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# Descriptions of six new species of *Phaonia* Robineau-Desvoidy (Diptera: Muscidae) from China

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#### **Abstract**

This paper provides diagnoses and keys to species in the *Phaonia fuscicoxa*-group and the *Phaonia barkama*-group from China; describes six new species, namely *Phaonia subfuscicoxa* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.**, *Phaonia hypotuberosurstyla* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.**, *Phaonia caesiipollinosa* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.**, *Phaonia daliensis* Xue and Du, **sp. nov.**, *Phaonia quadratilamella* Xue, **sp. nov.**, and *Phaonia maoershanensis* Xue, **sp. nov.** We report the distributions and provide notes on the affinities of known species.

#### 摘要

本文报告了中国棘蝇属黄基棘蝇种团和马尔康棘蝇种团的鉴别特征,编制了这两个种团的分种检索表,描述了六个新种,即拟黄基棘蝇 *Phaonia subfuscicoxa* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.**, 拟瘤叶棘蝇 *Phaonia hypotuberosurstyla* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.**,蓝 粉鬃棘蝇 *Phaonia caesiipollinosa* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.**, 大理棘蝇 *Phaonia daliensis* Xue and Du, **sp. nov.**,方板棘蝇 *Phaonia quadratilamella* Xue, **sp. nov.**和猫儿山棘蝇 *Phaonia maoershanensis* Xue, **sp. nov.**;并报告了已知种的分布和分类学讨论。

**Abbreviations used:** *fr*, frontal setae; *ors*, orbital setae; *acr*, acrostichal setae; *dc*, dorsocentral setae; *pra*, prealar setae; *av*, anteroventral setae; *ad*, anterodorsal setae; *pd*, posterodorsal setae; *pv*, posteroventral setae; *d*, dorsal setae; *p*, posterior setae; *Coll.*, Collected;

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#### Introduction

Phaonia Robineau-Desvoidy is the most species-rich genus in the Muscidae (Diptera), comprising 806 species in the world, of which 377 species have been described from China. During field collection, some new species of the fuscicoxa and barkama groups were discovered. The Phaonia fuscicoxa species group and the Phaonia barkama species group belong to the genus Phaonia Robineau-Desvoidy. The Phaonia fuscicoxa species group has 23 known species in China, including two new species described in this paper, and the Phaonia barkama species group has 12 known species in China, including four new species described in this paper.

#### **Materials and Methods**

Descriptions were based on adult flies using a combination of external and genitalic features. The morphological terminology follows that of McAlpine (1981). Absolute measurements for the body length are given in millimeters. Descriptions of the species were done in the following order: body length, head, thorax, wings, legs and abdomen. The type specimens of the new species described herein are deposited at the Institute of Entomology, Shenyang Normal University, China (IESNU).

#### Nomenclature

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### Diagnosis of *Phaonia fuscicoxa*-group Ma, 2002

Scutellum and abdomen entirely black, anterior *acr* absent, posterior *dc* 4, *pra* longer than

posterior notopleural seta, katepimeron bare, notopleuron with hairs; mid tibia with 1 row of p, hind tibia without apical pv, fore tarsi without sensitive hairs in ventral side.

## Key to the adult males of the *Phaonia* fuscicoxa-group from China

- Palpus and antenna entirely black............3

- 5. Eyes covered with short ciliae, the upper and inner facets apparently enlarged; parafacial narrow,  $\approx 1/2$  of the width of flagellomere 1.....

parafacial nearly equal to the width of flagellomere 1
6. Thorax and abdomen black; genal height 1/4 of eye height; Basicosta dark brown
7. Basal half of cerci narrow, inner projecting in the distal part wide and long
8. Basal two segments of antenna and the basal part of flagellomere 1 yellow; palpus dark brown to brown–yellow
9. Hind femur with a complete row of <i>pv</i> ; eyes covered with short ciliae
10. Eyes almost bare, parafacial about equal to the width of antenna; flagellomere $1 \approx 2.5 \times$ as long as wide, arista plumose, the longest hair equal to the width of antenna; thorax and abdomen with blue–gray pruinosity; $pra \approx 2.0 \times$ as long as posterior notopleural seta; veins yellow; hind femur without $av$ on basal half; abdomen oviform, tergite 3–5 with black medial vitta, tergite 4 with incomplete posterior marginal seta row

11. Middle femur without *pv*; middle tibia with 2 *p*; the upper and inner facets not enlarged; anterior genal margin with 1–2 rows of upcurved setae.....

......Phaonia subaureola Feng and Ma, 2002

- 13. Eyes covered with long ciliae, the longest hair of arista  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as wide as flagellomerel, fr 10–11 pairs, genal height  $\approx 1/4$  of eye height; palpus fuscous only on distal part; the inner vittae on scutellum reaching to scutoscutellar suture, anterior spiracle fuscous; basicosta fuscous; middle femur with a row of pv on basal half, hind tibia with 2 ad......

....Phaonia chuanierrans Xue and Feng, 1986 — Eyes covered with short ciliae, the longest hair of arista  $\approx 1.5 \times$  as wide as flagellomere1, fr 6 pairs, genal height  $\approx 1/6$  of eye height; palpus entirely fuscous; the inner vittae of scutellum not reaching to scutoscutellar suture, anterior spiracle light yellow; basicosta

yellow; middle femur with 2 <i>pv</i> on basal part, hind tibia with 1 <i>ad</i>
14. The upper and inner facets not apparently enlarged
15. Legs entirely black
16. Arista plumose, the longest hair equal to the width of flagellomere1; abdomen with large patchesPhaonia hirtiorbitalis Xue, Wang and Du, 2006  — Arista long plumose, the longest hair ≈1.5× as long as the width of flagellomere 1; abdomen without patchPhaonia nigrifuscicoxa Xue, Wang and Du, 2006
17. Fore tibia with medial $p$ .18— Fore tibia without medial $p$ .19
18. Hind femur without <i>pv</i> ; abdomen without shifting patch, tergite 4–5 with bright black band in posterior margin
19. Anterior and posterior spiracles entirely light yellow; basal 2/3 of hind femur without distinct <i>pv</i>

black......22

22. Eyes covered with dense and long ciliae, hind femur with complete *av* rows, with only 1 medial *pv*; hind tibia with 2 *ad......Phaonia fuscicoxa* Emden, 1965 — Eyes covered with sparse and short ciliae, hind femur with incomplete *av* rows, with 3–4 *av* only on distal 1/4, *pv* setulae-like, slightly longer on basal part, only half width of hind femur; hind tibia with 1 *ad.......Phaonia hypotuberosurstyla* Xue and Rong, sp. nov.

### Species in *Phaonia fuscicoxa*-group from China

1. Phaonia aureoloides Hsue, 1984: 112

**Type material.** *Holotype.* Male, China: Qinghecheng, Benxi City, Liaoning Province, 14 June 1976, Coll. Wan-qi Xue. The type specimen is deposited at Liaoning Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

**Distribution.** China: Qinghecheng (124°23′E, 41°46′N), Benxi City, Liaoning Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. subaure-ola* Feng and Ma, 2002, but the inner projection of the latter male's cerci doesn't extrude forward in lateral view, the distal margin distinctly sunken in posterior view.

2. *Phaonia chuanierrans* Xue and Feng, 1986: 413

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Erlang, Luding County, Sichuan Province, 31 August 1983, Coll. Yan Feng. The type specimen is deposited at the IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Er' lang (102°24′E, 29°91′N), Luding County, Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. debilifemoralis* Xue and Cui, 1996, but it differs from the latter in cerci of male with narrow and long inner projection, sustylus slightly long, the distal half enlarged.

3. *Phaonia comihumera* Feng and Ma, 2002: 330

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Erlang, Ya' an City, Sichuan Province, 2,680 m, 1 July 1988, Coll. Yan Feng. The type specimen is deposited at academy of military medical science of China.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Er' lang (102° 24′E, 29° 91′N), Ya' an City, Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. liang-shanica* Feng, 2004, but the surstylus of male of the latter enlarge as triangle.

4. *Phaonia debiliaureola* Xue and Cui, 1996: 366

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Huaping, Guangxi Province, 700 m, 9 June

1993, Coll. Yong-shen Cui; *Paratypes*. 2 males, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Huaping (106°08′E, 22°5′N), Guangxi Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. dianxiia* Li and Xue, 2001, but differs from the latter in the inner projection of cerci of the male slightly short in posterior view, surstylus slightly long in lateral view.

5. *Phaonia debilifemoralis* Xue and Cui, 1996: 368

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Wuzhi, Hainan Province, 1,200 m, 4 May 1993, Coll. Yong-sheng Cu. The type specimen is deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Wuzhi (109°07′E, 18°09′N), Hainan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. debilis* Stein, 1918, but can be distinguished from the latter by having nearly bare eyes; wider parafacialia; the longest aristal hair nearly  $1.5 \times$  as long as the width of flagellomere 1; coxae yellow; hind femur with pv.

6. *Phaonia dianxiia* Li and Xue, 2001:379

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Pianma, Lushui, Yunnan Province, 1,800 m, 23 May 1992, Coll. Fu-hua Li. The type specimen is deposited at the IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Pianma (98°38′E, 26°10′N), Lushui, Yunnan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. debiliau-reola* Xue and Cui, 1996, but it differs from the latter one in the inner projection of cerci of

the male slightly long in posterior view, surstylus slightly short in lateral view.

7. *Phaonia falsifuscicoxa* Fang and Fan, 1992: 1243

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Huayanding, Mt. E' mei, Sichuan Province, July 1981, Coll. Anxiao Deng; *Paratype*. 1 male, China: Yanzigou, Mt. Gongga, Sichuan Province, 2,300 m, 4 June 1983, Coll. Yuanqing Chen. The type specimens are deposited at Shanghai Entomological Institute.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. E' mei (103°48′E, 29°59′N); Mt. Gongga (101°30′–102°15′E, 29°20′–30°20′N), Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. fuscicoxa* Emden, but it differs from the latter in the inner projection of cerci distinctly longer than the outer one, the cerci slightly wide in lateral view; the latter parafacial almost as wide as flagellomere 1;  $r_{4+5}$  and  $m_{1+2}$  depart from each other in distal part; hind femur with only 1 pv in the middle, hind tibia with 3 ad.

8. Phaonia fuscicoxa Emden, 1965: 278

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, N.E. Burma: Kambaiti. The type specimen is deposited at Natural History Museum, London.

**Distribution.** Sichuan Province; Lushui: Pianma, Yuannan Provnce; N.E. Burma: Kambaiti, Myitkyina (97°03′E, 25°04′N); India; Nepal.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. falsi-fuscicoxa* Fang and Fan, 1992, but the latter one parafacial  $\approx 1/2$  of the width of flagellomere 1; hind femur with a row of pv, hind tibtibia with 2 ad.

9. Phaonia hirtiorbitalis Xue, Wang and Du, 2006: 12

**Type material.** *Holotype*, Male, China: Mt. Paoma, 3,500 m, Sichuan Province, 14 July 2005, Coll. Liang Chang. *Paratype*, 1 male, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at the IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Paoma (101°E, 26°90′N), Sichuan Province.

Remarks. This species resembles P. xixianga Xue, 1996, but it differs from the latter in having frontal setae short and dense, 14–16 pairs, those on upper half slightly longer than ciliae on eyes, those on lower half  $\approx 2.0-3.0 \times$  as long as those on upper half, extend to both sides of anterior ocellus; without ors; arista plumose, the longest hair of arista about equal to the width of flagellomere 1; palpus dark brown on basal half and black on distal half, about equal in length to prementum; crossvein dm-cu straight; legs entirely black; mid tibia with 2 p; hind tibia with 2 ad; abdomen with versicolor patches.

10. *Phaonia impigerata* Feng and Ma, 2002: 327

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Erlang, Ya' an City, Sichuan Province, 2650 m, 1 July 1988, Coll. Yan Feng. *Paratype*, 1 male, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at the Academy of Military Medical Science of China.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Er' lang (102°24′E, 29°91′N), Ya' an City, Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. macroomata* Xue and Yang, 1998, but the latter facets apparently enlarged, epistoma and frontal angle situated on a vertical line; male

cerci width longer than the length in posterior view, slightly wide in lateral view, surstylus slightly long.

11. *Phaonia kanoi* Shinonaga and Huang, 2007:23

Type material. *Holotype*. Male, China: Tsuifeng, Taiwan Province, 20 May 1972, Coll. R.Kano. *Paratypes*, 4 males, 2 females, same data as holotype; 1 male, China: Mt. Ali, Jiayi County, Taiwan Province, 2,300 m, 3 June 1970, Coll. H. Kurahashi. The holotype is deposited in the collection of the National Science Museum, Tokyo, and all the paratypes are deposited at the National Museum of Natural Science, Taichung, Taiwan.

**Distribution.** China: Tsuifeng (128°01′–128°14′E, 45°38′–45°47′N), Mt. Ali (120°48′E, 23°31′N), Taiwan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. shaanxiensis* Xue and Cao, 1989, the differences between the two species in external feature are listed in the 7th item of the key.

12. Phaonia liangshanica Feng, 2004: 616

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Meigu, Sichuan Province, 1600 m, 11 July 1975, Coll. Tao Ni. The type specimen is deposited at Shanghai Institute for Biological Sciences, CAS.

**Distribution.** China: Meigu (102°53′–103°21′E, 28°02′–28°54′N), Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. Shaanxinensis* Xue and Cao, 1989, but the latter male parafacial with *fr* on upper half, femur yellow; abdomen tergite 3 and 4 with black posterior band; cerci width not apparently longer than the length in posterior view.

13. *Phaonia macroomata* Xue and Yang, 1998: 99

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Changbai, Jilin Province, 28 July 1984, Coll. Ji-cheng Wang. *Paratypes*. 5 males, 1 female, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Yanghugou (124°23′E, 41°33′N), Benxi City, Liaoning Province; Mt. Changbai (127°28′–128°16′E, 41°42′–42°25′N), Jilin Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. impigerata* Feng and Ma, 2002, but the latter genal height  $\approx 1/3$  of eye height, parafacial narrow,  $\approx 1/2$  of the width of flagellomere 1, epistoma slightly exceeds frontal angle; male cerci width shorter than length in posterior view, slightly narrow in lateral view, surstylus slightly short.

14. *Phaonia mimoaureola* Ma, Ge and Li, 1992: 453

Type material. *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Jigong, Henan Province, 16 June 1983; 1 male, 1 female, 26 May 1983, Coll. Fengxiang Ge. *Paratype*. 1 male, China: Shennongjia, Hubei Province, 31 May 1984, Coll. Yu Gao. The type specimens are deposited at Liaoning Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Jigong (114°01′–114°06′E, 31°46′–31°52′N), Henan Province; Shennongjia (109°56′–110°58′E, 31°15′–31°75′N), Hubei Province.

**Remarks.** This species differs from other species of *P. fuscicoxa*-group in having a palpus not black but dark red–brown; the inner pro-

jection of cerci in male extrudes forward in lateral view.

15. *Phaonia nigrifuscicoxa* Xue, Wang and Du, 2006: 15

**Type material.** *Holotype*, Male, China: Hanmi, Mêdog, Tibet, 2,150–3,200 m, 9 August 2003, Coll. Ming-fu Wang. *Paratype*, 1 female, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Hanmi (95°30′E, 29°20′N), Tibet.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. hirti-orbitalis*, but it differs from the latter in havhaving frons about equal width to the anterior ocellus; palpus black; mid tibia with 3 *p*; abdomen without versicolor patches; the inner injection of cerci in male shorter than the outer one.

16. Phaonia paradisia Li and Xue, 2001: 380

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Luquan, Yunnan Province, 3,500 m, 10 April 1987, Coll. Fu-hua Li. The type specimen is deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Luquan (102°14′–102°56′E, 25°25′–26°22′N), Yunnan Province.

Remarks. This species resembles *P. fuscicoxa* Emden, 1965, but it differs from the latter in the male eyes with sparse and short ciliae, frons broad, the longest hair of arista  $\approx 2.0 \times 10^{10}$  than the width of flagellomere 1, postgena with light yellow hairs; lower and lateral ventral margins of scutellum with black hairs, anterior spiracle light yellow; coxae and trochanters yellow, fore tibia with 2 p, basal 3/5 of hind femur with 5–6 thick and short pv.

17. *Phaonia shaanxiensis* Xue and Cao, 1989: 166

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Taibai, Shanxi Province, 16 August 1982, Coll. Ru-feng Cao. The type specimen is deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Taibai (107°22′–107°51′E, 33°49′–34°05′N), Shanxi Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. comi-humera* Feng *and* Ma, but the latter with basicosta yellow brown, femur black; the inner projection of cerci in male slightly short.

18. Phaonia sichuanna Feng, 2004: 9

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Nek of Mt. Er' lang, Sichuan Province, 3,100 m, 21 August 1984, Coll. Yan Feng. The type specimen is deposited at Shanghai Institute for Biological Sciences, CAS.

**Distribution.** China: Nek of Mt. Er' lang (102°24′E, 29°91′N), Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. shaanxiensis* Xue and Cao, 1989, but the latter body dark black, thorax with 4 black vittae; the outer projection of cerci in male distinctly short, the inner one long and broad.

19. Phaonia subaureola Feng and Ma, 2002: 331

**Type material.** *Holotype.* Male, China: Mt. Zhougong, Ya' an City, Sichuan Province, 1,300 m, 17 June 1984, Coll. Yan Feng. The type specimen is deposited at the Academy of Military Medical Science of China.

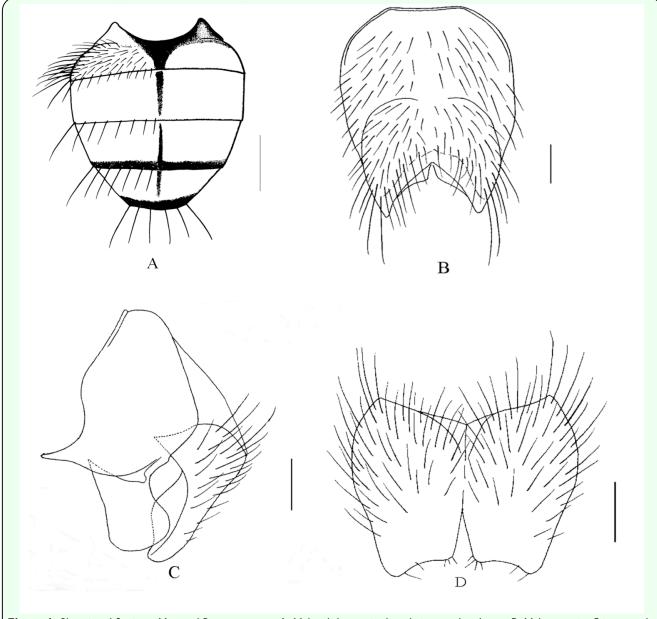


Figure 1. Phaonia subfuscicoxa Xue and Rong, sp. nov. A. Male, abdomen in dorsal view, scale = 1 mm; B. Male, sternite 5 in ventral view, scale = 0.2 mm; C. Male, cerci and surstyli in profile, scale = 0.1 mm; D. Male, cerci in posterior view, scale = 0.1 mm.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Zhougong (103°03′E, 30°N), Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. aure-oloides* Hsue, 1984, the differences between the two species in external feature are listed in the 11th item of the key.

20. *Phaonia subfuscicoxa* Xue *and* Rong **sp. nov.** (Fig. 1 A–D)

#### **Holotype (Male)**. Body length 7.5 mm.

Head. Eyes covered with long and dense brown ciliae, the upper facets not enlarged; frons narrow, equal to the width of anterior ocellus; frontal vitta black, situated on lower 1/3 of frons; fr 13–14 pairs, including 6–7 pairs thick and long on lower 2/5, 6 pairs thin and short on upper 3/5, shorter than ciliae on eyes; ors absent, ocellar seta long and large, as long as the lower fr, fronto-orbital plate and parafacial with brown-gray pruinosity, para-

facial equal to or shorter than flagellomere 1; antenna black brown, flagellomere  $1 \approx 2.5 \times$  as long as wide; arista long plumose, the longest hair  $\approx 1.2-1.3 \times$  as wide as antenna; lunule redbrown; epistoma not projecting, vibrissal angle situated behind frontal angle; anterior margin of gena with 2–3 rows of upcurved setae, genal and occiput hairs black; gena height  $\approx 1/4$  of eye height; proboscis slender; prementum with dense gray pruinosity,  $\approx 4.0-4.5 \times$  as long as height; palpus black brown, thin and long,  $\approx 1.2 \times$  as long as prementum; labella large,  $\approx 1/2$  as long as prementum.

Thorax. Black in background color, covered with sparse gray pruinosity; slightly shining; scutum with 4 black vittae, the inner vittae not reaching to scutoscutellar suture;  $acr \ 0+1$ ;  $dc \ 2+4$ ,  $ial \ 0+2$ ,  $pra \ long$  and large,  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as long as posterior notopleural seta; notopleuron with hairs; scutellum black, the flank and lower part bare, basisternum of prosternum, anepisternum, katepimeron and meron all bare; katepisternal setae 1+2; spiracles brown.

*Wings*. Basal and anterior part slightly brown; basicosta brown; costal spine short and small; subcosta bend as a bow;  $r_{4+5}$  and  $m_{1+2}$  veins slightly straight, radial node bare; the surrounding of r-m and dm-cu crossveins uncloud; calypteres light brown; halteres brownish yellow.

Legs. Femora and tibiae yellow, trochanters brown-yellow, coxae and tarsi black; fore tibia with 1 medial p; mid femur without distinct av, and with 1–2 pv on basal part, 1 ad and 3 pd on distal part; mid tibia with 3 p, present as a row; hind femur av row slightly complete but irregular, pv absent; hind tibia av 3, ad 3–4, the distal 1/5 with a long and large pd, without apical pv; the length of tarsi longer than tibiae, fore tarsus without long sensitive

hairs; claws and pulvillus short,  $\approx 3/5$  of tarsomere 5.

Abdomen. Black, roundish in dorsal view, with blue–gray pruinosity, slightly shinning; without shifting patch; tergites with medium black vittae; tergite 3–5 with complete posterior marginal setae row; without distinct discal seta; tergite 1–2 with dense and short body hairs, tergite 3 with sparse and short body hairs; tergite 4–5 with slightly longer and sparse body hairs, the latter marginal without pruinosity, but with bright black band in posterior marginal; sternite 1 bare; sternites 2–4 with 1–2 pairs of strong setae on distal part. Sternite 5 lateral lobe short; distal part of cerci narrow in posterior view; surstyli wide apically in lateral view.

Female. Unknown.

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Leigong (108°5′–108°24′E, 26°15′–26°32′N), Kaili, Guizhou Province, 2,100 m, 24 May 2011, Coll. Chun-tian Zhang; *Paratype*. 1 male, same data as holotype.

**Remarks.** This species belongs to the *Phaonia fuscicoxa*-group, it resembles *P. fuscicoxa* Emden, 1965, but it differs from the latter in fore tibia with 1 medial *p*, hind femur without *pv*, mid femur with 1–2 *pv* on basal part, hind tibia with 3–4 *ad*; abdomen roundish in dorsal view, tergite 4–5 with bright black band in posterior margin.

**Etymology.** The specific name refers to its similarity to *P. fuscicoxa*.

**Distribution.** China: Guizhou Province.

21. Phaonia tuberosurstyla Deng and Feng, 1998: 94

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Zayü, Tibet, 15 June 1991, Coll. You-zhi Zhang. *Paratype*. 1 male, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at Liaoning Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

**Distribution.** China: Zayü (96°52′–97°10′E, 28°34′–29°07′N), Tibet.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. xixianga* Xue, 1996, but the latter has a black–brown basicosta; anterior and posterior spiracles brown; hind tibia with 2 av, mid femur with 4-6 pv on basal half;  $\delta$  the inner projection of cerci  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as long as the outer one, the anterior margin of surstylus without tuber on basal part.

#### 22. Phaonia xixianga Xue, 1996: 1292

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. E'mei, Sichuan Province, 18 August 1957, Coll. Fu-xing Zhu. The type specimen is deposited at the Chinese Academy of Sciences.

**Distribution.** China: Xixiangchi, Mt. E'mei (103°48′E, 29°59′N), Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. tu-berosurstyla* Deng and Feng, 1998, but the latter basicosta yellow; anterior and posterior spiracles light yellow—white; hind tibia with 1 *av*, mid femur with only 2 thick setae on ventral; the inner projection of cerci in male slightly longer than the outer one, the anterior margin of surstylus with a tuber on basal part.

23. *Phaonia hypotuberosurstyla* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.** (Fig. 2A–C)

**Holotype (Male)**. Body length 7.4–7.6 mm. *Head*. Eyes covered with short and sparse ciliae, the upper inner facets not enlarged; from narrower than the width of anterior ocellus;

frontal vitta black, upper half of fronto-orbital plate neighbouring, fr 5-6 pairs, situated on lower 2/5 of parafacial, ors absent; frontoorbital plate, parafacial and gena with light gray pruinosity, parafacial  $\approx 1/2-3/5$  of the width of flagellomere 1, lunule yellow; scape, pedicel and basal of flagellomere 1 redbrown, flagellomere  $1 \approx 3.3 \times$  as long as wide,  $\approx 2.5 \times$  as long as pedicel; arista long plumose, the longest hairs at least 1.3× than the width of flagellomere 1; gena height  $\approx 1/5$  of eye height; epistoma not projecting; anterior margin of gena with a row of upcurved setae, genal and occiput hairs all black; palpus black-brown, about as long as prementum, prementum covered with pruinosity, ≈2.5–2.7× as long as height; posterior margin of labellum with a big tooth in the middle.

Thorax. Black in background color, covered with brown–gray dense pruinosity; scutum with 4 black vittae, the inner pair reaching to scutoscutellar suture; scutellum black, lower lateral scutellar with 2–3 black hairs; acr 0+1, dc 2+4,  $pra \approx 2.0 \times$  as long as posterior notopleural seta; notopleuron with 1–2 setae, sometimes bare on one side; katepisternal setae 1+2; anterior spiracles brown, posterior spiracles dark brown; basisternum of prosternum, anepisternum, katepimeron and meron all bare.

Wings. With brown, and not hyaline; basicosta yellow; radial node bare; m-m vein slightly straight; calypteres and halteres brown-yellow.

Legs. Entirely yellow except dark tarsi; fore tarsus without long sensitive hairs, fore tibia without medial p; mid femur without av, and with 2–3 pv on basal 1/3; mid tibia with 2 p; hind femur with incomplete av row, and only with 3–4 av on distal 1/4, pv setulae-like, slightly longer on basal part, only 1/2 as long

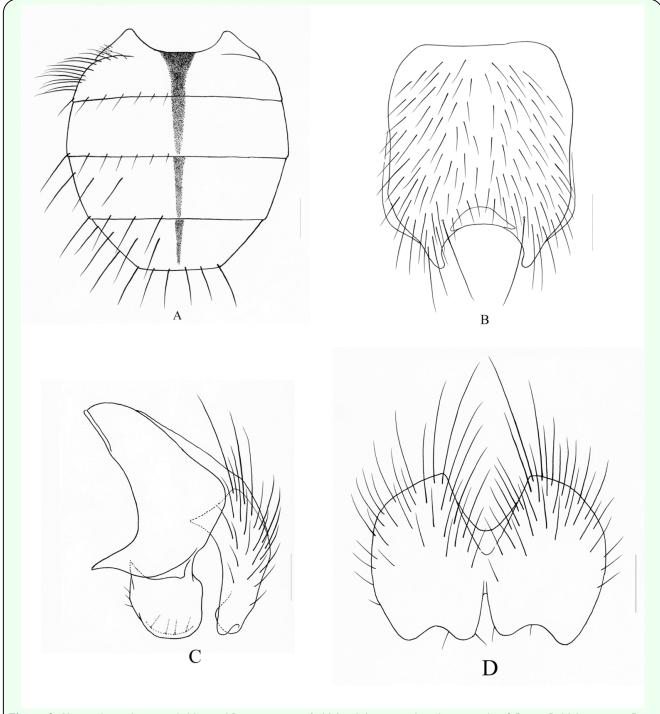


Figure 2. Phaonia hypotuberosurstyla Xue and Rong, sp. nov. A. Male, abdomen in dorsal view, scale = 0.5 mm; B. Male, sternite 5 in ventral view, scale = 0.2 mm; C. Male, cerci and surstyli in profile, scale = 0.1 mm; D. Male, cerci in posterior view, scale = 0.1 mm.

as the diameter of hind femur; hind tibia *av* 3, *ad* 1, *pd* 1, without apical *pv*.

Abdomen. Dark black, roundish in dorsal view, with gray to brown-gray pruinosity, body hairs dense and short, tergites with me-

dial black vittae which not shifting, the width of vitta equal to its diameter, without shifting patches; posterior marginal seta row complete, discal seta 3–4 pairs; tergite 3 without medial marginal seta, lateral posterior marginal with 4–5 setae; sternite 1 bare; sternite 2–5 each

with a pair of strong setae on distal part; the inner projection of cerci apparently longer than the outer one, surstyli wide and short in lateral view.

Female. Unknown.

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Gaoligong (98°34′–98°50′E, 24°56′–26°09′N), Yunnan Province, 2,500 m, 19 July 2008, Coll. Shu-chong Bai. *Paratypes*. 2 males, same data as holotype, Coll. Wen-xiu Dong.

**Remarks.** This species belongs to the *Phaonia fuscicoxa*-group, and resembles *P. tuberosurstyla* Deng and Feng, 1998, but it differs from the latter in having a narrow frons, narrower than the width of anterior ocellus; arista long plumose, the longest hair at least 1.3× the width of flagellomere 1; anterior spiracles brown, posterior spiracles dark brown; hind tibia with 3 *av*; abdomen roundish in dorsal view, sternite 2–5 each with a pair of strong seta on distal part; cerci slightly wide in dorsal view, the inner projection longer than the outer one, surstyli wide and short in lateral view.

**Etymology**. The specific name refers to its similarity to *P. tuberosurstyla*, the Greek word "hypo-" refers to likeness.

**Distribution.** China: Yunnan Province.

### Diagnosis of *Phaonia barkama*-group Ma, 1998

Without *ors*, basisternum of prosternum bare, katepimeron with hairs present or absent, notopleuron with hairs present, posterior dc 4; mid tibia with 2 rows of p (namely p and pv); abdomen without yellow parts and not hyaline.

# **Key to the adult males of** *Phaonia barkama***group from China**

1. Legs yellow except for black tarsi
2. Katepimeron bare3— Katepimeron with hairs4
3. Anterior <i>acr</i> absent; fore tibia without medial <i>p</i>
4. Hind tibia without additional <i>pd</i>
5. Fore tibia with 2 p; hind tibia with 4–5 av, 3 ad; abdomen with medium narrow black vittae only on tergite 3 and 4
6. fr only on the lower 3/5 of fronto-orbital plate, the upper part bare; m-m crossvein clouded; the upper inner facets enlarged
7. Fore tibia without <i>p</i>
8. Abdomen without shifting patch on the lat-

.....Phaonia yingjingensis Feng and Ma, 2002 — Arista long plumose, the longest hair  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as long as the width of antenna; legs entirely black, hind femur without pv.....Phaonia caesiipollinosa Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.** 

- 11. Fronto-orbital plate and parafacial with brown pruinosity; gena with 1 row of upcurved subvibrissal setula; mid femur with complete *pv* row; hind tibia with 3 *av.......Phaonia nigribasalis* Xue, 1996 Fronto-orbital plate and parafacial with gray pruinosity; gena with 2 rows of upcurved subvibrissal setula; mid femur with 2–3 *pv* only on basal 1/3; hind tibia with 2 *av.......Phaonia aureipollinosa* Xue and Wang, 1986

### Species of *Phaonia barkama*-group from China

1.Phaonia aureipollinosa Xue and Wang, 1986: 321

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Guanling, Shanxi Province, 9 July 1983, Coll. Ming-fu Wang. *Paratype*. 1 male, China: Weiyuan, Gansu Province, July 1982, Coll.

Jing-wei Wu. The type specimens are deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Guangling (113°51′–114°24′E, 39°35′–39°55′N), Shanxi Province; Weiyuan (104°22′E, 35°14′N), Gansu Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. nigriba-salis* Xue, 1996, but the latter with only 1 row of upcurved subvibrissal setula on gena; mid femur with complete *pv* row; abdomen with medium black vittae on each tergite, and with shifting patches on both sides.

2. Phaonia barkama Xue, 1998: 1190

**Type material.** *Holotype.* Male, China: Maerkang, Aba, Sichuan Province, 3,280 m, 2 July 1961, Coll. Suo-fu Li. The type specimen is deposited at Chinese Academy of Sciences.

**Distribution.** China: Maerkang (101°17′–102°41′E, 30°35′–32°24′N), Aba, Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. nigriba-salis* Xue, 1996. But the latter with upper inner facets not enlarged; with complete *fr* row, the upper ones thin and small.

3. *Phaonia caesiipollinosa* Xue and Rong, **sp. nov.** (Fig. 3A–C)

**Holotype (Male)**. Body length 7.4–7.6 mm. *Head*. Eyes covered with light yellow and slightly sparse long ciliae; frons  $\approx 1.0-1.2 \times$  as wide as anterior ocellus; frontal vitta black, the narrowest part presents as a line; ocellar seta long and large, as long as the longest *fr*; *fr* 11–13 pairs, reaching to both sides of anterior ocellus; upper 4–5 pairs distinctly short and about equal to length of ciliae on eyes; *ors* absent; fronto-orbital plate and parafacial with

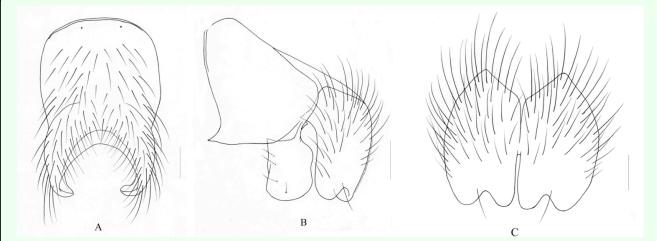


Figure 3. Phaonia caesiipollinosa Xue and Rong, sp. nov. A. Male, sternite 5 in ventral view, scale = 0.2 mm; B. Male, cerci and surstyli in profile, scale = 0.1 mm; C. Male, cerci in posterior view, scale = 0.1 mm.

light gray pruinosity, parafacial  $\approx 1.2 \times$  than width of flagellomere 1; antennae black, flagellomere 1  $\approx 2.5-2.8 \times$  as long as wide; arista long plumose, the longest hair  $\approx 2.0 \times$  than width of antenna; lunule brown-yellow; Vibrissal angle situated behind frontal angle; genal height  $\approx 1/4$  of eye height; anterior margin of gena with 2 rows of irregular upcurved setae, genal, epicephalon, and occiput hairs black; prementum with pruinosity,  $\approx 2.5-3.0 \times$  as long as height; palpus black, about equal to length of prementum.

Thorax. Black in background color, covered with sparse light gray pruinosity and slightly shining; scutum with brown-gray pruinosity on posterior half, scutum with 4 black vittae, the inner vittae reaching to the middle of scutoscutellar suture, and about half of the length of medium light pruinosity vitta which in front of scutum;  $acr\ 0+1$ ;  $dc\ 2+4$ ,  $ial\ 0+2$ ,  $pra\approx 2.0-2.3\times$  as long as posterior notopleural seta; the flank and lower part of scutellum bare, notopleuron and katepimeron covered with most black hairs; basisternum of prosternum, anepisteron and meron all bare; katepisternal setae 1+2; spiracles dark brown, slightly large.

Wings. Slightly brown on basal part, veins all brown; basicosta black; costal spine short and small,  $\approx 3/5$  as long as r-m crossvein; subcosta bend as a bow; the surrounding of r-m and dm-cu crossveins uncloud; radial node bare; dm-cu crossvein slightly bend as an "S",  $r_{4+5}$  and  $m_{1+2}$  veins straight, slightly paralleled; calypteres brown, lower calypter ligulate; halteres light yellow, basal part brown.

Legs. Entirely black; fore tibia with 1–2 medial pv; mid femur with hair-like av on basal 1/3, with 3 pd near apical part, 3–4 thick pv on basal 2/5; mid tibia with 3 p, 1–2 pv; hind femur av row complete, sparse and short, pv absent; hind tibia with 3 av, 3 ad, 1 long and large pd on apical 1/4, 1 small pd on sub-basal part, and with a row of short setae on posterior part, the longest seta about as long as the diameter of hind tibia,  $\approx$ 4–5, without apical pv; the length of tarsi longer than tibiae; claws and pulvillus equal length; fore legs claws and pulvillus about equal to length of tarsomere 5; mid and hind legs claws and pulvillus  $\approx$ 3/5 of length of tarsomere 5.

*Abdomen.* Black in ground color, oviform in dorsal view, with homogeneous light gray to blue–gray sparse pruinosity, without shifting patch; tergite 2–5 with medium black narrow

vitta, without band in posterior marginal; tergite 3–5 with complete setae row in posterior marginal, body hairs dense, slightly short in the middle and gradually longer on both sides, tergite 5 covered with sparse and shining pruinosity on posterior; sternite 1 with 1–2 pairs of thin hairs, sternite 2 with 2 pairs of long setae. Sternite 3 and 4 with sparse and short body hairs, with a pair of thick setae on posterior part; Sternite 5 lateral lobe short and small.

Female. Unknown.

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Datulugou (102°82′E, 36°67′N), Yongdeng, Gansu Province, 2,300–2,350 m, 20 July 2009, Coll. Zhe Zhao. *Paratypes*. 2 males, same data as holotype, Coll. Shuai Wang.

**Remarks.** This species belongs to the *Phaonia barkama*-group, and resembles *P. aureipollinosa* Xue *and* Wang, 1986, but it differs from the latter in eyes covered with light yellow and slightly sparse long ciliae; calypter brown; hind tibia with 3 *av*, 3 *ad*, and with a row of short setae on posterior part, longest seta about equal to diameter of hind tibia, ≈5–6; abdomen with homogeneous light gray to blue–gray sparse pruinosity, tergites without shifting patch and band in posterior marginal; sternite 1 with 1–2 pairs of thin hairs; cercus distinctly sunk on distal part, the outer projecting shorter than inner one, surstylus slightly long and rectangle.

**Etymology**. The specific name refers to its similarity to *P. aureipollinosa* Xue *and* Wang, 1986, but the new species has blue–gray pruinosity on abdomen. The Latin word "caesi" refers to blue–gray.

**Distribution.** China: Gansu Province.

4. *Phaonia caudilata* Fang and Fan, 1992: 1241

**Type material.** *Holotype.* Male, China: Mt. Meili, Deqin, Yunnan Province, 22 July 1982, Coll. Huai-cheng Chai. The type specimen is deposited at The Chinese Academy of Sciences, Shanghai Institute of Insects.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Meili (98°83′E, 28°47′N), Deqin, Yunnan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. aureipollinosa* Xue and Wang, 1986, but the latter fore tibia with 1–2 medial p; arista long plumose, the longest hairs  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as long as the width of flagellomere 1; anterior and posterior spiracle dark brown; Abdomen with brassy yellow dense pruinosity.

5. *Phaonia cineripollinosa* Xue, Tong and Wang, 2008: 167

**Type material.** *Holotype.* Male, China: Hanmi, Metok, Tibet, 2,150–3,200 m, 9 August 2003, Coll. Ming-fu Wang. *Paratypes.* 2 females, same data as holotype. The type specimens are deposited at IESNU.

**Distribution.** China: Metok (95°33′E, 29°33′N), Tibet.

Remarks. This species resembles P. aureipollinosa Xue and Wang, 1986, but it differs from the latter in genal height  $\approx 2/5$  of eye height; thorax with sparse and gray pruinosity; hind femur with obvious av row only in distal half, without pv; hind tibia with 3 av, 2 ad, and with 1 pd on distal 1/4, in sub-basal without pd, and without apical pv; abdomen with sparse gray pruinosity, tergites with black narrow medium vittae, without band in posterior margin and shining patch.

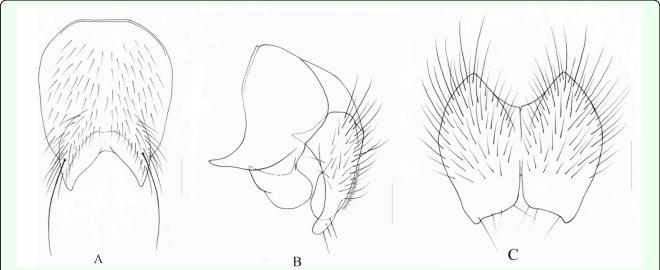


Figure 4. Phaonia daliensis Xue and Du, sp. nov. A. Sternite 5 in ventral view, scale = 0.2 mm; B. Male, cerci and surstyli in profile, scale = 0.1 mm; C. Male, cerci in posterior view, scale = 0.1 mm.

6. *Phaonia daliensis* Xue and Du, **sp. nov.** (Fig. 4A–C)

**Holotype (Male)**. Body length 7.4–7.6 mm.

Head. Eyes covered with brown and dense long ciliae; frons narrow, shorter than width of anterior ocellus; fronto-orbital plate adjoin in the middle; fr 11–12 pairs, up to both sides of anterior ocellus, upper 5-6 pairs thin and short and about equal to length of ciliae on eyes; ors absent; fronto-orbital plate and paragena with gray pruinosity, facial and parafacial about equal to the width of flagellomere 1; lunule dark brown; antenna most black, pedicel with brown in distal part; arista long plumose, the longest hair  $\approx 1.8 \times$  than width of antenna; flagellomere  $1 \approx 2.8 \times$  as long as wide; facial carina slightly lower; epistoma not projecting to frontal angle; genal height  $\approx 2/9$  of eye height; anterior margin of gena with 2 rows of upcurved setae, genal and occiput hairs entirely black; prementum black brown, with gray pruinosity,  $\approx 2.8 \times$  as long as height; palpus black, longer than prementum; labellar large,  $\approx 1/2$  of length of palpus.

Thorax. Black in background color, covered with gray pruinosity; scutum with 4 black—brown vittae, the inner vitta not reach-

ing to scutoscutellar suture; with 1 small seta on left front of the first dc, acr 0+1; dc 2+4, ial 0+2, pra long and large,  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as long as posterior notopleural seta; scutellum black, the flank and lower part bare; notopleuron with hairs, basisternum of prosternum, proepisternum concavity, anepisteron, katepimeron and meron all bare; anterior spiracle brown, posterior spiracle fuscous; katepisternal setae 1+2.

Wings. With brown color; basicosta and subcostal sclerite brown–yellow; costal spine short and small; radial node bare; r<sub>4+5</sub> and m<sub>1+2</sub> veins straight, the surrounding of r-m and dm-cu crossveins uncloud; calypteres brown–yellow, lower calypter extrude; halteres brown in basal, brown–yellow on distal part.

Legs. Yellow except for black tarsi; fore tibia with 1 medial p; mid femur with seta-like av row, 3 pv on basal half, 1 ad near distal part and 4 pd arrange as a row; mid tibia without ad, 3 p, 2–3 pv; hind femur av row complete, slightly sparse, pv absent; hind tibia with 3 av and 2 long large ad in the middle, 1 long and large pd on distal 1/5, sub-basal part without additional pd (only a short one on one side of

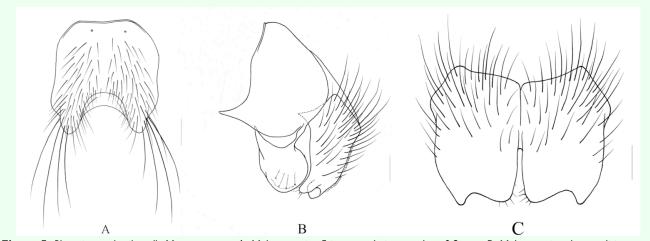


Figure 5. Phaonia quadratilamella Xue, sp. nov. A. Male, sternite 5 in ventral view, scale = 0.2 mm; B. Male, cerci and surstyli in profile, scale=0.1 mm; C. Male, cerci in posterior view, scale = 0.1 mm.

1 specimen), without apical pv; the length of tarsi longer than tibia; fore leg claws and pulvillus  $\approx 4/5$  as long as tarsomere 5.

Abdomen. Brilliant black, with sparse gray pruinosity, oviform in dorsal view, without shifting patch; tergite with medium black vittae, narrower on posterior part, and indistinct; tergite 4 and 5 with complete posterior marginal setae row and 2–3 pairs of discal setae, tergite 3 with posterior marginal setae only 2–3 long and large on flank; sternite 1 bare, sternite 5 lateral lobe with a pair of long seta; the inner projecting of cercus extrudes forward.

Female. Unknown.

**Type material.** *Holotype*: Male, China: Cangshan (110°17′E, 25°64′N), Dali, Yunnan Province, 2,400–2,500 m, 17 May 2012, Coll. Xiang Zhang. *Paratypes*. 2 males, same data as holotype, Coll. Hua Rong.

**Remarks.** This species differs from the other species in the *Phaonia barkama*-group in legs yellow except for black tarsi; male terminalia resembles *P. nigribasalis* Xue, 1998, but anterior margin of gena with 2 rows of upcurved setae, katepimeron bare; basicosta

brown–yellow; mid femur with incomplete pv, only 3 on the basal half; abdomen tergite without band in posterior margin.

**Etymology**. The specific name refers to its type locality.

**Distribution.** China: Yunnan Province.

7. *Phaonia quadratilamella* Xue, **sp. nov.** (Fig. 5A–C)

**Holotype (Male)**. Body length 6.0–6.2 mm. *Head.* Eyes covered with slightly sparse long ciliae; frons  $\approx 1.5 \times$  than width of anterior ocellus; frontal vitta black,  $\approx 1/2$  of width of one side frons; fr 11–12 pairs, upper 5–6 pairs distinctly short and shorter than length of ciliae on eyes; ors absent, fronto-orbital plate, parafacial and gena with light gray pruinosity, parafacial about equal to width of antenna; lunule dark brown; antenna black, flagellomere  $1 \approx 2.5 \times$  as long as wide; arista long plumose, the longest hairs  $\approx 1.3 \times$  than width of antenna; epistoma behind frontal angle; anterior margin of gena with 1 row of upcurved setae, genal height  $\approx 1/3$  of eye height; genal, postgena and occiput hairs all black; prementum with pruinosity,  $\approx 2.5 \times$  as long as height;

palpus black,  $\approx 1.2 \times$  than length of prementum.

Thorax. Black in background color, covered with sparse pruinosity, slightly shifting; with light narrow pruinosity strip along dc row, others black; acr 0+1; dc 2+4, ial 0+2,  $pra \approx 1.5 \times$  as long as posterior notopleural seta; notopleuron with short hairs, scutellum the flank and lower part bare; basisternum of prosternum, proepisternum concavity, anepisteron, katepimeron and meron all bare; upper proepisternal seta 1, katepisternal seta 1+2.

*Wings*. Brown in background color, veins fuscous; basicosta dark brown; costal spine short and small; subcosta bend as a bow; radial node bare;  $r_{4+5}$  and  $m_{1+2}$  veins straight, slightly depart from each other on distal part; the surrounding of r-m and dm-cu crossveins uncloud; calypteres yellow, lower calypter extrudes as ligule; halteres brown—yellow.

Legs. Entirely black; fore tibia without medial p; mid femur without av, with 5–6 pv on basal 3/5; mid tibia with 3 p, 2 pv; hind femur av irregular, with thin seta-like pv on distal 2/3, middle 4-5 slightly long, longer than diameter of hind femur; hind tibia with 3 av, 2 ad, 1 long and large pd near distal part, and 1–2 short pd on basal part, without apical pv; the length of tarsi longer than tibiae, claws and pulvillus equal length,  $\approx$ 2/3 than length of tarsomere 5.

Abdomen. Black in background color, oviorm in dorsal view, with light gray to blue–gray dense pruinosity, without shifting patch, pruinosity slightly sparse in posterior, slightly shifting; tergite 2–5 with medium black narrow vittae; tergite 4 and 5 with complete pos-

posterior marginal setae row and 3–4 pairs of discal setae; tergite 3 with short posterior marginal setae in the middle, like body hairs; sternite 1 bare, sternite 5 quadrate, lateral lobe with 3–4 long setae; the inner projecting of cercus wide and large.

Female. Unknown.

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Baima Snow Mountain (98°57′–99°25′E, 27°24′–28°36′N), Yunnan Province. 4,250 m, 26 July 2008, Coll. Shuai Wang. *Paratype*.1 male, same data as holotype, Coll. Xue-shu Zhang.

**Remarks.** This new species belongs to the *Phaonia barkama*-group, male terminalia resembles *P. caudilata* Fang and Fan, 1992, it differs from the latter in mid tibia with 3 *p*, 2 *pv*; hind femur with complete *av* row, with *pv*; cercus not narrow in distal half, and slightly narrow in profile view.

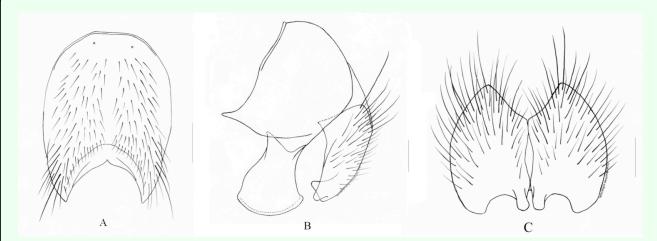
**Etymology**. The specific name refers to its quadrate sternite 5. The Latin word "quadratus" means quadrate, and "lamellate" means sheet.

**Distribution.** China: Yunnan Province.

8. Phaonia jiaodingshanica Feng, 2004: 10

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Jiaoding, Hanyuan, Sichuan Province, 3,550 m, 10 July 1988, Coll. Yan Feng. The type specimen is deposited at Shanghai Institute for Biological Sciences, CAS.

**Distribution.** China: Mt. Jiaoding (102°88 E, 29°37′N), Hanyuan, Sichuan Province.



**Figure 6.** Phaonia maoershanensis Xue, **sp. nov.** A. Male, sternite 5 in ventral view, scale = 0.2 mm; B. Male, cerci and surstyli in profile, scale = 0.1 mm; C. Male, cerci in posterior view, scale = 0.1 mm.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. nigriba-salis* Xue, 1996, it differs from the latter in having a vibrissa not bending as an "N"; hind tibia without 1 *pd* on sub-basal part; abdomen without patch; male surstylus not bend backward in profile view, and round oval on distal part.

9. *Phaonia maoershanensis* Xue, **sp. nov.** (Fig. 6A–C)

**Holotype (Male)**. Body length 6.5–6.8 mm. Head. Eyes covered with light brown dense ciliae; frons narrow,  $\approx 1.0-1.2 \times$  than width of anterior ocellus; fronto-orbital plate adjoin in the middle, fr 13 pairs, extend to both sides of anterior ocellus, the upper 6 pairs thin and small, about equal to length of ciliae on eyes; ors absent, fronto-orbital plate, parafacial and gena with gray pruinosity, parafacial  $\approx 1.2 \times$ than width of antenna; lunule brown-yellow; antenna black, arista long plumose, most hairs  $\approx 1.5 \times$  than width of antenna; flagellomere 1  $\approx 3.0 \times$  as long as wide; facial carina lower, epistoma not projecting; genal height ≈2/7 of eye height, genal, postgena hairs entirely black; anterior margin of gena with 1 row of upcurved setae; prementum black brown, with gray pruinosity,  $\approx 3.0 \times$  as long as height; palpus black, longer than prementum; labellum medium, slightly longer than height of prementum.

Thorax. Black in background color, covered with gray pruinosity, with 4 indistinct black brown vittae; with 1 small seta in left front of the 1st dc; acr 0+1; dc 2+4, ial 0+2, pra long and large,  $\approx 2.0 \times$  as long as posterior notopleural seta; scutellum black, the flank and ventral part bare; notopleuron with hairs; basisternum of prosternum, proepisternum concavity, anepisteron, katepimeron and meron all bare; spiracles brown; katepisternal setae 1+2.

*Wings*. With brown, basicosta black; subcostal sclerite brown-fuscous, costal spine short and small; radial node bare;  $r_{4+5}$  and  $m_{1+2}$  veins straight; the surrounding of r-m and dm-cu crossveins uncloud; calypteres light yellow, lower calypter extrudes; halteres brown-yellow on basal part, yellow on distal part.

Legs. Entirely black; fore tibia with 1 submedial p; mid femur without av, with 3–4 long and large pv on basal half, 1 a and 3 pd near distal part; mid tibia without ad, with 3 p, 1 pv; hind femur av row distinct, seta-like on basal half, long and large on distal part, irregular, and without pv; hind tibia with 3 av in

the middle, 3–4 ad, 1 long and large pd on distal 1/4, without p and pv; the length of tarsi longer than tibiae; claws and pulvillus of fore legs long and large, equal to length of tarsomere 5; claw and pulvillus of mid and hind legs  $\approx$ 4/5 of length of tarsomere 5.

Abdomen. Shifting black in background color, with gray pruinosity, oviform in dorsal view, without shifting patch; tergite 3, tergite 4 and 5 with medium black vitta on anterior half; tergite 3–5 with complete posterior marginal setae row, tergite 4 and 5 with about 4 pairs of discal seta row, break off in the middle; sternite 1 bare, surstylus axelike in profile view, the inner projecting of cercus slightly narrow.

Female. Unknown.

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Mt. Maoer (110°19′–110°31′E, 25°44′–25°58′N), Guangxi Province, 2,000–2,200 m, 10 June 2012, Coll. Xiang Zhang. *Paratype*. 1 male, data same as holotype, Coll. Hua Rong.

**Remarks.** This new species belongs to *Phaonia barkama*-group, resembles *P. quadratilamella* Xue, **sp. nov.**, it differs from the latter in having the fronto-orbital plate adjoin in the middle, lunule brown–yellow, without anterior *acr*, fore tibia without 1 sub-medial *p*; surstylus axe-like in profile view, the inner projecting of cercus slightly narrow.

**Etymology**. The specific name refers to its type locality.

**Distribution.** China: Guangxi Province.

10. Phaonia nigriorbitalis Xue, 1996: 1249

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Jiangda County, Changdu Area, Tibet, 3,400

m, 23 July 1976, Coll. Xue-zhong Zhang. The type specimen is deposited at Chinese Academy of Sciences.

**Distribution.** China: Jiangda County (97°15′–98°53′E, 31°00′–32°36′N), Changdu, Tibet.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. yingjinggensis* Feng *and* Ma, 2002, but the latter fronto-orbital plate with silvery-gray pruinosity; costal spine degenerates; abdomen tergite with medium black vitta, without shifting patch.

11. Phaonia nigribasalis Xue, 1996: 1245

**Type material.** *Holotype*. Male, China: Sangdui, Daocheng County, Sichuan Province, 3950 m, 8 June 1982, Coll. Shu-yong Wang. The type specimen is deposited at Chinese Academy of Sciences.

**Distribution.** China: Sangdui (110°11′E, 29°19′N), Daocheng County, Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. aureipollinosa* Xue *and* Wang, 1986. But the latter gena with 2 rows of upcurved subvibrissal setula; mid femur with 2–3 *pv* only on basal 1/3; abdomen tergite with indistinct medium vitta.

12. Phaonia yingjinggensis Feng and Ma, 2002: 43

**Type material.** *Holotype.* Male, China: Paocaowan, Yingjing, Sichuan Province, 2,400 m, 1 June 1990, Coll. Yan Feng. *Paratypes.* 2 males, same data as holotype; 1 male, China: Mt. Tuanbao, Hanyuan, Sichuan Province, 2,400 m, 10 July 1988, Coll. Li-fu Feng. The type specimens are deposited at Liaoning Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

**Distribution.** China: Paocaowan (102°52′–102°55′E, 29°30′–29°40′N), Yingjng; Hanyuan (102°16′–103°00′E, 29°05′–29°43′N), Sichuan Province.

**Remarks.** This species resembles *P. nigrior-bitalis* Xue, 1996, but the latter has the epistoma situated behind anterior margin of frons; with distinct costal spine; fronto-orbital plate black, without pruinosity; abdomen tergite with narrow medium vitta, and with distinct shifting patches on both sides.

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