

On the Tachinid Fauna (Diptera, Tachinidae) of Turkmenia

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Abstract—A list of 54 species of tachinids from Turkmenia, mainly collected by the author, and also by Dr. A.V. Barkalov, Novosibirsk, is given. *Baumhaueria montana* sp. n. is described from Turkmenia. *Anapatica* subgen. n. is erected for this species, with the following combination of male characters: proclinate orbital bristles absent; pregonite without elongate dorsal projection, bearing hairs on dorsal and distal margins. The monotypic genus *Bracteola* Richter, widely distributed in the Caucasus, is for the first time recorded from Middle Asia (Turkmenia: Western Kopet Dagh). *Lasiopales pachychaeta* Villeneuve, reared in Uzbekistan from *Eriogaster henkei* Stgr. (Lasiocampidae) pupae, is found in Turkmenia. *Leucostoma obsidianum* Wd., known up to now from Israel and Sudan, is collected in the Kara Kum desert in Repetek. *Labigastera nitidula* Meigen, known from Southern Europe, North Africa, and Israel, is found in Western Kopet Dagh.