

Distribution chart for Euro-Mediterranean mosquitoes (western Palaearctic region)

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Abstract: The knowledge of the mosquito distribution in the Western Palaearctic region has significantly improved in recent decades. We here synthesise published records in an updated distribution chart. The western Palaearctic region is divided into 5 areas and 75 geographical units, the latter mainly considered on a country basis or on a geographical basis (e.g. islands). The total number of species accounts for 145. The status of each species for a defined geographic unit is given according to five categories: 'Present native', 'Present introduced', 'Uncertain for presence or absence', 'Absent extinct' and 'Absent never observed'. Relevant references are given per country in the annex.

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Introduction

The international projects MediLabSecure¹ and VectorNet² promote mosquito surveillance activities, including training and capacity building in EU Member States and Mediterranean riparian countries.

The MediLabSecure project aims to consolidate a laboratory network for surveillance and training on viruses that are pathogenic to humans and/or animals. It includes countries of the Mediterranean and Black Sea regions that have common sea borders and, as a result, share common public health issues and threats. Within the framework of this project, the medical entomology group produced MosKeyTool version 2³, a freely available interactive identification key for mosquito species (larvae and females) distributed in the Euro-Mediterranean-Middle East region. It provides the current knowledge for the identification of the 131 mosquito species encountered in the area and can be used by experts as well as non-expert entomologists.

VectorNet is a "European network for sharing data on the geographic distribution of arthropod vectors, transmitting human and animal disease agents" launched by the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC) and the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA). The network of medical entomologists and public health professionals, already established during the former VBORNET project (2009-2013), was extended to include veterinary entomologists and veterinarians working in the field of vectors and/or vector-borne diseases in Europe and countries surrounding the Mediterranean Basin (2014-2018).

As a result and a step in the capacity building process for the territories these projects focus on, we here provide an updated distribution chart of the Euro-Mediterranean mosquito species.

Materials and Methods

A previous chart for European mosquitoes (Snow & Ramsdale, 1999) served as a basis and was supplemented by data published since 1999 and by including additional countries and additional taxa. Taxa are considered as valid species or subspecies according to the Systematic Catalog of Culicidae (Gaffigan et al., 2017). In addition, the Mosquito Taxonomic Inventory⁴ and the Catalogue of Palaearctic Diptera (Minař, 1990) were taken into consideration.

Distribution data have been extracted from scientific articles and grey literature collected by reference tracking and/or thanks to expert sharing. Authors' opinions were not considered except in excluding four papers that provide strongly implausible identifications which discredit the whole paper (Benmalek et al., 2018; Dahchar et al., 2017; Houmani et al., 2017; Möhlmann et al., 2017). The literature search focussed on the distribution of mosquito species with special emphasis on fauna checklists and references since 1999 (or earlier ones not listed in Snow & Ramsdale, 1999). Data searches were performed for all countries and territories belonging to the western Palaearctic region, i.e. Europe including its outermost regions of the eastern Atlantic Ocean, up to the Ural Mountains in the east; Northern Africa up to Central Sahara in the south; Near East countries belonging to the western Palaearctic region. Geographical units are considered on a country basis (e.g. Algeria, Finland, Malta, Switzerland) or on a geographical basis (e.g. Corsica, Crimean Peninsula, Cyprus,

¹ <http://www.medilabsecure.com>

² <https://ecdc.europa.eu/en/about-us/partnerships-and-networks/disease-and-laboratory-networks/vector-net>

³ <http://medilabsecure.com/moskeytool.html>

⁴ <http://mosquito-taxonomic-inventory.info>

Madeira, Russian southern districts). The total number of units reaches 75 (Table 1 and Figure 1). The resulting list of references from which distribution data have been extracted is

presented thereafter by country or territory of the western Palaearctic region. The distribution maps per species may be observed on MosKeyTool version 2.1.

Table 1: List of the 75 geographical units of the western Palaearctic region, ordered according to five areas as in the charts (Tables 2–5), with codes given in Figure 1.

Area	Unit	ISO alpha-3 code	Other code	Remark
Western and Central Europe	Albania	ALB		
	Austria	AUS		
	Belgium	BEL		
	Bosnia & Herzegovina	BIH		
	Bulgaria	BGR		
	Croatia	HRV		
	Cyprus Island	CYP		
	Czech Republic	CZE		
	Denmark	DNK		Faroe Islands excluded
	Faroe Islands	FRO		
	France (continental)	FRA		Corsica excluded
	Corsica		COR	
	Germany	DEU		
	Greece	GRC		Aegean islands included, Crete excluded
	Crete		CRE	
	Hungary	HUN		
	Ireland (Republic of)	IRL		Northern Ireland excluded
	Italy (continental)	ITA		Sardinia and Sicily excluded
	Sardinia		SAR	
	Sicily		SIC	
	Kosovo		KOS	
	Liechtenstein	LIE		
	Luxembourg	LUX		
	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	MKD		
	Malta	MLT		
	Montenegro	MNE		
	Netherlands	NLD		
	Poland	POL		
	Portugal (continental)	PRT		Madeira and Azores excluded
	Azores		AZO	
	Madeira		MAA	
	Romania	ROU		
	Slovakia	SVK		
	Slovenia	SVN		
	Serbia	SRB		
	Spain (continental)	ESP		Balearic and Canary islands excluded
	Balearic Islands		BAL	
	Canary Islands		CAA	
	Switzerland	CHE		
	Turkey (Thrace Region)		TUR-TH	Anatolia excluded Shetland excluded; Channel, Man and Orkney islands and Northern Ireland included
	United Kingdom	GBR		

	Shetland	SHE	
Eastern Europe	Belarus	BLR	
	Moldova	MDA	
	Russia Central	RUS-CN	Central federal district
	Russia Volga	RUS-VO	Volga federal district
	Russia southern districts	RUS-SD	South and North Caucasus federal districts
	Ukraine	UKR	Crimean Peninsula excluded
	Crimean Peninsula	CRP	
Northern Europe	Estonia	EST	
	Finland	FIN	Åland included
	Iceland	ISL	
	Latvia	LVA	
	Lithuania	LTU	
	Norway	NOR	
	Svalbard	SVA	Jan Mayen included
	Russia Kaliningrad	RUS-KA	Kaliningrad Oblast
	Russia north-western	RUS-NW	North-western federal district
	Sweden	SWE	
Caucasus and Middle-East	Armenia	ARM	
	Azerbaijan	AZE	
	Georgia	GEO	
	Iraq	IRQ	
	Israel	ISR	
	Jordan	JOR	
	Kuwait	KWT	
	Lebanon	LBN	
	Palestine	PSE	Palestinian territories
	Syria	SYR	Syrian Arab Republic
	Turkey (Anatolia)	TUR-AN	Thrace Region excluded
North Africa	Algeria	DZA	
	Egypt	EGY	
	Libya	LYB	
	Morocco	MAR	Occidental Sahara excluded
	Tunisia	TUN	

Results & Discussion

Mosquito distribution data are given in Tables 2 to 5. The organisation of the species list matches the Systematic Catalog of Culicidae (Gaffigan et al., 2017). For the tribe Aedini, it also meets the systematic classification suggested by Wilkerson et al. (2015) and Wilkerson & Linton (2015) as for the subgenus *Rusticoidus*.

Five categories of distribution status are applied irrespective of abundance:

- 1) Present and autochthonous, including when spreading to neighbouring regions, labelled 'native' and highlighted by grey cells;
- 2) Present but exotic to the western Palaearctic, because introduced and then established (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in Spain), labelled as 'introd' and highlighted by red cells;

- 3) Uncertain for presence or absence, labelled as 'uncertain' and highlighted by blue cells; Uncertain for presence means (i) with only a single or few records and impossible to verify, or (ii) introduced out of its natural distribution area and without confirmation of establishment (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in Belgium, Czech Republic, Slovakia, United Kingdom); Uncertain for absence means previously present and probably extinct today;
- 4) Absent and extinct (previously present and certainly extinct today; e.g. *Ae. aegypti* in France), labelled as 'extinct' and highlighted by white cells;
- 5) Absent and/or never observed, shown by empty cells.

Table 2: Chart of mosquito species distribution in the western Palaearctic region (western Europe)

Western Europe																			Total geographical units: 19								
Genus	species	Subgenus	Authority	Belgium	DNK	FRO	FRA	COR	DEU	IRL	LIE	LUX	NLD	PRT	AZO	MAA	ESP	BAL	CAA	CHE	GBR	SHE	native	introd	uncertain	extinct	absent
Anopheles	algeriensis	Anopheles	Theobald, 1903																				9	0	0	0	10
Anopheles	cinereus s.l.	Celia	Theobald, 1901																				3	0	0	0	16
Anopheles	claviger s.s.	Anopheles	(Meigen, 1804)																				13	0	0	1	5
Anopheles	hyrcanus	Anopheles	(Pallas, 1771)																				3	0	0	0	16
Anopheles	maculipennis s.l.	Anopheles	Meigen, 1818																				15	0	0	0	4
Anopheles	atroparvus	Anopheles	van Thiel, 1927																				9	0	0	0	10
Anopheles	daciae	Anopheles	Linton, Nicolescu & Harbach, 2004																				3	0	0	0	16
Anopheles	labranchiae	Anopheles	Falleroni, 1926																				1	0	1	0	17
Anopheles	maculipennis s.s.	Anopheles	Meigen, 1818																				7	0	0	0	12
Anopheles	melanoon	Anopheles	Hackett, 1934																				5	0	0	0	14
Anopheles	messeae	Anopheles	Falleroni, 1926																				6	0	0	0	13
Anopheles	sacharovi	Anopheles	Favre, 1903																				0	0	1	0	18
Anopheles	marteri	Anopheles	Senevet & Prunelle, 1927																				2	0	0	0	17
Anopheles	multicolor	Celia	Cambouliu, 1902																				2	0	0	0	17
Anopheles	petragnani	Anopheles	del Vecchio, 1939																				5	1	0	0	13
Anopheles	plumbeus	Anopheles	Stephens, 1828																				13	0	0	0	6
Anopheles	sergentii	Ochlerotatus	(Theobald, 1907)																				2	0	0	0	17
Anopheles	superpictus	Celia	Grassi, 1899																				2	0	1	0	16
Aedes	oegypti	Stegomyia	(Linnaeus, 1762)																				0	1	1	6	11
Aedes	albopictus	Stegomyia	(Skuse, 1894)																				0	6	4	0	9
Aedes	annulipes	Ochlerotatus	(Meigen, 1830)																				8	0	0	0	11
Aedes	atropalpus	Georgecraigius	(Coquillett, 1902)																				0	0	0	1	18
Aedes	berlandi	Ochlerotatus	Séguy, 1921																				4	0	0	0	15
Aedes	contans	Ochlerotatus	(Meigen, 1818)																				11	0	0	0	8
Aedes	cospius s.l.	Ochlerotatus	(Pallas, 1771)																				13	0	0	0	6
Aedes	cataphylla	Ochlerotatus	Dyar, 1916																				5	0	0	0	14
Aedes	cinereus	Aedes	Meigen, 1818																				10	0	0	0	9
Aedes	coluzzii	Ochlerotatus	Rioux, Guivard & Pasteur, 1998																				2	0	0	0	17
Aedes	communis	Ochlerotatus	(De Geer, 1776)																				7	0	1	0	11
Aedes	cyprius	Ochlerotatus	Ludlow, 1920																				0	0	1	0	18
Aedes	detritus	Ochlerotatus	(Haliday, 1833)																				10	0	0	1	8
Aedes	dianaeus	Ochlerotatus	(Howard, Dyar & Knab, 1912)																				3	0	0	0	16
Aedes	dorsalis	Ochlerotatus	(Meigen, 1830)																				9	0	0	1	9
Aedes	eatonii	Ochlerotatus	(Edwards, 1916)																				2	0	0	0	17
Aedes	echinus	Dahliana	(Edwards, 1920)																				2	0	0	0	17
Aedes	excruians s.l.	Ochlerotatus	(Walker, 1856)																				4	0	0	0	15
Aedes	flavescens	Ochlerotatus	(Müller, 1764)																				8	0	0	0	11
Aedes	geminus	Aedes	Peus, 1970																				7	0	0	0	12
Aedes	geniculatus	Dahliana	(Olivier, 1791)																				11	0	0	0	8
Aedes	gilcolladi	Dahliana	Sánchez-Covisa Villa, Rodríguez Rodríguez & Guillén Llera, 1985																				1	0	0	0	18
Aedes	intrudens	Ochlerotatus	Dyar, 1919																				2	0	1	0	16
Aedes	japonicus	Hulecoeteomyia	(Theobald, 1901)																				0	7	1	0	11
Aedes	koreicus	Hulecoeteomyia	(Edwards, 1917)																				0	3	0	0	16
Aedes	leucometes	Ochlerotatus	(Meigen, 1804)																				5	0	0	0	14
Aedes	mariæ	Acartomyia	(Sergent & Sergent, 1903)																				5	0	0	0	14
Aedes	zammitii	Acartomyia	(Theobald, 1903)																				0	0	0	0	19
Aedes	nigrinus	Ochlerotatus	(Eckstein, 1918)																				6	0	0	0	13
Aedes	pulicaris	Ochlerotatus	(Rondani, 1872)																				5	0	0	0	14
Aedes	pullatus	Ochlerotatus	(Coquillet, 1904)																				6	0	0	0	13
Aedes	punctor	Ochlerotatus	(Kirby, 1837)																				11	0	0	0	8
Aedes	quasirusticus	Rusticoidus	Torres Cañamares, 1951																				1	0	0	0	18
Aedes	refiki	Rusticoidus	Medschid, 1928																				4	0	0	0	15
Aedes	riparius	Ochlerotatus	Dyar & Knab, 1907																				2	0	1	0	16
Aedes	rossicus	Aedes	Dolbeshin, Gorickaja & Mitrofanova, 1930																				2	0	0	0	17
Aedes	rusticus	Rusticoidus	(Rossi, 1790)																				12	0	0	0	7
Aedes	sticticus	Ochlerotatus	(Meigen, 1838)																				9	0	0	0	10
Aedes	surcoufi	Ochlerotatus	(Theobald, 1912)																				2	0	0	0	17
Aedes	texanus s.l.	Aedimorphus	(Meigen, 1830)																				11	0	0	0	8
Aedes	vittatus	Fredwardsius	(Bigot, 1861)																				5	0	0	0	14

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<i>Culex</i>	<i>arbieeni</i>	<i>Maillotia</i>	Salem, 1938																				2	0	0	0	17
<i>Culex</i>	<i>brumpti</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Gaillard, 1931																				1	0	0	0	18
<i>Culex</i>	<i>deserticola</i>	<i>Maillotia</i>	Kirkpatrick, 1925																				1	0	0	0	18
<i>Culex</i>	<i>europaeus</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	da Cunha Ramos, Ribeiro & Harrison, 2003																				2	0	0	0	17
<i>Culex</i>	<i>hortensis</i> s.l.	<i>Maillotia</i>	Ficalbi, 1889		native																		11	0	0	0	8
<i>Culex</i>	<i>impudicus</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Ficalbi, 1890																				4	0	0	0	15
<i>Culex</i>	<i>laticinctus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Edwards, 1913																				4	0	0	0	15
<i>Culex</i>	<i>martinii</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Medschid, 1930																				4	0	0	0	15
<i>Culex</i>	<i>mimeticus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Noë, 1899																				4	0	0	0	15
<i>Culex</i>	<i>modestus</i>	<i>Barraudius</i>	Ficalbi, 1890																				9	0	0	0	10
<i>Culex</i>	<i>peregrinus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903																				2	0	0	0	17
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pipiens</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Linnaeus, 1758		native	native																	17	0	0	0	2
<i>Culex</i>	<i>territans</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Walker, 1856		native	native																	12	0	0	0	7
<i>Culex</i>	<i>theileri</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903																				6	0	1	0	12
<i>Culex</i>	<i>torrentium</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Martini, 1925		native	native																	14	0	0	0	5
<i>Culex</i>	<i>univittatus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1901																				2	0	0	0	17
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>alaskensis</i> s.l.	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Ludlow, 1906)																				6	0	0	0	13
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>annulata</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schrank, 1776)		native	native																	13	0	0	0	6
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>atlantica</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1932)																				1	0	0	0	18
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>bergrothii</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1921)			native																	1	0	0	0	18
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>fumipennis</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Stephens, 1825)		native	native																	10	0	0	0	9
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>glophyroptera</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schiner, 1864)																				2	0	1	0	16
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>litorea</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Shute, 1928)																				6	0	0	0	13
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>longiareolata</i>	<i>Allotrichobaldia</i>	(Macquart, 1838)																				9	0	1	0	9
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>morsitans</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Theobald, 1901)		native	native																	10	0	0	0	9
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>ochroptera</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Peus, 1935)																				2	0	0	0	17
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>subocrea</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1921)		native	native																	10	0	0	0	9
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>buxtoni</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Edwards, 1923)																				6	0	0	0	13
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>richiardi</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Ficalbi, 1889)		native	native																	12	0	0	0	7
<i>Orthopodomyia</i>	<i>pulchrpalpis</i>	-	(Rondani, 1872)		native																		6	0	1	0	12
<i>Uranotaenia</i>	<i>unguiculata</i>	<i>Pseudoficalbia</i>	Edwards, 1913					native	native	native													5	0	0	0	14

species	complex	Total	taxa	32	35	0	61	48	54	20	9	16	39	44	5	9	65	17	11	41	37	1		
		Total species		31	34	0	60	47	53	19	8	15	38	43	4	9	64	16	11	40	36	1		
native		29	35	0	58	45	49	20	8	15	36	42	4	8	59	13	10	33	34	1				
introd		2	0	0	2	1	4	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0				
uncertain		1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	5	3	0					
extinct		0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	0				
	Total taxa			32	35	0	61	48	54	20	9	16	39	44	5	9	65	17	11	41	37	1		

native present, autochthonous

introd present, introduced and established (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in Spain)uncertain uncertain for presence or absence; for instance with single or few records impossible to verify, or introduced without confirmation of establishment (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in UK), or previously present and probably extinct todayextinct absent extinct (previously present and certainly extinct today; e.g. *Ae. egypti* in France)

absent absent, never observed, or only few sporadic records out of its natural distribution area

Table 3: Chart of mosquito species distribution in the western Palaearctic region (central Europe)

Central Europe																						Total geographical units:22									
Genus	species	Subgenus		Authority	Albania	AUS	BIH	BGR	HRV	CZE	GRC	CRE	HUN	ITA	SAR	SIC	KOS	MKD	MLT	MNE	POL	ROU	SVK	SVN	SRB	TUR-TH	native	introd	uncertain	extinct	absent
Anopheles	algeriensis	Anopheles		Theobald, 1903	native	native	Bosnia & Herzegovina	Bulgaria	Croatia	Czech Rep.	Greece	Crete	Hungary	Italy (continental)	Sardinia	Sicily	Kosovo	FYRO Macedonia	Malta	Montenegro	Poland	Romania	Slovakia	Slovenia	Serbia	Turkey (Thrace Region)	14	0	1	1	6
Anopheles	cinerace s.s.	Anopheles		Theobald, 1901	native	native		native			native		native	native	native	native	native		native		native	extinct				native	5	0	0	0	17
Anopheles	claviger s.s.	Anopheles		(Meigen, 1804)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	18	0	1	1	4
Anopheles	hyrcanus	Anopheles		(Pallas, 1771)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	17	0	1	0	4
Anopheles	maculipennis s.l.	Anopheles		Meigen, 1818	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	21	0	0	0	0
Anopheles	atroparvus	Anopheles		van Thiel, 1927	native	native		native		native		native		native		native			native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	9	0	0	0	13
Anopheles	dactae	Anopheles		Linton, Nicolescu & Harbach, 2004	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	4	0	0	0	18
Anopheles	labranchiae	Anopheles		Falleroni, 1926	native	native		native		native		native		native		native			native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	15	0	0	0	0
Anopheles	maculipennis s.s.	Anopheles		Meigen, 1818	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	8	0	0	0	14
Anopheles	melnonius	Anopheles		Hackett, 1934	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	14	0	0	0	8
Anopheles	messeae	Anopheles		Falleroni, 1926	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	10	0	2	0	10
Anopheles	sacharovi	Anopheles		Favre, 1903	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	5	0	0	0	17
Anopheles	marteri	Anopheles		Senevir & Prunelle, 1927	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	3	0	0	0	15
Anopheles	petragnani	Anopheles		del Vecchio, 1939	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	19	0	1	0	2
Anopheles	plumbeus	Anopheles		Stephens, 1828	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	2	0	0	0	20
Anopheles	sergentii	Cellia		(Theobald, 1907)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	9	0	1	0	12
Anopheles	superpictus	Cellia		Grassi, 1899	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	0	0	0	0	0
Aedes	aegypti	Stegomyia		(Linnaeus, 1762)	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct		extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	extinct	0	0	0	9	13	
Aedes	albopictus	Stegomyia		(Skuse, 1894)	introd	uncertain	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd		introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	0	15	5	0	0	
Aedes	annulipes	Ochlerotatus		(Meigen, 1830)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	12	0	2	0	8
Aedes	atropalpus	Geocroceigia		(Coquillet, 1902)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	0	0	0	1	23
Aedes	behningi	Ochlerotatus		Martinii, 1926	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	5	0	0	0	0
Aedes	berlandi	Ochlerotatus		Séguy, 1921	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	13	0	0	0	9
Aedes	contans	Ochlerotatus		(Meigen, 1818)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	21	0	0	0	2
Aedes	caspius	Ochlerotatus	s.l.	(Pallas, 1771)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	11	0	2	0	9
Aedes	cataphylla	Ochlerotatus		Dyar, 1916	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	12	0	2	0	8
Aedes	cinerous	Aedes		Meigen, 1818	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	3	0	0	0	15
Aedes	communis	Ochlerotatus		(De Geer, 1776)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	2	0	1	0	19
Aedes	cretinus	Stegomyia		Edwards, 1921	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	2	0	0	1	17
Aedes	cyprius	Ochlerotatus		Ludlow, 1920	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	2	0	0	0	0	
Aedes	detritus	Ochlerotatus		(Haliday, 1833)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	14	0	1	0	7	
Aedes	diontaeus	Ochlerotatus		(Howard, Dyar & Knab, 1912)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	3	0	0	0	15	
Aedes	dorsalis	Ochlerotatus		(Meigen, 1830)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	15	0	1	0	1	
Aedes	echinus	Dahliana		(Edwards, 1920)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	7	0	1	0	14	
Aedes	euedes	Ochlerotatus		Howard, Dyar & Knab, 1913	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	1	0	0	0	23	
Aedes	excruians	Ochlerotatus	s.l.	(Walker, 1856)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	10	0	0	0	12	
Aedes	flavescens	Ochlerotatus		(Müller, 1764)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	9	0	1	0	12	
Aedes	germinalis	Aedes		Peus, 1970	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	5	0	0	0	0	
Aedes	geniculatus	Dahliana		(Olivier, 1791)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	18	0	0	0	4	
Aedes	hexodontus	Ochlerotatus		Dyar, 1916	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	1	0	0	0	23	
Aedes	hungaricus	Ochlerotatus		(Mihályi, 1955)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	4	0	0	0	18	
Aedes	intrudens	Ochlerotatus		Dyar, 1919	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	5	0	1	0	10	
Aedes	japonicus	Hulecoetomyia		(Theobald, 1901)	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd		introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	introd	0	5	0	0	17	
Aedes	koreicus	Hulecoetomyia		(Edwards, 1917)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	0	3	0	0	15	
Aedes	lepidonotus	Rusticoidus		(Edwards, 1920)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	2	0	1	0	15	
Aedes	leucometelas	Ochlerotatus		(Meigen, 1804)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	8	0	0	0	0	
Aedes	mariae	Acartomyia		(Sergent & Sergent, 1903)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	3	0	2	0	17
Aedes	zammitii	Acartomyia		(Theobald, 1903)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	8	0	1	0	13	
Aedes	nigrinus	Ochlerotatus		(Eckstein, 1918)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	3	0	1	0	18	
Aedes	nigripes	Ochlerotatus		(Zetterstedt, 1838)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	1	0	0	0	23	
Aedes	pionops	Ochlerotatus		Dyar, 1919	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	2	0	0	0	20	
Aedes	pulicaris	Ochlerotatus		(Rondani, 1872)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	13	0	1	0	8
Aedes	pullatus	Ochlerotatus		(Coquillet, 1904)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	11	0	2	0	9
Aedes	punctor	Ochlerotatus		(Kirby, 1837)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	12	0	1	0	9	
Aedes	refiki	Rusticoidus		Medschid, 1928	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	8	0	2	0	12	
Aedes	riparius	Ochlerotatus		Dyar & Knab, 1907	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	5	0	0	0	17	
Aedes																															

Genus	species	Subgenus	Authority	ALB	AUS	BIH	BGR	HRV	CZE	GRC	CRE	HUN	ITA	SAR	SIC	KOS	MKD	MLT	MNE	POL	ROU	SVK	SVN	SRB	TUR-TH	Total geographical units:22					
				Albania	Austria	Bosnia & Herzegovina	Bulgaria	Croatia	Czech Rep.	Greece	Crete	Hungary	Italy (continental)	Sardinia	Sicily	Kosovo	FYRO Macedonia	Malta	Montenegro	Poland	Romania	Slovakia	Slovenia	Serbia	Turkey (Thrace Region)	native	introd	uncertain	extinct	absent	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>hortensis</i> s.l.	<i>Maillotia</i>	Ficalbi, 1889	native	native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	uncertain	native	native	native	native	native	native	19	0	1	0	2	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>impudicus</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Ficalbi, 1890	native				native		native			native								uncertain	uncertain	uncertain	uncertain	uncertain	5	0	2	0	15	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>laticephalus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Edwards, 1913	native				native		native			native								native	native	native	native	native	8	0	1	0	13	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>martinii</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Medschid, 1930		native	uncertain		native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	8	0	2	0	12	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>mimeticus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Noè, 1899	native				native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	10	0	2	0	10
<i>Culex</i>	<i>modestus</i>	<i>Barraudius</i>	Ficalbi, 1890	native	native			native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	17	0	0	0	5
<i>Culex</i>	<i>peregrinus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903	native				native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	7	0	1	0	14
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pipiens</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Linnaeus, 1758	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	22	0	0	0	0	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pusillus</i>	<i>Barraudius</i>	Macquart, 1850	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	1	0	1	0	20	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>territans</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Walker, 1856	native	native			native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	16	0	1	0	5
<i>Culex</i>	<i>thellerae</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903	native				native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	11	0	1	0	10
<i>Culex</i>	<i>torrentium</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Martini, 1925		native			native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	9	0	1	0	12
<i>Culex</i>	<i>tritaeniorhynchus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Giles, 1901	native				native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	3	0	0	0	19
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>alaskensis</i> s.l.	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Ludlow, 1906)		native			native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	7	0	0	0	15
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>annulata</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schrank, 1776)	native	native			native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	19	0	0	0	3
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>fumipennis</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Stephens, 1825)	native				native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	11	0	1	0	10
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>glaphyropygata</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schiner, 1864)		native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	11	0	0	0	11	
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>litorea</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Shute, 1928)	native				native		native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	4	0	0	0	18
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>longiareolata</i>	<i>Allotrichobaldia</i>	(Macquart, 1838)	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	17	0	0	0	5	
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>morsitans</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Theobald, 1901)		native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	15	0	2	0	5	
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>ochroptera</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Peus, 1935)				native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	5	0	0	0	17	
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>subochrea</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1921)			native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	12	0	1	0	9	
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>buxtoni</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Edwards, 1923)			native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	11	0	0	0	11	
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>richardii</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Ficalbi, 1889)	native	native		native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	18	0	0	0	4	
<i>Orthopodomyia</i>	<i>pulicripollis</i>	-	(Rondani, 1872)	native		native	native	native	native	native		native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	9	0	2	0	11	
<i>Uranotaenia</i>	<i>unguiculata</i>	<i>Pseudoficalbia</i>	Edwards, 1913		native	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	17	0	0	0	5	

native present, autochthonous
 introd present, introduced and established (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in Spain)
 uncertain uncertain for presence or absence; for instance with single or few records impossible to verify, or introduced without confirmation of establishment (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in UK), or previously present and probably extinct today
 extinct absent extinct (previously present and certainly extinct today; e.g. *Ae. aegypti* in France)
 absent absent, never observed, or only few sporadic records out of its natural distribution area

Table 4: Chart of mosquito species distribution in the western Palaearctic region (eastern and northern Europe)

Genus	species	Subgenus	Authority	Eastern Europe						Northern Europe										Total geographical units: 17							
				BLR	MDA	RUS-CN	RUS-VO	RUS-SD	UKR	CRP	EST	FIN	ISL	KAL	LVA	LTU	NOR	RUS-NW	SVA	SWE	native	introd	uncertain	extinct	absent		
Anopheles	<i>algeriensis</i>	Anopheles	Theobald, 1903							native	native										native	4	0	0	0	13	
Anopheles	<i>cinereus</i> s.l.	<i>Cellia</i>	Theobald, 1901							native											native	1	0	0	0	16	
Anopheles	<i>claviger</i> s.s.	Anopheles	(Meigen, 1804)							native	native	native	native								native	14	0	0	0	3	
Anopheles	<i>hyrcanus</i>	Anopheles	(Pallas, 1771)							native	native	native	native								native	4	0	0	0	13	
Anopheles	<i>maculipennis</i> s.l.	Anopheles	Meigen, 1818							native	native	native	native	native							native	15	0	0	0	2	
Anopheles	<i>atroparvus</i>	Anopheles	van Thiel, 1927							native	native	native	native	native							native	7	0	0	0	10	
Anopheles	<i>beklemishevii</i>	Anopheles	Stegnii & Kabanova, 1976							native											native	4	0	0	0	13	
Anopheles	<i>maculipennis</i> s.s.	Anopheles	Meigen, 1818							native	native	native	native	native							native	12	0	0	0	5	
Anopheles	<i>melanoon</i>	Anopheles	Hackett, 1934							native											native	2	0	0	0	15	
Anopheles	<i>messeae</i>	Anopheles	Falleroni, 1926							native											native	13	0	0	0	4	
Anopheles	<i>sacharovi</i>	Anopheles	Favre, 1903							native											native	3	0	0	0	14	
Anopheles	<i>plumbeus</i>	Anopheles	Stephens, 1828							native	native	native	native								native	8	0	0	0	9	
Anopheles	<i>superpictus</i>	<i>Cellia</i>	Grassi, 1899							native											native	1	0	0	0	16	
Aedes	<i>aegypti</i>	<i>Stegomyia</i>	(Linnaeus, 1762)							introd													0	1	0	0	16
Aedes	<i>albescens</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	Edwards, 1921							native													1	0	0	0	16
Aedes	<i>albopictus</i>	<i>Stegomyia</i>	(Skuse, 1894)							introd													0	1	0	0	16
Aedes	<i>annulipes</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Meigen, 1830)		native	native				native	native	native	native	native							native	10	0	0	0	7	
Aedes	<i>behnigi</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Martini, 1926		native	native				native											native	9	0	0	0	8	
Aedes	<i>cantans</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Meigen, 1818)		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native							native	14	0	0	0	3	
Aedes	<i>caspicus</i> s.l.	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Pallas, 1771)		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native							native	14	0	0	0	3	
Aedes	<i>cataphylla</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar, 1916		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native							native	15	0	0	0	2	
Aedes	<i>cinereus</i>	<i>Aedes</i>	Meigen, 1818		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native							native	14	0	0	0	3	
Aedes	<i>communis</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(De Geer, 1776)		native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native							native	13	0	0	0	4	
Aedes	<i>cretinus</i>	<i>Stegomyia</i>	Edwards, 1921							uncertain											native	0	0	1	0	16	
Aedes	<i>cyprius</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Ludlow, 1920		native					native	native	native	native							native	11	0	0	0	6		
Aedes	<i>detritus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Haliday, 1833)		native					uncertain	uncertain									native	4	0	2	0	11		
Aedes	<i>diantaeus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Howard, Dyar & Knab, 1912)		native	native	native	native	native											native	11	0	0	0	6		
Aedes	<i>dorsalis</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Meigen, 1830)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	13	0	0	0	4		
Aedes	<i>euedes</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Howard, Dyar & Knab, 1913		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	9	0	0	0	8		
Aedes	<i>excruicas</i> s.l.	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Walker, 1856)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native						native	15	0	0	0	2		
Aedes	<i>flavescens</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Müller, 1764)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native						native	13	0	0	0	4		
Aedes	<i>geminus</i>	<i>Aedes</i>	Peus, 1970		native	native	native													native	4	0	0	0	13		
Aedes	<i>geniculatus</i>	<i>Dahliana</i>	(Olivier, 1791)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	13	0	0	0	4		
Aedes	<i>hexodontus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar, 1916		native															native	5	0	0	0	12		
Aedes	<i>impiger</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Walker, 1848)		native															native	4	0	0	0	13		
Aedes	<i>intermedius</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Danilov & Gormosteva, 1987							native										native	1	0	0	0	16		
Aedes	<i>intrudens</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar, 1919		native					native										native	11	0	0	0	6		
Aedes	<i>koreicus</i>	<i>Hulecoeteomyia</i>	(Edwards, 1917)							introd										native	0	1	0	0	16		
Aedes	<i>krymontanus</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	Alekseev, 1989							native										native	1	0	0	0	16		
Aedes	<i>leucomelas</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Meigen, 1804)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	13	0	0	0	4		
Aedes	<i>mercurator</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar, 1920		native															native	1	0	0	0	16		
Aedes	<i>nigrinus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Eckstein, 1918)																	native	5	0	0	0	12		
Aedes	<i>nigripes</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Zetterstedt, 1838)		native						uncertain	uncertain								native	5	0	0	0	12		
Aedes	<i>pionpis</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar, 1919		native						native									native	5	0	2	0	10		
Aedes	<i>pulcritarsis</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Rondani, 1872)							native	native	native								native	3	0	0	0	14		
Aedes	<i>pullatus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Coquillet, 1904)		native						native	native	native							native	9	0	0	0	8		
Aedes	<i>punctodes</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar, 1922		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	3	0	0	0	14		
Aedes	<i>punctor</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Kirby, 1837)		native						native	native	native							native	13	0	0	0	4		
Aedes	<i>refiki</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	Medschid, 1928		native						uncertain									native	2	0	1	0	14		
Aedes	<i>riparius</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dyar & Knab, 1907		native	native	native	native			native	native	native							native	12	0	0	0	5		
Aedes	<i>rossicus</i>	<i>Aedes</i>	Dolbeshin, Gorickaja & Mitrofanova, 1930		native						native	native								native	5	0	1	0	11		
Aedes	<i>rusticus</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	(Rossi, 1790)							uncertain										native	6	0	2	0	9		
Aedes	<i>sticticus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Meigen, 1838)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	10	0	0	0	7		
Aedes	<i>stramineus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	Dubitzky, 1970								native									native	1	0	0	0	16		
Aedes	<i>subdiversus</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	Martini, 1926								native	native								native	2	0	0	0	15		
Aedes	<i>vexans</i> s.l.	<i>Aedimorphus</i>	(Meigen, 1890)		native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native							native	15	0	0	0	2		

Eastern Europe																Northern Europe										
Genus	species	Subgenus	Authority	Belarus	MDA	RUS-CN	RUS-VO	RUS-SD	UKR	CRP	EST	FIN	ISL	KAL	LVA	LTU	NOR	RUS-NW	SVA	SWE	native	introd	uncertain	extinct	absent	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>hortensis</i> s.l.	<i>Maillotia</i>	Ficalbi, 1889							native											2	0	0	0	15	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>martini</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Medschid, 1930							native											1	0	0	0	16	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>mimeticus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Noè, 1899							native											2	0	0	0	15	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>modestus</i>	<i>Barradius</i>	Ficalbi, 1890	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	9	0	0	0	8	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pipiens</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Linnaeus, 1758	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	15	0	0	0	2	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>territans</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Walker, 1856	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	12	0	0	0	5							
<i>Culex</i>	<i>theileri</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903	native						native											3	0	0	0	14	
<i>Culex</i>	<i>torrentium</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Martini, 1925	native	native	native	native	native		native	native	native	native	native	12	0	0	0	5							
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>alaskensis</i> s.l.	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Ludlow, 1906)	native	native	native	native			native	native	native	native				native	native	native	native	native	14	0	0	0	3
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>annulata</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schrank, 1776)	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native	native				native	native	native	native	native	14	0	0	0	3
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>bergrothi</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1921)			native	native						native				native	native	native	native	native	6	0	0	0	11
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>fumipennis</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Stephens, 1825)	native		native				native	native	native	native	native	9	0	1	0	7							
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>glaphyroptera</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schiner, 1864)							native											2	0	0	0	15	
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>longiareolata</i>	<i>Allotrobaldis</i>	(Macquart, 1838)	native					native	native	native	native	native				native	native	native	native	native	4	0	0	0	13
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>morsitans</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Theobald, 1901)	native		native				native	native	native	native	native	13	0	0	0	4							
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>ochropetra</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Peus, 1935)	native		native				native	native	native	native	native	10	0	0	0	7							
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>subochrea</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1921)			native	native			native		native					native	native	native	native	native	5	0	0	0	12
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>buxtoni</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Edwards, 1923)		native					native											2	0	0	0	15	
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>richardii</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Ficalbi, 1889)		native				native	native	native	native	native	14	0	0	0	3								
<i>Orthopodomyia</i>	<i>pulchropalpis</i>	-	(Rondani, 1872)																			3	0	0	0	14
<i>Uranotaenia</i>	<i>unguiculata</i>	<i>Pseudoficalbia</i>	Edwards, 1913			native				native	native	native										4	0	0	0	13

species complex	Total	taxa	40	41	38	42	53	36	41	27	41	0	16	25	36	37	46	1	52
	species		39	40	37	41	52	35	40	26	40	0	15	24	35	36	45	1	51
	native	40	39	36	40	49	36	40	27	41	0	16	25	36	37	44	1	52	
	introd	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	uncertain	0	2	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
	extinct	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total taxa		40	41	38	42	53	36	41	27	41	0	16	25	36	37	46	1	52

native present, autochthonous
introd present, introduced and established (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in Spain)
uncertain uncertain for presence or absence; for instance with single or few records impossible to verify, or introduced without confirmation of establishment (e.g. *Ae. albopictus* in UK), or previously present and probably extinct today
extinct absent extinct (previously present and certainly extinct today; e.g. *Ae. aegypti* in France)
absent absent, never observed, or only few sporadic records out of its natural distribution area

Table 5: Chart of mosquito species distribution in the western Palaearctic region (Caucasus, Middle East, North Africa)

Caucasus															Middle-East															North Africa																		
Genus	species	Subgenus	Authority	ARM	AZE	GEO	CYP	IRQ	ISR	JOR	KWT	LBN	PSE	SYR	TUR-AN	DZA	EGY	LYB	MAR	TUN																												
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>quasirusticus</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	Torres Cahñares, 1951																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>refiki</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	Medschid, 1928																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>rusticus</i>	<i>Rusticoidus</i>	(Rossi, 1790)																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>sticticus</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Meigen, 1838)																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>surcoufi</i>	<i>Ochlerotatus</i>	(Theobald, 1912)																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>versicolor</i>	uncertain	(Barraud, 1924)																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>vexans</i> s.l.	<i>Aedimorphus</i>	(Meigen, 1830)																																													
<i>Aedes</i>	<i>vittatus</i>	<i>Fredwardsius</i>	(Bigot, 1861)																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>adairi</i>	<i>Lasiosiphon</i>	Kirkpatrick, 1926																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>antennatus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	(Becker, 1903)																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>arbieeni</i>	<i>Maillotia</i>	Salem, 1938																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>brumpti</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Gaillard, 1931																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>deserticola</i>	<i>Maillotia</i>	Kirkpatrick, 1925																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>duttoni</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1901																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>hortensis</i> s.l.	<i>Maillotia</i>	Ficalbi, 1889																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>impudicus</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Ficalbi, 1890																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>judaicus</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Edwards, 1926																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>latiinctus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Edwards, 1913																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>martini</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Medschid, 1930																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>mattinglyi</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Knight, 1953																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>mimeticus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Noé, 1899																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>modestus</i>	<i>Barraudius</i>	Ficalbi, 1890																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>peregrinus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pipiens</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Linnaeus, 1758																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>quinquefasciatus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Say, 1823																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>poicilipes</i>	<i>Oculeomyia</i>	(Theobald, 1903)																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pseudovishnui</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Colless, 1957																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>pusillus</i>	<i>Barraudius</i>	Macquart, 1850																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>simpsoni</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1905																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>sinaiticus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Kirkpatrick, 1924																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>sitiens</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Wiedmann, 1828																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>territans</i>	<i>Neoculex</i>	Walker, 1856																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>tholassius</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>theileri</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1903																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>torrentium</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Martini, 1925																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>tritaeniorhynchus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Giles, 1901																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>univittatus</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Theobald, 1901																																													
<i>Culex</i>	<i>vagans</i>	<i>Culex</i>	Wiedemann, 1828																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>alaskaensis</i> s.l.	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Ludlow, 1906)																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>annulata</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Schrank, 1776)																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>fumipennis</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Stephens, 1825)																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>litorea</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Shute, 1928)																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>longiareolata</i>	<i>Allotroebaldia</i>	(Macquart, 1838)																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>morisitana</i>	<i>Culicella</i>	(Theobald, 1901)																																													
<i>Culiseta</i>	<i>subochrea</i>	<i>Culiseta</i>	(Edwards, 1921)																																													
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>buxtoni</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(Edwards, 1923)																																													
<i>Coquillettidia</i>	<i>richardii</i>	<i>Coquillettidia</i>	(F																																													

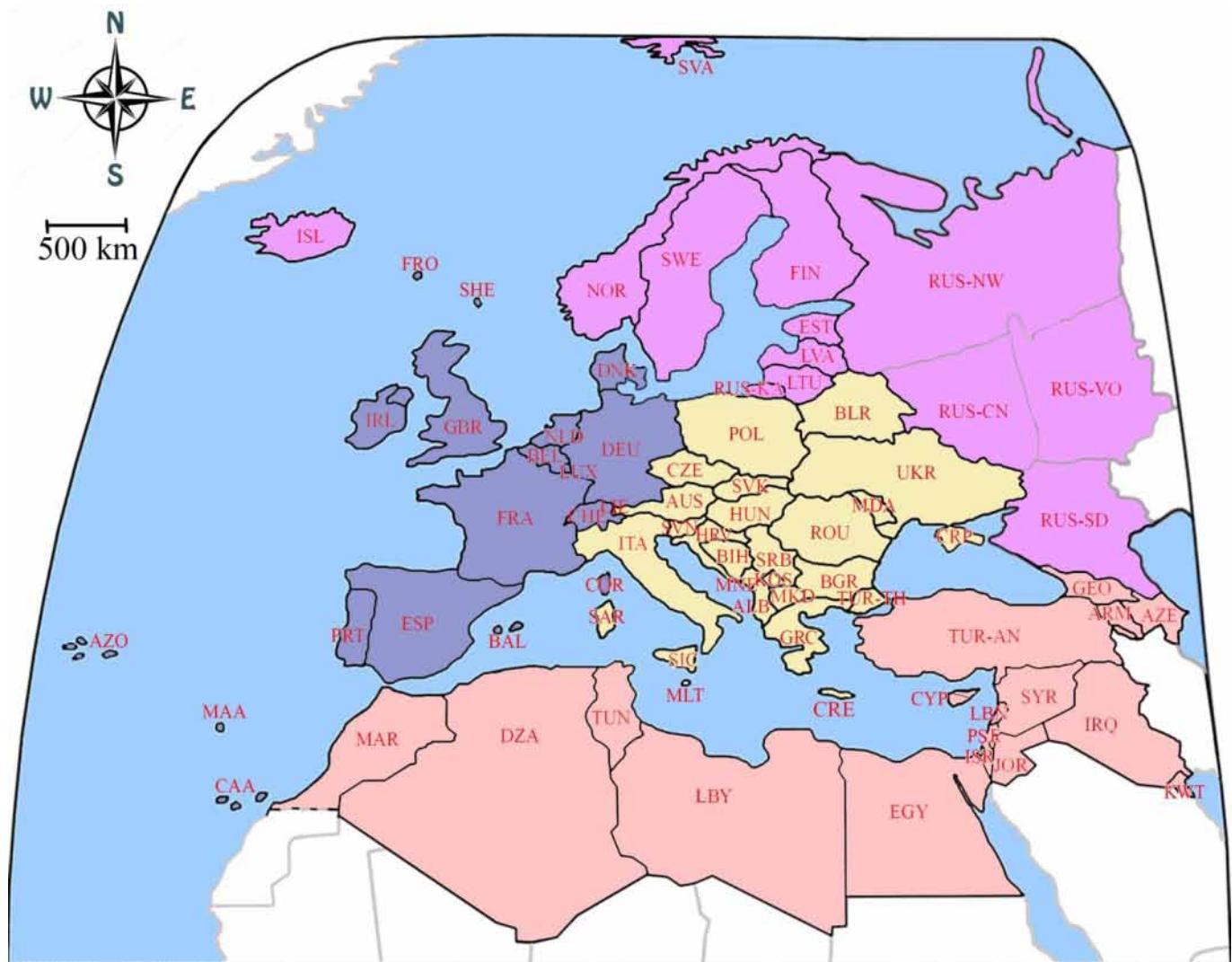


Figure 1: Map of the western Palaearctic region, with abbreviations of the 75 geographical units considered in the chart (Tables 2-5).

Comments regarding the species list

The number of taxa accounts for 147 (including one complex of species, *Anopheles maculipennis* s.l., and one extinct species, *Aedes atropalpus*) in the western Palaearctic region. In total, the number of species that are present in the region is 145. For a country/territory, only taxa with established populations are included, not those showing only sporadic

introductions, with the exception of the invasive species *Ae. aegypti*, *Ae. albopictus* and *Ae. japonicus* for which introduction without confirmation of establishment is given in the category 'uncertain' (see above).

Developments of the distribution charts from Snow & Ramsdale, 1999 to the present one are provided in Table 6.

Table 6: Changes of the distribution charts from Snow & Ramsdale (1999) to the present one.

Region	Snow & Ramsdale, 1999	Present paper
	Europe	western Palaearctic
No. geographic units	43	75
No. mosquito species	96	145
No. references (text+annex)	5+272	41+331

• Genus *Anopheles*

- *Anopheles (Cellia) cinereus cinereus* Theobald, 1901 and *An. c. hispaniola* (Theobald, 1903) are very difficult if not impossible to separate morphologically and in the chart therefore considered together under the taxon *An. cinereus* s.l.; *An. c. hispaniola* is distributed mainly in the Mediterranean region and *An. c. cinereus* in tropical Africa.

- The *Anopheles (Cellia) gambiae* complex includes several major human malaria vectors and is mainly distributed in sub-Saharan Africa, but some populations have been reported from northern Africa. For instance *An. coluzzii* Coetzee and Wilkerson, 2013 was observed in Tinzaouatine, a village in Algeria near the Algeria-Mali border during a small malaria outbreak in 2007 (Boubidi et al., 2010) and *An. arabiensis* Patton, 1905 invaded Upper

- Egypt from Sudan twice during 1942 and 1950 resulting in 180,000 malaria deaths (Kenawy, 1990).
- The *Anopheles* (*Anopheles*) *maculipennis* complex is represented by nine species in the western Palaearctic region, of which eight belong to the Maculipennis Subgroup (*An. atroparvus*, *An. daciae*, *An. labranchiae*, *An. maculipennis*, *An. melanoon*, *An. messeae*, *An. persiensis* and *An. sacharovi*), and one to the Quadrimaculatus Subgroup (*An. beklemishevi*) (Nicolescu et al., 2004). All species are listed separately in the chart, but because many old records are not reliable to a single species, they are also grouped under the name *An. maculipennis* s.l.
 - The member of the *An. maculipennis* complex, *Anopheles* (*Anopheles*) *daciae* Linton, Nicolescu & Harbach, 2004 is included in the taxa list, despite growing scepticism regarding its taxonomic status (Kronefeld et al., 2014; Blažejová et al., 2017).
 - *Anopheles* (*Anopheles*) *subalpinus* Hackett & Lewis, 1935, formerly recognised as a separate species of the *An. maculipennis* complex is now considered as a synonym of *An. melanoon* (Linton et al., 2002). All records previously referred to as *An. subalpinus* were changed to *An. melanoon* in the chart.
 - *Anopheles* (*Anopheles*) *pseudopictus* Grassi, 1899 is now considered a synonym of *An. hyrcanus* (Moaoulis et al., 2018). Consequently, we list all previous *An. hyrcanus* and *An. pseudopictus* records from the western Palaearctic region under the name *An. hyrcanus* (Pallas, 1771).
- Genus *Aedes*
- *Aedes* (*Georgecraigius*) *atropalpus* (Coquillett, 1902) has been introduced into Italy, France, and The Netherlands and was established for some years in Italy and The Netherlands but was later eliminated (Medlock et al., 2015). This taxon is included in the chart although the species is no longer considered as a member of the western Palaearctic fauna.
 - The complex *Aedes mariae* comprises three species: *Aedes* (*Acartomyia*) *mariae* (Sergent & Sergent, 1903), *Ae.* (*Acy.*) *zammitii* (Theobald, 1903) and *Ae.* (*Acy.*) *phoeniciae* Coluzzi & Sabatini, 1968. The first species is distributed along coasts of the western Mediterranean, the second along coasts of the central Mediterranean, Adriatic and Aegean Seas, and the third along coasts of the eastern Mediterranean. The precise limits of these distributions in North Africa are not known. The species distribution was suggested to be contiguous but without overlap around the Mediterranean Sea (Coluzzi and Sabatini, 1968). The aquatic stages develop specifically in saline sea rock-pools. Because the three species are almost identical morphologically, old records may be considered with caution and new investigation might be performed based on recently developed molecular methods (Mastrantonio et al., 2015).
 - *Aedes* (*Protomacleaya*) *triseriatus* (Say, 1823), a North American mosquito species has only once been reported in France in 2004. The interception occurred in a batch of used tyres originating from the U.S. and no establishment was confirmed (Medlock et al., 2012). This taxon is consequently not included in the chart.
 - *Aedes* (*Hulecoeteomyia*) *japonicus* (Theobald, 1901) comprises four subspecies; to date, all populations reported from the western Palaearctic belong to *Ae. j. japonicus* and are listed as *Ae. japonicus* in the chart. This species was recorded in 2018 in Asturias, Spain (Eritja et al., In press).
 - *Aedes* (*Ochlerotatus*) *beklemishevi* Denisova, 1955 is now considered a synonym of *Ae.* (*Och.*) *euedes* Howard, Dyar & Knab, 1913 (Wood, 1977).
 - *Aedes* (*Ochlerotatus*) *caspicus* *hargreavesi* Edwards, 1920, which has been described from Italy, is here included in the taxon *Ae. caspius* (Pallas, 1771) because of the scarcity of available information.
 - *Aedes* (*Ochlerotatus*) *duplex* Martini, 1926 was described from two males collected in the European part of Russia. As no further record of any stage has since been made, these males are now considered aberrant specimens (Becker et al., 2010). Consequently, *Ae. duplex* is excluded from the chart.
 - Because *Aedes* (*Ochlerotatus*) *dzeta* Seguy, 1924 is still listed as a valid species in the Systematic Catalog of Culicidae (Gaffigan et al., 2017), we include this taxon in the chart although it was only ever recorded as a larva found in Morocco during the first half of the 20th century. Recent publications related to mosquitoes in Morocco do not mention this species (Trari et al., 2017).
 - The species *Aedes* (*Aedes*) *rossicus* Dolbeskin, Gorickaja & Mitrofanova, 1930 was previously considered a subspecies of *Ae.* (*Aed.*) *esoensis* Yamada, 1921 (Peus, 1972), but elevated to full species status by Becker et al., 2010. All records previously referred to as *Ae. e. rossicus* were changed to *Ae. rossicus*. *Aedes esoensis* is present in Russia, but not in its European part (Gutsevitch et al., 1971) and thus is not included in the chart.
 - *Aedes* (*Aedimorphus*) *vexans* (Meigen, 1830) is listed here as a single taxon, although the existence of cryptic taxonomic units related to *Ae. vexans* is suggested in northern Europe (Lilja et al., 2018), and the subspecies *Ae. v. arabiensis* (Patton, 1905) has been reported from the Arabian Peninsula.
- Genus *Culex*
- *Culex* (*Maillotia*) *hortensis* *hortensis* Ficalbi, 1889 is widespread in the western Palaearctic region although the subspecies *Cx. h. maderensis* Mattingly, 1955 is reported as endemic from Madeira, but suspected to occur also in the Canaries (Schaffner et al., 2001) and in Albania (Rogozi et al., 2012). The two taxa are considered together under the name *Cx. hortensis* s.l. in the list.
 - *Culex* (*Culex*) *univittatus* Theobald, 1901 has been confirmed to occur in the Iberian Peninsula (Mixão et al., 2016), demonstrating that *Culex* (*Culex*) *perexiguus* Theobald, 1903 is not the only species of the *Univittatus* subgroup occurring in Europe. Therefore records of *Cx. perexiguus* without detailed morphological examination or molecular identification may refer to *Cx. univittatus*.
 - *Culex* (*Culex*) *juppi* Dumas et al., 2016 has been suggested as a cryptic species belonging to the *Cx. pipiens* complex that is associated with the absence of *Wolbachia* infection. This taxon does not fulfil the mandated requirements for availability and is considered a *nomen nudum*. Thus, the taxon is not included in the chart.
 - The *Culex* (*Culex*) *pipiens* complex (sensu Sirivanakarn, 1976) in the Western Palaearctic region comprises two species. *Culex pipiens* L., 1758 is distributed over the whole region and *Cx. quinquefasciatus* Say, 1823, a tropical variant,

was only present in the most eastern side of the region (Iraq and Kuwait) until 2014. In addition, the latter was recorded from various areas around the Mediterranean Sea, including Turkey (Günay et al., 2015) and also as *pipiens/quinquefasciatus*-hybrids on the Greek island Kos (Shaikevich & Vinogradova, 2014) and in Morocco (Shaikevich et al., 2016). However, the establishment of *Cx. quinquefasciatus* populations in the western Palaearctic has not been demonstrated yet. The two taxa *Cx. pipiens* biotype *pipiens* Linnaeus, 1758 and *Cx. pipiens* biotype *molestus* Forskål, 1775 are grouped together under the name *Cx. pipiens* in the chart.

- *Culex (Culex) thalassius* Theobald, 1903 has only been reported from Syria (Abdel-Malek, 1960) with the status "doubtful" (Harbach, 1988) and, thus, is not included in the chart.

• Genus *Culiseta*

- The two taxa *Culiseta (Culiseta) alaskaensis* *alaskaensis* (Ludlow, 1906) and *Cs. a. indica* Edwards, 1920 are considered together under the name *Cs. alaskaensis* s.l. in the list. The two subspecies differ in general body coloration: dark in *Cs. a. alaskaensis* and light in *Cs. a. indica*. *Culiseta a. alaskaensis* is generally reported from the western Palaearctic region while *Cs. a. indica* is reported from Caucasus and Russia (Becker et al., 2010).

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