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安徽巢湖瓜德鲁普世二叠异蝎蛉科 新类群的发现(昆虫纲, 长翅目)*

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摘要 二叠异蝎蛉科是二叠纪长翅目的代表性类群, 也是长翅目的基干类群。二叠纪是长翅目昆虫的繁盛期, 但中国该时期长翅目昆虫化石记录非常稀少, 目前仅报道了1种。本文根据发现于中国安徽省巢湖市瓜德鲁普统银屏组的一枚标本, 建立了1新属1新种——廖氏巢湖异蝎蛉(*Chaohuchorista liaoai* gen. et sp. nov.)。该新属的鉴定特征为翅细长, Rs_1 和 Rs_2 合并为1条脉, Rs_4 具2分支, M具5分支, M_2 具2分支。该新发现增加了中国二叠纪长翅目的多样性。

关键词 二叠纪 银屏组 蝎蛉 多样性

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New discovery of Permochoristidae (Insecta, Mecoptera) from the Guadalupian of Chaohu City, Anhui Province, China

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Abstract Permochoristidae is a representative of the mecopterans in the Permian and a stem group of Mecoptera. The Permian is a period during which mecopterans were prosperous, however, Permian mecopterans from China are extremely rare, with only one previously reported species. We establish a new genus and species, *Chaohuchorista liaoai* gen. et sp. nov., based on one specimen collected from the Guadalupian Yinping Formation of Chaohu City, Anhui Province, eastern China. The diagnostic characters of the genus include small and elongate forewing, Rs_1 and Rs_2 combined into a single vein, Rs_4 with two branches, M with five branches and M_2 with two branches. Our new finding highlights the mecopteran diversity during the Permian in China.

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SYSTEMATIC PALAEONTOLOGY

Class Insecta Linnaeus, 1758

Order Mecoptera Packard, 1886

Family Permochoristidae Tillyard, 1917

Subfamily Pseudonannochoristinae Novokshonov, 1994

Genus *Chaohuchorista* gen. nov.

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Type species *Chaohuchorista liaoii* gen. et sp. nov.

Etymology The generic name is derived from the type locality, Chaohu City, and the mecopteran genus *Chorista*.

Diagnosis Small insect with elongate forewing; Rs_1 and Rs_2 merging into a single vein, Rs_3 single, and Rs_4 with two branches; M with five branches and M_2 with two branches.

Chaohuchorista liaoii gen. et sp. nov.

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(Fig. 2)

Etymology The specific name “*liaoii*” is in honor of the late palaeontologist, Professor Liao Zhuo-ting, and in recognition of his extraordinary contributions to the Permian geology of China.

Material Holotype, NIGP180619. A nearly complete specimen with a poorly preserved wing base. The specimen is housed in the Nanjing Institute of Geology and Palaeontology (NIGP), Chinese Academy of Sciences.

Diagnosis Forewing less than 5 mm long with distinct pterostigma; five colored markings including a large colored marking at wing base and other four markings being oblique bands.

Key words Permian, Yinping Formation, scorpionflies, diversity

1 前 言

长翅目(Mecoptera)昆虫也称蝎蛉(scorpionflies)，因一些类群的雄性生殖器膨大呈钳状，向上举起时形似蝎的尾部而得名。长翅目昆虫是最古老的全变态类昆虫之一(Kristensen, 1981; Dunford and Somma, 2008)，化石记录可追溯到二叠纪乌拉尔世(Rasnitsyn et al., 2004)。长翅目与双翅目、蚤目有重要亲缘关系(Krzeminski and Krzeminska, 2003; Huang et al., 2012)，最近研究认为蚤目实际是特化的长翅目(Tihelka et al., 2020)。长翅目昆虫化石记录丰富，已知化石种超过700种，归入39科约210属(王吉申, 2020; Novokshonov et

Description A small forewing 4.6 mm long, 1.5 mm wide, with length/width ratio 3.1; a large colored marking present at wing base, the other four markings wavy with oblique bands across the wing; the third band under the lentoid pterostigma and fused with each other; costal area nearly twice as wide as subcostal area, and costal area broaden from basal one-third, Sc terminating at a distance of 3.0 mm from wing base, possibly with two branches, but only one branch observed due to poor preservation; R_1 2.3 mm long, single, somewhat straight, and apically curved; Rs with four branches running parallel to each other and reaching to wing margin, stem Rs 0.7 mm long, stem Rs_{3+4} 0.3 mm long, stem Rs_{4a+b} 1.1 mm long; R_1 and Rs fused at a distance of 1.2 mm from wing base, with an oblique crossvein connecting R_1 and Rs_{1+2} ; M with five branches, M_2 bifurcating into two branches, M_1 run parallel to Rs , however, M_{2-4} curving downwards; stem M_{1+2} 0.9 mm long, stem M_{3+4} 0.3 mm long, stem M_{2a+b} 0.5 mm long, branches of M_{2a} nearly three times as long as stem M_{2a+b} ; M fused with CuA at a distance of 0.8 mm from wing base; CuA single and convex, terminating near the middle of the wing, crossvein $m-cua$ oblique and connecting the forks of M_{3+4} and CuA ; CuP single, terminating at a distance of 1.9 mm from wing base, joining wing margin where somewhat shrink; two anal veins straight and running a relatively long distance away from each other; the forks of Rs_{4a+b} distad to fork of M_{2a+b} , the fork of Rs_{3+4} proximal to fork of M_{1+2} , the fork of Rs distad to fork of M , and the fork of $R_1 + Rs$ distad to fork of $M + CuA$.

Locality and horizon Yinping mountain, Houdong Village, Sanbing Township, Chaohu City, Anhui Province, China; Guadalupian Yinping Formation.

al., 2016; Ren et al., 2019)。现生类群仅报道了700余种，归于9科40余属(王吉申, 2020; Bicha, 2018)，分异度远不及化石类型。

二叠异蝎蛉科(Permochoristidae Tillyard, 1917)是长翅目中多样性最高的灭绝科之一，已报道约200种，归于40余属。该科起源于乌拉尔世，在乐平世非常繁盛，被认为是中生代长翅目的基干类群之一(Novokshonov, 1997, 2002)。二叠异蝎蛉具有典型的长翅目昆虫特征，包括丝状触角，口器前口式且略微延长，一对圆且突出的复眼，雄性生殖器膨大呈钳状等。因其身体较难保存，大多数属种的建立依赖于翅脉特征。二叠异蝎蛉科翅脉的基本特征为 Sc 多为2分支或更多， Rs 具4分支

或更多,有时 Rs_4 具2分支, M通常分6支, M_2 和 M_4 均具2分支。中国的二叠异蝎蛉报道于瓜德鲁普统上部银屏组和中-上三叠统延长组下部(即中三叠世晚期铜川生物群),共2种,即*Qingochorista conjunctiva* Guo et Hong, 2003和*Sinoagetopanorpa permiana* Lin, Nel et Huang, 2010,后者是中国唯一已描述的二叠纪长翅目昆虫。

本文根据安徽省巢湖市瓜德鲁普统银屏组的一枚标本,建立了二叠异蝎蛉科的1新属1新种——*Chaohuchorista liaoi* gen. et sp. nov.,并将其与该科的其他属种进行了对比。

2 材料与方法

标本(NIGP180619)采集自安徽省巢湖市散兵镇后洞村(图1)瓜德鲁普统银屏组下部黑色页岩中。化石伴生大量双壳类、海绵动物、植物及少量鱼类化石,昆虫化石已报道了鞘翅目、半翅目、直翅目、华脉目、魁翅目、舌鞘目及长翅目等(Huang et al., 2007; Lin et al., 2010; Ponomarenko et al., 2014; Szwedo and Huang, 2019; Fu and Huang, 2020; Huang et al., 2020a, 2020b, 2022)。林启彬(1982)曾将该地层归为孤峰组,但该层中蜓类化石

Neomisellina 指示银屏组属于晚卡匹敦期(Kametaka et al., 2009);在孤峰组与银屏组界线处所测得的绝对年龄(261.6 ± 1.6 Ma)也表明银屏组化石层属于晚卡匹敦期(Zhang et al., 2019)。

标本使用Zeiss SteREO Discovery V20体视显微镜拍摄,浸泡于70%的酒精中。标本还使用SU 3500扫描电镜(Scanning Electron Microscope)在电压为25 kV,气压为60 Pa的条件下对翅的细节进行观察和拍摄。线条图使用Adobe Illustrator 2019绘制,照片使用Adobe Photoshop CC 2019进行后期处理。

本文长翅目的翅脉名称沿用Minet等(2010)及Bashkuev和Sukatsheva (2021)的命名法。

3 系统古生物学

昆虫纲 Class Insecta Linnaeus, 1758

长翅目 Order Mecoptera Packard, 1886

二叠异蝎蛉科 Family Permochoristidae Tillyard, 1917

伪小蝎蛉亚科 Subfamily Pseudonannochoritinae Novokshonov, 1994

巢湖异蝎蛉属(新属) *Chaohuchorista* gen. nov.

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图 1 化石点交通位置图
Fig. 1 Geographic map showing the fossil locality

模式种 *Chaohuchorista liaoi gen. et sp. nov.*

词源 属名源自巢湖市的拼写“Chaohu”和长翅目的一属名*Chorista*。

属征 小型昆虫, 前翅细长, Rs_1 和 Rs_2 合并为一条脉, Rs_3 单分支, Rs_4 具 2 分支, M 具 5 分支, M_2 具 2 分支。

廖氏巢湖异蝎蛉(新属新种) *Chaohuchorista liaoi gen. et sp. nov.*

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(图2)

词源 物种名献给已故地质古生物学家廖卓庭先生, 纪念他对中国二叠纪地层所做的卓越贡献。

材料 正模NIGP180619。一枚近完整的前翅标本, 翅基部的脉保存较差。标本保存于中国科学院南京地质古生物研究所(NIGP)。

鉴别特征 长度小于5 mm, 翅痣明显, 具5条翅斑, 基部翅斑呈块状, 其余4条呈倾斜的带状。

描述 前翅, 小型, 长4.6 mm, 宽1.5 mm, 长宽比为3.1; 翅基处翅斑块状, 其余4条斑纹呈波浪形条带斜穿翅, 第3条翅斑位于透镜状的翅痣下方, 并与翅痣相接。前缘空间的宽度比亚前缘空间宽2倍, 且前缘空间在翅偏基部1/3处变宽; Sc结束于距翅基3 mm处, 可能具2分支, 但由于保存原因仅见1分支; R_1 长2.3 mm, 单分支, 较直, 末端略微弯曲; Rs具4分支, 彼此平行且延伸至翅边缘, Rs基干长0.7 mm, Rs_{3+4} 基干长0.3 mm, Rs_{4a+b} 基干长1.1 mm; R_1 与Rs在距翅基1.2 mm处融合, 一倾斜的横脉连接 R_1 和 Rs_{1+2} ; M具5分支, 其中 M_2 分2支, M_1 平行于Rs分支, 然而 M_{2-4} 末端向下倾斜; M_{1+2} 基干长0.9 mm, M_{3+4} 基干长0.3 mm, M_{2a+b} 基干长0.5 mm, M_{2a} 较 M_{2a+b} 基干长近3倍; M与CuA在距翅基0.8 mm处融合, CuA单分支且向上凸, 延伸至翅中, 倾斜的横脉m-cua连接 M_{3+4} 的分叉点与CuA; CuP单分支, 延伸至距翅基1.9 mm的翅边缘处, 该处翅向内缩; 两条A脉均为单分支, 且两者相距较宽; Rs_{4a+b} 的分叉点较 M_{2a+b} 靠后, Rs_{3+4} 的分叉点较 M_{1+2} 分叉点靠前, Rs的分叉点较M分叉点靠后, $R_1 + Rs$ 的分叉点较M + CuA分叉点靠后。

产地层位 中国安徽省巢湖市银屏山; 瓜德鲁普统银屏组。

4 讨 论

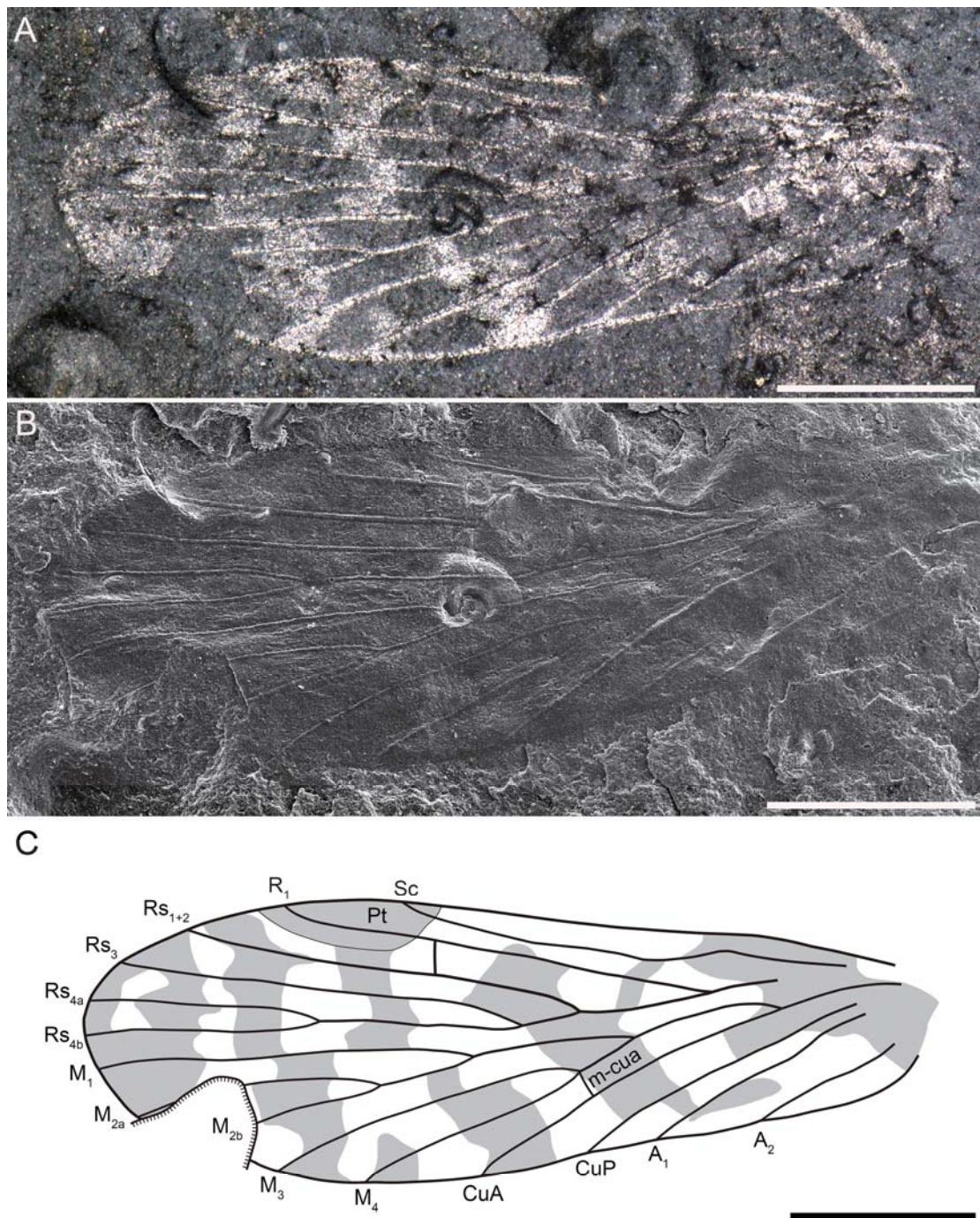
二叠异蝎蛉科的翅脉分异度很大, 许多属与模式属(图3-B)翅脉存在较大区别。新属具有二叠异蝎蛉科的一些典型的翅脉特征, 包括2分支的 Rs_4 及 M_2 。新属的 Rs_1 和 Rs_2 合并为一条翅脉, M具5分支, 符合伪小蝎蛉亚科(*Pseudonannochoristinae* Novokshonov, 1994)的基本特征。但其2分枝 Rs_4 区别于该亚科中具单分支 Rs_4 的*Pseudonannochorista* Novokshonov 1994、*Neochoristella* Riek, 1953、*Nannochoristella* Riek, 1953, 以及 Rs_3 与 Rs_4 合并为一条脉的*Miomeca* Novokshonov, 1994, 因此建立1新属。

该科中 *Pseudonannochorista* Novokshonov 1994 (图3-C)的 Rs_1 与 Rs_2 也合并为一条脉, 且具有5分支的M脉, 但*Pseudonannochorista* 的 Rs_4 单分支区别于新属的2分支。

该科中具有2分支 Rs_4 的属有*Agetopanorpa* Carpenter, 1930 (包括晚出同物异名*Agetochorista* Martynov, 1933, *Neoageta* Riek, 1953 及*Agetochoristella* Riek, 1953), *Oochorista* Martynov, 1933, *Stigmarista* Martynova, 1958, *Sinoagetopanorpa* Lin, Nel et Huang, 2010 (图3-D)。但这些属的Sc具有3分支或更多(新属1或2分支), M_4 具2分支(新属单分支), 且通常翅较圆, 而新属较细长, 因此易于区分。

长翅目昆虫在二叠纪已经十分繁盛, 在西伯利亚、中亚地区以及澳大利亚等地的二叠系中有大量的报道(Riek, 1953; Martynova, 1961; Novokshonov, 1997)。但中国二叠纪长翅目化石过去仅报道了1种, 也来自银屏组, 即*Sinoagetopanorpa permiana* Lin, Nel et Huang, 2010。虽然银屏组的*Sinoagetopanorpa permiana*也被归入二叠异蝎蛉科, 但其翅较圆, Sc区域较大, R_1 末端弯曲方式特殊, 与其他二叠异蝎蛉有明显区别, 其分类位置有待进一步讨论。

Chaohuchorista liaoi gen. et sp. nov.的发现增加了中国二叠纪长翅目的多样性, 结合以往在银屏组报道的具有特殊特征的*Sinoagetopanorpa permiana*, 显示二叠纪中期中国华南长翅目类群的独特性。

图 2 *Chaohuchorista liaoai* gen. et sp. nov. 前翅Fig. 2 Photographs and line drawing of the forewing of *Chaohuchorista liaoai* gen. et sp. nov.

正模标本 NIGP180619 采集自中国安徽巢湖银屏山瓜德鲁普统银屏组。A. 体视显微镜照片，拍摄时浸泡于 70% 的酒精中，使用顶部光源照射。B. 扫描电镜照片。C. 线条图。比例尺均为 1 mm。缩写: C, 前缘脉; Sc, 亚前缘脉; Pt, 翅痣; R₁, 第一径脉; Rs, 径分脉; M, 中脉; CuA, 肘脉前支; CuP, 肘脉后支; A, 臀脉; m-cua, 中脉与肘脉前支之间横脉。

Holotype, NIGP180619, from the Guadalupian Yinping Formation of Yinping mountain, Chaohu City, Anhui Province, China. A. Stereomicroscope photograph was taken when the specimen was immersed in 70% ethanol and used reflected top light. B. Scanning electron microscope image. C. Line drawing. Scale bars represent 1 mm in A–C. Abbreviations: C, costa; Sc, subcosta; Pt, pterostigma; R₁, first branch of the radius; Rs, radial sector; M, media; CuA, anterior cubitus, CuP, posterior cubitus; A, anal vein; m-cua, the crossvein between media and anterior cubitus.

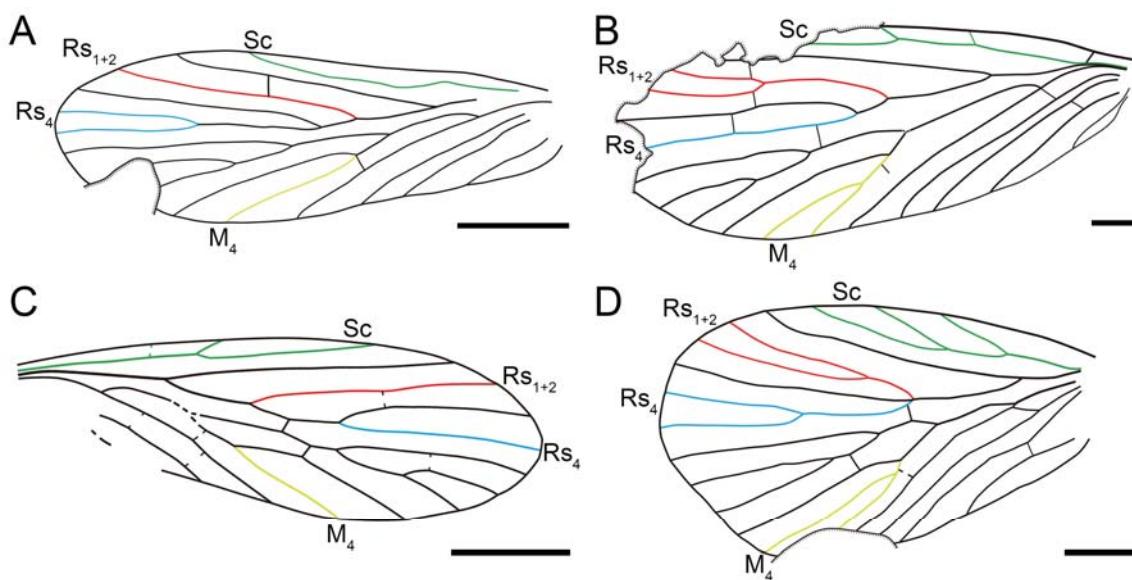


图3 新属与其他一些二叠异蝎蛉科的属的前翅脉对比

Fig. 3 Comparison of forewing venation of the new genus and other permochoristid genera

- A. 廖氏巢湖异蝎蛉 *Chaohuchorista liaoi* gen. et sp. nov.。B. 二叠异蝎蛉科模式属模式种 *Mesochorista proavita* Tillyard 1916 (根据 Willmann, 1984 重绘)。C. *Pseudonannochorista willmanni* Novokshonov, 1994 (根据 Novokshonov, 1994 重绘)。D. *Sinoagetopanorpa permiana* Lin, Nel et Huang, 2010 重绘。比例尺均为 1 mm。
- A. *Chaohuchorista liaoi* gen. et sp. nov. B. Type species of Permochoristidae: *Mesochorista proavita* Tillyard 1916 (redrawn from Willmann, 1984). C. *Pseudonannochorista willmanni* Novokshonov, 1994 (redrawn from Novokshonov, 1994). D. New drawing of *Sinoagetopanorpa permiana* Lin, Nel et Huang, 2010. Scale bars represent 1 mm in A–D.

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