

Lizards of the Orient:

A Checklist

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Chapter 8

FAMILY LACERTIDAE

Genus: *Acanthodactylus* WIEGMANN 1834: 10

Species typica: *boskiana* Daudin

Reference: Arnold (1983)

Acanthodactylus blanfordii BOULENGER

Acanthodactylus blanfordii Boulenger 1918: 154. Type locality: Dasht, Baluchistan

Distribution: southwest Pakistan; (*extralimital*: Afghanistan, Iran and Oman)

Acanthodactylus cantoris GUNTHER

Acanthodactylus cantoris Gunther 1864: 7. Type locality: Ramnagar, Agra

Distribution: northwest India; Pakistan; (*extralimital*: eastern Afghanistan)

Acanthodactylus micropholis BLANFORD

Acanthodactylus micropholis Blanford 1874: 33. Type locality: Magas, Baluchistan

Distribution: southwest Pakistan (*extralimital*: southeast Iran)

Genus: *Cabrita* GRAY 1838: 282

Species typica: *leschenaulti* Milne-Edwards

Reference: Boulenger (1921)

Cabrita jerdonii BEDDOME

Cabrita jerdonii Beddome 1870: 34. Type locality: between Kollegal and Caverypuram, State of Mysore

Distribution: north and central India

Cabrita leschenaultii (MILNE-EDWARDS)

Lacerta leschenaultii Milne-Edwards 1829: 80. Type locality: Coromandel coast, India

Distribution: Sri Lanka and India

Genus: *Eremias* WIEGMANN 1834: 9

Species typica: *velox* Pallas

Reference: Szczerbak (1974)

Eremias persica BLANFORD

Eremias persica Blanford 1874: 31. Type locality: near Ispahan, Persia

Distribution: Pakistan; (*extralimital*: Afghanistan, Iran and USSR)

Eremias velox roborowskii BEDRIAGA

Eremias velox roborowskii Bedriaga 1907: 181. Type locality: Sachow, Kansu (Pope 1935: 479)

Distribution: western China west to the Russian border

Genus: *Lacerta* LINNAEUS 1758: 200

Species typica: *agilis* Linnaeus

Lacerta vivipara JACQUIN

Lacerta vivipara Jacquin 1787: 33. Type locality: Monte Schneeberg

Distribution: northern China (west through USSR, northern and central Europe to include the British Isles)

Genus: *Ommateremias* LANTZ 1928: 37

Species typica: *arguta* Pallas

Reference: Szczerbak (1974)

Ommateremias arguta potanini (BEDRIAGA)

Eremias arguta potanini Bedriaga 1912: 631. Type locality: Bulun-Tochoi in Dshungaria, Central Asia

Distribution: northwest China—USSR border areas

Genus: *Ophisops* MENETRIES 1832: 63

Species typica: *elegans* Menetries

Reference: Boulenger (1921)

Ophisops beddomei (JERDON)

Pseudophiops beddomei Jerdon 1870: 72. Type locality: Brumagherry Hills, Wynaad

Distribution: hills of western India

Ophisops elegans MENETRIES

Ophisops elegans Menetries 1832: 63. Type locality: near Baku, Caspian Sea

Distribution: Pakistan (west through Asia Minor to southeast Europe and north east Africa)

Ophisops jerdoni BLYTH

Ophisops jerdoni Blyth 1853: 653. Type locality: Mhow, Indore, C.I.

Distribution: northwest India, Pakistan (*extralimital*: Afghanistan)

Ophisops microlepis BLANFORD

Ophisops (Gymnops) microlepis Blanford 1870: 351. Type locality: Korba, Bilaspur, Central Province

Distribution: India

Genus: *Pareremias* SZCZERBAK 1973: 64

Species typica: *multiocellata* Gunther

Reference: Szczerbak (1974)

Pareremias argus argus (PETERS)

Eremias argus Peters 1869: 61. Type locality: Chefoo, Shantung

Distribution: northeast China, Korea (*extralimital*: eastern Mongolia)

Pareremias argus barbouri (SCHMIDT)

Eremias barbouri Schmidt 1925: 2. Type locality: Mai Tai Chao

Distribution: north central China (*extralimital*: central Mongolia and USSR)

Pareremias brenchleyi (GUNTHER)

Eremias brenchleyi Gunther 1972: 419. Type locality: Mongolia

Distribution: north-east China (and Mongolia)

Pareremias buechneri (BEDRIAGA)

Eremias buechneri Bedriaga 1907: 184. Type locality: Yarkand and Chotan

Distribution: western China

Pareremias multiocellata multiocellata (GUNTHER)

Eremias multiocellata Gunther 1872: 419. Type locality: Gobi Desert

Distribution: north-central and northeastern China (*extralimital*: southern Mongolia)

Pareremias multiocellata koslowi (BEDRIAGA)

Eremias multiocellata koslowi Bedriaga 1907: 183. Type locality: "aus der OaSe Ssatschsheu und aus Nan-schan"

Distribution: north-central China

Pareremias multiocellata yarkandensis (BLANFORD)

Eremias yarkandensis Blandford 1875: 194. Type locality: Yarkand, Chinese Turkestan

Distribution: northwest China

Pareremias przewalskii przewalskii (STRAUCH)

Podarces (Eremias) przewalskii Strauch 1876: 43. Type locality: Alashan Desert, Mongolia

Distribution: northwest and north-central China (*extralimital*: Mongolia, USSR)

Pareremias quadrifrons (STRAUCH)

Podarces (Eremias) quadrifrons Strauch 1876: 34. Type locality: Alashan Desert, Mongolia

Distribution: north-central China (*extralimital*: Mongolia)

Genus: *Platyplacopus* BOULENGER 1917: 231

Species typica: *kuehnei* Van Denburgh

Reference: Boulenger (1921)

Platyplacopus dorsalis (STEJNEGER)

Tachydromus dorsalis Stejneger 1904: 294. Type locality: Ishigaki Island

Distribution: Japan (Ryukyu Islands)

Platyplacopus intermedius (STEJNEGER)

Tachydromus intermedius Stejneger 1924: 120. Type locality: Hsinkaiszu, Mt. Omei, Szechwan

Distribution: China (Szechwan, Yunnan)

Platyplacopus kuehnei (VAN DENBURGH)

Tachydromus kuehnei Van Denburgh 1909: 50. Type locality: Kanshirei, Formosa

Distribution: China (Kwangtung, Kwangsi); Taiwan

Platyplacopus sylvaticus (POPE)

Apeltonotus sylvaticus Pope 1928: 2. Type locality: Chungan Hsien, Fukien

Distribution: China (Fukien)

Genus: *Rhabderemias* LANTZ 1928: 36

Species typica: *scripta* Strauch

Reference: Szczerbak (1974)

Rhabderemias fasciata (BLANFORD)

Eremias fasciata Blanford 1874: 32. Type locality: Sir-I-Tam, sw of Karma

Distribution: Pakistan (*extralimital*: Iran, Afghanistan)

Rhabderemias scripta (STRAUCH)

Podarces (Scapteira) scripta Strauch 1867: 424. Type locality: Aralo-Caspian Desert

Distribution: Pakistan (*extralimital*: Afghanistan, USSR)

Rhabderemias vermiculata (BLANFORD)

Eremias vermiculata Blanford 1875: 194. Type locality: Yarkand (Pope 1935: 480)

Distribution: China (*extralimital*: Mongolia)

Genus: *Scapteira* WIEGMANN 1834: 9.

Species typica: *grammica* Lichtenstein

Reference: Szczerbak (1974)

Scapteira acutirostris BOULENGER

Scapteira acutirostris Boulenger 1887: 114. Type locality: between Nushki and the Helmand, N. Baluchistan

Distribution: Pakistan (*extralimital*: Afghanistan)

Scapteira grammica (LICHTENSTEIN)

Lacerta grammica Lichtenstein 1823: 140. Type locality: Kapakym

Distribution: extreme western China (vicinity of Yining) (*extralimital*: USSR, Iran)

Genus: *Takydromus* DAUDIN 1802: 251

Species typica: *sexlineatus* Daudin

Reference: Boulenger (1921)

Takydromus amurensis PETERS*Takydromus amurensis* Peters 1881: 71. Type locality: Kasakewicha

Distribution: eastern North and South Korea east (into USSR)

Takydromus auroralis DOI*Takydromus auroralis* Doi 1929: 1. Type locality: Seoul

Distribution: South Korea

Takydromus haughtonianus JERDON*Tachydromus haughtonianus* Jerdon 1870: 72. Type locality: Goalpora, Assam

Distribution: India (Assam)

Takydromus hsuehshanensis LIN & CHENG*Takydromus hsuehshanensis* Lin and Cheng 1981: 43. Type locality: Mt.

Hsiao-hsueh, Taiwan

Distribution: Taiwan

Takydromus kwangakuensis DOI*Takydromus kwangakuensis* Doi 1928: 72. Type locality: Mt. Kwanak, near Seoul

Distribution: South Korea

Takydromus sauteri VAN DENBURGH*Takydromus sauteri* Van Denburgh 1909: 50. Type locality: Koshun, Formosa

Distribution: Taiwan

Takydromus septentrionalis GUNTHER*Takydromus septentrionalis* Gunther 1864: 70. Type locality: Ningpo

Distribution: eastern China and Taiwan

Takydromus sexlineatus sexlineatus DAUDIN*Takydromus sexlineatus* Daudin 1802: 256. Type locality: Java (Smith 1935: 368)

Distribution: Burma; Thailand; Western Malaysia; Kampuchea; Laos; Vietnam; Indonesia (Borneo, Java, Sumatra)

Takydromus sexlineatus khasiensis BOULENGER*Tachydromus khasiensis* Boulenger 1917: 221. Type locality: Khasi Hills

Distribution: India (Assam) and northern Burma

Takydromus sexlineatus meridionalis GUNTHER*Takydromus meridionalis* Gunther 1864: 7. Type locality: southern China

Distribution: China (Kwangsi, Kwangtung, Hainan and Fukien)

Takydromus sexlineatus ocellatus CUVIER

Takydromus ocellatus Cuvier 1829: pl.5. Type locality: les Indes orientales
Distribution: Thailand, Burma, Laos, Kampuchea, Vietnam and southern China

Takydromus smaragdinus BOULENGER

Tachydromus smaragdinus Boulenger 1887: 509. Type locality: Loo Choo Islands
Distribution: Japan (including the Ryukyu Islands)

Takydromus tachydromoides (SCHLEGEL)

Lacerta tachydromoides Schlegel 1838: 101. Type locality: Kiusiu
Distribution: Japan

Takydromus wolteri FISCHER

Takydromus wolteri Fischer 1885: 82. Type locality: Chemulpo, Korea
Distribution: Vietnam China (Fukien, Kiangsi, Anhwei, Szechwan) Korea
(*extralimital*: USSR)