

Empidoidea *incertae sedis*

Jean-Paul Haenni (1998 Checklist: Milan Chvála [Empididae, part])

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Diagnosis: See Empididae.

Biology: See Empididae.

Nomenclature and classification: Some genera of Empididae previously placed in subfamilies Oreogetoninae and Hemerodromiinae have been assigned to Empidoidea *incertae sedis* by Sinclair & Cumming (2006) pending further studies.

Number of species: CH: 5 (1998 Checklist:4 [Empididae, part]).

Level of faunistic knowledge in Switzerland: Good, the presence of one additional species may be expected.

General references: Sinclair & Cumming (2006) [systematics]

References to the Swiss fauna: Bächli et al. (2014), Chvála et al. (1998), Merz et al. (2006).

Checklist

Anthepiscopus Becker, 1891

- *caelebs* Becker, 1891 L

- *ribesii* Becker, 1891 !

- *zontaki* (Nowicki, 1870) !

Iteaphila Zetterstedt, 1838

- *furcata* (Zetterstedt, 1842) !

- *macquarti* (Zetterstedt, 1838) L

Excluded species

Iteaphila nitidula (Zetterstedt, 1838) N1

Notes

N1 *Iteaphila nitidula*: the record of this species (Merz et al. 2006) was based upon an erroneous identification (Bächli et al. 2014).

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