

**LEPIDOPTERA SPECIES NEW FOR LITHUANIAN FAUNA***POVILAS IVINSKIS, JOLANTA RIMŠAITĖ*

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**Introduction**

After the Catalogue of Lepidoptera of Lithuania appeared (Ivinskis, 2004), new information on Lithuanian microlepidoptera was published by many authors (Dapkus *et al.*, 2007, Ivinskis, 2007, Ivinskis & Rimšaitė, 2006, Kazlauskas, 2008, Kazlauskas & Šlėnys, 2007, Noreika, 2007, Ostrauskas & Ivinskis, 2010a, 2010b, 2010c; Ostrauskas *et al.*, 2008, 2010a, 2010b). New data on 22 Lepidoptera species are presented in this paper.

**Material and Methods**

The majority of the data was collected by P. Ivinskis (P.I.), J. Rimšaitė (J.R.) and V. Pacevičius (V.P.) during field investigations. Different methods, such as breeding from larvae, netting, pheromone and light trapping were used. Battery traps (8 W blended lamp), screens (160 W mixed lamp), automatic traps with 300 W solar type lamps were used for the light trapping. The material was identified using Bengtsson *et al.*, 2008., Leraut, 2012, Jurivete & Ounap, 2008, Savenkov & Šulcs, 2010. Taxonomical treatment follows that of the Fauna Europaea database (Karsholt & Nieuwerken, 2012). The specimens are deposited in the collection of Nature Research Centre (Vilnius, Lithuania).

**List of localities**

Akmenė district	Kamanos Nature reserve	56°18'35,9"N, 22°38'33,5"E
Alytus district	Punios šilas f.	54°32'32,3"N, 24°04'50,5"E
Neringa t.	Nagliai nature reserve	55°26'31,4"N, 21°04'15,8"E
Druskininkai district	Juodkrantė env., Gerdašiai, Nemunas river valley	55°31'20,8"N, 21°06'57,9"E; 53°56'44,8"N, 23°52'49,4"E;
Joniškis district	Bariūnai Žagarė dendropark Mūšos Tyrelis bog, peat bog	56°15'56,2"N, 23°39'14,9"E; 56°21'46,2"N, 23°14'45,9"E; 56°13'09,7"N, 23°15'31,7"E;
Jurbarkas district	Viešvilė	55°04'00,8"N, 22°24'11,3"E;
Kaunas	Vilijampolė	54°54'51,4"N, 23°52'48,9"E;
Kaunas district	Raudondvaris	54°56'21,8"N, 23°44'56,2"E;
	Ringovė Entomological preserve	55°02'59,6"N, 23°31'18,1"E;
Kėdainiai district	Pavejuonis Saviečiai, Labūnava Miškas f.	54°59'46,6"N, 23°43'46,6"E; 55°09'09,0"N, 23°58'53,6"E;

	Labūnava	55°09'29,1"N, 23°54'49,9"E;
Kretinga district	Kalno Grikštai, Kartenalė entomological preserve	55°51'26,9"N, 21°23'59,2"E;
	Darbėnai, gravel pit	56°02'09,4"N, 21°15'31,3"E;
	Nemirseta	55°51'27,5"N, 21°05'13,2"E;
Lazdijai district	Galadusys lake env.	54°12'03,1"N, 23°24'35,2"E;
Molėtai district	Suginčiai	55°19'14,6"N, 25°27'32,6"E;
Šalčininkai district	Kernavas lake, peat bog	54°22'49,5"N, 25°06'39,7"E;
Šiauliai district	Agailės Miškas f.	56°07'24,1"N, 22°57'45,6"E;
Švenčionys district	Meškerinė, strand of pond	55°02'02,7"N, 25°51'20,6"E;
	Petrežeris lake strand	55°10'55,7"N, 25°52'04,7"E;
Ukmergė district	Dukstyna entomological preserve	55°16'46,1"N, 24°51'00,9"E;
Varėna district	Perlojos Miškas f.	54°12'24,2"N, 24°22'24,6"E;
Vilnius t.	Verkiai	54°44'48,6"N, 25°17'17,1"E;
	Kalniškės	54°50'49,6"N, 25°10'38,3"E;
	Visoriai	54°45'05,47"N, 25°15'39,6"E

## Results

### ADELIDAE

#### *Nemophora dumerilella* (Duponchel, 1839)

Agailės Miškas f., 24 07 1999, 1 spec. (P.I. & J. R.); Meškerinė, 24- 01 08 07 1998, 15 spec., 29 07 1999, 12 spec.; Ringovė, 29 07 1999, 12 spec., 01 08 2000, 3 spec.; Viešvilė, 01 08 2000, 1 spec. All specimens caught in xerothermic sandy habitats.

#### *Nemophora fasciella* (Fabricius, 1775)

Pavejuonis, 27 07 2000, 6 spec. (P. I.).

### ARGYRESTHIIDAE

#### *Argyresthia (Blastotere) laevigatella* Herrich-Schaffer, 1855

Žagarė dendropark, 17 06 2010 2 spec. (P. I.), sweeping on branches of *Larix decidua*.

### COLEOPHORIDAE

#### *Coleophora wockeella* Zeller, 1849

Saviečiai, Labūnava Miškas f., 22 07 2010, 2 spec. (P. I.).

### GELECHIIDAE

#### *Monochroa divisella* (Douglas, 1850)

Juodkrantė, 29 06 2009, 1 spec. (P.I. & J. R.).

#### *Mirificarma lentiginosella* (Zeller, 1839)

Perlojos Miškas f., 15 08 2008, 2 spec. (P.I. & J. R.).

#### *Gelechia hippophaella* (Schrank, 1802)

Darbėnai, gravel pit, 21 06 2011, larvae on *Hippophaes*, 5 imagoes emerged 16 07 2011 (P.I. & J. R.).

#### *Anarsia spartiella* (Schrank, 1802)

Juodkrantė, 05 07 2010, 1 spec. (P. I.).

## GRACILLARIIDAE

***Phyllonorycter anderidae* (W. Fletcher, 1875)**

Petrežeris lake, 09 2009 mines on *Betula nana*, 8 imagoes emerged 19 02 2010 (P. I.).

## INCURVARIIDAE

***Alloclemensia mesospilella* (Herrich-Schäffer, 1854)**

Kalno Grikštai, 03 07 1996, several larvae on *Ribes*, 3 imagoes emerged 22 07 1996 (P.I. & J. R.).

## LYONETIIDAE

***Leucoptera spartifoliella* (Hubner, 1813)**

Nagliai nature reserve, 06 07 2010, more than 50 specimens in *Cytisus scoparius* bushes (P. I.).

## PYRALIDAE

***Acrobasis obtusella* (Hübner, 1796)**

Galadusys lake env., 19 07 2010, 4 spec. (P. I.).

***Etiella zinckeniella* (Treitschke, 1832)**

Kalniškės, 25 07 2011, 1 spec. (P. I.).

***Palpita vitrealis* (Rossi, 1794)**

Nagliai nature reserve, 01 10 2012, 1 spec. (P.I. & J. R.).

## SESIIDAE

***Synanthedon soffneri* Špatenka, 1983**

Kalniškės, 02-04 06 2010, 4 spec.; Visoriai, 06 2010, 10 spec., all attracted to pheromon trap. (P. I.).

## TISCHERIIDAE

***Captotriche heinemanni* (Wocke, 1871)**

Dukstyna entomological preserve, August of 2008, several mines on *Rubus caesus*; Gerdašiai, mines on *Rubus caesus*, September of 2009, 8 imagoes emerged 01-02 2010; Raudondvaris, August of 2011, numerous mines on *Agrimonia eupatorium*.

## TORTRICIDAE

***Acleris effractana* (Hübner, 1799)**

Kalniškės, 26 08 2006, 1 spec. (P. I.); Verkiai, 27 09 - 04 10 2004, 1 spec.

***Acleris kochiella* (Goeze, 1783)**

Saviečiai, Labūnava Miškas f., 24 08 2005, on *Ulmus* sp., 03 09 2005, 1 imago (P. I.).

***Acleris literana* (Linnaeus, 1758)**

Nemirseta, 04 29 - 05 05 2004, 1 spec. (P.I. & J. R.).

***Phiaris obsoletana* (Zetterstedt, 1839)**

Suginčiai, 22 06 1999, 1 spec. (V. P.).

***Epinotia gimmerthaliana* (Lienig & Zeller, 1846)**

Kernavas lake, peat bog, 13 06 2008, 1 spec. (P.I. & J. R.); Mūšos Tyrelis bog, 13 06 2010, 3 spec. (P. I.).

***Strophedra weirana* (Douglas, 1850)**

Juodkrantė env., October of 2010 larvae on *Fagus* sp., 10 imagoes emerged in January-February 2011(P.I.).

## Discussion

Twenty two new species for Lithuanian fauna are presented. Data on distribution in surrounding countries are presented according to Jurivete & Ounap (2008), Savenkov & Šulcs (2010) and Karsholt & Nieukerken (2012). *Captotriche heinemanni* is a widely distributed species, known from many European countries, found in the neighbouring country - Estonia. Numerous blotch mines are found very often, but we have never seen imagoes in the same environment. All specimens of *Nemophora dumerilella* were caught on flowers of *Veronica spicata*. This species is widely distributed in Europe, but still is not found in neighbouring countries - Latvia, Finland, Norway. *Nemophora fasciella* is distributed in surrounding countries - Estonia, Poland and Russia (Kalininograd region), is not found in Latvia. *Alloclemensia mesospilella* is widely distributed in Europe, known in all countries surrounding Lithuania. *Argyreathia laevigatella* is trophically associated with *Larix decidua* and distributed in 19 European countries, including Estonia and Latvia. *Phyllonorycter anderidae* is trophically associated with relict plant species *Betula nana* and distributed in 15 European countries, including Estonia, Latvia and Poland. *Leucoptera spartifoliella* is known from 24 European countries, including Belarus, Estonia and Poland. *Coleophora wockeella* is known from the neighbouring Latvia and Poland. Gelechiid moth *Monochroa divisella* is known from neighbouring countries Latvia and Poland as well, *Mirificarma lentiginosella* only from Estonia and Poland, *Gelechia hippophaella* - from Latvia and Poland, *Anarsia spartiella* - only from Poland. Sesiid moth *Synanthedon soffneri* is known from 12 European countries, including Poland and Latvia (Savenkov pers. com.). Leaf roller species *Acleris kochiella* and *Epinotia gimmerthaliana* are known from neighbouring countries Estonia and Latvia, *Acleris literana* - from Latvia, *Acleris effractana* - from Estonia, Latvia and Poland, *Strophedra wirana* - from Poland and *Phiaris obsoletana* - from Estonia and Poland. Pyralid moth *Acrobasis obtusana* is new for Baltic countries, nearest finding is known from Poland. *Etiella zinckenella* and *Palpita vitrealis* are known as migrant species that are very widely distributed in Europe. *Etiella zinckenella* is known also from Latvia and Poland, *Palpita vitrealis* - from Estonia, Latvia and Poland.

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**Naujos Lietuvos faunai drugių rūšys**

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**Santrauka**

Pateikiami duomenys apie 22 naujas Lietuvos faunai drugių rūšis: Adelidae - 2 rūšis, Incurvariidae, Tischeriidae, Gracillariidae, Argyresthiidae, Lyonetiidae, Coleophoridae ir Sesiidae - po 1 rūši, Gelechiidae – 4, Tortricidae – 6, Pyralidae – 3. Taip pat pateikiami duomenys apie naujų rūsių paplitimą kaimyninėse šalyse.

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