 08/14/1985; **individualCount:** 1; **sex:** female; **lifeStage:** adult; **catalogNumber:** ZJU 853338-7; **recordedBy:** Hanlin Chen; **associatedOccurrences:** Erthesina fullo; 
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**dateIdentified:** 2019; **modified:** 04/29/2020; **language:** en; **collectionCode:** Insects; **basisOfRecord:** PreservedSpecimen 

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**vernacularName:** samurai wasp; **genus:** Trissolcus; **specificEpithet:** japonicus; **country:** China; **stateProvince:** Gansu; **county:** Wuwei; **locationRemarks:** label transliteration: "Gansu, Wuwei, ex. from eggs of Rhaphigaster nebulosa, v.1974, Gansu Agricultural University"; 
**eventDate:** 08/14/1985; **individualCount:** 1; **sex:** female; **lifeStage:** adult; **catalogNumber:** ZJU 853338-8; **recordedBy:** Hanlin Chen; **associatedOccurrences:** Erthesina fullo; 
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**Distribution**

China (Gansu, Shandong, Zhejiang, Taiwan); Italy, Japan, Russia, South Korea, Switzerland and the United States (Talamas et al. 2017, Sabbatini Peverieri et al. 2018, Stahl et al. 2018).
Biology

Host associations. This species has previously been recorded emerging from the eggs of *Halyomorpha halys* (Stål) in China (Yang et al. 2009). In this study, we found that this species has also been reared from the eggs of *Erthesina fullo* (Thunberg) (Pentatomidae), *Rhaphigaster nebulosa* (Poda) (Pentatomidae) and some other unidentified species of Pentatomidae.

![Figures a-f](image_url)

*Figure 3.* *Trissolcus japonicus* (Ashmead), female (ZJU 853338-2)

a: dorsal habitus  
 b: lateral habitus  
 c: head and mesosoma, dorsal view  
 d: head and mesosoma, lateral view  
 e: head, anterior view  
 f: metasoma, dorsal view
Images

*Trissolcus japonicus* Ashmead 1904 (Fig. 3).

**Trissolcus latisulcus** (Crawford) 1913

**Materials**

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Distribution

China (Yunnan, Taiwan); India, Laos, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam (Talamas et al. 2017).

Biology

**Host associations.** This species was reared from the eggs of *Poecilocoris latus* Dallas (Scutelleridae) in China.

**Notes**

Gan 1982 reported an unidentified species of Scelionidae attacking the eggs of *P. latus* feeding on *Camellia* trees from Yunnan Province. We examined the specimens that formed the basis of his report and we now know the species is *T. latisulcus*. According to Gan 1982, *T. latisulcus* could lay up to 700 eggs under laboratory conditions. There are 6–7 generations of *T. latisulcus* per year in Guangnan County of Yunnan, with a generation time of 20–30 days and they overwinter as adults.

**Images**

*Trissolcus latisulcus* Crawford 1913 (Fig. 4).
Trissolcus mitsukurii (Ashmead) 1904

Materials

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scientificName: *Trissolcus mitsukurii*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *mitsukurii*; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Songyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Songyang County, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, ix.1985, Hanlin Chen"; [浙江, 松阳，1985.ix, 陈汉林；寄主：蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1985-11; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 870488-4; recordedBy: Hanlin Chen; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en; collectionCode: Insects; basisOfRecord: PreservedSpecimen

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scientificName: *Trissolcus mitsukurii*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *mitsukurii*; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Songyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Songyang County, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, ix.1985, Hanlin Chen"; [浙江, 松阳，1985.ix, 陈汉林；寄主：蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1985-11; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816020-2; recordedBy: Dongxiang Xie;
associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

m. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Guizhou; county: Sandu; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Guizhou, Sandu Shui Autonomous County, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, v.1981, Dongxiang Xie"; [贵州，三都，1981.v, 谢冬香，寄主：蝽象卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1981-05; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 816020-3; recordedBy: Dongxiang Xie; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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o. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, 25.vi.1964, Dengdi Jin"; [浙江，杭州，1964.6.25，金登迪；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 06/25/1964; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 64032.1-1; recordedBy: Dengdi Jin; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

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q. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, 25.vi.1964, Dengdi Jin"; [浙江，杭州，1964.6.25，金登迪；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 06/25/1964; individualCount: 3; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 64032.1-3; recordedBy: Dengdi Jin; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

r. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, 25.vi.1964, Dengdi Jin"; [浙江，杭州，1964.6.25，金登迪；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 06/25/1964; individualCount: 3; sex: 2 female, 1 male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 64032.1-4; recordedBy: Dengdi Jin; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en
s. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Guizhou; county: Luodian; locationRemarks: label translocation: "Guizhou, Luodian County, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae on rice, 1974, Zhibang Liu"; [贵州，罗甸，1974，刘治邦；寄主：水稻上蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1974; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 7501231-1; recordedBy: Zhibang Liu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

t. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Guizhou; county: Luodian; locationRemarks: label translocation: "Guizhou, Luodian County, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae on rice, 1974, Zhibang Liu"; [贵州，罗甸，1974，刘治邦；寄主：水稻上蝽卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1974; individualCount: 2; sex: male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 7501231-3; recordedBy: Zhibang Liu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

u. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Zhejiang; county: Hangzhou; locationRemarks: label translocation: "Zhejiang, Hangzhou, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, 16-21.vii.1957, Fahong Yang"; [浙江，杭州，1957.vii.16-21,杨法宏；寄主：蝽象卵]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1957-07-16/21; individualCount: 2; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5737.5; recordedBy: Fahong Yang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

w. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locationRemarks: label translocation: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 3; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-1; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

x. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locationRemarks: label translocation: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 3; sex: 1 female, 2 males; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-2; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

y. scientificName: Trissolcus mitsukurii; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukurii; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county:
Notes on the hosts of Trissolcus Ashmead (Hymenoptera: Scelionidae) from...

Changsha; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽]
samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 2; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-3; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

Trissolcus mitsukuri; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukuri; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽]
samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 3; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-4; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

Trissolcus mitsukuri; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukuri; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽]
samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 4; sex: 3 females, 1 male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-5; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

Trissolcus mitsukuri; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukuri; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽]
samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 3; sex: 2 females, 1 male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-6; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

Trissolcus japonicus; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: mitsukuri; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae in paddy field, 19, Huifen Wu"; [湖南，长沙，19，吴惠芬；寄主：稻田蝽]
samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 19; individualCount: 3; sex: 2 females, 1 male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 790539-7; recordedBy: Huifen Wu; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en
Distribution

China (Guizhou, Zhejiang, Jiangxi, Hunan); Italy, Japan, South Korea, Thailand and the United States (quarantine) (Talamas et al. 2017; Sabbatini Peverieri et al. 2018)

Biology

Host associations. This species was reared from the eggs of some unidentified species of Pentatomidae in China.

Figure 5.

*Trissolcus mitsukurii* (Ashmead), female (ZJU 816020-1)

a: dorsal habitus
b: lateral habitus

c: head and mesosoma, dorsal view
d: head and mesosoma, lateral view
e: head, anterior view
f: metasoma, dorsal view
Images

*Trissolcus mitsukurii* Ashmead 1904 (Figs 5, 6).

Figure 6. doi
Host egg mass of *Trissolcus mitsukurii* (ZJU 816020-1)

*Trissolcus semistriatus* (Nees von Esenbeck) 1834

Materials

a. scientificName: *Trissolcus semistriatus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *semistriatus*; country: China; stateProvince: Xinjiang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Xinjiang, ex. from eggs of *Eurydema* sp., 1956-1957, Bayi Agricultural College (Xinjiang Agricultural University)”; [新疆，1956-1957，八一农院昆虫组，寄主: 红花菜蝽卵 *Eurydema* sp.]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1956-1957; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5757.9-1; associatedOccurrences: *Eurydema* sp.; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

b. scientificName: *Trissolcus semistriatus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *semistriatus*; country: China; stateProvince: Xinjiang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Xinjiang, ex. from eggs of *Eurydema* sp., 1956-1957, Bayi Agricultural College (Xinjiang Agricultural University)”; [新疆，1956-1957，八一农院昆虫组，寄主: 红花菜蝽卵 *Eurydema* sp.]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1956-1957; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5757.9-2; associatedOccurrences: *Eurydema* sp.; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

c. scientificName: *Trissolcus semistriatus*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *semistriatus*; country: China; stateProvince: Xinjiang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Xinjiang, ex. from eggs of *Eurydema* sp., 1956-1957, Bayi Agricultural College (Xinjiang Agricultural University)”; [新疆，1956-1957，八一农院昆虫组，寄主: 红花菜蝽卵 *Eurydema* sp.]; samplingProtocol:
none specified; eventDate: 1956-1957; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5757.8; associatedOccurrences: Eurydema sp.; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

d. scientificName: Trissolcus semistriatus; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: semistriatus; country: China; stateProvince: Shaanxi; county: Xianyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Shaanxi, Xianyang, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, viii.1975, Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang”; [陕西，咸阳，1975.viii，咸阳地区农科所；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1975-08; individualCount: 5; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 76086-1; recordedBy: Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

e. scientificName: Trissolcus semistriatus; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: semistriatus; country: China; stateProvince: Shaanxi; county: Xianyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Shaanxi, Xianyang, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, viii.1975, Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang”; [陕西，咸阳，1975.viii，咸阳地区农科所；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1975-08; individualCount: 10; sex: female, egg mass; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 76086-2; recordedBy: Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

f. scientificName: Trissolcus semistriatus; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: Trissolcus; specificEpithet: semistriatus; country: China; stateProvince: Shaanxi; county: Xianyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Shaanxi, Xianyang, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, viii.1975, Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang”; [陕西，咸阳，1975.viii，咸阳地区农科所；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1975-08; individualCount: 5; sex: 4 females, 1 male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 76086-3; recordedBy: Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

g. scientificName: Trissolcus semistriatus; country: China; stateProvince: Shaanxi; county: Xianyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Shaanxi, Xianyang, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, viii.1975, Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang”; [陕西，咸阳，1975.viii，咸阳地区农科所；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1975-08; individualCount: 5; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 76086-4; recordedBy: Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

h. scientificName: Trissolcus semistriatus; country: China; stateProvince: Shaanxi; county: Xianyang; locationRemarks: label transliteration: “Shaanxi, Xianyang, ex. from eggs of Pentatomidae, viii.1975, Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang”; [陕西，咸阳，1975.viii，咸阳地区农科所；寄主：蝽象]; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 1975-08; individualCount: 2; sex: 1 female, 1 male; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 76086-5; recordedBy: Institute of Agricultural Sciences of Xianyang; associatedOccurrences: Pentatomidae; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en
Distribution

China (Xinjiang, Shaanxi); Italy, Morocco, Portugal, Sweden and Switzerland (Tortorici et al. 2019).

Figure 7.

*Trissolcus semistriatus* (Nees von Esenbeck), female (ZJU 76086-2)

a: dorsal habitus  

b: lateral habitus  

c: head and mesosoma, dorsal view  

d: head and mesosoma, lateral view  

e: head, anterior view  

f: metasoma, dorsal view
Biology

Host associations. This species was reared from the eggs of *Eurydema* sp. (Pentatomidae) and an unidentified species of Pentatomidae in China.

Images

*Trissolcus semistriatus* Nees von Esenbeck 1834 (Fig. 7).

### Materials

a. scientificName: *Trissolcus yamagishii*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *yamagishii*; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locality: Wangcheng; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, Wangcheng District, ex. from eggs of *Niphe elongata*, 22.vii.1954, Songyun Mai"; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/22/1954; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5414.8-1; recordedBy: Songyun Mai; associatedOccurrences: *Niphe elongata*; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

b. scientificName: *Trissolcus yamagishii*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *yamagishii*; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locality: Wangcheng; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, Wangcheng District, ex. from eggs of *Niphe elongata*, 22.vii.1954, Songyun Mai"; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/22/1954; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5414.8-2; recordedBy: Songyun Mai; associatedOccurrences: *Niphe elongata*; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

c. scientificName: *Trissolcus yamagishii*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *yamagishii*; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locality: Wangcheng; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, Wangcheng District, ex. from eggs of *Niphe elongata*, 22.vii.1954, Songyun Mai"; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/22/1954; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5414.8-3; recordedBy: Songyun Mai; associatedOccurrences: *Niphe elongata*; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en

d. scientificName: *Trissolcus yamagishii*; order: Hymenoptera; family: Scelionidae; genus: *Trissolcus*; specificEpithet: *yamagishii*; country: China; stateProvince: Hunan; county: Changsha; locality: Wangcheng; locationRemarks: label transliteration: "Hunan, Changsha, Wangcheng District, ex. from eggs of *Niphe elongata*, 22.vii.1954, Songyun Mai"; samplingProtocol: none specified; eventDate: 07/22/1954; individualCount: 1; sex: female; lifeStage: adult; catalogNumber: ZJU 5414.8-4; recordedBy: Songyun Mai; associatedOccurrences: *Niphe elongata*; identifiedBy: Elijah J. Talamas, Huayan Chen; dateIdentified: 2019; modified: 04/29/2020; language: en
Distribution
China (Hunan); India, Laos, South Korea, United Arab Emirates and Vietnam (Talamas et al. 2017).

Biology

Host associations. This species was reared from the eggs of *Niphe elongata* (Dallas) (Pentatomidae) in China.

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**Figure 8.**
*Trissolcus yamagishii* Ryu, female (ZJU 5414.8-4)

- a: dorsal habitus [doi](#)
- b: lateral habitus [doi](#)
- c: head and mesosoma, dorsal view [doi](#)
- d: head and mesosoma, lateral view [doi](#)
- e: head, anterior view [doi](#)
- f: metasoma, dorsal view [doi](#)
Notes
This species is newly recorded from China.

Images
_Trisolcus yamagishii_ Ryu and Hirashima 1984 (Fig. 8).

Analysis

Summary of host associations

A total of 123 specimens were examined and seven species are recognized. The hosts recorded on specimen label data are summarized below:

Pentatomidae

_Erthesina fullo_ (Thunberg): _T. japonicus_

_Eurydema_ sp.: _T. semistriatus_

_Hippotiscus dorsalis_ Stål: _T. cultratus_

_Niphe elongata_ (Dallas): _T. elasmuchae, T. yamagishii_

_Rhaphigaster nebulosa_ (Poda): _T. japonicus_

Scutelleridae

_Poecilocoris latus_ Dallas: _T. latisulcus_

Urostylididae

_Urochela luteovaria_ Distant: _T. cultratus_

Discussion

Specimens housed in museum and university collections are an immense and often irreplaceable source of biological information. This study produced immediately-applicable data that was gleaned from a historic collection simply by identifying specimens and recording label data. It is difficult and, sometimes, impossible to identify host eggs to species, based on morphology alone and several _Trissolcus_ species in our study were reared from eggs identified only as Pentatomidae. New methods in molecular diagnostics that can identify trophic interactions from parasitized eggs have been used to overcome this challenge and identify associations between scelionid parasitoids and stink bugs (Gariepy et al. 2018, Lomeli-Flores et al. 2019). Implementation of this approach on
specimens in insect collections can further expand the data that can be harvested from these institutional resources.

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