

**DORCADION (CIBRIDORCADION) GEBZEENSE
BREUNING, 1974 REST. NOV. (CERAMBYCIDAE)**

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ABSTRACT: With the present work, *Dorcadiion (Cibridorcadion) gebzeense* Breuning, 1974 rest. nov. is discussed and regarded as a separate species again.

KEY WORDS: *Dorcadiion (Cibridorcadion) gebzeense*, rest. nov., Cerambycidae, Turkey.

***Dorcadiion gebzeense* Breuning, 1974 rest. nov.**

The taxon was originally described by Breuning (1974) as a separate species of the genus *Dorcadiion*. Firstly, it was attributed by Braun (1975) to *Dorcadiion punctipenne* Küster, 1852. And Braun (1978) gave it as a morpha of *D. punctipenne*. Then, Sama (1982) presented it as a subspecies of *D. punctipenne*. He reported it from Kastamonu province (Ilgaz: Tosya) and stated that this specimen was labelled by Breuning's hand writing as "*Dorcadiion tosyense* mihi, type". Sama's specimen was identified by Braun in his work. Later, Löbl & Smetana (2010) gave the taxon as a synonym of *D. punctipenne*.

Dorcadiion gebzeense, however, is easily distinguished from *D. punctipenne* by very strong, dense similarly punctuation of pronotum and elytra, and different shaped lateral process of pronotum chiefly. Besides, Breuning (1974) stated that *D. gebzeense* is closely related *D. ferruginipes* Ménétriés, 1836 in the original description.

Consequently, we propose that the Turkish endemic taxon *Dorcadiion gebzeense* should be regarded as a separate species.

***Dorcadiion punctipenne* Küster, 1852: 94** (Holotype, ex collection Heinrich Carl Küster > Johann Menzel, Naturhistorisches Museum, Nürnberg) [type locality "Kleinasiens" (Turkey)] E: GR TR A: TR
distinguendum Pic, 1931c: 10 (*Dorcadiion olympicum* var.) [Greece]

Known distribution of *D. punctipenne* in Turkey: Turkey as the type locality (Küster, 1852); İstanbul prov. and near (Breuning, 1962); Anatolia (Danilevsky in Löbl & Smetana, 2010) (Fig. 1).

***Dorcadiion gebzeense* Breuning, 1974: 148** (Holotype ♂, Collection Carolus Holzschuh, Villach) [type locality "Gebze" (Turkey: Kocaeli)] A: TR
tosyense Breuning in Sama, 1982: 223 [Turkey: Kastamonu: Tosya]

Known distribution of *D. gebzeense*: Kocaeli prov.: İzmit: Gebze as the type locality (Breuning, 1974); Kocaeli prov.: İzmit: Gebze (Braun, 1978); Kastamonu prov.: Ilgaz: Tosya as *D. punctipenne gabzeense* (Sama, 1982) (Fig. 2).

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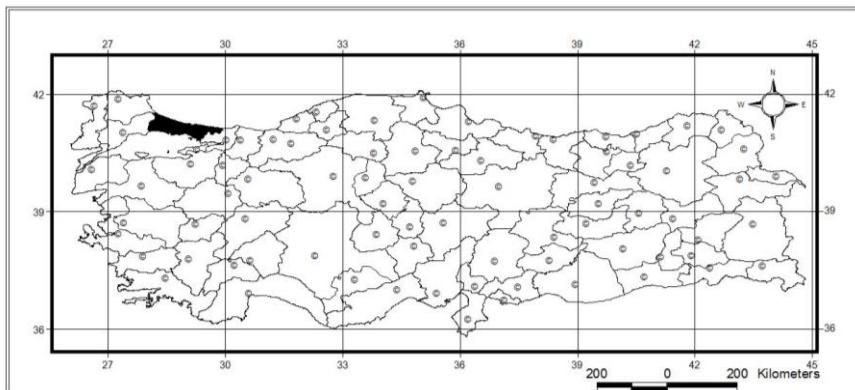


Figure 1. The distribution of *Dorcadion punctipenne* in Turkey.

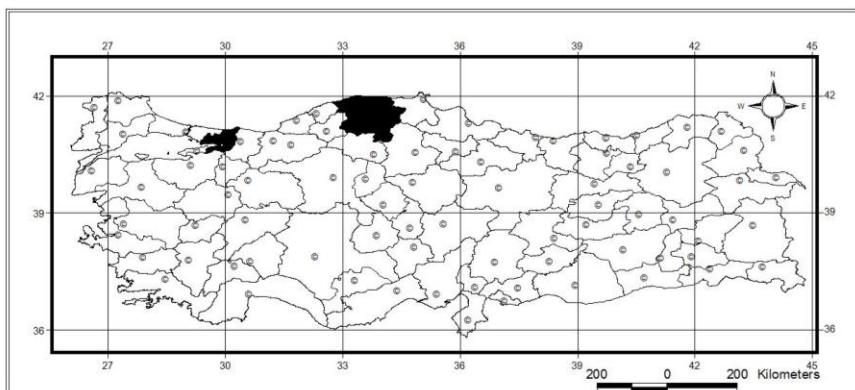


Figure 2. The distribution of *Dorcadion gebzeense*.