A new species of the genus Scoliokona Kallies et Arita, 1998 (Lepidoptera: Sesiidae) from Bali, Indonesia with a catalogue of the genus

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ABSTRACT. A new species, Scoliokona baliensis sp.n. from the island of Bali, Indonesia, is described and figured. The holotype of the new species was collected with using artificial sex attractant. It is deposited in the collections of the A.N. Severtsov Institute of Ecology and Evolution of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia. The female and the larval host plant are still unknown. This is the first record of the genus to the island of Bali. A new combination — Scoliokona stroehlei (Fischer, 2002), comb.n. is established.

The genus Scoliokona was established for two species from the Philippines, one of which was described as a new [Kallies, Arita, 1998]. The authors selected Sura tetrapora Diakonoff, 1968 ["1967"] as the type species of the genus. It distributes in the Oriental region from Thailand and Myanmar in the west to the Philippines in the east, and from South China in the north to the island of Java in the south [Kallies, Arita, 1998; Arita, Riefenstahl, 2004; Pühringer, Kallies, 2004, 2021; Kallies et al., 2014; Yata et al., 2017]. The present finding shifts the range of the genus somewhat to the southeast.

Unfortunately, the exact systematic position of most species taxa of the subfamily Paranthreninae of the Oriental realm remains unclear. Practically most of them, with the exception of those newly described over the past couple of decades [Kallies, Arita, 1998; Arita, Gorbunov, 2001; Fischer, 2002, 2003; Arita et al., 2003; Kallies et al., 2014; Gorbunov, Arita, 2015, 2019; Gorbunov, 2016, 2018], remain insufficiently studied. This mainly concerns the structure of their genitalia. Very likely that most oriental species of the genus Paranthrene Hübner, 1819 ["1816"] (type species: Sphinx asyliformis [Denis et Schiffermüller], 1775 = Sphinx tabaniformis Rottemburg, 1775) or Nokona Matsumura, 1931 (type species: Paranthrene (Nokona) yezonica Matsumura, 1931 = Sura ferale Leech, 1889) should be transferred to the genus Scoliokona.

Nevertheless, currently, I comprise only 14 species in this genus, including the new one described below.

The present paper presents the description of a new species, Scoliokona baliensis sp.n. In addition, I pro-

Introduction

During a short-time trip to Indonesia in February–March 2020, I could collect two very interesting species of Sesiidae. One of them was catch with the help of artificial sex attractants produced by PHEROBANK®, Wijk bij Duurstede, the Netherlands. It was a representative of the genus Scoliokona Kallies et Arita, 1998. After a detailed study, it turned out to be a new species, the description of which is given below.

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vide an annotated catalogue of the genus *Scoliokona*, which contains updated taxonomic information including references to the original descriptions, information on name-bearing types, complete bibliographies, data on host plants and distribution.

The holotype is described using a Leica EZ4 stereomicroscope with LED illuminations, and images are taken with a Sony® a450 DSLR camera equipped with a Minolta® 50 f/2.8 Macro lens. The genitalia figures are taken with a Keyence® BZ-9000 Biorevo Fluorescence Microscope. The processing of all illustrations is finalized with the Adobe® Photoshop® CC 2020 software.

All labels of the holotype are cited verbatim. The labels of geographical data, imaging data and genitalia preparation numbers are printed on white paper, but the type label is printed on red paper. Each label is separated by a semicolon “;” lines in a label are separated by a slash “/”. All pictures of the holotype are labeled with a number, consisting of letters and digits: name of the family, two consecutive digits separated by n-dash and a year following m-dash (e.g. SESIIDAE pictures №№ 0017-0018–2020). These letter and digit codes correspond to the numbering system of the figured specimens in the author’s archive. The genitalia preparation is stored in a microtube with glycerol and pinned under the specimen. The dissected genitalia are equipped with the corresponding number placed in the microtube. This number as a label (e.g. genitalia preparation № OG–001-2021) is pinned under the specimen and is listed in the archives of the author.

The material studied or mentioned below is kept in the following collections abbreviated in the text as follows:

- BMNH — collection of the Natural History Museum, London, UK;
- CHFR — private collection of Heinz Fischer, Rottach, Germany;
- COGM — collection of the A.N. Severtsov Institute of Ecology and Evolution, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia;
- ETHZ — Sammlung der Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich, Switzerland;
- ITBC — collection of the Institute for Tropical Biology and Conservation, University of Malaysia, Sabah, Kota Kinabalu, Indonesia;
- NSMT — collection of the National Museum of Nature and Science, Tsukuba, Tokyo (formerly Natural Science Museum Tokyo), Japan;
- SCAU — collection of the Department of Entomology, South China Agricultural University, Guangzhou, Guangdong, China;
- ZSM — Zoologische Staatssammlung München, Germany.

**Taxonomic account**

*Scoliokona baliensis* O. Gorbunov, sp.n.

Figs 1–7.

**MATERIAL.** Holotype ♀ (Figs 2–3) with labels: “Indonesia, Bali, Tabanan, Lalah Linggah, 08°29.567´ S, 114°58.287´, 50 m, 11.II.2020. Photo by O. Gorbunov.

**Fig. 1.** Type locality of *Scoliokona baliensis* sp.n. Indonesia, Bali, Tabanan, Lalah Linggah, 08°29.567´ S, 114°58.287´, 50 m, 11.II.2020. Photo by O. Gorbunov.

Рис. 1. Типовое местонахождение *Scoliokona baliensis* sp.n. Индонезия, остров Бали, Табанан, Лалалингга, 08°29.567´ С, 114°58.287´, 50 м, 11.11.2020. Фото О. Горбунова.
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Figs 2–3. *Scoliokona baliensis* sp.n.: 2 — holotype, upside. Sesiiidae picture № 0017–2020. Alar expanse 32.8 mm; 3 — ditto underside. Sesiiidae picture № 0018–2020.

Рис. 2–3. *Scoliokona baliensis* sp.n.: 2 — гологип, сверху. Sesiiidae снимок № 0017–2020. Размах крыльев 32,8 мм; 3 — снизу. Sesiiidae снимок № 0018–2020.
DESCRIPTION. Male (holotype) (Figs 2–3). Alar expanse 32.8 mm; body length 19.1 mm; forewing 15.0 mm; antenna 8.0 mm.

Head with antenna black with dark blue-violet sheen dorsally and dark brown ventrally; scapus dark gray-brown with greenish-blue sheen and a few yellowish scales laterally; frons dark brown with bright greenish-violet sheen and a very narrow gray stripe laterally; labial palpus orange with a few thin, elongate, black scales both externally and dorsally on mid joint; vertex black with anthracite sheen; peri-cephalic hairs orange with an admixture of black hair-like scales dorsally.

Thorax with patagia orange with an admixture of a few black scales with greenish-violet sheen dorsally; tegula, meso- and metathorax and thorax laterally entirely black with bright greenish-violet sheen; posteriorly dark gray with greenish-bronze sheen covered with long white hair-like scales. Legs with neck plate orange with a few black scales with greenish sheen laterally; fore, mid and hind legs entirely black with violet-anthracitic sheen; both fore femur and fore tibia posteriorly with elongate hair-like scales forming a well-visible tuft; spurs mid and hind tibiae dark gray with anthracitic sheen internally. Forewing completely opaque; dorsally black with bright blue-violet sheen; cilia dark brown to black with dark violet sheen; ventrally dark brown to black with bright blue sheen gradually changing to violet distally of cross-vein; cilia dark brown to black with bronze-violet sheen. Hindwing with scales black with bright blue sheen dorsally and blue-violet sheen ventrally; with seven oval transparent areas in...
cell proximally of discal spot, distally of discal spot between veins M₁–CuA₁ and CuA₁–anal margin; cilia dark brown to black with dark violet sheen dorsally and bronze-violent sheen ventrally.

Abdomen entirely black with bright blue-violent sheen; anal tuft with a few white with yellowish tint scales laterally.

**Male genitalia** (holotype (genital preparation № OG-001-2021) (Figs 4–7). Uncus long, narrow, slightly broadened medially, with simple setae laterally; tegumen short; gnathos narrow, with triple tooth; tuba analis with subscaphium narrowly sclerotized (Fig. 4); valva (Fig. 5) valva broad, ovoid and relatively short, with dorsal half covered with strong hand-shaped setae, a row of such setae medially and a stripe of pointed setae subventrally; costa sacculi low, with a patch of strong pointed setae; saccus (Fig. 6) slightly shorter than vinculum, straight, narrow, somewhat broadened and rounded basally; aedeagus (Fig. 7) rather broad, somewhat longer than valva, distally with a hook-shaped well-sclerotized carina penis dorsally and a sclerotized plate ventrally; vesica with numerous rows of minute flat cornuti.

**Female.** Unknown.

**INDIVIDUAL VARIABILITY.** Unknown.

**DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS.** By the conformation of the hindwing this new species is somewhat similar to *S. kalliesi* Arita et Riefenstahl, 2004, but it differs by the colouration of the antenna (antenna orange in *S. kalliesi*), by the presence of transparent areas between veins M₁ and M₂, and CuA₁–anal margin; cilia dark brown to black with dark violet sheen dorsally and bronze-violent sheen ventrally.

**FLIGHT PERIOD.** The holotype was collected in February.

**HOST PLANT.** Unknown.

**DISTRIBUTION.** It is known from the islands of Bali, Indonesia.

**Scoliokona cyanae** (Hampson, 1919)

"*Sura cyanae* n. sp." — Hampson, 1919: 99. Type locality: "Java, Arjuno …" [= Indonesia: East Java, Arjuno-Welirang]. Holotype ♂ (BMNH).

**LITERATURE.** Dalla Torre, Strand, 1925: 151 (*Sura cyanae*); Gaede, 1933: 792 (*Sura cyanae*); Schneider, 1940: 41 (*Sura cyanae*); Heppner, Duckworth, 1981: 25 (*Sura cyanae*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 19 (*Scoliokona cyanae*); Kallies et al., 2014: 194 (*Scoliokona cyanae*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (*Scoliokona cyanae*).

**FLIGHT PERIOD.** Unknown.

**HOST PLANT.** Unknown.

**DISTRIBUTION.** This species is known as a single male (holotype) from the island of Java, Indonesia.

**Scoliokona cyanogama** (Meyrick, 1930)

"*Paranthrene cyanogama*, n. sp." — Meyrick, 1930: 584. Type locality: "Malaya, Johore, …" [Malaysia: Johor]. Syntypes 1 ♂ and 1 ♀ (BMNH).

**LITERATURE.** Gaede, 1933: 794 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Yunus, Ho, 1980: 61, 440, 441 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Heppner, Duckworth, 1981: 23 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Kalshoven, 1981: 213 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Robinson et al., 1994: 109, pl. 18, fig. 6 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Robinson et al., 2001: 308, 632 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 20 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*); Kallies et al., 2014: 194, 195 (*Scoliokona cyanogama*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (*Paranthrene cyanogama*).

**FLIGHT PERIOD.** The specimens of the type series were bred in January.

**HOST PLANT.** Larvae boring stems of *Uncaria gambir* (Rubiaceae).

**DISTRIBUTION.** Known from the state of Johor in South Malaysia.

**Scoliokona heptapora** Kallies et Arita, 1998

"*Scoliokona heptapora* sp. nov." — Kallies, Arita, 1998: 264, figs 15, 26a–d. Type locality: "Philippinen, Leyte, Lake Danao, 650 m, …". Holotype ♂ (ZMHU).

**LITERATURE.** Arita et al., 2003: 140 (*Scoliokona heptapora*); Arita, Riefenstahl, 2004: 116 (*Scoliokona heptapora*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 19 (*Scoliokona heptapora*); Kallies et al., 2014: 201 (*Scoliokona heptapora*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (*Scoliokona heptapora*).

**FLIGHT PERIOD.** The type series was collected in April.

**HOST PLANT.** Unknown.

**DISTRIBUTION.** It is known from the islands of Leyte and Samar in the Philippines.

**Scoliokona cyanea** Arita et O. Gorbunov, 2003

"*Scoliokona cyanea* Arita & Gorbunov sp. nov." — Arita et al., 2003: 138, figs 3, 8a–d. Type locality: "… Malaysia, Sabah, Maliau Basin, Agathis Camp, …"). Holotype ♂ (OTBC).

**LITERATURE.** Arita, Riefenstahl, 2004: 116 (*Scoliokona cyanea*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 19 (*Scoliokona cyanea*); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (*Scoliokona cyanea*).

**FLIGHT PERIOD.** The type series was collected in May.

**HOST PLANT.** Unknown.

**DISTRIBUTION.** Known from the island of Borneo.
Scoliokona kalliesi Arita et Riefenstahl, 2004

“Scoliokona kalliés sp. nov.” — Arita, Riefenstahl, 2004: 116, figs 1, 2. Type locality: “... Myanmar, Kachin, Patas, Mt. New Zin, ...”.

LITERATURE. Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 19 (Scoliokona kalliesi); Kallies et al., 2014: 200 (Scoliokona kalliesi); Yata et al., 2017: 22, figs 1–5 (Scoliokona kalliesi); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona kalliési).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The type series was collected in April and June.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. This species is known from Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam.

Scoliokona nanlingensis Kallies et Arita, 2014

“Scoliokona nanlingensis Kallies & Arita sp. nov.” — Kallies et al., 2014: 195, figs 21, 22, 36. Type locality: “... Prov. Guangdong Province, Shaoguang, Nanling, 800 m, ...” [= China: Guangdong Province, Shaoguang, Nanling Mountains]. Holotype ♂ (NSMT).

LITERATURE. Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona nanlingensis).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The type series was collected in August and September.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. Known from Guangdong Province in South China.

Scoliokona phoenicia (Hampson, 1919)

“Sura phoenicia n. sp.” — Hampson, 1919: 99. Type locality: “Borneo, Pulo Laut ...” [= Indonesia: Kalimantan Selatan, Pulau Laut]. Holotype ♀ (BMNH).

LITERATURE. Dalla Torre, Strand, 1925: 151 (Sura phoenicia); Gaede, 1933: 792 (Sura phoenicia); Heppner, Duckworth, 1981: 25 (Sura phoenicia); Kallies, Arita, 1998: 263 (Sura phoenicia); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 22 (Sura phoenicia); Kallies et al., 2014: 194 (Scoliokona phoenicia); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona phoenicia).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The holotype was collected in June.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. This species is known from the island of Laut in Indonesia.

Scoliokona shimentai Kallies et Wu, 2014

“Scoliokona shimentai Kallies & Wu sp. nov.” — Kallies et al., 2014: 195, figs 23, 24, 37. Type locality: “... Prov. Guangdong, Yingde, Shimentai, ...” [= China: Guangdong Province, Yingde, Shimentai Nature Reserve]. Holotype ♂ (SCAU).

LITERATURE. Kallies et al., 2014: 201 (Scoliokona shimentai); Yata et al., 2017: 22 (Scoliokona shimentai); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona shimentai).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The type series was collected from late April to early July.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. It is known from Guangdong Province in South China and from the provinces of Th a Thiên-Hu and Cao B .ng in Vietnam.

Scoliokona spissa Kallies et Arita, 2014

“Scoliokona spissa Kallies & Arita sp. nov.” — Kallies et al., 2014: 200, figs 25, 26, 38. Type locality: “... Guangxi, Guilin, Maoershan, ...” [= China: Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region, Guilin, Mao’er Mountains]. Holotype ♂ (SCAU).

LITERATURE. Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona spissa).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The type series was collected in July and August.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. Known from Guangdong Province and Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region in South China.

Scoliokona stroehlei (Fischer, 2002), comb.n.

“Nokona stroehlei sp. nov.” — Fischer, 2002: 141, Abb. 1–10. Type locality: “Malayische Halbinsel, Cameron Highlands, SW Ringlet, 04°21’16” N, 101°20’17” 550 m, ...” [= Malaysia: Pahang, Cameron Highlands, environs of Ringlet]. Holotype ♂ (CHFR, later in ZSM).

LITERATURE. Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 18 (Nokona stroehlei); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Nokona stroehlei).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The holotype was collected in mid-July.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. Known from the type locality in Malaysia only.

Scoliokona tetraperora (Diakonoff, 1968 [“1967”])

“Sura tetraperora, new species” — Diakonoff, 1968: 228, figs 345, 713, 714. Type material: “... Luzon, Prov. Limay, Bataan, ...” [= the Filipines: Central Luzon region, province Bataan, Limay]. Holotype ♂ (USNM).

LITERATURE. Heppner, Duckworth, 1981: 25 (Sura tetraperora); Kallies, Arita, 1998: 261, 266, figs 13, 14, 24, 25, 31 (Scoliokona tetraperora); Arita et al., 2003: 140 (Scoliokona tetraperora); Kallies et al., 2014: 194 (Scoliokona tetraperora); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 19 (Scoliokona tetraperora); Kallies et al., 2014: 201 (Scoliokona tetraperora); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona tetraperora).

FLIGHT PERIOD. The imagos occurs in April and in November.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. This species is known from the island of Luzon and Mindanao in the Philippines.

Scoliokona uncariae (F. Schneider, 1940)

“Sura uncariae sp. nov.” — Schneider, 1940: 116, 205, Abb. 15, 42. Type locality: “... Sumatra, ... zwischen dem 2. und 3. nördlichen Breitengrad, etwa 50 km landeinwärts an der flachansteigenden Ostküste in 25—40 m Höhe über Meer ...” [= Indonesia: Sumatra, North Sumatra, Asahan Regency]. Holotype ♂ missing (not in ETHZ).

LITERATURE. Heppner, Duckworth, 1981: 25 (Sura uncariae); Kalshoven, 1981: 213, fig. 175 (Sura uncariae); Kallies, Arita, 1998: 263 (Sura uncariae); Robinson et al., 2001: 391, 632 (Sura uncariae); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 22 (Sura uncariae); Kallies et al., 2014: 194 (Scoliokona uncariae); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona uncariae).

FLIGHT PERIOD. Unknown.

HOST PLANT. Larvae boring trunks or large branches of Uncaria gambir (Rubiacae).

DISTRIBUTION. Known from the island of Sumatra, Indonesia.

Scoliokona zygophora (Hampson, 1919)

“Paranthrene zygophora n. sp.” — Hampson, 1919: 109. Type locality: “Borneo, Sarawak, Kuching ...” [= Malaysia: Sarawak, Kuching]. Holotype ♂ (BMNH).

LITERATURE. Dalla Torre, Strand, 1925: 169 (Paranthrene zygophora); Gaede, 1933: 795 (Paranthrene zygophora); Heppner, Duckworth, 1981: 24 (Paranthrene zygophora); Pühringer, Kallies, 2004: 21 (Paranthrene zygophora); Kallies et al., 2014: 194, 195 (Scoliokona zygophora); Pühringer, Kallies, 2021 (Scoliokona zygophora).

* According to Clarke [1980], the actual date of publication of the 257 issue of the Bulletin of the United States National Museum is January 31st, 1968 (“1868” in the text!).
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FLIGHT PERIOD. The holotype was collected in January.

HOST PLANT. Unknown.

DISTRIBUTION. This species is known from the Sarawak Province of Borneo, Indonesia.

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