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Abstract
A species discovery and description pipeline to accelerate and improve taxonomy is outlined, relying on concise expert descriptions, combined with DNA sequencing, digital imaging, and automated wiki species page creation from the journal. One hundred and one new species of *Trigonopterus* Fauvel, 1862 are described to demonstrate the feasibility of this approach: *T. aeneipennis* sp. n., *T. aeneus* sp. n., *T. agathis* sp. n., *T. agilis* sp. n., *T. amplipennis* sp. n., *T. ancoruncus* sp. n., *T. angilus* sp. n., *T. angustus* sp. n., *T. apicalis* sp. n., *T. armatus* sp. n., *T. ascendens* sp. n., *T. augur* sp. n., *T. balimensis* sp. n., *T. basalis* sp. n., *T. conformis* sp. n., *T. constrictus* sp. n., *T. costatus* sp. n., *T. costicollis* sp. n., *T. crassicornis* sp. n., *T. cuneipennis* sp. n., *T. cyclopiennis* sp. n., *T. denticornis* sp. n., *T. denticornis* sp. n., *T. denticornis* sp. n., *T. dromedarius* sp. n., *T. durus* sp. n., *T. echinus* sp. n., *T. edaphus* sp. n., *T. eremitus* sp. n., *T. evans* sp. n., *T. ferrugineus* sp. n., *T. fusiformis* sp. n., *T. glaber* sp. n., *T. gonatoceros* sp. n., *T. granum* sp. n., *T. helios* sp. n., *T. hitoloorum* sp. n.
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Melanesia, integrative taxonomy, turbo-taxonomy, weevils, hyperdiverse, morphology, nuclear DNA, coxl, DNA barcoding, Coleoptera, Curculionidae, Cryptorhynchinae

Introduction

The number of undescribed species on Earth is immense (Scheffers et al. 2012). Large scale studies on morphology, functional biology, community ecology, and phylogeny lead to the discovery of large numbers of new species, but suffer from the lack of a sound taxonomic foundation. DNA barcoding and molecular biodiversity assessment studies do indeed suffer from the same issue. The reason is apparent – it is comparably easy to collect many species and create large datasets, but it is not so easy to identify them, especially if numerous samples from tropical localities are involved. It is easy to obtain hundreds or thousands of DNA sequences or insect samples for a beta diversity study, even for a student project. Identification of samples from moderately to poorly studied regions, and more specifically the recognition and formal scientific description of new species however require taxonomic expertise.

Here, we will not review the significant body of literature addressing the various suggestions how to overcome the “taxonomic impediment”. Rather we report a species discovery and description pipeline (Riedel et al. 2013) that accelerates and improves the way taxonomy flanks research in related disciplines such as biogeography, phylogenetics and not the least community ecology. The term “turbo-taxonomy” was coined for a similar procedure describing 178 new species of parasitic wasps (Butcher et al. 2012) and is discussed below. When faced with a large number of morphologically similar, undescribed species, it is not an option to carry on “business as usual” and prepare very detailed descriptions with an output of only few species per year. Such a strategy will not achieve a sustained success within this century.

The first step is to select a suitable study group (see also Riedel et al. 2013 for a process chart). After an initial taxon screening, we have selected the hyperdiverse weevil genus Trigonopterus Fauvel for our research on biodiversity patterns and biogeography
across the Indomalayan Archipelago and Melanesia. *Trigonopterus* are flightless weevils placed in the subfamily Cryptorhynchinae of Curculionidae (Alonso-Zarazaga and Lyal 1999). It contains 91 described species ranging from Sumatra to Samoa, and from the Philippines to New Caledonia. To date, 50 species of *Trigonopterus* have formally been described from New Guinea, the center of its diversity. The majority of these species were described from the Papuan peninsula (Faust 1898, 1899) and from the Sattelberg area of the Huon peninsula (Voss 1960), both in present day Papua New Guinea.

We have previously established that *Trigonopterus* are suitable for accelerated taxonomic study combining morphology and the DNA barcoding approach using mitochondrial *cox1* data (Riedel et al. 2010; Tänzler et al. 2012). *Trigonopterus* species were clearly delineated by both molecular data (nuclear as well as mitochondrial sequences) and morphology, and both data sets were fully compatible. These preliminary surveys already resulted in the recognition of 279 *Trigonopterus* species from seven localities across New Guinea. Most of these were undescribed. DNA barcoding is recommended as an identification tool for *Trigonopterus* since the sequence data in a dynamic identification engine represent an efficient substitute for a traditional species-level key. Considering the high proportion of unknown and usually morphologically similar species both traditional dichotomous keys and computer-based interactive keys would be of very limited use. In the following we provide short diagnostic descriptions with photographs of habitus and male genitalia. In keeping these descriptions concise, it is possible to increase the number of species treated dramatically. This study demonstrates that the taxonomy of hyperdiverse groups can be tackled with the combination of DNA-barcoding and taxonomic expertise. Such work does neither proceed at lightning speed, nor can it be fully automated. However, fully embracing technological development, work can be sped up and results are more sustainable. Significant workloads can be trusted to technicians and students, while the taxonomist can focus on the actual comparative taxonomic work.

Some of the historic *Trigonopterus* species from New Guinea were revised by Riedel (2011). Types of all relevant Papuan species have been examined and additional revisions of the previously described species are in preparation. In the following, we concentrate on species which are not closely related to the ones already known to science. A selection of 101 species covering the morphological diversity of Papuan *Trigonopterus* is described below providing a scaffold for ongoing, future work on this genus.

**Materials and methods**

This study is based on a selection of 101 out of 279 species recognized by Tänzler et al. (2012). The number of 101 species was chosen as large enough to cover a major portion of diversity and small enough to complete the task within the scheduled time frame in 2012. Species represented only by females were not included in this selection. Care was taken that all major groups are represented, based on our unpublished
phylogenetic analysis. Moreover, we describe some clades of closely related species to demonstrate that our technique also works well for these. Four cryptic species (*T. granum* sp. n., *T. imitatus* sp. n., *T. pseudogranum* sp. n., and *T. velaris* sp. n.) are here described; they differ only in minor morphological characters but exhibit a marked genetic divergence (9.9–13.9 % uncorrected *p*-distance in our *cox1* fragment). In all, 50 species of *Trigonopterus* were previously known from the Papuan region, and three of these species could be identified with confidence in our full dataset. Many of the other previously described species have type series of mixed species which requires additional taxonomic work. This will be done in the near future after the completion of ongoing field campaigns might reveal fresh specimens for study. Species resembling the historic described species were excluded to avoid the risk of creating synonyms. Therefore, species from the Papuan and the Huon peninsula are somewhat underrepresented here.

Holotypes were selected from the sequenced specimens of Tänzler et al. (2012); their DNA had been extracted nondestructively as described by Riedel et al. (2010) and in our laboratory wiki (http://zsm-entomology.de/wiki/The_Beetle_D_N_A_Lab). The genitalia of most specimens did not require maceration after DNA-extraction; they could be directly stained with an alcoholic Chlorazol Black solution and stored in glycerol in microvials attached to the pin of the specimens. Genitalia of collection specimens or specimens whose abdominal muscle tissue was not sufficiently digested after DNA extraction were macerated with 10% KOH and rinsed in diluted acetic acid before staining. Illustrations of habitus and genitalia were prepared from holotypes. Finally, type series were supplemented with specimens stored in ethanol and older material from the dry collection. As always the case in paratypes, there is a chance that some of these are incorrectly assigned; this is especially true for specimens without sequence-data as an identification based on external morphological characters is more prone to error than an identification based on a *cox1* sequence (Tänzler et al. 2012).

Altogether, the selection of 101 species herein is represented by 4,624 specimens. Type depositories are cited using the following codens:

ARC Alexander Riedel Collection, stored in SMNK, Germany.
MZB LIPI Research Center of Biology, Division of Zoology, Museum Zoologicum Bogoriense, Widyasatwaloka, Cibinong, Indonesia.
NAIC National Agriculture Insect Collection, Kilakila, Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea.
NHMB Naturhistorisches Museum Basel, Switzerland.
NKME Naturkundemuseum Erfurt, Germany.
SMNK Staatliches Museum für Naturkunde, Karlsruhe, Germany.
ZSM Zoologische Staatssammlung, München, Germany.

The methods applied for DNA sequencing and sequence analysis are described by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012).
Morphological descriptions are limited to major diagnostic characters. For example, the aedeagus often bears characters suitable to separate closely related species and is therefore illustrated and briefly described. Tegmen and sternite VIII of males show peculiar characters in some species, but these are usually not species-specific. Therefore, they are omitted from the diagnostic descriptions. Measurements such as length / width ratio of elytra or pronotum are avoided and can be taken from the photographs if needed. Identification of females is difficult and is best done based on cox1-sequences. Illustrations of female genitalia would alleviate this situation only marginally and the time required to prepare the relevant illustrations did not appear justified. Negative character states (i.e. the absence of a character) are only mentioned explicitly where it appears appropriate. For example, there are few species with swollen or denticulate epistome. In these cases the character state is described, but for the majority of species with simple epistome it is not mentioned. Common practice would require to state explicitly “epistome simple”. Although formally accurate, in groups comprising hundreds of species this leads to inflated descriptions that distract the reader from the important information by enumerating the absence of rare character states. Except in the case of cryptic species no mention is made of “closely related species”, as their choice is highly subjective. The data provided by the cox1-sequences should be sufficient at the moment. At a later stage a phylogeny will be published based on several markers and then suitable subgroups may be formally named as subgenera.

Describing large numbers of new species belonging to the same genus makes the invention of suitable species epithets increasingly difficult. We propose a solution by naming ten species based on family names found in the phonebook of Papua New Guinea.

As proposed by Beutel and Leschen (2005) the terms “mesoventrite” / “metaventritle” are used instead of “mesosternite” / “metasternite”, and “mesanepisternum” / “metanepisternum” instead of “meseptisternum” / “metepisternum”. Descriptions were prepared using a Leica MZ16 dissecting microscope and a fluorescent desk lamp for illumination. Measurements were taken with the help of an ocular grid. The length of the body was measured in dorsal aspect from the elytral apex to the front of the pronotum. Legs were described in an idealized laterally extended position; there is a dorsal / ventral and an anterior / posterior surface. Habitus illustrations were compiled using the Automontage© software (Syncoscopy, Cambridge, UK) with a JVC KY70 camera (JVC Professional Products) adapted to a Leica Z6 APO (Leica Microsystems, Wetzlar, Germany). Photographic illustrations of genitalia were made using the same software / camera combination adapted to a Leica Diaplan, and for this purpose the genitalia were embedded in glycerol gelatin as described by Riedel (2005). Genitalia were photographed with their longitudinal axis somewhat lifted anteriorly, to adequately illustrate structures of the curved down apex. All photographs were enhanced using Adobe Photoshop CS2. However, care was taken not to obscure or alter any features of the specimens illustrated. Sequence data were submitted to the European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL), and the accession numbers are provided under each species e.g. as “(EMBL # FN429236)”.

101 new species of Trigonopterus
Taxonomy

Trigonopterus Fauvel, 1862
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus

Type-species: Trigonopterus insignis Fauvel, 1862, by monotypy.

Diagnosis. Fully apterous genus of Cryptorhynchinae. Length 1.5–6.0 mm. Rostrum in repose not reaching center of mesocoxa. Scutellum completely absent externally. Mesothoracic receptacle deep, posteriorly closed. Metanepisternum completely absent externally. Elytra with 9 striae (sometimes superficially effaced). Tarsal claws minute. Usually body largely unclothed, without dense vestiture. For additional information see http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus

Descriptions of the species

1. Trigonopterus aeneipennis Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:7746E1DE-0AFD-443A-A8D5-FBD6DD369F43
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_aeneipennis

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 1a). Length 1.74 mm. Color black; elytra and pronotum with greenish-bronze lustre; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with indistinct, irregular, longitudinal ridges. Pronotum with weak subapical constriction; densely punctate. Elytra with striae deeply impressed, intervals weakly costate, subglabrous. Meso- and metafemur ventrally weakly dentate. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 1b) with apex extended, pointed; body in profile at middle with marked depression; transfer apparatus relatively complex, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. Intraspecific variation. Length 1.50–1.74 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous.

Material examined. Holotype (MZB): ARC0530 (EMBL # FN429236), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, S02°31.912', E140°30.416', 785 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 3 exx, ARC0531 (EMBL # FN429237), same data as holotype; 2 exx, ARC0550 (EMBL # FN429256), S02°31.776', E140°30.215', 945 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 4 exx, ARC0564 (EMBL # FN429270), S02°31.912', E140°30.416', 785 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted.


Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin adjective aeneus (of bronze) and the noun penna (wing, elytron) and refers to its coloration.

Notes. Trigonopterus aeneipennis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 50” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “Trigonopterus spax” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.
2. *Trigonopterus aeneus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:469B5A6C-6773-4E35-8F0D-5CF4EE85D658
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_aeneus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 2a). Length 1.91 mm. Color black with greenish-bronze lustre; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with weak median wrinkle; epistome simple. Eyes small. Pronotum with weak subapical constriction; disk sparsely punctate. Elytra with strial punctures distinct; intervals flat, subglabrous; interval 7 subapically costate, forming angulate ridge; sutural interval apically with knob. Meso- and metafemur ventrally weakly dentate. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Onychium ca. 1.8× longer than tarsomere 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 2b) with apex weakly asymmetrical; long median extension somewhat shifted to the left; transfer apparatus hook-shaped; ductus ejaculatorius with indistinct bulbus, torn off in holotype. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.63–1.91 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1089 (EMBL # HE615719), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Simbu Prov., Karimui Dist., Haia, S06°43.948', E144°59.856', 915 m, 26-IX-2009. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW guinea, Simbu Prov.: 12 exx, ARC1090 (EMBL # HE615720), ARC1091 (EMBL # HE615721), same data as holotype; 1 ex, Haia, S06°41.624', E145°00.728', 960 m, 25-IX-2009, sifted; 1 ex, ARC1105 (EMBL # HE615734, Haia, S06°41.018', E145°00.995', 1090 m, 04-X-2009.

**Distribution.** Simbu Prov. (Haia). Elevation: 915–1090 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *aeneus* (of bronze) and refers to its coloration.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus aeneus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 267” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_agathis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 3a). Length 2.04 mm. Color black; legs and antenna ferruginous. Body subglobose; in dorsal aspect with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; with more distinct constriction in profile. Rostrum in basal half with 3 ridges posteriorly continued to and uniting on forehead; apical half scabrous; epistome smooth, forming indistinct transverse ridge. Pronotum punctate-rugose, interspaces between punctures forming longitudinal wrinkles; with distinct subapical constriction. Elytra subglabrous, striae deeply impressed, intervals costate; apex extended ventrad, beak-shaped. Femora edentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Abdominal ven-
ter steeply flexed dorsad, concealed in elytral capsule. Aedeagus (Fig. 3b) with apex medially pointed; body in apical half with broad depression visible in lateral aspect; in basal half with x-shaped sclerite; subglabrous, with sparse indistinct setae; transfer apparatus markedly flagelliform, longer than body, curled, pointing apicad. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.86–2.04 mm.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1688 (EMBL # HE615975), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Angkasa indah, S02°30.346', E140°42.087', 490 m, 28-VI-2010, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK): 4 exx, ARC1689 (EMBL # HE615976), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 490 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Greek noun *agathis* (ball, globe) in apposition and refers to the species' habitus.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus agathis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 109” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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**4. *Trigonopterus agilis* Riedel, sp. n.**

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_agilis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 4a). Length 2.55 mm. Color black with slight bluish lustre; legs deep ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body ovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal half with median ridge, coarsely punctate and with sparse cream-colored scales; apically smooth, with small punctures. Eyes large. Pronotum dorsally densely punctate with minute punctures; laterally with larger punctures, anteriorly above procoxa squamose with subtriangular cream-colored scales. Elytra dorsally subglabrous, punctures minute, striae hardly visible; laterally strial punctures deep, lateral 5 striae distinct. Femora elongate, edentate. Profemur converging from base to apex. Metafemur with simple dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibiae simple, without rows or brushes of long setae. Metathoracic and abdominal venter with sparse cream-colored scales. Aedeagus (Fig. 4b) symmetrical, apically pointed; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.54–2.84 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, in apical half with minute punctures.

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5 exx, 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 1 ex, 1100–1600 m, 05-X-1991; 1 ex, 700–1400 m, 23-XII-2004; 5 exx, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 700–1100 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *agilis* (quick) and refers to the behavior of this species and its close relatives.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus agilis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 14” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spm” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

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5. *Trigonopterus amplipennis* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_amplipennis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 5a). Length 2.26 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with shallow constriction. Rostrum dorsally dull, with 3 irregular ridges, with rows of erect setae; epistome forming angulate ridge and median denticle. Pronotum with distinct subapical constriction, sparsely punctate with small setiferous punctures, behind subapical constriction scales larger, subclavate, yellowish. Elytra subglabrous, striae weakly impressed, with minute punctures, each puncture with minute seta; apex bordered by curved ridge, median suture incised. Femora edentate. Meso- and metatibia in basal half widened, subapically narrowed. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 5b) widening towards subtruncate, medially pointed apex; transfer apparatus flagelliform, curved, shorter than body; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, without bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.00–2.28 mm. Color of elytra and legs black or ferruginous. Female rostrum dorsally punctate-rugose, in apical half without setae; epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0556 (EMBL # FN429262), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.182', E140°30.542', 1510 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 34 exx, ARC0557 (EMBL # FN429263), ARC0558 (EMBL # FN429264), ARC0559 (EMBL # HE615318), same data as holotype; 14 exx, S02°31.281', E140°30.535', 1420 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 7 exx (1 marked ARC0094), 1320 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 5 exx, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1320–1510 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin adjective *amplus* (wide) and the noun *penna* (wing, elytron) and refers to the basally widened elytra.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus amplipennis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 40” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* span” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_ancoruncus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 6a). Length 2.49 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Eyes large. Rostrum medially with two rows of course squamiferous punctures; pair of lateral furrows with row of larger overlapping almond-shaped white scales. Pronotum densely punctate; dorsally punctures containing inconspicuous setae, anterolaterally with scattered white scales. Elytra with striae distinct; intervals flat, subglabrous, each with one row of minute punctures. Femora ventrally with acute tooth. Mesofemur and metatibae dorsally sparsely squamose with white scales. Metatibia subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia at middle curved ventrad, subapically with brush of long setae; uncus hook-like extended, curved ventrobasad. Aedeagus (Fig. 6b) with apodemes 2.5 × as long as body; sides of body weakly bisinuate, converging; apex extended, pointed, markedly curved ventrad, sinuate in profile; transfer apparatus flagelliform, subequal to body of aedeagus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus.


**Distribution.** Simbu Prov. (Haia). Elevation: ca. 1220–1450 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin nouns *ancora* (anchor) and *uncus* (hook; tibial uncus) in apposition and refers to the species’ remarkable metatibia.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus ancoruncus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 78” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

7. *Trigonopterus angulatus* Riedel, sp. n.
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_angulatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 7a). Length 2.63 mm. Color black; antenna light ferruginous; tarsi and tibiae deep ferruginous. Body subovate-hexagonaliform; in dorsal aspect with shallow constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with median and pair of submedian carinae; laterally somewhat flattened; with sparse suberect scales; epistome with transverse, angulate ridge. Pronotum with anterior margin curved dorsad, forming lateral angles; disk subglabrous, anteriorly densely coarsely punctate, towards sides forming edges; laterally in front and behind procoxa with cavity. Elytra subglabrous; intervals flat, with minute punctures; striae weakly incised on disk, towards glabrous sides forming edges; interval 7 subapically forming edge, apex angulate. Femora edentate.
Metafemur dorsally squamose with indistinct suberecrt scales; in apical third without transverse row of setae, subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 7b) apically subangulate, median tip truncate; with complex, symmetrical transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius with indistinct bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.60–2.63 mm. No female specimen available.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *angulatus* (with angles) and refers to the outline of its body in dorsal aspect.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus angulatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 194” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

8. *Trigonopterus angustus* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_angustus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 8a). Length 2.83 mm. Color black; legs and antenna ferruginous. Body elongate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum basally with distinct median and pair of submedian carinae, in apical ¼ relatively smooth, basally sparsely squamose. Pronotum densely punctate with large punctures except small glabrous area at center; interspaces smaller than puncture’s diameter. Elytra dorsally punctate with deep punctures; near base and along suture more densely punctate, punctuation confuse; basal margin near elytral suture somewhat swollen and glabrous; striae impressed as fine lines; laterally punctuation relatively sparse, behind humerus with row of deep punctures. Femora edentate. Profemur in basal third posteriorly with callus. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 8b) apically subangulate, medially truncate, with pair of stout setae; body flattened, sides subparallel; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.24–2.83 mm. Body of females more slender. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, punctate, basally sparsely squamose. Female abdominal ventrites 1–2 flat.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0626 (EMBL # FN429283), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°32.3’, E140°30.4’, 350–620 m, 19-XI-2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts: 4 exx, Sentani, ARC0455 (EMBL # FN429166), ARC0456 (EMBL # FN429167), ARC0479 (EMBL # FN429186), ARC0631 (EMBL # FN429286), S02°31.3’, E140°30.5’, 1200–1420 m, 30.XI.2007; 2 exx,
ARC0627 (EMBL # FN429284), ARC0630 (EMBL # FN429285), same data as holotype; 1 ex, Cyclops Mts, Angkasa indah ARC1693 (EMBL # HE615980), S02°30.355', E140°42.103' to S02°30.346', E140°42.087', 450–520 m, 28-VI-2010; 5 exx (1 marked as “ARC0046”), 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 3 exx, 400–800 m, 07-VIII-1992; 1 ex, 1100–1600 m, 05-X-1991; 2 exx, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991; 6 exx, 1200–1400 m, 09-VIII-1992; 3 exx, Lereh, 500–1000 m, 26-I-1996.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts; Lereh). Elevation: 520–1200 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *angustus* (narrow) and refers to its habitus.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus angustus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 12” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spl” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.


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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_apicalis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 9a). Length 4.90 mm. Color black except basal half of elytron bright orange; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body elongate; in dorsal aspect with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum slender, basally scabrous with distinct median ridge and pair of irregular submedian ridges, in apical 1/3 punctate. Pronotum large, subquadrate, densely punctate. Elytra densely punctate with small irregular punctures; striae partly impressed as fine lines, partly indistinct. Femora dentate with acute tooth. Profemur enlarged, subovate, posteriorly concave and polished, in basal third with callus. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Thoracic and abdominal venter concave, densely punctate, sparsely setose with thin erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 9b) with apodemes 3.0 × as long as body; apex rounded, at middle subtruncate; transfer apparatus flagelliform, stout, more than 2 × as long as body; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, without bulbuls. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 4.08–4.90 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, at base coarsely punctate. Male pronotum larger, with sides posteriorly almost straight; female pronotum smaller, with sides rather convex. Male elytra narrower, converging apicad; female elytra wider, lateral contour convex. Female abdominal venter flat, subglabrous, punctate, with sparse short recumbent setae.

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1220 m, 01-X-2009, beaten; 1 ex, Haia, Supa station, S06°39.815', E145°03.169' to S06°39.609', E145°03.012', 1240–1450 m, 30-IX-2009, beaten.


**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *apicalis* (pertaining to the apex) and refers to the species’ contrasting elytral coloration.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus apicalis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 259” by Tänzler et al. (2012).


http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_armatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 10a). Length 3.53 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body ovate; almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal third swollen, dorsally coarsely punctate and with indistinct median carina; apically shining, punctures more shallow, with longitudinal furrows. Pronotum densely punctate except along impunctate midline. Elytra punctate with small punctures, along basal margin with transverse row of deeper and denser punctures; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri simple, not deepened. Profemur and mesofemur with anteroventral ridge ending abruptly 1/3 before apex. Metafemur with anteroventral ridge ending with bluntly angled tooth 1/3 before apex; with denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Mesotibia ventrally with spine in subapical 1/3, apically with pre-mucro. Metatibia apically with uncus and larger subtriangular premucro. Aedeagus (Fig. 10b) with distinct, symmetrical transfer-apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.63–3.59 mm. Female rostrum basally simple, not swollen. Female mesotibia in subapical 1/3 simple, apically without premucro. Female metatibia without premucro.


Biology. Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin participle *armatus* (armed) and refers to the teeth of the male meso- and metatibia.

Notes. *Trigonopterus armatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 7” by Riedel et al. (2010), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spg” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

11. *Trigonopterus ascendens* Riedel, sp. n.
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_ascendens

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 11a). Length 2.55 mm. Color ferruginous; dorsal surface of head and pronotum black. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with weak constriction. Rostrum densely punctate-reticulate, without longitudinal furrows or ridges. Eyes large, approximate. Pronotum coarsely punctate-reticulate. Elytra densely striate-punctate; striae deeply impressed; intervals each with dense row of deeply impressed punctures, similar to striae; interspaces costate, subglabrous. Femora edentate. Metatibiae subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 11b) apically subangulate, subglabrous; transfer apparatus spiniform, long, subequal to body; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.52–2.64 mm. Female rostrum dorsally in apical half with punctures usually isolated.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1767 (EMBL # HE616044), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga, S03°47.575’, E138°33.155’ to S03°47.473’, E138°33.163’, 2620–2715 m, 15-VII-2010. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): 21 exx, ARC1768 (EMBL # HE616045), ARC1769 (EMBL # HE616046), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Poga). Elevation: ca. 2620–2715 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of upper montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *ascendens* (climbing up) and refers to its occurrence on higher elevations.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus ascendens* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 169” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_augur

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 12a). Length 4.24 mm. Color black; antenna partly ferruginous. Body ovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum slender, dorsally with distinct median carina and sublateral ridges; furrows bordering ridges containing each one row of mesad directed white narrow scales; subapically shining, punctate, setose. Eyes large.
Pronotum large, subglabrous, with minute punctures, in basal half sides separated by densely punctate edge. Elytra punctate with minute punctures; striae impressed as fine lines; basal margin bisinuate, bordered by row of large punctures continued behind humeri. Profemur large, anteriorly at middle with large tooth. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales; with anteroventral ridge at middle with inconspicuous tooth. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 12b) apically weakly pointed; ductus ejaculatorius near insertion to transfer apparatus swollen, subapically with weak bulbus.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.28–4.16 mm. Female rostrum dorsally largely subglabrous, with submedian rows of minute punctures; in basal 1/5 punctate-rugose, with white recumbent scales.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0444 (EMBL # FN429155), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.685', E140°30.430', 1010m, 28-XI-2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, NHMB, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 1 ex, ARC0445 (EMBL # FN429156), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC0658 (EMBL # FN429305), S02°31.794', E140°30.190', 800–860 m, 21-XI-2007, “Mim2”, beaten; 16 exx, ARC0666 (EMBL # FN429313), ARC0667 (EMBL # FN429314), S02°31.6', E140°30.4', 900–1100 m, 28-XI-2007, beaten; 3 exx, 1100–1600 m, 05-X-1991; 1 ex, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991; 1 ex, 800–1000 m, 07-VIII-1992; 6 exx (1 marked as “ARC0130”), 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 2 exx, Lake Sentani, III-1992, 300 m.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 300–1200 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin noun *augur* in apposition and refers to the large eyes that help the species to see birds, presumably important predators.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus augur* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 21*” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus spu*” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

### 13. *Trigonopterus balimensis* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_balimensis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 13a). Length 2.58 mm. Color orange-ferruginous; pronotum and parts of head black. Body fusiform, almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile dorsally flat, towards apex convex. Rostrum with median costa flat, pair of submedian furrows containing sparse rows of mesad-directed setae. Pronotum subglabrous, punctate with small to minute punctures. Elytra subglabrous, punctuation confused with small to minute punctures. Femora with anteroventral ridge terminating with tooth in apical third. Anteroventral ridge of mesofemur high, at middle with subangulate incision. Metafemur with crenulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch; posteroventral ridge at
middle with knob. Mesotibia with dorsal edge pushed forward, apex slightly curved ventrad. Abdominal ventrite 1 besides metacoxa with brush of erect scales. Aedeagus (Fig. 13b) with body subrectangular; apex with pair of long pointed brushes; transfer-apparatus complex, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.11–2.96 mm. Female mesofemur with evenly denticulate anterodorsal ridge, without incision at middle. Posteroventral ridge of female metafemur simple. Female mesotibia straight. Abdominal ventrite 1 besides metacoxa simple.


Biology. Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the name of the Balim-river area which is close to the type locality.

Notes. *Trigonopterus balimensis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 172” by Tänzler et al. (2012). At the time, it was lumped with a closely related but distinct species from Poga and Lake Habbema.


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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_basalis

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 14a). Length 2.42 mm. Color black; base of elytra and legs ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally scabrous, basally with indistinct median ridge;
epistome forming angulate ridge. Pronotum moderately densely punctate. Elytra with striae marked by small punctures; interval 4 basally with cluster of few subovate, cream-colored, recumbent scales; interval 7 subapically forming indistinct ridge. Meso- and metafemur with anteroventral ridge weakly dentate. Meso- and metatibia in basal half widened, subapically narrowed; dorsal edge basally granulate; uncus large, peg-shaped. Metafemur with denticulate dorso-posterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 14b) with sides of body in apical third converging, apex rounded; orifice retracted; endophallus denticulate; transfer apparatus symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 1.98–2.48 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous in apical half, with small punctures, epistome simple.


Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin adjective basalis (characterized by the base) and refers to the elytral base differing in color and vestiture from the remainder.

Notes. Trigonopterus basalis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 42” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “Trigonopterus spap” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

15. Trigonopterus conformis Riedel, sp. n.
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_conformis

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 15a). Length 3.34 mm. Color black, legs deep ferruginous, antenna lighter ferruginous. Body ovate; almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally tricarinate, with distinct median and pair of lateral carinae. Pronotum densely punctate. Elytra densely punctate; strial punctures slightly larger than minute punctures on intervals; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri simple, not deepened. Femora edentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorso-posterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Mesotibia simple, in basal half dorsal contour denticulate, but without distinct angulation. Metatibia with minute premucro; without suprauncal projection. Aedeagus (Fig. 15b) apically subangulate; dorsum sublaterally sparsely
setose; transfer apparatus dentiform, short; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.31–3.34 mm. No female specimen available.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1794 (EMBL # HE616071), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Bokondini, S03°41.787', E138°40.229' to S03°41.778', E138°40.129', 1705–1710 m, 17-VII-2010. Paratype (SMNK): 3 exx, ARC1795 (EMBL # HE616072), ARC2347 (EMBL # HF548203), ARC2348 (EMBL # HF548204) same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Bokondini). Elevation: ca. 1705–1710 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *conformis* (like, similar) and refers to the similarity of this species, both to some closely related sibling species, and to others of only superficial resemblance.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus conformis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 86” by Tänzler et al. (2012).


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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_constrictus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 16a). Length 2.55 mm. Color dark brown; antenna, tarsi, and elytra ferruginous. Body dull, microreticulate; subovate; in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with shallow constriction. Rostrum sparsely punctate, with sublateral pair of furrows; epistome simple. Eyes large, divided into dorsal and ventral portions by marked incision of posterior margin. Pronotum with distinct subapical constriction; densely punctate with deep punctures; each puncture with one elongate-ovate, ochre scale. Elytra with striae deeply incised; intervals costate, each with one row of narrow scales. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibial apex with stout uncus and minute preuncus. Onychium ca. 2.3 × longer than tarsomere 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 16b) with sides of apical half converging to apex, in profile markedly curved; transfer apparatus tubuliform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.55–2.63 mm. Color with ferruginous elytra or entirely brown.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1731 (EMBL # HE616008), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga, S03°47.406', E138°35.507', 2410 m, 14-VII-2010, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga: 1 ex, ARC1724 (EMBL # HE616004), S03°48.382', E138°34.780'; 2330 m, 13-VII-2010, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *constrictus* (constricted) and refers both to the constriction of the eye and the body between pronotum and elytron.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus constrictus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 54” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
17. *Trigonopterus costatus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:8640F855-706A-4462-9BB0-F50993518DCD
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_costatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 17a). Length 2.12 mm. Color black; antenna light ferruginous; legs deep ferruginous. Body subovate, with shallow constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half medi-ally carinate, with pair of sublateral furrows posteriorly converging on forehead; weakly punctate, sparsely setose; epistome with transverse, angulate ridge. Pronotum with sub-apical constriction dorsally distinct, laterally indistinct; disk with longitudinal impres-sions, sparsely punctate, sparsely setose. Elytra with striae deeply incised, towards sides with deep interspersed punctures; intervals costate-carinate, subglabrous, with sparsely setose with minute recumbent setae; apex rounded. Femora edentate. Metafemur with simple dorsoposterior edge, in apical third with transverse row of small suberect setae, subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 5 basally with pair of teeth. Aedeagus (Fig. 17b) apically subangulate, glabrous; with complex, symmetrical transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.06–2.12 mm. Female rostrum in basal half with median carina less distinct.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0767 (EMBL # HE615450), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja, S00°51.497', E134°04.949', 220 m, 05-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja: 2 exx, ARC766 (EMBL # HE615449), ARC0768 (EMBL # HE615451), same data as holotype; 6 exx, S00°51.400', E134°04.918', 225 m, 06-XII-2007, sifted; 1 Ex, 200 m, 30-XII-2004.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *costatus* (ribbed) and refers to the elytral sculpture.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus costatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 202” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

18. *Trigonopterus costicollis* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:68D95F06-54A5-4B9E-90FD-9D0F12AE70D0
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_costicollis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 18a). Length 2.80 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body elongate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with dis-tinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with median costa and pair of submedian costae, furrows between with sparse rows of suberect scales; epistome flat. Pronotum with marked subapical constriction, anteriorly densely punctate; disk sparsely punctate, deeply sculptured, with median ridge and pair of broad submedian ridges; behind constriction anteriorly with pair of lateral angular protrusions. Elytra
subglabrous except basally striae 1–3 with each one fovea; remaining striae indistinct, marked by minute punctures; apex rounded. Femora edentate. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Tarsomere 3 small, hardly larger than preceding, onychium ca. 2.1 × longer than tarsomere 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 18b) apically angulate, sparsely setose; transfer-apparatus flagelliform; ductus ejaculatorius with indistinct bulbus.


Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

Etymology. This epithet is a combination of the Latin nouns costa (rib, ridge) and collum (neck; pronotum) refers to the sculpture of its pronotum.

Notes. Trigonopterus costicollis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 166” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

19. Trigonopterus crassicornis Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:C9B21DA1-F32C-4E44-8F9A-4632D30DEE1B
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_crassicornis

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 19a). Length 2.39 mm. Color orange-ferruginous; pronotum and parts of head black. Body subrhomboid, almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile dorsally flat, towards apex convex. Rostrum without median ridge, basally swollen and densely punctate, sparsely setose. Antenna with funicle swollen, continuous with club. Pronotum subglabrous, sparsely punctate with small to minute punctures. Elytra subglabrous, punctuation confused with small to minute punctures. Profemur with anteroventral ridge terminating with tooth in apical third. Mesofemur with anteroventral ridge irregularly serrate; posteroverentral ridge in apical half, terminating with rectangular protrusion. Metafemur laterally flattened; dorsally sparsely squamose with silvery scales; anteroventral ridge distinct; dorsoposterior edge simple; subapically with stridulatory patch. Uncus of metatibia small. Aedeagus (Fig. 19b). Body with sides converging; apex medially weakly extended, sublaterally with pair of sparse setose brushes; transfer-apparatus complex, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.22–2.85 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous with pair of submedian row of small punctures. Female antennal funicle less swollen. Female mesofemur along posteroverentral edge simple, without rectangular protrusion.

Material examined. Holotype (MZB): ARC0756 (EMBL # HE615439), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°56.146', E138°57.710', 2245–2290 m, “Mim 4”, 26-XI-2007. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 3 exx, ARC0757 (EMBL # HE615440), ARC0758 (EMBL # HE615441), same data as holotype; 72 exx, ARC1785 (EMBL # HE616062), ARC1786 (EMBL # HE616063), Bokondini, S03°40.345', E138°42.386' to S03°40.255', E138°42.189', 1655–1700 m, 18-VII-2010; 22 exx, ARC1788
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(EMBL # HE616065), ARC1789 (EMBL # HE616066), Bokondini, S03°41.787’, E138°40.229’ to S03°41.778’, E138°40.129’, 1705–1710 m, 17-VII-2010; 2 exx (1 marked ARC00611), Ilugwa, Melanggama, 1900–2200 m, 09-12-IX-1990; 2 exx, Ilugwa, Melanggama, trail to Pass Valley, 2100–2300 m, 09-10-IX-1990; 3 exx, Jiwikka, Kurulu, ca. 1700–2300 m, 06-IX-1991; 1 ex, Jiwikka, 1800–2300 m, 31-V-1998.


Biology. Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin adjective crassus (thick) and cornu (horn, antenna) and refers to the thickened antennal funicle.

Notes. Trigonopterus crassicornis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 171” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

20. Trigonopterus cuneipennis Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:422E2A48-0075-4C84-AC2B-080BD7EF0185
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_cuneipennis

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 20a). Length 3.00 mm. Color black. Body slender, subrhomboid; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in apical third smooth; in basal 2/3 with broad median costa and pair of sublateral ridges; furrows containing sparse row of setae. Eyes with dorsal margin carinate. Head bordering eye with elongate impression. Pronotum subglabrous, sparsely punctate with minute punctures. Elytra subglabrous, punctation confused with minute punctures; striae hardly visible, impressed as very fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri with row of ca. 5 deep punctures. Femora subglabrous, including dorsum of metafemur without scales. Mesofemur on posterior surface with longitudinal ridge. Metafemur on posterior surface with two longitudinal furrows; dorsally with smooth ridge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Meso- and metatibia subapically simple, with uncus, without premicro. Aedeagus (Fig. 20b). Apex symmetrical, with median acute extension; body dorsally with two rows of sparse short setae; transfer apparatus small, dentiform; endophallus without distinct sclerites; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 1.95–3.00 mm.


Biology. Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin nouns cuneus (wedge) and penna (wing, elytron) and refers to the shape of elytra.

Notes. Trigonopterus cuneipennis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 96” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:2801D93B-6053-415C-B6FB-726952E07B33  
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_cyclopensis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 21a). Length 3.27 mm. Color black; legs deep ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body ovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally densely rugose-punctate, in basal half with brown erect scales, in apical half sparsely setose. Eyes large. Pronotum densely punctate with subtriangular, setiferous punctures. Elytral striae distinct, marked by regular rows of small punctures; intervals with row of minute punctures; laterally behind humeri with ridge bordered by row of deep punctures of stria 8. Legs squamose with inconspicuous brownish scales. Femora with anteroventral ridge terminating in apical third. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoapical edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 5 at middle with shallow, subquadrate impression. Aedeagus (Fig. 21b) with apex subangulate; transfer-apparatus flagelliform, longer than body of aedeagus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulb. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.67–3.27 mm. Female rostrum in apical half with relatively small, sparse punctures. Abdominal ventrite 5 simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC478 (EMBL # FN429185), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.2’, E140°30.5’, 1420–1520 m, 30.XI.2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 5 exx, same data as holotype; 4 exx, ARC0423 (EMBL # FN429134), ARC0483 (EMBL # FN429190), ARC0674 (EMBL # FN429319), ARC0675 (EMBL # FN429320), S02°31.3’, E140°30.5’, 1200–1420 m, 30.XI.2007, beaten; 2 exx (1 marked as “ARC0409”), 1100–1600 m, 05-X-1991.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: ca. 1420 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the type locality, the Cyclops Mountains.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus cyclopensis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 5” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spe” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

22. *Trigonopterus dentirostris* Riedel, sp. n.  
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_dentirostris

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 22a). Length 1.65 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with distinct constriction. Rostrum at base with median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; at middle with anteriorly hollowed protuberance dorsally bearing pair of denticles; between protuberance and epistome...
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relatively flat, with sparse erect scales; epistome at middle with dorsoposteriordan directed horn. Pronotum punctate-rugose, each puncture containing one narrow transparent scale; medially with indistinct ridge. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; punctures large, each containing one downcurved seta; intervals weakly costate, subglabrous. Metafemur dorsoposteriorly simple, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 22b). Body widening to shortly before apex; medially weakly extended; endophallus denticulate; transfer apparatus spiniform, curved; ductus ejaculatorius with weak bulb. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.65–1.92 mm. Female rostrum dorsally even, without teeth or cavities, medially subglabrous, sublaterally punctate.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0538 (EMBL # FN429244), WEST NEW GUINEA,Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, S02°31.594', E140°30.407', 1065 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 2 exx, ARC0544 (EMBL # FN429250), S02°31.683', E140°30.281', 960 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 6 exx, ARC0545 (EMBL # FN429251), Sentani, S02°31.776', E140°30.215', 945 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 1 ex, Sentani, S02°31.603', E140°30.434', 1095 m, 28-XI-2007, sifted; 2 ex, Sentani, 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 6 exx (1 marked ARC0026), Sentani, 1000 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 1 ex, Sentani, 1100 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 3 exx, ARC1690 (EMBL # HE615977), ARC1691 (EMBL # HE615978), Angkasa indah, S02°30.346', E140°42.087', 490 m, 28-VI-2010, sifted.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 490–1095 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin nouns *dens* (tooth) and *rostrum* (snout) and refers to the dorsal protrusions of the rostrum.

**Notes.** Trigonopterus dentirostris Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 49” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “Trigonopterus spaw” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

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23. *Trigonopterus discoidalis* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_discoidalis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 23a). Length 2.20 mm. Color black; legs ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body subglobose; in dorsal aspect with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum with pair of sublateral furrows and pair of submedian row of punctures, each containing row of mesally directed setae; epistome simple. Pronotum with large disk and distinct lateral edges; moderately densely punctate with small setiferous punctures. Elytra converging to subangulate apex; striae distinct, marked by small punctures; intervals subglabrous, with row of minute punctures; some punctures with one minute recumbent seta. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrites 1–2 deeply excavated. Aedeagus (Fig.
23b) with body flattened, sides subparallel, apex subangulate; apodemes ca. 3 X as long as body; transfer-apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius, without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.68–2.43 mm. Female rostrum more slender than in males, dorsally punctures smaller.


**Distribution.** Morobe Prov. (Mindik). Elevation: 1450–1670 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *discoidalis* (shaped like a disk) and refers to the species’ outline when viewed from above.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus discoidalis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 88” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 24a). Length 3.31 mm. Color black; tarsi and tibiae dark ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with moderate constriction. Rostrum medially punctate, with pair of sublateral furrows converging posteriorly on forehead; epistome forming indistinct, angulate ridge. Pronotum with marked subapical constriction, sides subparallel, behind subapical constriction projecting with marked angular protrusions; center of disk densely punctate, laterally with sparse punctures. Elytra of subtriangular shape; median suture carinate; striae moderately impressed; intervals weakly punctate; surface weakly microreticulate, with sparse clusters of white recumbent scales; interval 7 subapically forming indistinct ridge. Femora edentate. Meso- and metatibia in basal half markedly widened, dorsal edge curved, denticulate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Metathoracic and abdominal venter forming common concavity, subglabrous. Aedeagus (Fig. 24b) with body parallel-sided, markedly curved ventrad; apex medially extended; transfer apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.22–3.69 mm. Integument relatively smooth and with scattered white scales in specimens from Sentani, dull-coriaceous and almost nude in specimens from Angkasa indah. Aedeagus with median tip acute in specimens from Sentani, median tip more rounded in specimens from Angkasa indah.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0512 (EMBL # FN429218), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°32.031’, E140°30.412’, 710
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Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the name of the dromedary camel (*Camelus dromedaries* L.) and refers to the body shape.

Notes. *Trigonopterus dromedarius* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 41” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spao” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases. Specimens from Angkasa indah and Sentani exhibit minor morphological differences (e.g. tip of aedeagus; surface of integument) and a high *cox1* p-distance of 7.79%. These allopatric populations may be regarded “subspecies”.

25. *Trigonopterus durus* Riedel, sp. n.

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_durus

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 25a). Length 3.69 mm. Color black; base of antennal scape ferruginous. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum punctate-rugose, with pair of sublateral furrows. Eyes dorsally bordered by furrow. Pronotum subglabrous, densely punctate with minute punctures; disk subquadrate, rounded towards sides. Elytra tapering apicad; striae indistinct, marked by rows of small punctures; intervals flat, with confused minute punctures; elytral base with row of foveae continued laterally behind humeri bordering ridge. Femora subglabrous, edentate. Metatibia and metatibia with inconspicuous straight premuco below tarsal insertion. Aedeagus (Fig. 25b) with sides of body basally converging, in apical 1/3 with weak constriction; apex with median, broad angular extension, sparsely setose; transfer apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 3.38–4.64 mm. Female rostrum slender, dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate with small punctures. Pronotum of males anteriorly subangulate, in females sides curving more evenly towards apex. Elytra of females shorter and dorsally rather convex; elytra of males apically slightly extended and dorsally slightly flattened.


**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Bokondini, Angguruk). Elevation: 1700–1710 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *durus* (hard, tough) and refers to the physical properties of the species. The name would be equally fitting many other species of this genus and should not be seen as diagnostic.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus durus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 102” by Tänzler et al. (2012).


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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_echinus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 26a). Length 1.41 mm. Color black; antenna light ferruginous, club dark; legs and head dark ferruginous. Body subglobose; with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly rounded, with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum basally with indistinct, median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, sparsely setose; apical 1/3 subglabrous; epistome simple. Eyes small. Pronotum with weak subapical constriction; disk densely, coarsely punctate; each puncture with short, yellowish scale. Elytra with striae deeply incised; with suberect, yellowish scales; intervals subglabrous, markedly costate. Femora subapically ventrally constricted. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Protibia with long, hook-shaped uncus. Aedeagus (Fig. 26b) with apex rounded; transfer apparatus symmetrical, spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius with indistinct bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.28–1.54 mm. Female rostrum basally without ridges; apical half subglabrous. Suberect scales may be partly abraded.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0781 (EMBL # HE615464), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Arfak Mts, S01°04.087', E133°54.268', 1520 m, 08-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): 21 exx, ARC0782 (EMBL # HE615465), ARC0783 (EMBL # HE615466), same data as holotype; Mokwam, Siyoubrig, S01°06.107', E133°54.888', 1530 m, 10–XII-2007.

**Distribution.** Manokwari Reg. (Arfak Mts). Elevation: 1520 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest dominated by *Nothofagus*.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin noun *echinus* (hedgehog) in apposition and refers to the species’ general habitus and its suberect scales resembling spines.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus echinus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 230” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
27. *Trigonopterus edaphus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:ACC1DBCF-2E5E-486D-A61F-0F6F6A6301FE
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_edaphus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 27a). Length 1.48 mm. Color black; antenna light ferruginous; legs deep ferruginous. Body subglobose, in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; dorsally flattened; anteriorly profile almost straight, convex at apex. Rostrum coarsely rugose-punctate; epistome forming distinct, transverse ridge. Pronotum coarsely punctate-reticulate. Elytra with striae deeply incised, with sparse rows of setae; intervals costate, subglabrous, with few minute punctures; interval 7 subapically forming ridge, projecting dentiform; apex subangulate. Legs. Anteroventral ridge of meso- and metafemur ending in apical third, forming indistinct tooth. Metafemur dorsoposteriorly simple, subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 27b) with apex subtruncate, slightly angulate; transfer apparatus spiniform, shorter than body of aedeagus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.32–2.02 mm. Body of females subovate. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, coarsely punctate; epistome simple. Female elytral apex laterally not dentiform.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZH): ARC0737 (EMBL # HE615420), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°57.161', E138°57.357', 1875 m, 24-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Jiwika, Kurulu: 27 exx, ARC0738 (EMBL # HE615421), ARC0739 (EMBL # HE615422), ARC0740 (EMBL # HE615423), ARC0741 (EMBL # HE615424), ARC0742 (EMBL # HE615425), same data as holotype; 64 exx, S03°57.161', E138°57.357', 1875 m, 11-VII-2010, sifted; 8 exx (1 marked ARC0074), 1900–2050 m, 24-X.1993, sifted; 12 exx, 1900–2000 m, 23-IX-1992, sifted; 3 exx, 1900–2050 m, 24-IX-1992, sifted; 2 exx, ca. 1700–2300 m, 02-IX-1991, sifted; 7 exx, 1700–2000 m, 11-IX-1991, sifted.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Jiwika). Elevation: 1875–1900 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is the latinized form of the Greek word *edaphos* (soil, ground) and treated as an adjective. It refers to the habit of this litter-dwelling species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus edaphus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 224*” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_eremitus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 28a). Length 3.66 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body ovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally with distinct median carina and sparse rows of upcurved scales; submedian ridges indistinct, irregular. Pronotum densely punctate except along impunctate midline. Elytra punctate with minute punctures, es-
especially on intervals; strial punctures slightly larger; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri simple, not deepened. Femora edentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with fine stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, without preuncus. Abdominal ventrite 5 flat, densely setose with suberect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 28b) slightly asymmetrical; with distinct, asymmetrical transfer-apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.38–3.72 mm. Female rostrum dorsally in basal half with median and pair of submedian ridges, apical half punctate. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat, sparsely setose with recumbent setae.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC426 (EMBL # FN429137), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.2', E140°30.5', 1420–1520 m, 30-XI-2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 9 exx, ARC0425 (EMBL # FN429136), ARC0427 (EMBL # FN429138), same data as holotype; 1 ex (marked as “ARC0411”), 1200–1400 m, 9-VIII-1992; 1 ex, 1100–1600 m, 5.X.1991.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1400–1420 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is the latinized form of the Greek noun *eremites* (hermit) and refers to the species’ restricted occurrence in the montane forests of the Cyclops Mountains.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus eremitus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 6” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spf” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

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**29. Trigonopterus euops** Riedel, sp. n.
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_euops

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 29a). Length 1.70 mm. Color of antenna, tarsi, tibiae, and rostrum ferruginous; head and pronotum black; elytra black, with ferruginous patches near base of intervals 2–4, continued to apex with irregular patches on intervals 1–4 to apex. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Eyes large. Rostrum punctate, without distinct longitudinal ridges; laterally with rows of cream-colored scales. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate; with few scattered cream-colored scales; each puncture containing one brownish seta. Elytra with striae deeply impressed, intervals costate, with scattered white scales. Femora ventrally edentate, subapically constricted. Tibial uncus simple, curved. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 29b) with sides of body sinuate, converging; apex extended, pointed, curved ventrad; transfer apparatus compact, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.63–1.86 mm. Ferruginous color of elytra more or less extensive. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, laterally punctate. Body of males rather slender, females slightly stouter.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0784 (EMBL # HE615467), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari Reg., Manokwari, Arfak Mts, S01°04.087',
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30. *Trigonopterus ferrugineus* Riedel, sp. n.

*Diagnostic description.* Holotype, male (Fig. 30a). Length 2.73 mm. Color black; elytra orange-red, apically changing to black. Body with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally relatively flat, sparsely punctate, dorsolaterally with pair of furrows continuing along eye, furrows containing row of mesad directed setae. Pronotum densely punctate with punctures of subtriangular shape, interspaces larger than puncture’s width. Elytra with striae distinct, dorsally punctures small, along base and laterally punctures large; interspaces subglabrous. Femora edentate. Metafemur with indistinct, simple dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Thoracic and abdominal venter partly with dense erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 30b) apically subangulate, with pair of sublateral setose brushes; transfer apparatus flagelliform, longer than body; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. *Intraspecific variation.* Length 2.73–2.85 mm. Female venter subglabrous, sparsely setose with short recumbent setae.


*Biology.* Collected by beating foliage in montane crippled forests.

*Etymology.* This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *ferrugineus* (rusty, reddish-brown) and refers to the species’ elytra.

*Notes.* *Trigonopterus ferrugineus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 29*” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus spac*” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:863A0812-1FB3-4C7D-906B-B701FEB19B4A
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_fusiformis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 31a). Length 2.63 mm. Color black, legs and antenna ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile dorsally flat, towards apex convex. Rostrum in apical half dorsally flattened, slightly widened, rugose-punctate; basal half markedly swollen in profile, narrow in dorsal aspect; with indistinct median ridge, densely punctate; dorsolaterally with pair of wide furrows containing erect narrow scales. Pronotum subglabrous, punctate, punctures becoming larger and denser towards apex. Elytra densely punctate; strial punctures slightly larger than minute punctures on intervals; striae impressed as fine lines. Anteroventral ridge of femora terminating with tooth in apical third; tooth largest in metafemur. Metafemur laterally markedly flattened; dorsally with row of silvery scales; posteroventral ridge indistinct, at middle with denticle; dorsoposterior edge weakly denticulate; subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 31b). Body with sides subparallel, extended dorsad; profile of body subtriangular; apex subtruncate, subglabrous; transfer-apparatus complex, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** No female specimen available.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1807 (EMBL # HE616084), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Bokondini, S03°41.787', E138°40.229' to S03°41.778', E138°40.129', 1705–1710 m, 17-VII-2010. Paratype (SMNK): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 1 ex, ARC1805 (EMBL # HE616082), Bokondini, S03°40.345', E138°42.386' to S03°40.255', E138°42.189', 1655–1700 m, 18-VII-2010.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Bokondini). Elevation: 1700–1705 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is a combination of the Latin noun *fusus* (spindle) and the suffix *-formis* (-shaped) and refers to the habitus of this species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus fusiformis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 107” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

32. *Trigonopterus glaber* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:7FBAF1AD-D9B6-447F-B0D7-F4A2F83F8A43
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_glaber

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 32a). Length 1.98 mm. Color black, antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body laterally somewhat compressed; ovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal half with pair of sublateral furrows; medially even, sparsely punctate. Eyes large. Pronotum subglabrous. Elytra subglabrous, laterally sparsely punctate with small punctures, striae indistinct. Femora with anteroventral ridge. Profemur subparallel. Meso- and metafemur with dorsoposterior edge subapically worn; metafemur subapi-
cally without stridulatory patch. Tibiae simple, without rows or brushes of long setae. Metaventrite laterally forming acute process over metacoxa, reaching tibial insertion. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrite 1 subglabrous, with sparse recumbent setae. Abdominal ventrite 2 fused to and forming common cavity with ventrite 1. Abdominal ventrite 5 anteriorly with pair of distinct longitudinal protrusions, indistinct median cavity posteriorly open. Aedeagus (Fig. 32b) apically with median extension and with pair of submedian teeth; body with two conspicuous pairs of endophallic sclerites; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.98–2.18 mm. Female rostrum subglabrous except in basal ¼ with ridges. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat.


**Distribution.** Central Prov. (Varirata, Moroka). Elevation: 565–820 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *glaber* (hairless, bald) and refers to its smooth body.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus glaber* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 164” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

### 33. *Trigonopterus gonatoceros* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_gonatoceros

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 33a). Length 2.90 mm. Color black. Body subovate; almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally relatively flat, with two indistinct submedian rows of punctures, dorsolaterally with pair of furrows continuing along eye; surface weakly
microreticulate. Pronotum sparsely punctate with double-punctures each consisting of two minute approximate punctures. Elytra with striae distinct, dorsally punctures small, laterally large; intervals flat, with row of minute punctures, subglabrous. Femora edentate. Metafemur with simple dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Tibial base dentiform, when leg extended tibial tooth overlapping femoral apex dorsally. Thoracic and abdominal venter with dense erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 33b) apically subangulate, subglabrous; transfer apparatus flagelliform, 1.5 X longer than body; endophallus with two pairs of sclerites; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.75–2.88 mm. Female venter subglabrous.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1776 (EMBL # HE616053), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Bokondini, S03°40.345’, E138°42.386’ to S03°40.255’, E138°42.189’, 1655–1700 m, 18-VII-2010. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): 81 exx, ARC1777 (EMBL # HE616054), ARC1778 (EMBL # HE616055), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Bokondini). Elevation: ca. 1655–1700 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Greek nouns *gonatos* (knee) and *ceros* (horn) in apposition and refers to the peculiar extensions of the tibial base.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus gonatoceros* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 121” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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34. **Trigonopterus granum** Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:08FF1F00-3CCB-4E95-997B-4B170BFF6069

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_granum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 34a). Length 2.15 mm. Color black; legs and rostrum deep ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body laterally somewhat compressed, ovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal third with low median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; apically subglabrous. Eyes large. Pronotum densely punctate; dorsally punctures small, laterally larger, each with one minute seta; without scales. Elytra dorsally subglabrous, stria 1–2 hardly visible; laterally strial punctures large, relatively shallow. Femora with anteroventral ridge. Profemur converging from base to apex. Meso- and metafemur with dorsoposterior edge in apical third shortened; metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibiae simple, without rows or brushes of long setae; metatibia subapically with small suprauncal projection. Metaventrite laterally forming acute process over metacoxa, reaching tibial insertion. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrite 1 subglabrous, with sparse recumbent setae. Abdominal ventrite 2 similar to ventrites 3–4. Abdominal ventrite 5 with transverse depression, without distinct cavity; subapically with median denticle. Aedeagus (Fig. 34b) apically sinuate, with deep median incision; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.98–2.48 mm. Female abdominal ventrite 5 almost flat, densely punctate.


Biology. Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin noun granum (small kernel, seed) in apposition and refers to the general habitus.

Notes. Trigonopterus granum Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 15” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “Trigonopterus spo” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases. It is closely related to T. pseudogranum sp. n., T. velaris sp. n., and T. imitatus sp. n.; from the latter two it can be distinguished by its sparsely punctate body and the structure of its male abdominal ventrite 5. The externally very similar T. pseudogranum sp. n. is best separated by the cox1-sequence which diverges 12.1 %.

35. Trigonopterus helios Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:A600DE45-0F31-4B37-BDD5-8ADBC6859E05
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_helios

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 35a). Length 3.14 mm. Color black; basal half of elytra with large orange spot. Body elongate-subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum slender; dorsally with distinct median costa and pair of narrow submedian ridges; at base with erect white clavate scales, apically replaced by bristles. Eyes large, medially approximate. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate; sides anteriorly with punctures containing small white scales. Elytra subglabrous, irregularly punctate with minute punctures; striae obsolete; basal margin with ridge extending behind humeri, bordered by row of small indistinct punctures. Femora with tooth in apical half. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally sparsely squamose with white scales. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrites 1–2 laterally swollen, medially concave; ventrite 2 posteriorly truncate, posterior face markedly projecting over ventrite 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 35b) subapically slightly widened; apex subangulate, asymmetrical, shifted to left; transfer apparatus dentiform, basally supported by crescent-shaped sclerite; ductus ejaculatorius subapically without bulbus.
**Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.27–3.53 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, with submedian rows of minute punctures, with lateral furrow containing row of sparse setae. Female abdominal ventrites 1–2 convex.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1831 (EMBL # HE616108), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov., Okapa, Kimiagomo village, Afiyaleto, S06°25.593', E145°34.862', S06°25.212', E145°35.498’, 1911 m, 18-III-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov.: 4 exx, ARC1830 (EMBL # HE616107), ARC1832 (EMBL # HE616109), same data as holotype; 1 ex, Okapa, Afiyaleto village, S06°25.593’, E145°34.862’, 1940 m, 18-III-2010, beaten.

**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Okapa). Elevation: 1911–1940 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Greek noun *helios* (sun) in apposition and refers to the bright orange spot on the elytra.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus helios* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 136” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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36. *Trigonopterus hitoloorum* Riedel, sp. n.

[urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:23025BDD-B5CD-4FF7-A6B3-04B8233ADA4A](http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_hitoloorum)

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 36a). Length 2.64 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum sparsely squamose with suberect scales; in basal half with median carina; in front of eyes with flat lateral extensions; subapically weakly scabrous; epistome smooth, posteriorly forming transverse, angulate ridge, with weak median denticle. Pronotum without subapical constriction, densely coarsely punctate; laterally above procoxa with fovea. Elytra with striae moderately incised on disk; intervals flat, with rows of small punctures; laterally subglabrous; apex subangulate, with pair of sublateral knobs; extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped. Femora edentate. Metatibia dorsally sparsely squamose, with weakly denticulate dorso-posterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 2 projecting denticiform over elytral edge in profile. Aedeagus (Fig. 36b) apically rounded, sparsely setose; with complex, symmetrical transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.28–2.64 mm. Female rostrum with median carina and transverse ridge of epistome less distinct.

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**Distribution.** Morobe Prov. (Mindik). Elevation: 1570–1670 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Hitolo, found on page 221 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus hitoloorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 195” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

### 37. *Trigonopterus imitatus* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_imitatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 37a). Length 2.58 mm. Color black; legs and rostrum deep ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body laterally somewhat compressed, ovate, without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal third punctate-rugose; apically subglabrous. Eyes large. Pronotum densely punctate, punctures dorsally small, laterally becoming larger, bearing each one minute seta; without scales. Elytra dorsally subglabrous, stria 1–2 hardly visible; laterally strial punctures large, relatively shallow. Profemur converging from base to apex. Meso- and metafemur with in apical 1/3 with anteroventral ridge terminating as tooth. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibiae simple, without rows or brushes of long setae. Metaventrite laterally forming acute process over metacoxa, reaching tibial insertion. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrite 1 with long erect setae, especially near mesocoxa. Abdominal ventrite 2 similar to ventrites 3–4. Abdominal ventrite 5 with deep, transversely ovate cavity; basal third simple, swollen; laterally setose. Aedeagus (Fig. 37b) apically sinuate, with deep narrow median incision; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.98–2.58 mm. Female rostrum subglabrous except in basal ¼ with ridges. Female venter sparsely setose, abdominal ventrite 5 flat.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1697 (EMBL # HE615984), WEST NEW GUINEA, Biak Reg., Supiori Isl., Korido, S00°49.715', E135°35.055', 50–100 m, 9-VII-2010, beaten. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): 4 exx, ARC1698 (EMBL # HE615985), ARC1699 (EMBL # HE615986), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Biak Reg. (Supiori Isl.). Elevation: ca. 50–100 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *imitatus* (imitated) and refers to its morphological similarity with sibling species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus imitatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 273” by Tänzler et al. (2012). It is closely related to *T. granum* sp. n., *T. pseudogranum* sp. n., and *T. velaris* sp. n. from which it can be distinguished by the male venter with long setae. Despite its close morphological similarity its *cox1*-sequence diverges 9.9–12.3 % from the other species.
38. *Trigonopterus inflatus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:8AE401E3-76B5-4768-8267-377F1BFA5695
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_inflatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 38a). Length 2.90 mm. Color black, elytra with greenish-bronze lustre; antenna light ferruginous, legs dark ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with distinct median and pair of submedian carinae, in apical third scabrous; epistome simple. Pronotum relatively small, with weak sub-apical constriction; disk densely punctate, longitudinally rugose; each puncture with seta, a few with scale. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; with sparse, yellowish scales; intervals subglabrous. Meso- and metafemur edentate. Metafemur with dorsoposterior edge serrate, subapically without stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with blunt premucro. Onychium ca. 1.1× longer than tarsomere 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 38b) with apex asymmetrical, right side forming biramose extension; basal orifice ventrally with rim; transfer apparatus spiniform, curved, directed basad; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.45–2.90 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, with dense small punctures, in basal third with longitudinal ridges. Female metatibia apically without premucro.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0858 (EMBL # HE615540), WEST NEW GUINEA, Biak Isl., Korim, Nernu, S00°55.784', E136°01.530', 165 m, 15-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Biak Isl.: 28 exx, ARC0859 (EMBL # HE615541), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC0883 (EMBL # HE615565), Korim, Nernu, S00°55.888', E136°01.671', 180 m, 15-XII-2007, sifted; 3 exx (1 marked ARC0093), Korim, Nernu, 150 m, 20-I-2005, sifted.

**Distribution.** Biak Isl.. Elevation: 150–180 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *inflatus* (swollen) and refers to the shape of the elytra that appear somewhat disproportionate in relation to the pronotum.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus inflatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 63” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_insularis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 39a). Length 3.41 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median carina and pair of indistinct sublateral ridges; with sparse rows of white scales; subapical third subglabrous, weakly punctate; in front of antennal insertion with weak constriction.
Eyes large, medially approximate. Pronotum densely punctate with small punctures; sides separated by indistinct edge bearing dense row of punctures; laterally above coxa sparsely squamose with white scales. Elytral striae distinct with small punctures; intervals flat, subglabrous, sparsely punctate with minute punctures; basal margin straight, simple. Femora with anteroventral ridge distinct, at base abruptly ending and forming markedly projecting blunt angle; edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales but partly abraded. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 39b) with apodemes ca. 3× as long as body; sides of body in basal half subparallel, markedly sclerotized, mid-portion of body weakly sclerotized; apex subangulate; transfer apparatus flagelliform, longer than body; ductus ejaculatorius subapically with bulbous. Intraspecific variation. Length 3.38–3.41 mm. No female specimen available.

Material examined. Holotype (MZB): ARC1694 (EMBL # HE615981), WEST NEW GUINEA, Biak Reg., Supiori Isl., Korido, S00°49.715´, E135°35.055´, 50–100 m, 09-VII-2010. Paratype (SMNK): 1 ex, ARC1695 (EMBL # HE615982), same data as holotype.

Distribution. Biak Reg. (Supiori Isl.). Elevation: ca. 50–100 m.

Biology. Beaten from foliage of lowland forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin adjective insularis (of an island) and refers to the type locality, Supiori Island.

Notes. Trigonopterus insularis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 57” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

40. Trigonopterus irregularis Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:475C5E3F-9BD7-4BAA-A617-C25E7A754C92
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_irregularis

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 40a). Length 2.36 mm. Legs ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous, remainder black except elytral apex deep ferruginous, especially along sides. Body elongate; with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile dorsally flat. Rostrum with distinct median and pair of submedian carinae, in apical ¼ relatively smooth. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate, interspaces smaller than puncture’s diameter. Elytra dorsally with dense punctuation confused, partly reticulate; striae laterally impressed as fine lines; basal margin medially bordered by narrow glabrous band. Femora edentate. Profemur in basal third posteriorly with callus. Meso- and metafemur on dorsal edge densely squamose with cream-colored scales. Metafemur subapically with indistinct stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 40b) with sides curved, apex rounded; body flattened, transfer apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.34–2.59 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, with pair of submedian rows of large punctures.

Material examined. Holotype (MZB): ARC0780 (EMBL # HE615463), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Arfak Mts, S01°03.723´, E133°54.145´, 1385 m,
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08-XII-2007. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mokwam, Siyoubreg: 1 ex, ARC0804 (EMBL # HE615487), S01°06.107’, E133°54.888’, 1530 m, 10-XII-2007, beaten; 1 ex, ARC0851 (EMBL # HE615533), S01°06.7’, E133°54.6’, 1580–1750 m, 11-XII-2007; 1 ex, Minyambou – Mokwam, 1300–1900 m, 16-IV-1993; 2 exx, Mokwam, Kwau, 1300–1650 m, 17-IV-1993.


**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *irregularis* (irregular) and refers to the elytral punctuation.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus irregularis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 247” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

41. *Trigonopterus ixodiformis* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:53B538F7-D7F3-47C9-9A95-5BC50A01AC31
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_ixodiformis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 41a). Length 2.39 mm. Color black; elytral base and legs dark ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body subovate, with shallow constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum scabrous, basally with indistinct median ridge; epistome forming angulate ridge. Pronotum moderately densely punctate. Elytra with striae marked by small punctures; interval 4 basally with cluster of few narrow, cream-colored, recumbent scales; interval 7 subapically forming indistinct ridge. Meso- and metafemur with anteroventral ridge distinctly dentate. Meso- and metatibia in basal half widened; dorsal edge basally denticulate; subapically narrowed; uncus large, peg-shaped. Metatibia with serrate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Venter subglabrous, concave. Aedeagus (Fig. 41b) with sides of body in apical third converging, apex rounded; orifice retracted; endophallus weakly granulate; transfer apparatus symmetrical, heart-shaped frame relatively thin; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.75–2.39 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate; epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0762 (EMBL # HE615445), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja, S00°51.497’, E134°04.949’, 220 m, 05-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari: 23 exx, ARC0763 (EMBL # HE615446), ARC0764 (EMBL # HE615447), same data as holotype; 4 exx, Mt. Meja, S00°51.400’, E134°04.918’, 225 m, 06-XII-2007, sifted; 16 exx, Mt. Meja, 200 m, 30-XII-2004, sifted; 6 exx, Mt. Meja, 200 m, 30-XII-2000, sifted; 9 exx, Mt. Meja, 22-23-IX-1990, sifted; 6 exx, Mt. Meja, 200 m, 19-IV-1993; 1 ex, ARC0772 (EMBL # HE615455), Arfak Mts, S01°01.465’, E133°54.243’, 685 m, 08-XII-2007, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.
**Etymology.** This epithet is a combination of the name Ixodidae and the Latin suffix -formis (having the form of) and refers to the species’ superficial resemblance with ticks.

**Notes.** Trigonopterus ixodiformis Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 222” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

42. *Trigonopterus kanawiorum* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:AF3FBA36-231F-4BF0-AE98-F2D28A70D967
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_kanawiorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 42a). Length 2.68 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body ovate; in dorsal aspect with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally with median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of yellowish scales; in apical 1/3 weakly punctate-rugose. Pronotum densely punctate. Elytra densely punctate with minute punctures, especially on intervals; strial punctures slightly larger; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri simple, not deepened. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with silvery scales. Metatibia with denticulate dorso-posterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, without premucro. Abdominal ventrite 5 tomentose. Aedeagus (Fig. 42b) symmetrical; apex subangulate, sparsely setose; body at middle slightly constricted; transfer-apparatus asymmetrical, spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.45–2.76 mm. Female rostrum dorsally in apical half flattened, subglabrous, with submedian rows of small punctures. Female abdominal ventrite 5 with sparse recumbent scales.


**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forest.
**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Kanawi, found on page 236 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus kanawiorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 209” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

43. *Trigonopterus katayoi* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:3C9EA32F-2234-49F8-8D1A-F3CA5336C632
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_katayoi

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 43a). Length 2.68 mm. Color black, elytra in basal third orange. Body slender, ovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in apical third smooth; in basal 2/3 with median ridge and pair of sublateral ridges; furrows containing sparse row of setae. Eyes with dorsal margin carinate. Head bordering eye with bean-shaped impression. Pronotum subglabrous, sparsely punctate with minute punctures. Elytra subglabrous, punctuation confused with minute punctures; striae hardly visible, impressed as very fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri with row of ca. 5 deep punctures. Femora subglabrous, including dorsum of metafemur without scales. Mesofemur on posterior surface with longitudinal ridge. Metafemur on posterior surface with indistinct longitudinal impression; dorsoposteriorly simple, subapically without stridulatory patch. Meso- and metatibia subapically simple, with uncus, without preuncus. Aedeagus (Fig. 43b). Apex symmetrical, with median acute extension; transfer apparatus small, dentiform; endophallus without distinct sclerites; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.50–2.93 mm. Color of elytral base orange in specimens from Goroka, dark ferruginous in specimens from Okapa.


**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Goroka, Okapa). Elevation: 1911–2150 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This species is named in honour of our colleague Katayo Sagata (Goroka) who greatly supported our field-work in PNG and who collected some of the specimens.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus katayoi* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 97” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
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44. Trigonopterus koveorum Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:0C660759-395A-4536-92ED-7BBD31110121
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_koveorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 44a). Length 3.13 mm. Color black; antennal scape and funicle ferruginous. Body ovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally densely punctate, without ridges or furrows, towards apex punctures becoming minute; laterally and at base with white scales. Pronotum densely punctate; dorsally punctures minute, laterally larger, anterolaterally with scattered white scales. Elytra dorsally with minute, confused punctures, subglabrous; laterally strial punctures sparse but deeply impressed. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, without premucro. Abdominal ventrites 1–2 weakly concave. Aedeagus (Fig. 44b) symmetrical; apex subangulate, subglabrous; transfer-apparatus simple, dentiform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.95–3.41 mm. Female rostrum in apical 2/3 dorsally subglabrous. Female abdominal ventrites 1–2 flat.


**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Okapa). Elevation: ca. 1891–2131 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Kove, found on page 248 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** Trigonopterus koveorum Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 149” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

45. Trigonopterus kurulu Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:E6CF5ADF-BFC3-4B89-8AFF-16FF8DC9153A
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_kurulu

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 45a). Length 2.43 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi light ferruginous; tibiae and femora deep ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex, with shallow constriction. Rostrum rugose-punctate; epistome forming indistinct, angulate ridge. Pronotum basally angulate, densely punctate with deep punctures; each with one small, upcurved seta. Elytra with striae deeply incised; intervals costate, each with one row of small punctures. Metafemur with simple dorsoposterior edge, subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 45b) with
apex subtruncate, setose; subapically sides with pair of membranous protrusions; transfer apparatus minute; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.26–2.73 mm. Female rostrum with epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0733 (EMBL # HE615416), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°57.161', E138°57.357', 1875 m, 24-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 11 exx, ARC0734 (EMBL # HE615417), ARC0735 (EMBL # HE615418), same data as holotype; 6 exx, Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°56.481', E138°57.073', 2070 m, 26-XI-2007, sifted; 2 exx, Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°56.289', E138°57.622', 2200 m, 26-XI-2007, sifted; 25 exx, S03°57.161', E138°57.357', 1875 m, 11-VII-2010, sifted; 4 exx, ca. 1700–2300 m, 02-IX-1991, sifted; 3 exx (1 marked ARC0002), ca. 1700–2300 m, 06-IX-1991, sifted; 2 exx, 2300 m, 06-IX-1991, sifted; 1 ex, 2300 m, 1992, sifted; 6 exx, 1900–2000 m, 23-IX-1992, sifted; 7 exx, 1900–2050 m, 24-X.1993; 2 exx, ARC1716 (EMBL # HE615996), ARC1717 (EMBL # HE615997), Poga, S03°48.382', E138°34.780', 2330 m, 13-VII-2010.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Jiwika, Poga). Elevation: 1875–2330 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is a noun in apposition. Kurulu, who lived near Jiwika, was a famous Dani leader in the 1960’s. The district around Jiwika bears his name today. The species’ name refers both to the type locality and is a reference to the disappearing culture of the indigenous people of this area.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus kurulu* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 226” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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### 46. *Trigonopterus lekiorum* Riedel, sp. n.

**urn:** zoobank.org:act:461E47B8-1A15-4A4E-BDF8-AD6461576CC6

**http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_lekiorum**

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 46a). Length 2.19 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Eyes large. Rostrum basally with median and pair of submedian ridges; median and lateral pairs of longitudinal furrows each with row of overlapping almond-shaped white scales. Pronotum densely punctate; anterolaterally with scattered white scales. Elytra with striae distinct; intervals flat, subglabrous. Profemur edentate, mesofemur with small blunt tooth, metafemur with small acute tooth. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally sparsely squamose with white scales. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia subapically ventrally concave, without brush of long setae; uncus hook-like extended, curved ventrobasad. Aedeagus (Fig. 46b) with apodemes 2.0 X as long as body; sides of body in basal half subparallel; apex extended, pointed, markedly curved ventrad; transfer apparatus flagelliform, longer than body of aedeagus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.18–2.30 mm. Female rostrum dorsally in apical half...
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subglabrous, sparsely punctate, basally with pair of lateral furrows containing row of scales. Female metatibia apically simple, with simple uncus and minute premucro.


Biology. Collected by beating foliage in primary forest.

Etymology. This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Leki, found on page 256 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

Notes. Trigonopterus lekiorum Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 79” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

Trigonopterus lineatus Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:5247DE6B-FC3D-4DD9-80AC-BB9628E3406B
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_lineatus

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 47a). Length 3.00 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum in basal half with median costa bordered by furrows; in front of eyes with flat lateral extensions; subapically scabrous, with suberect scales; epistome smooth, posteriorly forming transverse, angelate ridge. Pronotum with subapical constriction, anteriorly densely coarsely punctate, with sparse lanceolate scales; disk subglabrous, with sparse punctures. Elytra with striae 1–6 deeply incised; intervals flat, with rows of small punctures and minute recumbent setae; laterally subglabrous; apex subangulate, with pair of sublateral knobs; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped. Femora edentate. Metafemur with weakly denticate dorsoposterior edge, subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 47b) apically simple, weakly rounded, without setae; with complex, symmetrical transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.78–3.13 mm. Female rostrum only basally with median ridge; in apical third punctate, epistome without distinct transverse ridge.

785 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 1 ex, ARC0519 (EMBL # FN429225), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC0510 (EMBL # FN429216), S02°32.031’, E140°30.412’, 710 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted; 1 ex, ARC0656 (EMBL # FN429303), S02°31.683’, E140°30.281’, 960 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *lineatus* (marked with parallel lines) and refers to the elytral sculpture.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus lineatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 35” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spai” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.


http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_lineellus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 48a). Length 3.23 mm. Color black; tibiae and antenna ferruginous. Body elongate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum basally with distinct median and pair of submedian carinae, in apical ¼ relatively smooth; in front of eye sparsely squamose. Pronotum densely punctate with large punctures, interspaces smaller than puncture’s diameter. Elytra dorsally with striae deeply incised, intervals with 1–2 rows of punctures; laterally striae impressed as fine lines, strial punctures deep. Femora edentate. Profemur in basal third posteriorly with callus. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrites 1–2 concave. Aedeagus (Fig. 48b) apically bluntly angulate, with pair of stout setae; body flattened, sides diverging to shortly before apex; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbous. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.83–3.63 mm. Body of females more slender. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, punctate, in front of eye sparsely squamose. Female abdominal ventrites 1–2 flat.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0625 (EMBL # FN429282), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: S02°31.6’, E140°30.4’, 1000–1200 m, 30-XI-2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 1 ex, ARC0422 (EMBL # FN429133), S02°31.3’, E140°30.5’, 1200–1420 m, 30.XI.2007; 4 exx, ARC0465 (EMBL # FN429175), ARC0466 (EMBL # FN429176), ARC0621 (EMBL # FN429278), ARC0622 (EMBL # FN429279), S02°31.8’, E140°30.5’, 600–900 m, 28.XI.2007; 1 ex, ARC0623 (EMBL # FN429280), S02°31.6’, E140°30.4’, 900–1100 m, 28.XI.2007; 1 ex, ARC0624 (EMBL # FN429281), S02°31.6’, E140°30.4’, 1000–1200 m, 30.XI.2007; 1 ex (marked as ARC0043”), 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 2 exx, 800–1000 m, 07-VIII-1992; 3 exx, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991; 1 ex, 400–800 m,
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Biology. Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin participle *lineellus* (marked with weak parallel lines) and refers to the elytral sculpture.

Notes. *Trigonopterus lineellus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 11” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spk” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

49. *Trigonopterus maculatus* Riedel, sp. n.

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_maculatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 49a). Length 3.92 mm. Color black; basal half of elytra with large orange spot. Body elongate-subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum slender; dorsally punctate-rugose, with indistinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; apical 1/3 sparsely punctate; at base with erect white elongate scales, apically replaced by bristles. Eyes large, medially approximate. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate; disk basally at middle with punctures containing each one long erect seta; basal contours of disk subparallel, slightly converging in straight line; laterally in front of procoxa with acute process, squamose with white scales. Elytra subglabrous; striae distinct, marked by small to minute punctures; intervals with row of minute punctures; basal margin with ridge extending behind humeri, medially somewhat swollen, bordered by indistinct row of small punctures. Femora with acute tooth at middle. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally sparsely squamose with narrow silvery scales. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Thoracic and abdominal venter concave, medially densely setose. Abdominal ventrite 5 sublaterally with pair of knobs, medially densely punctate and setose. Aedeagus (Fig. 49b) with apex subangulate; ventral surface of body subapically with pair of denticles; transfer apparatus dentiform, basally supported by Y-shaped sclerite; ductus ejaculatorius subapically without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.74–3.92 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, at base with erect white scales. Female venter subglabrous, abdominal ventrites 1–2 weakly convex.


**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Aiyura, Okapa). Elevation: 2131–2169 m.
Biology. Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin noun *macula* (mark, spot) and refers to the conspicuous orange spot on the elytra.

Notes. *Trigonopterus maculatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 132” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

50. *Trigonopterus mimicus* Riedel, sp. n.

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 50a). Length 2.73 mm. Color orangeferruginous; head and pronotum black; elytra orangeferruginous, much darker along suture and apex. Body subrhomboid; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum with distinct median and pair of submedian costae, furrows with rows of coarse punctures; in apical 1/3 weakly rugose-punctate. Pronotum moderately densely punctate with small punctures. Elytra with striae indistinct, marked by small to minute punctures, intervals with row of minute punctures. Femora edentate, with distinct anteroventral ridge. Metafemur dorsally with 1–2 rows of silvery scales; subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 5 densely coarsely punctate, densely setose. Aedeagus (Fig. 50b) with apex subangulate; ostium with rectangular sclerite extending far basad; ventral surface of body in basal 1/3 with constriction and pair of angular carinae in front of insertion of apodemes; endophallus with asymmetrical sclerites; transfer-apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.65–3.06 mm. Elytral color usually as in holotype, in some specimens from Tiom and Yohosim – Kiroma dark brownish. Female rostrum dorsally in apical half subglabrous, punctate. Female abdominal ventrite 5 subglabrous, sparsely punctate.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZY): ARC1743 (EMBL # HE616020), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga, S03°47.575', E138°33.155' to S03°47.473', E138°33.163', 2620–2715 m, 15-VII-2010. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 1 ex, ARC0755 (EMBL # HE615438), Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°56.146', E138°57.710', 2245–2290 m, 26-XI-2007; 1 ex, Jiwika, trail to Wandanku, 2240–2420 m, 28-IX-1996; 2 exx (1 marked as “ARC0032”), Jiwika, 1800–2300 m, 31-V-1998; 1 ex, Jiwika, 2300 m, 1992, sifted; 2 exx, Ilugwa, Melanggama, trail to Pass-valley, 2100–2300 m, 9–10-IX-1990; 69 exx, ARC1744 (EMBL # HE616021), same data as holotype; 32 exx, ARC1808 (EMBL # HE616085), ARC1809 (EMBL # HE616086), W Wamena, road to Lake Habbema, S04°07.625’, E138°49.992’, 2520 m, 20-VII-2010; 2 exx, ARC1810 (EMBL # HE616087), ARC1811 (EMBL # HE616088), W Wamena, road to Lake Habbema, S04°08.256’, E138°49.049’, 2770 m, 20-VII-2010; 2 exx, Moss forest between Theila and L. Habbema, 2800–2950 m, 22-X-1993, beaten at night; 19 exx, Moss forest between Theila and L. Habbema, 2800–2950 m, 22-X-1993; 18 exx, Tiom, Wanuga, 2750–2900 m,
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**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *mimicus* (acting, imitating) and refers to the resemblance to other species with ferruginous elytra.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus mimicus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 213” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

51. *Trigonopterus monticola* Riedel, sp. n.
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_monticola

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 51a). Length 3.50 mm. Color black, legs and antenna deep ferruginous. Body ovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex, elytral base medially weakly swollen and slightly projecting. Rostrum dorsally rugose-punctate in basal half, punctate in apical half. Pronotum densely punctate except along impunctate midline. Elytra densely punctate; strial punctures slightly larger than minute punctures on intervals; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri with dense row of deep punctures. Profemur and metaphemur in basal half with anteroventral ridge terminating as tooth; tooth of profemur small. Metaphemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge; with crenulate anteroventral ridge, terminating in apical 1/3 as acute tooth; subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 5 with shallow impression, densely punctate, sublaterally setose. Aedeagus (Fig. 51b) with ostium somewhat retracted; with distinct, symmetrical transfer-apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.63–3.53 mm. Female rostrum basally punctate, towards apex dorsally subglabrous, with rows of small punctures. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat, sparsely punctate.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0420 (EMBL # FN429131), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.7', E140°30.3', 900–1150 m, 21.XI.2007, beaten, marked “stridul. 3”. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 23 exx, ARC0431 (EMBL # FN429142), S02°31.2', E140°30.5', 1420–1520 m, 30-XI-2007; 2 exx, ARC0450 (EMBL # FN429161), ARC0454 (EMBL # FN429165), S02°31.7', E140°30.3', 850–1000 m, 30.XI.2007; 8 exx, S02°31.6', E140°30.4', 1000–1200 m, 30-XI-2007, beaten; 38 exx, ARC0484 (EMBL # FN429191), ARC0487 (EMBL # FN429194), S02°31.3', E140°30.5', 1200–1420 m, 30-XI-2007; 1 ex, S02°31.425', E140°30.474', 1265 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 1 ex, ARC0686 (EMBL # FN429331), S02°31.182', E140°30.542', 1510 m, 30-XI-2007; 17 exx [1 marked “ARC 042”], 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 4 exx, 1100–1600 m, 05-X-1991; 17 exx, 1200–1400 m,

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1000–1510 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in lowland forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin noun *monticola* (mountain dweller) and refers to the species’ restriction to the upper elevations of the Cyclops Mountains.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus monticola* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 3” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spc” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

### 52. *Trigonopterus montivagus* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:1A9FE62A-E6EF-43B3-8F2C-43A56E5F7771

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_montivagus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 52a). Length 2.94 mm. Color black; antennae light ferruginous, legs deep ferruginous. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of yellowish scales; apically weakly punctate, sparsely setose. Pronotum coarsely punctate-reticulate. Elytra with dense, somewhat confused punctuation; striae distinct, impressed as very fine lines, strial punctures small; intervals with slightly smaller punctures; laterally behind humeri simple. Femora edentate. Metatibia with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, with sparse row of suberect silvery scales; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus and minute premerucro. Abdominal ventrite 5 with shallow impression, densely punctate, with dense suberect scales. Aedeagus (Fig. 52b) with sides in apical 1/3 converging, weakly rounded, sparsely setose; transfer-apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.53–3.20 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, in basal ¼ with longitudinal ridges and furrows. Elytral sculpture differing markedly among populations: striae weakly or hardly impressed in specimens from Eastern Highlands; distinctly impressed in specimens from Pindiu; deeply incised forming well-defined furrows in specimens from Mindik.

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**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Aiyura, Goroka, Okapa); Morobe Prov. (Mindik, Pindiu). Elevation: 1340–2169 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin noun \textit{mons} (mountain) and the participle \textit{vagus} (wandering) and refers to the relatively wide distribution in the highlands of Papua New Guinea.

**Notes.** \textit{Trigonopterus montivagus} Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “\textit{Trigonopterus} sp. 205” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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53. \textit{Trigonopterus moreaorum} Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:B28315B8-C173-4FEC-8BDE-5AB9733790D7
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_moreaorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 53a). Length 3.76 mm. Color black. Body elongate-subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum slender; dorsally punctate-rugose, with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; apical 1/3 sparsely punctate; at base with erect white elongate scales, apically replaced by bristles. Eyes large, medially approximate. Pronotum densely punctate, each puncture containing one short seta; basally with indistinct lateral edge, in basal half contours of disk subparallel; sides anteriorly with few scattered white scales. Elytra subglabrous; irregularly punctate with minute punctures; basal margin with distinct ridge extending behind humeri, bordered by row of coarse punctures. Femora with acute tooth at middle. Mesofemur and metatibiae dorsally densely squamose with narrow white scales. Metatibiae with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Meso- and metatibiae with rows of long erect setae. Venter with sparse pubescence of long suberect setae. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrites 1–2 medially forming common concavity. Aedeagus (Fig. 53b) with apex subangulate, with long setae; body containing somewhat
X-shaped sclerite subequal to length of body; transfer apparatus dentiform, ductus ejaculatorius subapically without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.31–3.76 mm. Female rostrum in apical 2/3 dorsally flattened, subglabrous, sparsely punctate; at base with erect, white, elongate scales. Female venter subglabrous, with scattered long suberect scales; female abdominal ventrites 1–2 flat.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1862 (EMBL # HE616139), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov., Okapa, Kimiagomo village, Verefare, S06°24.760', E145°35.575', 1940 m, 18-III-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK): PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov.: 2 exx, ARC1863 (EMBL # HE616140), ARC1864 (EMBL # HE616141), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Okapa). Elevation: 1940 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Morea, found on page 275 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus moreaorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 145” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

**54. *Trigonopterus myops* Riedel, sp. n.**

*urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:B3936427-7F5C-4541-844E-E3DECD929C3D* http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_myops

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 54a). Length 1.66 mm. Color dark ferruginous, elytra almost black; antenna light ferruginous. Body subovate, in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with indistinct, median ridge, bordered by row of coarse punctures, sparsely setose; epistome simple. Eyes small, anteriorly angularly projecting. Pronotum with weak subapical constriction; disk densely, coarsely punctate; each puncture with short, yellowish scale. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; each puncture with suberect, yellowish scale; intervals subglabrous, uneven, intervals 3, 5 and 7 distinctly costate; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped. Meso- and metafemur ventrally dentate. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 54b) with apex asymmetrical, right side forming long curved extension; basal orifice ventrally with rim; transfer apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.35–1.76 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, in basal third coarsely punctate. Abdominal ventrite 3 of females with flattened subtriangular process projecting over ventrite 4 with pair of submedian spines. Female abdominal ventrites 4–5 weakly sclerotized.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0777 (EMBL # HE615460), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari Reg., Manokwari, Arfak Mts, S01°03.723’, E133°54.145’, 1385 m, 08-XII-2007. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW
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Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Greek *myops* (short-sighted) and refers to its peculiar eyes of a few ommatidiae.

Notes. *Trigonopterus myops* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 232” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

55. *Trigonopterus nangiorum* Riedel, sp. n.

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_nangiorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 55a). Length 3.17 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally with median and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of setae; subapically sparsely punctate. Pronotum densely punctate; interspaces dull, microgranulate; with indistinct lateral edges converging in straight line to shortly before apex. Elytra densely punctate; striae distinct, marked by fine lines and rows of small punctures; intervals with row of minute punctures; laterally behind humeri with dense row of deep punctures of stria 9. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally with sparse yellowish lanceolate scales. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus and distinct premicro. Procoxa ventrally with dense patch of long erect setae. Posteroventral rim of mesoventral receptacle densely setose with long erect setae. Abdominal ventrite 5 with distinct impression, densely punctate. Aedeagus (Fig. 55b) with sides subparallel, apically rounded with median nipple-shaped extension, sparsely setose; body dorsally with patches of long setae; transfer-apparatus flagelliform; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.69–3.17 mm. Female rostrum in apical half dorsally with sculpture shallower than in males. Male pronotum anteriorly subangularly projecting, in females rather rounded. Female mesoventral receptacle with posteroventral rim subglabrous. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat, subglabrous, sparsely punctate.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1865 (EMBL # HE616142), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov., Aiyura, S06°21.033', E145°54.597', 2169 m, 06-II-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA
NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov.: 10 exx, ARC1866 (EMBL # HE616143), ARC1867 (EMBL # HE616144), same data as holotype; 2 exx, ARC0351 (EMBL # HE615164), ARC0352 (EMBL # HE615165), Aiyura, S06°21.131', E145°54.398', 1670 m, 05-IV-2006.


Biology. Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

Etymology. This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Nagi, found on page 280 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

Notes. *Trigonopterus nangiorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 175” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

56. *Trigonopterus nothofagorum* Riedel, sp. n.

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_nothofagorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 56a). Length 2.10 mm. Color ferruginous, center of pronotum black. Body subrhomboid; in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with shallow constriction. Rostrum with indistinct median wrinkle and pair of submedian wrinkles, coarsely punctate; epistome forming angulate ridge, medially with weak denticle. Pronotum with subapical constriction; with indistinct lateral flanges; coarsely punctate-reticulate; punctures each with one ochre scale. Elytra heart-shaped, humeri prominent; striae deeply incised; intervals costate; sparsely squamose with ochre scales. Femora ventrally markedly dentate. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Onychium subequal to tarsomere 3, fusiform. Aedeagus (Fig. 56b) with apex rounded; transfer apparatus flagelliform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.78–2.17 mm. Color ranging from ferruginous with black spots to largely black with few ferruginous spots. Body of females subovate. Female rostrum with rows of coarse punctures; epistome simple. Female elytra with humeri simple, not prominent as in males. Femoral tooth smaller or larger.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0786 (EMBL # HE615469), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Arfak Mts, S01°04.087', E133°54.268', 1520 m, 08-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): 25 exx, ARC0787 (EMBL # HE615470), ARC0788 (EMBL # HE615471), ARC0789 (EMBL # HE615472), same data as holotype; 10 exx, Mokwam, Siyoubrig, S01°06.107', E133°54.888', 1530 m, 10-XII-2007, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest dominated by *Nothofagus*.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the plant genus *Nothofagus*.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus nothofagorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 235” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 57a). Length 3.56 mm. Color black; antennal scape and funicle ferruginous. Body ovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally densely punctate, without ridges or furrows. Pronotum densely punctate; dorsally punctures minute, laterally larger, anterolaterally with scattered white scales. Elytra punctate with minute punctures, especially on intervals; strial punctures slightly larger; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri simple, not deepened. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales. Metafemur with smooth dorso posterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, without premucro. Aedeagus (Fig. 57b) symmetrical; apex subangulate, subglabrous; transfer-apparatus simple; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus.

Intraspecific variation. Length 2.97–3.94 mm. Female rostrum in apical half slightly narrower than in male, dorsally with punctures slightly sparser and smaller.


Biology. Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin adjective ovatus (egg-shaped) and refers to the species’ body form.

Notes. Trigonopterus ovatus Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 147” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
58. *Trigonopterus oviformis* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:E10C6E76-3AAE-40A5-9B83-322703ED5182
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_oviformis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 58a). Length 2.45 mm. Color black with bronze lustre, antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum dorsally with median and pair of submedian ridges; sparsely squamose with slender subcuneiform scales. Pronotum relatively small; disk sparsely punctate; laterally with sparse, almond-shaped, cream-colored scales. Elytra with striae distinct; intervals flat, subglabrous; interval 2 basally with patch of almond-shaped, cream-colored scales. Femora ventrally with minute denticle. Meso- and metafemur especially dorsally squamose with cream-colored scales; metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Meso- and metatibia in apical half with regular row of setae, near uncus with small brush of long setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 58b) apically subtruncate, with dense fringe of setae; subapically sides with pair of membranous protrusions; orifice and body with complex sclerites; transfer apparatus symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.16–2.45 mm. Female rostrum dorsally punctate and sparsely setose, in basal 1/3 coarsely punctate-rugose.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin noun *ovum* (egg) and the suffix *-formis* (-shaped) and refers to the habitus of this species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus oviformis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 254” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

59. *Trigonopterus parumsquamosus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:78AA5E83-38E8-4898-94A2-4C938342C306
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_parumsquamosus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 59a). Length 2.03 mm. Color black; legs ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subovate, in dorsal aspect with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally scabrous, basally with indistinct median ridge and pair of sublateral ridges; epistome forming angulate ridge and small median denticle. Pronotum densely punctate with ovate punctures, medially subglabrous; at middle with pair of transverse squamose patches; scales cream-colored, subtriangular. Elytra with striae marked by small punctures; interval 4 at middle with cluster of few cream-colored recumbent
scales. Meso- and metafemur with anteroventral ridge simple. Meso- and metatibia in basal half widened, subapically narrowed. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 59b) with sides of body subparallel, apex rounded; transfer apparatus flagelliform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.60–2.03 mm. Female rostrum in apical half medially subglabrous, sublaterally punctate, without ridges; epistome simple. Cream-colored scales of pronotum and elytron in some specimens largely abraded.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0527 (EMBL # FN429233), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.912', E140°30.416', 785 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 6 exx, ARC0528 (EMBL # FN429234), ARC0529 (EMBL # FN429235), same data as holotype; 2 exx, ARC0654 (EMBL # FN FN429301), ARC0655 (EMBL # FN429302), S02°31.594', E140°30.407', 1065 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 1 ex, ARC0657 (EMBL # FN429304), S02°31.776', E140°30.215', 945 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 2 exx, S02°31.683', E140°30.281', 960 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 3 exx (1 marked ARC0412), 700 m, 22-XII-2004, sifted; 3 exx, 1000 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin words *parum* (sparse) and *squamosus* (scaled) and refers to the few scattered scales.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus parumsquamosus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 43” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spaq” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

60. *Trigonopterus parvulus* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:1F696E2A-E177-460B-B948-9CB293658E17
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_parvulus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 60a). Length 1.54 mm. Antenna, legs, and head ferruginous; pronotum, elytra, and tarsi black. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum punctate; epistome simple. Eyes small, anterior margin angularly projecting. Pronotum with weak subapical constriction; disk densely, coarsely punctate; each puncture with short, yellowish scale. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; each puncture with suberect, yellowish scale; intervals subglabrous, costate, partly transversely confluent. Meso- and metafemur ventrally dentate. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Onychium ca. 1.6× longer than tarsomere 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 60b) with apex asymmetrical, right side forming long curved extension; basal orifice ventrally with rim; transfer apparatus dentiform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.46–1.54 mm. Female rostrum slightly longer, dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, in basal third coarsely punctate. Female elytral apex markedly extended ven-
tradi, beak-shaped. Abdominal ventrite 3 of females with flattened process projecting over ventrite 4, medially with bifid extension reaching base of ventrite 5, sublaterally with pair of shorter spines. Female abdominal ventrites 4–5 weakly sclerotized.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0832 (EMBL # HE983631), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Arfak Mts, Mokwam, Siyoubrig, S01°07.066', E133°54.710', 1870 m, 11-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): 23 exx, ARC0833 (EMBL # HE615515), ARC0834 (EMBL # HE615516), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Manokwari Reg. (Arfak Mts). Elevation: 1870 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *parvulus* (little) and refers to the species’ small body size.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus parvulus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 233*” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

61. *Trigonopterus phoenix* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:76A1163B-D718-47F4-9466-2773F1EEDFB9
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_phoenix

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 61a). Length 2.63 mm. Color black; antennae, tarsi and elytra ferruginous. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of yellowish scales; apically weakly punctate, sparsely setose. Pronotum coarsely punctate-reticulate. Elytra with distinct striae of small punctures; intervals with row of minute punctures; laterally behind humeri with ridge bordered by 4 deep punctures of stria 9. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally squamose with silvery scales. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus and minute premucro. Abdominal ventrite 5 coarsely punctate, in apical half with round depression fringed with dense erect scales. Aedeagus (Fig. 61b) apically weakly pointed, sparsely setose; transfer-apparatus spiniform; ducus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.53–2.63 mm. Female rostrum in apical half slender, dorsally subglabrous, with sublateral furrows. Female abdominal ventrite 5 densely punctate, with suberect scales, with median ridge.


**Distribution.** Simbu Prov. (Haia). Elevation: ca. 1240–1450 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forest.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus phoenix* Riedel was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 207*” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
62. *Trigonopterus plicicollis* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:C92E1947-7151-4164-A216-68C190AD848E
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_plicicollis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 62a). Length 2.75 mm. Color black; legs deep ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum in basal half with 3 ridges posteriorly continued to forehead; furrows each with 1 row of mesad directed setae; epistome weakly swollen, with transverse ridge. Pronotum deeply sculptured; with marked subapical constriction, apical collar with coarse punctures; disk with glabrous median ridge, on each side with additional three highly elevated coarsely punctate ridges; sides with oblique wrinkles and deep punctures. Elytra with striae deeply incised, towards sides with interspersed punctures; intervals costate, subglabrous, with sparse small punctures and wrinkles; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped. Femora edentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 62b) apically with submedian tooth shifted to the left; body at middle with broad depression visible in lateral aspect; transfer apparatus flagelliform, shorter than body, pointing basad; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.10–2.75 mm. Female rostrum in apical half dorsally flattened, subglabrous, with sparse punctures and lateral furrows; epistome simple.


**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 960–1320 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin nouns *plica* (fold) and *collum* (neck, pronotum) and refers to the surface of the pronotum.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus plicicollis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 32” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spaf” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

63. *Trigonopterus politoides* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:336C5055-B4B6-4CAA-A6FE-332300F35FD0
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_politoides

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 63a). Length 2.18 mm. Color black; antenna ferruginous. Body slender, ovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in apical half smooth; in basal half with
two pairs of longitudinal furrows containing sparse scales; above eye simple. Eyes with dorsal margin continuous with head, not carinate. Pronotum subglabrous, sparsely punctate with minute punctures. Elytra subglabrous, striae hardly visible but each with a deep pit along basal margin. Femora subglabrous; metafemur dorsally with silvery scales (partly abraded). Metafemur on posterior surface with longitudinal impression and row of scales; with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Mesotibia basally with external angulation, subapically simple, with uncus. Metatibia subapically simple, with uncus and few recumbent setae. Abdominal ventrite 5 with median impression. Aedeagus (Fig. 63b). Apex asymmetrical, with angular extension shifted to the right; laterally with dense brushes of weakly curved setae; proximal part of ductus ejaculatorius parallel to axis of aedeagus, enclosed by sclerites of transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.**

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0500 (EMBL # FN429207), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°32.2’, E140°30.4’, 545–700 m, 02-XII-2007, beaten. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 1 ex, ARC0501 (EMBL # FN429208), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC0503 (EMBL # FN429210), S02°32.0’, E140°30.4’, 700–900 m, 02-XII-2007, beaten.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 700 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the name of *Trigonopterus politus* (Faust) and the Greek suffix *eides* (similar) and refers to their superficial similarity.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus politoides* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 25” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spy” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

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64. **Trigonopterus pseudogranum** Riedel, sp. n.

[urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:ECC19B3C-AC8F-4B57-A3EC-C29C95118BC6](http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_pseudogranum)

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 64a). Length 2.26 mm. Color black; legs and rostrum dark ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body laterally somewhat compressed, elongate-ovate, without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal third with low median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; apically subglabrous. Eyes large. Pronotum densely punctate, punctures dorsally small, laterally becoming larger, bearing each one minute seta; without scales. Elytra with striae distinct, punctures of stria 1–2 small, laterad strial punctures becoming larger, relatively shallow. Femora with anteroventral ridge. Profemur converging from base to apex. Meso- and metafemur with dorsoposterior edge subapically worn; metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibiae simple, without rows or brushes of long setae. Metatibia subapically with small suprauncal projection.
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Metaventrite laterally forming acute process over metacoxa, reaching tibial insertion. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrite 1 subglabrous, with sparse recumbent setae. Abdominal ventrite 2 similar to ventrites 3-4. Abdominal ventrite 5 with deep, subrotund cavity almost filling complete ventrite. Aedeagus (Fig. 64b) apically sinuate, with deep median incision; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Female rostrum subglabrous except in basal ¼ with ridges. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat.


Biology. Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Greek prefix pseudo (false) and the name of the sibling species Trigonopterus granum.

Notes. Trigonopterus pseudogranum Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 271” by Tänzler et al. (2012). It is closely related to T. granum sp. n., T. pseudogranum sp. n., and T. imitatus sp. n. from which it can be distinguished by the denser punctation of the pronotum and the structure of the male abdominal ventrite 5. Despite its close morphological similarity its cox1-sequence diverges 10.4–13.1 % from the other species.

65. Trigonopterus pseudonasutus Riedel, sp. n.

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 65a). Length 2.48 mm. Color black; legs deep ferruginous to black; antenna lighter ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum dorsally swollen, with distinct median carina, remainder coarsely punctate with erect white scales, subapical third subglabrous, weakly punctate. Eyes medially approximate. Pronotum subglabrous, with minute punctures, in front of elytral humeri with row of deep punctures, evenly rounded towards sides. Elytra subglabrous with minute punctures; striae obsolete; basal margin straight, simple. Femora with anteroventral ridge distinct, at base abruptly ending and forming markedly projecting blunt angle; at middle with inconspicuous tooth. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 65b) apically subangulate; ductus ejaculatorius subapically with weak bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.30–2.88 mm. Female rostrum in apical 2/3 dorsally flattened, subglabrous, sparsely punctate; basally swollen, with erect white scales.

Material examined. Holotype (MZB): ARC0700 (EMBL # FN429344), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Doyo, S02°32.5’, E140°28.8’, 300–400 m, 27-XI-2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA,
Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts: 1 ex, ARC0701 (EMBL # FN429345), same data as holotype; 9 exx, ARC0457 (EMBL # FN429168), Sentani, S02°32.2', E140°30.4', 545–700 m, 02-XII-2007; 1 ex, ARC0492 (EMBL # FN429199), Sentani, S02°31.7', E140°30.3', 850–1000 m, 30-XI-2007; 3 exx, ARC0495 (EMBL # FN429202), Sentani, S02°31.8', E140°30.5', 600–900 m, 28-XI-2007; 3 exx, S02°31.6', E140°30.4', 900–1100 m, 28-XI-2007, beaten; 2 exx, ARC0690 (EMBL # FN429334), ARC0691 (EMBL # FN429335), Sentani, S02°32.2', E140°30.4', 545–700 m, 02-XII-2007; 2 exx, S02°32.0', E140°30.4', 700–900 m, 02-XII-2007; 3 exx, Sentani, S02°32.2', E140°30.5', 500–600 m, 28-XI-07; 3 exx, Sentani, “Mim 1”, S02°32.166', E140°30.512', 600–620 m, 19-XI-07; 2 exx, Sentani, S02°31.794', E140°30.4', 350–620 m, 19-XI-07; 1 ex, Sentani, S02°31.8', E140°30.2', 630–800 m, 21-XI-2007; 1 ex, Sentani, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991; 5 exx, Sentani, 600–1100 m, 05-X-1991; 3 exx, Sentani, 400–500 m, 10-VIII-1992; 4 exx, Sentani, 300–450 m, 07-10-VIII-1992; 4 exx, Sentani, 300–550 m, 02-X-1992; 1 ex (“marked as ARC0415”), 950–1450 m, 03-X-1992; 5 exx, Sentani, 300–500 m, 31-X-1992; 12 exx, Sentani, III-1992; 1 ex, Sentani, 350–850 m, 16-X-1996; 9 exx, Sentani, S02°32.535', E140°30.728', 250–385 m, 30-VI-2010.


**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Greek prefix *pseudo* (false) and the name of *Trigonopterus nasutus* Pascoe which is superficially very similar and occurs sympatrically.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus pseudonasutus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 22” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spv” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

66. *Trigonopterus ptolycoides* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:37E45438-EBB4-4FD0-BC0E-B72E4D9979F8
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_ptolycoides

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 66a). Length 4.28 mm. Color ferruginous, elytral disk with some irregular darker spots; integument partly covered with yellowish-brownish tomentum. Body dorsally flattened, with irregular lateral ridge; with constrictions at middle of pronotum, between pronotum and elytron, and in basal third of elytron. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; basally above eyes with pair of protrusions; apical ½ subglabrous, punctulate. Pronotum with subapical constriction; with marked lateral flanges; coarsely rugose-punctate; punctures containing each one upcurved scale and much finer tomentum. Elytra with distinct striae; intervals with irregular tomentose tubercles; with marked lateral flanges; base bisinuate; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped. Femora narrow, parallel-sided, edentate. Meso- and metafemur dorsally with fringe of erect scales; metatibia subapically with stridulatory patch. Meso- and metatibia tapering
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101 new species of *Trigonopterus* from base to apex. Tarsi asymmetrical; tarsomere 3 with anterior lobe much larger than posterior lobe. Abdominal ventrite 5 apically deeply emarginate. Aedeagus (Fig. 66b) with body flattened, sides subparallel, apex pointed; transfer-apparatus short, spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.92–4.28 mm. Female abdominal ventrite 5 apically rounded.


**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Mt. Michael). Elevation: ca. 2179–2800 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is a combination of the genus name *Ptolycus* and the Latin suffix -oides (having the form of) and refers to the species’ resemblance in habitus.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus ptolycoides* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 68” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

67. *Trigonopterus punctulatus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:76389482-C7E2-49BA-9A72-9A0EAE695906
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_punctulatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 67a). Length 3.72 mm. Color black, legs and antenna deep ferruginous. Body ovate; almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally tricarinate, with distinct median and pair of lateral carinae to shortly before apex. Pronotum densely punctate. Elytra densely punctate; strial punctures slightly larger than minute punctures on intervals; striae impressed as fine lines; lateral stria behind humeri simple, not deepened. Femora edentate. Metatibiae subapically narrow, subbasally widened, dorsal contour with angulation. Metatibiae without premicro; with small suprauncal projection. Aedeagus (Fig. 67b) apically subangulate; dorsum sublaterally sparsely setose; transfer apparatus spiniform, curved; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.92–3.92 mm. Female rostrum basally punctate, towards apex rugose-punctate.


**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 300–1420 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *punctulatus* (provided with little punctures) and refers to the species’ surface scattered with small punctures.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus punctulatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 2*” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus spb*” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

68. *Trigonopterus ragaorum* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:FE9A1AF-43EF-4A40-9EB5-54D2AF0702CF

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_ragaorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 68a). Length 2.57 mm. Color black; antennae and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows scales and setae; apically weakly punctate, sparsely setose. Pronotum punctate-reticulate. Elytra with striae impressed as very fine lines; strial punctures very small; intervals flat, subglabrous; basal margin bordered by row of small punctures; laterally behind humeri with ridge bordered by 4 deep punctures of stria 9. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally squamose with silvery scales. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus and minute premuacro. Abdominal ventrite 5 densely setose with erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 68b) apically weakly pointed, sparsely setose; body dorsally with 2 rows of sparse setae; in profile apical 2/3 of body markedly curved ventrad; transfer-apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.30–2.65 mm. Female rostrum in apical half dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, with shallow furrows. Female abdominal ventrite 5 with subrecumbent setae.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1876 (EMBL # HE616153), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov., Aiyura, S06°21.033’, E145°54.597’, 2169 m, 06-II-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW GUINEA: 29 exx, ARC1877 (EMBL # HE616154), ARC1878 (EMBL # HE616155), ARC1879 (EMBL # HE616156), ARC1880 (EMBL # HE616157), ARC1881 (EMBL # HE616158), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC0354 (EMBL # HE615167), Aiyura, S06°21.131’, E145°54.398’, 1670 m, 05-IV-2006.

Biology. Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

Etymology. This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Raga, found on page 315 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

Notes. Trigonopterus ragaorum Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 208” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

69. *Trigonopterus rhinoceros* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:E52A2105-B7CB-4350-A8F3-9E8B78A8C25E
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_rhinoceros

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 69a). Length 2.14 mm. Color black; tarsi ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subglobose; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, at middle with tubercle; apical half laterally bordered by ridges; epistome at middle with dorsoposterior directed horn. Pronotum basally angulate; apex, base, and sides densely punctate, disk medially and sublaterally subglabrous. Elytra with suture and striae 1–3 incised; all striae marked by small punctures; intervals subglabrous, with row of minute punctures; base with yellowish, posteriort directed scales; interval 7 subapically swollen. Meso- and metatibia ventrally in apical half with row of long setae. Metafemur with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 69b) with apex rounded; endophallus distally with brace-shaped sclarite; ductus ejaculatorius, without bulbous.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.76–2.26 mm. Female rostrum dorsally flattened, medially subglabrous, with rows of punctures and lateral furrows; epistome simple. Female metafemur ventrally simple, without long setae.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0554 (EMBL # FN429260), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.182', E140°30.542', 1510 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Senani: 7 exx, ARC0555 (EMBL # FN429261), ARC0562 (EMBL # FN429268), same data as holotype; 1 ex, S02°31.383', E140°30.490', 1275 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 1 ex, S02°31.281', E140°30.535', 1420 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 4 exx (1 marked ARC0095), 1320 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 2 exx, 300–1400 m, 10-VIII-1991; 1 ex, 1200–1400 m, 09-VIII-1992, sifted.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1275–1510 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane clipped forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is a noun in apposition and refers to the horn on the rostral apex, resembling the one of a mammal rhinoceros.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus rhinoceros* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 44” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “Trigonopterus spar” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.
70. *Trigonopterus rhomboidalis* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:E072A3FE-B753-4634-ACAC-4548BD13EDB8
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_rhomboidalis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 70a). Length 2.98 mm. Color orange-ferruginous, head and pronotum black. Body subrhomboid; almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum with weak median and pair of submedian costae, basally with few distinct punctures; in apical 1/3 weakly rugose-punctate; sparsely setose. Pronotum punctate with small punctures becoming larger from base to apex; sides anteriorly with large punctures, posteriorly subglabrous. Elytra with striae indistinct, marked by small to minute punctures, intervals with row of minute punctures. Femora edentate, with distinct anteroventral ridge. Metafemur posteriorly subglabrous except subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 70b) with sides of body subparallel, apex subtruncate, with small median tip; endophallus with two pairs of narrow sclerites; complex transfer-apparatus symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.43–3.03 mm. Punctures of pronotum relatively small in specimens from Poga, especially basally; in specimens from Bokondini and Lake Habbema pronotum evenly coarsely punctate except along subglabrous midline.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1753 (EMBL # HE616030), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga, S03°47.631', E138°35.459' to S03°47.406', E138°35.507', 2260–2410 m, 14-VII-2010. Paratypes (ARC, NHMB, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 3 exx, ARC1755 (EMBL # HE616032), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC1752 (EMBL # HE616029), Poga, S03°47.575', E138°33.155' to S03°47.473', E138°33.163', 2620–2715 m, 15-VII-2010; 1 ex, ARC1714 (EMBL # HE615994), Jiwika, Kurulu, S03°57.161', E138°57.357' to S03°56.977', E138°57.441', 1875–1990 m, 12-VII-2010; 2 exx, Jiwika, 1800–2300 m, 31-V-1998; 2 exx, Ilugwa, trail to Pass valley, 1900–2500 m, 14-IX-1990; 1 ex, ARC1806 (EMBL # HE616083), Bokondini, S03°40.345', E138°42.386' to S03°40.255', E138°42.189', 1655–1700 m, 18-VII-2010; 8 exx, ARC1815 (EMBL # HE616092), ARC1816 (EMBL # HE616093), W Wamena, road to Lake Habbema, S04°07.625', E138°49.992', 2520 m, 20-VII-2010; 62 exx, W Wamena, road to Lake Habbema, S04°08.256', E138°49.049', 2770 m, 20-VII-2010; 21 exx, Baliem-vall., ca. 1700 m, III-1992.


**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *rhomboidalis* (shaped like a rhomboid) and refers to the body-shape.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus rhomboidalis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 81*” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
71. *Trigonopterus rubiginosus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:B5E826C2-162D-4CF8-B781-6DCFFC180673
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_rubiginosus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 71a). Length 2.93 mm. Color orange-ferruginous; pronotum, tarsi and antennal club black. Body elongate; with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile dorsally flat. Rostrum with distinct median and pair of submedian costae, in apical 1/3 scabrous. Pronotum densely punctate; interspaces subequal to puncture’s diameter. Elytra with striae marked by small punctures and hardly visible fine lines, intervals with smaller punctures interspersed; intervals 1–3 near base with larger and denser punctures. Mesocoxa with densely setose patch. Femora edentate. Profemur in basal third posteriorly with callus. Metafemur dorsally with row of white scales; subapically with indistinct striulatory patch interspersed with coarse punctures. Metatibia ventrally with sparse row of long setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 71b) apically subangulate, with brushes of stout, apically hooked setae; body flattened, sides subparallel; transfer apparatus simple, spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulb. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.81–3.09 mm. No female specimen available.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1756 (EMBL # HE616033), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga, S03°47.631’, E138°35.459’ to S03°47.406’, E138°35.507’, 2260–2410 m, 14-VII-2010. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 13 exx, ARC1736 (EMBL # HE616013), ARC1737 (EMBL # HE616014), ARC1738 (EMBL # HE616015), Poga, S03°48.382’, E138°34.780’, 2285–2345 m, 13-VII-2010; 1 ex (marked as “ARC0033”), Jiwika, 1800–2300 m, 31-V-1998; 1 ex, Ilugwa, Melanggama, 1900–2200 m, 09-12-IX-1990.


**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *rubiginosus* (rusty-red)

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus rubiginosus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 248” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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72. *Trigonopterus rubripennis* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:EB5923DD-599C-4CEA-9EA2-EA61BA28D9F1
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_rubripennis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 72a). Length 2.43 mm. Color black; antennae, legs and elytra ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; with lateral constriction; sparsely setose. Pronotum densely punctate-retticulate. Elytra with striae distinct; strial punctures small; intervals with row of minute punctures; laterally behind humeri with ridge bordered by 4 deeper punctures of stria 9. Femora edentate. Anteroventral ridge of pro-
femur in apical 1/3 shortened, forming weak angulation. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally sparsely squamose. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus and minute premucro. Abdominal ventrite 5 with shallow depression and patch of dense erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 72b) apically weakly pointed, sparsely setose; body dorsally with two combs of setae; transfer-apparatus spiniform, curved; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.14–2.43 mm. Female rostrum in apical half subglabrous, sparsely punctate. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat, with subrecumbent setae.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1834 (EMBL # HE616111), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov., Okapa, Konafi to Isimomo, S06°25.593', E145°34.862', S06°25.003', E145°34.527', 1911–2131 m, 18-III-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov.: 4 exx, ARC1835 (EMBL # HE616112), same data as holotype; 1 ex, Okapa, Isimomo, S06°25.003', E145°34.527', 2131 m, 22-XII-2010; 7 exx, ARC1833 (EMBL # HE616110), Okapa, Kimiagomo village, Hamegoya, S06°25.727', E145°35.455', S06°25.117', E145°35.225', 1891–2131 m, 18-III-2010; 1 ex, Okapa, Afiyaleto village, S06°25.593', E145°34.862' to S06°25.212', E145°35.498', 1911 m, 18-III-2010, beaten.

**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Okapa). Elevation: ca. 1911–2131 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin adjective *ruber* (red) and the noun *penna* (wing, elytron).

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus rubripennis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 206” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

### 73. *Trigonopterus rufibasis* Riedel, sp. n.


http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_rufibasis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 73a). Length 2.38 mm. Color black; basal 1/3 of elytra ferruginous; legs dark ferruginous except tarsi, knees and base of femora black. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally relatively flat, with two submedian rows of punctures, dorsolaterally with pair of furrows continuing along eye. Pronotum sparsely punctate with minute punctures, subapically punctures larger and denser. Elytra with striae distinct, dorsally punctures small, along base and laterally behind humeri punctures large; intervals subglabrous. Femora edentate. Metafemur with simple dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 73b) apically rounded, sparsely setose; transfer apparatus spiniform, curved, much shorter than body; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.91–2.55 mm. Color of legs ferruginous or black. Female rostrum dorsally with punctures smaller and sparser than in male.
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**Material examined.** Holotype (MZH): ARC1764 (EMBL # HE616041), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga, S03°47.575', E138°33.155' to S03°47.473', E138°33.163', 2620–2715 m, 15-VII-2010. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., Poga: 12 exx, ARC1765 (EMBL # HE616042), ARC1766 (EMBL # HE616043), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Poga). Elevation: ca. 2620–2715 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of upper montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the combination of the Latin adjective *rufus* (reddish) and the noun *basis* (base) and refers to the elytral coloration.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus rufibasis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 124*” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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74. *Trigonopterus scabrosus* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:41D1ED4D-256D-40EA-959C-7E2978F22AF5
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_scabrosus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 74a). Length 2.08 mm. Color of legs and elytral base dark ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous; remainder black. Body subovate, in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with median carina bordered by pair of sublateral furrows, posteriorly continued to hind-level of eyes; at level of antennal insertion median carina high, denticulate; with sparse, erect scales; epistome with transverse, angulate ridge provided with three teeth, medially with horn and laterally with pair of teeth. Pronotum with subapical constriction; disk coarsely punctate, areolate. Elytra with striae deeply incised, intervals costate, sparsely setose with minute recumbent setae; interval 7 subapically forming ridge; apex subangulate. Femora edentate. Metanotum with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge, in apical third with transverse row of small suberect setae, subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrites 1–2 cavernous. Abdominal ventrite 2 projecting dentiform over elytral edge in profile. Aedeagus (Fig. 74b) apically subtruncate; transfer apparatus small, tridentate; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.90–2.45 mm. Color of elytra ranging from almost black (except base of intervals 4–5 ferruginous) to ferruginous in basal half. Female rostrum dorsally with low median costa bearing two rows of punctures, bordered by pair of lateral furrows, without protrusions; epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZH): ARC0759 (EMBL # HE615442), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja, S00°51.497', E134°04.949', 220 m, 05-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja: 3 exx, ARC0760 (EMBL # HE615443), ARC0761 (EMBL # HE615444), same data as holotype; 1 ex, 22-23-IX-1990, sifted; 4 exx, 200 m, 30-XII-2004, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.
**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *scabrosus* (rough) and refers to sculpture, especially the one of the pronotum.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus scabrosus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 204” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

75. *Trigonopterus scissops* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:5E783DAA-30CE-41D6-A8DE-0FEE8E94B143
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_scissops

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 75a). Length 1.78 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous; tibiae and femora dark ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with submedian and sublateral pair of furrows; epistome simple. Eyes large, divided into dorsal and ventral portions by marked incision of posterior margin. Pronotum with marked subapical constriction; densely punctate with deep punctures; each puncture with one narrow, elongate, ochre scale. Elytra with striae deeply incised; intervals costate, each with one row of narrow scales. Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibia apically confluent with stout uncus. Onychium ca. 1.9× longer than tarsomere 3. Aedeagus (Fig. 75b) dorsoventrally flattened, widened to subangulate apex; transfer apparatus short, tubuliform. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.78–2.10 mm.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0836 (EMBL # HE615518), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari Reg., Arfak Mts, Siyoubrig, S01°07.066’, E133°54.710’, 1870 m, 11-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari Reg., Arfak Mts: 7 exx, ARC0835 (EMBL # HE615517), ARC0837 (EMBL # HE615519), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Manokwari Reg. (Arfak Mts). Elevation: 1870 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is composed of the Latin participle *scissus* (split) and the Greek noun *ops* (eye) and refers to the remarkable morphology of the eye of this species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus scissops* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 55” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

76. *Trigonopterus scharfi* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:8D7C7A25-B2D6-416F-813B-2F9186048CB2
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_scharfi

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 76a). Length 1.40 mm. Color black; head, antenna, tarsi and tibiae ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with indistinct, median ridge, sparsely setose. Eyes in subdorsal position, approximate. Pronotum with weak subapical constriction; disk with median ridge; densely punctate with
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large punctures; each puncture with curved, suberect, yellowish scale. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; each puncture with curved, suberect, yellowish scale; intervals weakly costate, subglabrous. Meso- and metafemur ventrally dentate. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 76b) with apex extended, pointed, curved ventrad; transfer apparatus spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.40–1.60 mm. Female rostrum dorsally slightly flattened, in apical half subglabrous, weakly punctate.


**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 960–1510 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This species is named in honor of Stefan Scharf (Karlsruhe), who has spent months creating a 3D computer model of one of the paratypes.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus scharfi* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 51*” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus spay*” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

77. **Trigonopterus signicollis** Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:1F97F68E-A68D-40AB-AFB33A98CAE3
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_signicollis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 77a). Length 1.79 mm. Color black; legs and apex of pronotum deep ferruginous; antenna and tarsi light ferruginous. Body subglobose; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum in basal half with 3 ridges posteriorly continued to and uniting on forehead; subapically scabrous; epistome forming curved, transverse ridge. Pronotum deeply sculptured; with marked subapical constriction, apical collar and lateral costate flanges punctate, sparsely setose; transversely ovate disk swollen, glabrous except medially with few punctures. Elytra subglabrous, on disk striae deeply incised, intervals costate,
towards sides and near apex with deep punctures; intervals 3, 5, and 6 more prominent; apex extended ventrad, beak-shaped; lateral interval subapically with row of setae. Meso- and metafemur weakly dentate. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 77b) with apex medially pointed; body in apical half with broad depression visible in lateral aspect; transfer apparatus markedly asymmetrical, flagelliform, curled, pointing laterad; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.71–2.03 mm. Female rostrum in apical half dorsally flattened, subglabrous, with sparse punctures; epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZH): ARC0553 (EMBL # FN429259), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.383', E140°30.490', 1275 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 2 exx, same data as holotype; 2 exx, ARC0560 (EMBL # FN429266), ARC0561 (EMBL # FN429267), S02°31.425', E140°30.474', 1265 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 2 exx, S02°31.281', E140°30.535', 1420 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 3 exx, ARC0682 (EMBL # FN429327), ARC0683 (EMBL # FN429328), S02°31.182', E140°30.542', 1510 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted; 1 ex, 1320 m, 23-XII-2004.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1265–1510 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin nouns *signum* (mark, seal) and *collum* (neck, pronotum) and refers to the distinct, central portion of the pronotal disk.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus signicollis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 38” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spal” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

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78. *Trigonopterus simulans* Riedel, sp. n.

[urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:7F9C0CC2-B228-4134-8548-19243C03D182](http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_simulans)

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 78a). Length 2.15 mm. Color black, with bronze lustre; legs and antenna ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with distinct constriction. Rostrum with weak median ridge and pair of submedian furrows. Pronotum anteriorly densely punctate, with yellowish elongate apicad directed scales; disk subglabrous, with sparse minute punctures. Elytra near base and before apex with sparse, yellowish, elongate scales; remainder subglabrous, with sparse minute punctures; striae obsolete. Anteroventral ridges of femora simple. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 5 swollen, at middle with depression. Aedeagus (Fig. 78b) with apex rounded; behind orifice containing X-shaped pair of sclerites; in profile dorsal contour convex; transfer apparatus spiniform, 0.3× as long as body of aedeagus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.15–2.30 mm. Female rostrum slender, dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate.
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Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin adjective simulans (imitating). It refers to the close resemblance of this species with other closely related ones.

Notes. Trigonopterus simulans Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 45” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “Trigonopterus spas” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

79. Trigonopterus soiorum Riedel, sp. n.

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 79a). Length 3.06 mm. Color black; base of antennal scape ferruginous. Body elongate; in dorsal aspect with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with weak constriction. Rostrum slender; dorsally with carina and pair of short submedian ridges; at base with erect white elongate scales, apically replaced by bristles. Eyes large, medially approximate. Pronotum with disk subglabrous, with minute punctures; with distinct edge lateral edge except in apical 1/4 evenly rounded; posterior angles with coarse punctures and sparse white scales; sides along anterior margin with few white scales; above procoxa coarsely punctate. Elytra subglabrous, irregularly punctate with minute punctures; striae obsolete; basal margin straight; laterally behind humeri with ridge bordered by row of shallow punctures. Femora with anteroveltral ridge distinct, terminating at base; profemur at middle with tooth. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrites 1–2 forming common, subglabrous concavity. Abdominal ventrite 5 with subrotund densely setose impression, laterally bordered by distinct ridges. Aedeagus (Fig. 79b) with body markedly curved in profile; apex subangulate, subglabrous; transfer apparatus short, spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius subapically without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 3.06–3.38 mm. Female rostrum in apical 2/3 dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, sublaterally with furrow containing row of setae; at base bordering eyes with white elongate scales. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat, subglabrous.

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2169 m, 06-II-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov.: 1 ex, ARC1857 (EMBL # HE616134), same data as holotype; 5 exx, ARC1859 (EMBL # HE616136), ARC1860 (EMBL # HE616137), Okapa, Kimiagomo village, Verefare, S06°24.760’, E145°35.575’, 1940 m, 18-III-2010; 2 exx, Okapa, Kofare village, S06°25.212’, E145°35.498’, 2140 m, 18-III-2010, beaten; 2 exx, Okapa, Anurite village, S06°24.760’, E145°35.575’, 1940 m, 18-III-2010, beaten; 3 exx, Okapa, Nakaloyate village, S06°24.760’, E145°35.575’, 1940 m, 18-III-2010.


Etymology. This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Soi, found on page 330 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

Notes. Trigonopterus soiorum Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 58” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

80. Trigonopterus sordidus Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:4FC14699-33FD-4559-A77E-4838ED9272D5
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_sordidus

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 80a). Length 1.98 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi light ferruginous; tibiae, femora, and head deep ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum rugose-punctate; epistome weakly, transversely swollen. Pronotum deeply rugose-punctate, each puncture containing one scale; majority of scales narrow, ochre; few scales almond-shaped, white. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; strial punctures with same set of scales as pronotum; intervals costate, largely subglabrous, but with scattered scales. Femora dentate. Metafemur with simple dorso-posterior edge, subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 80b) complex, laterally incised, with dorsolateral well-sclerotized flanges; apex subtruncated, sparsely setose. Endophallus with various sclerites. transfer apparatus drop-shaped, apically pointed; ductus ejaculatorius with weak bulbous. Intraspecific variation. Length 1.86–2.28 mm. Color ferruginous in some possibly teneral specimens. Scattered scales on elytra more or less numerous.


Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *sordidus* (dirty) and refers both to the occurrence of incrustations and the species’ general appearance making it hard to distinguish from a grain of dirt.

Notes. *Trigonopterus sordidus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 176” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

81. *Trigonopterus squamirostris* Riedel, sp. n.
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_squamirostris

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 81a). Length 1.70 mm. Color black; tarsi and elytra dark ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Eyes large. Rostrum punctate, surface microreticulate, densely squamose with cream-colored almond-shaped scales, without distinct furrows or ridges. Pronotum densely punctate; anterolaterally with scattered cream-colored scales. Elytra with striae distinct; intervals flat, subglabrous; stria 3 near base and apex with few scales. Femora edentate, dorsally with few scattered scales. Metatibia subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia simple; uncus hook-like extended, curved ventroposteriad. Aedeagus (Fig. 81b) with apodemes 2.0 X as long as body; sides of body weakly bisinuate; apex extended, pointed, markedly curved ventrad; transfer apparatus small, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 1.38–1.88 mm. Color of elytra ferruginous or black. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, submedially with row of punctures, sublateral furrow containing sparse row of setae. Female metatibia with uncus simple, not hook-like.

Material examined. Holotype (SMNK): ARC1119 (EMBL # HE615748), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Simbu Prov., Karimui Dist., Haia, Supa, S06°40.078′, E145°03.207′ to S06°39.609′, E145°03.012′, 1220–1450 m, 02-X-2009. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): Simbu Prov., Karimui Dist., Haia: 1 ex, ARC1104 (EMBL # HE615733), S06°41.018′, E145°00.995′, 1090 m, 04-X-2009, sifted; 28 exx, ARC1113 (EMBL # HE615742), ARC1114 (EMBL # HE615743), ARC1118 (EMBL # HE615747), ARC1120 (EMBL # HE615749), ARC1121 (EMBL # HE615750), same data as holotype; 1 ex, Haia, S06°41.259′, E145°00.822′ to S06°41.102′, E145°00.979′, 900–1005 m, 27-IX-2009; 3 exx, Haia, S06°41.216′, E145°00.945′ to S06°40.976′, E145°00.979′, 970–1135 m, 04-X-2009, beaten; 3 exx, Haia, Supa station, S06°40.047′, E145°03.464′ to S06°39.815′, E145°03.169′, 1075–1240 m, 30-IX-2009, beaten; 1 ex, Haia, Supa station, S06°40.047′, E145°03.464′ to S06°39.905′, E145°03.880′, 1075–1220 m, 01-X-2009, beaten; 1 ex, Haia, Supa station, S06°39.905′, E145°03.880′ to S06°39.796′, E145°03.873′, 1220–1320 m, 01-X-2009, beaten; 3 exx, Haia, Supa station, S06°40.047′, E145°03.464′ to S06°40.078′, E145°03.207′, 1075–1220 m, 02-X-2009, beaten.

Biology. Mostly collected by beating foliage in montane forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin nouns *squama* (scale) and *rostrum* (snout) and refers to the clothed rostrum of the males.

Notes. *Trigonopterus squamirostris* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 225” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

82. *Trigonopterus striatus* Riedel, sp. n.


http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_striatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 82a). Length 1.92 mm. Color of antenna and tarsi light ferruginous; tibiae, head, and anterior part of pronotum deep ferruginous; remainder black. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum rugose-punctate, sparsely setose with recumbent mesad directed setae. Pronotum with distinct subapical constriction; disk longitudinally rugose-punctate; sparsely setose. Elytra with striae deeply impressed; each puncture with inconspicuous seta; intervals weakly costate, subglabrous; sutural interval more distinctly raised; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped. Meso- and metafemur ventrally weakly dentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Abdominal venter excavated. Abdominal ventrites 4 simple; ventrite 5 flat, ferruginous. Aedeagus (Fig. 82b) with apex extended, bent to the left; transfer apparatus short, spiniform; basal orifice ventrally with rim; apodemes short; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.43–1.96 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate. Abdominal ventrite 3 of females with flattened process projecting over retracted, subglabrous ventrites 4–5; process of ventrite 3 shaped like a flattened thistle-leaf with one long median spine and two shorter spines on each side.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0603 (EMBL # HE615329), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja, S00°51.497', E134°04.949', 220 m, 05-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja: 2 exx, ARC0604 (EMBL # HE615330), ARC0605 (EMBL # HE615331), same data as holotype; 6 exx, S00°51.400', E134°04.918', 225 m, 06-XII-2007, sifted; 13 exx (1 marked as “ARC00141”), 200 m, 30-XII-2004, sifted; 3 exx, 22-23-IX-1990, sifted; 5 exx, 200 m, 19-IV-1993, sifted; 19 exx, 200 m, 30-XII-2000, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *striatus* (provided with furrows) and refers to the species’ body-sculpture.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus striatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 256” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
83. *Trigonopterus strigatus* Riedel, sp. n.  
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:AA765190-0387-4301-A5EA-4806700C0D1F  
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_strigatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 83a). Length 2.95 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body ovate; in dorsal aspect almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of yellowish scales; apically weakly punctate, sparsely setose. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate. Elytra dorsally with striae deeply incised forming well-defined furrows; intervals each with one secondary furrow of fused elytral punctures; laterally subglabrous, sparsely punctate. Femora somewhat widened, with distinct anterolateral ridge, edentate. Metafemur dorsally sparsely squamose with silvery scales; with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with strial patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, without premucro. Abdominal ventrite 5 with shallow depression, densely punctate, with dense suberect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 83b) apically angulate, subglabrous; complex transfer-apparatus symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, with indistinct bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.94–3.06 mm. Female rostrum in apical half slender, dorsally subglabrous, punctate, posteriorly with furrows. Female abdominal ventrite 5 densely punctate, with sparse recumbent scales, medially with weak swelling.


**Distribution.** Morobe Prov. (Mindik). Elevation: 1500 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *strigatus* (striated) and refers to the species’ elytral sculpture.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus strigatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 216” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

84. *Trigonopterus strombosceroides* Riedel, sp. n.  
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:482BE1A0-47AB-4F78-83B8-ACCFB436F5EA  
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_strombosceroides

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 84a). Length 2.75 mm. Color black; tarsi and antenna ferruginous. Body elongate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum with longitudinal...
ridges and rows of coarse punctures, with sparse suberect scales; epistome flat, with small punctures. Pronotum with marked subapical constriction, anteriorly densely punctate; disk deeply sculptured, with median ridge and pair of broad submedian ridges; ridges densely punctate; behind constriction anteriorly with pair of lateral angular protrusions. Elytra with striae deeply incised; with sparse narrow cream-colored scales; intervals irregularly costate, with rows of small punctures, along two transverse bands depressed; apex rounded. Femora edentate. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically with stridulatory patch. Tarsomere 3 small, hardly larger than preceding, onychium ca. 1.5 X longer than tarsomere 3. Abdominal ventrites 1–2 with common impression; abdominal ventrite 5 concave, tomentose. Aedeagus (Fig. 84b) apically subtruncate, without setae; with asymmetrical transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.75–2.93 mm. **Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0546 (EMBL # FN429252), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Senta, S02°31.776', E140°30.215', 945 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Senta: 4 exx, ARC0547 (EMBL # FN429253), ARC0548 (EMBL # FN429254), same data as holotype; 1 ex (marked as ARC0090), 1100 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 2 exx, S02°31.425', E140°30.474', 1265 m, 30-XI-2007, sifted.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 945–1265 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is a combination of the name Stromboscerinae and the Latin ending *-oides* (having the form of) and refers to the species’ resemblance in habitus with members of this subfamily of Dryophthoridae.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus strombosceroides* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 37” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spak” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

85. *Trigonopterus subglabratus* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:44E2D57D-14C1-4E38-84E8-B8D39449ED0A
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_subglabratus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 85a). Length 2.09 mm. Color ferruginous, pronotum and elytra black with bronze lustre. Body subovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum with weak median ridge, pair of submedian furrows, sparsely squamose. Pronotum anteriorly sparsely punctate with small punctures, with yellowish ovate to elongate scales; disk subglabrous. Elytra subglabrous, striae obsolete except stria 4 and suture weakly incised; subapically laterally sparsely squamose. Anteroventral ridges of femora simple. Metafemur with dorsoposterior edge simple, subapically without stridulatory patch. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrites 1–2 forming common concavity. Abdominal ventrite 5 markedly swollen, subapi-
cally with shallow impression. Aedeagus (Fig. 85b) with apex rounded; in profile dorsal contour forming right angle; transfer apparatus very short, spiniform. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.09–2.48 mm. Female rostrum in apical half sparsely punctate with minute punctures. Female metaventrite and abdominal ventrites 1–2 less markedly concave.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0638 (EMBL # FN429291), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Doyo, S02°32.478', E140°28.835', 365 m, 27-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 1 ex, ARC0514 (EMBL # FN429220), S02°32.031', E140°30.412', 710 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted; 2 exx, ARC0633 (EMBL # FN429288), ARC0634 (EMBL # FN429289), Sentani, S02°32.221', E140°30.526', 575 m, 19-XI-2007, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on a combination of the Latin prefix *sub-* (less than; almost) and the participle *glabratus* (smoothened). It refers to its smooth body surface.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus subglabratus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus sp. 47*” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus spat*” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

86. *Trigonopterus sulcatus* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:E795D8B6-C12D-4300-A91F-1D0977604471
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_sulcatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 86a). Length 2.24 mm. Color black; legs and apex of pronotum deep ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subovate-globose; with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half medially weakly carinate, coarsely punctate, sparsely setose; epistome with transverse, angulate ridge. Pronotum with subapical constriction, laterally with pair of blunt denticles; disk coarsely punctate, weakly rugose. Elytra with striae deeply incised, towards sides with deep interspersed punctures; intervals costate, subglabrous, with sparse small punctures and minute recumbent setae; apex rounded. Femora edentate. Metafemur with weakly denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 2 laterally projecting dentiform over elytral edge in profile; abdominal ventrites 1–2 with common cavity; abdominal ventrite 5 sublaterally with pair of denticles. Aedeagus (Fig. 86b) apically sparsely setose; with complex, symmetrical transfer apparatus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus.

**Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.23–2.64 mm.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0632 (EMBL # FN429287), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°32.221', E140°30.526', 575 m, 19-XI-2007, sifted. Paratypes (SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 2 exx, ARC0508 (EMBL #

Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.

Etymology. This epithet is based on the Latin participle *sulcatus* (furrowed, grooved) and refers to the elytral sculpture.

Notes. *Trigonopterus sulcatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 33” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spag” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

87. *Trigonopterus taenzleri* Riedel, sp. n.

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_taenzleri

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 87a). Length 2.16 mm. Color black; head and legs deep ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subglobose; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Rostrum in basal half with 3 ridges posteriorly continued to and uniting on forehead; subapically scabrous; epistome forming indistinct transverse ridge. Pronotum deeply punctate except medially glabrous; with distinct subapical constriction. Elytra subglabrous, striae deeply impressed, intervals with irregular knobs and costae; apex extended ventrad, beak-shaped. Femora weakly dentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 87b) with apex medially pointed; body in apical half with broad depression visible in lateral aspect; laterally with rows of setae; transfer apparatus markedly flagelliform, longer than body, curved, pointing apicad; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbus. Intraspecific variation. Length 2.16–2.43 mm. Female rostrum in apical half dorsally flattened, subglabrous, with sparse punctures and lateral furrows; epistome simple.


Biology. Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

Etymology. This species is named in honor of Rene Tänzler (Munich), who has spent years working on *Trigonopterus* weevils.

Notes. *Trigonopterus taenzleri* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 39” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spam” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.
88. *Trigonopterus talpa* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:6CDBE834-7B01-4548-B9B9-277B74341B30
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_talpa

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 88a). Length 2.63 mm. Color black; legs dark ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body subrhomboid; with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex to subapical constriction of pronotum. Rostrum with pair of sublateral furrows converging posteriorly on forehead; pair of submedian furrows shallow; epistome forming angulate ridge and median denticle. Pronotum with marked subapical constriction, sides weakly converging, behind subapical constriction with angular protrusions; disk with pair of deep furrows curving anteriad joining subapical constriction; center of disk coriaceous, sparsely punctate; laterally rugose. Elytra subovate, apically subangulate; striae weakly impressed; surface dull, microgranulate, almost nude, with sparse minute setae; interval 7 subapically forming distinct, weakly denticulate ridge; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped in profile. Femora edentate. Meso- and metatibia in basal half widened, subapically narrowed. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically without stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 88b) with body parallel-sided; apex medially extended into subtruncate tip; transfer apparatus thick spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.30–2.63 mm. Female rostrum in apical half medially subglabrous, with two rows of punctures; epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1686 (EMBL # HE615973), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Angkasa indah, S02°30.346’, E140°42.087’, 490 m, 28-VI-2010, sifted. Paratype (SMNK): 1 ex, ARC1687 (EMBL # HE615974), same data as holotype.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 490 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin noun *talpa* (mole) in apposition and refers both to the species’ habitus and its edaphic habits.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus talpa* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 77” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

89. *Trigonopterus taurekaorum* Riedel, sp. n.
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:AABE8BE8-E025-4A63-9B6A-26D78755ACEF
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_taurekaorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 89a). Length 3.44 mm. Color black. Body subovate; with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally rugose-punctate, basally with median ridge and indistinct pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of setae and yellowish scales. Pronotum densely punctate. Elytra densely punctate; striae distinct, consisting of small punctures; intervals with row of minute punctures; laterally behind humeri with ridge
bordered by dense row of deep punctures of stria 9. Femora edentate. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with silvery scales. Metatibia apically with uncus and small premuco. Abdominal ventrite 5 with shallow impression, densely punctate, with sparse erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 89b) apically pointed, with tuft of long setae; body containing pair of elongate sclerites; transfer-apparatus symmetrical, with lyriform sclerite; ductus ejaculatorius with bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.91–3.58 mm. Body of females more slender than males. Female rostrum in apical 2/3 slender, dorsally subglabrous, with submedian rows of small punctures and lateral furrows. Pronotum of females basally at middle with punctures smaller and sparser, in males punctures evenly deep and dense. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat, without erect setae.


**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Taureka, found on page 338 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus taeurekaorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 76” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

90. *Trigonopterus tialeorum* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:C3792D70-1DA1-4462-8739-AA4888E64087

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_tialeorum

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 90a). Length 3.59 mm. Color black; base of antennal scape ferruginous. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect with weak constric-
tion between pronotum and elytron; in profile with distinct constriction. Rostrum slender; dorsally with carina and pair of submedian ridges; at base with erect white elongate scales, apically replaced by bristles. Eyes large, medially approximate. Pronotum with disk subglabrous, with minute punctures; basal ⅓ in front of elytral humeri with indistinct edge bordered by row of deep punctures; anteriorly evenly rounded towards sides; sides anteriorly with white recumbent scales. Elytra subglabrous, irregularly punctate with minute punctures; striae obsolete; basal margin straight; laterally behind humeri with ridge bordered by row of deep punctures. Femora with anteroventral ridge distinct, terminating at base; profemur at middle with tooth. Mesofemur and metafemur dorsally densely squamose with white scales. Metafemur with smooth dorsoposterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 5 hardly impressed at middle, sparsely setose with suberect setae, laterally sparsely squamose. Aedeagus (Fig. 90b) with sides of body dorsally carinate; apex flattened, subangulate; transfer apparatus flagelliform, subequal to body, relatively thick; ductus ejaculatorius subapically without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 3.59–3.64 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate. Abdominal ventrite 5 flat, subglabrous, sparsely punctate.


**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Aiyura, Okapa). Elevation: 1911–2169 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Tiale, found on page 341 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus tialeorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 59” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
91. *Trigonopterus tibialis* Riedel, sp. n.  
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:6ABBA0D1-8197-4BFA-9C26-A4F7B3A4732C  
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_tibialis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 91a). Length 2.25 mm. Color black; legs deep ferruginous; antenna and tarsi light ferruginous. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally rugose-punctate, at middle with low median ridge and pair of submedian ridges. Eyes large. Pronotum punctate; interstices usually larger than diameter of punctures. Elytra punctate with small punctures; striae weakly impressed; intervals with minute punctures; lateral stria behind humeri with dense row of deep punctures. Femora with small tooth at middle. Metafemur dorsoposteriorly punctate-denticulate; subapically with stridulatory patch. Tibiae dorsally carinate, with rows of dark scales partly projecting over dorsal edge. Abdominal ventrite 5 flat, densely punctate. Aedeagus (Fig. 91b) with sides converging in apical half; apex rounded, sparsely setose; transfer-apparatus asymmetrical, spiniform, curved somewhat S-shaped, subequal to body of aedeagus; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbous. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.86–2.58 mm. Female rostrum dorsally without distinct ridges, with rows of punctures.


**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1400–1420 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin noun *tibia* (shinbone) and refers to the species’ diagnostic tibial morphology.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus tibialis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 16” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spp” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

92. *Trigonopterus tridentatus* Riedel, sp. n.  
urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:CE40CDC8-9F6A-4CD5-9499-DAB3D4A4A365  
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_tridentatus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 92a). Length 2.90 mm. Color black; antenna light ferruginous, legs dark ferruginous. Body subovate, with marked constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum in
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basal half with median carina continued to forehead; with pair of shorter submedian costae; at middle with anteriorly hollowed, heart-shaped protuberance; between protuberance and epistome relatively flat, with sparse erect setae; epistome with transverse, angulate ridge provided with three teeth, median tooth shorter than lateral ones. Pronotum with subapical constriction; disk densely punctate-rugose, lower parts microreticulate, median line subglabrous; laterally above procoxa with cavity. Elytra with striae deeply incised, intervals costate, densely punctate. Femora edentate. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge, subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal ventrite 2 projecting dentiform over elytral edge in profile. Aedeagus (Fig. 92b) before angulate apex widened; transfer apparatus small, spiniform; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.14–2.90 mm. Female rostrum dorsally with low median costa bearing double-row of punctures, with lateral pair of furrows; epistome simple.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC0765 (EMBL # HE615448), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja, S00°51.497', E134°04.949', 220 m, 05-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja: 2 exx, ARC0606 (EMBL # HE615332), ARC0607 (EMBL # HE615333), same data as holotype; 11 exx, S00°51.400', E134°04.918', 225 m, 06-XII-2007, sifted; 1 ex, 22-23-IX-1990, sifted; 9 exx, 200 m, 19-IV-1993, sifted; 2 exx, 200 m, 30-XII-2000, sifted; 8 exx, 200 m, 30-XII-2004, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in lowland forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is composed of the Latin prefix *tri-* (three) and the participle *dentatus* (toothed) and refers to the three apical teeth of the male rostrum.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus tridentatus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 265” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

93. *Trigonopterus uniformis* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:AD26DAEC-6157-4ECA-9B7D-2B6E4968C677

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_uniformis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 93a). Length 2.68 mm. Color black; legs deep ferruginous, antenna light ferruginous. Body ovate, with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile almost evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal half rugose-punctate, in apical half punctate. Pronotum densely punctate except along partly impunctate midline. Elytra densely punctate with small punctures; striae impressed as fine lines; intervals with confused punctures; lateral stria behind humeri with row of deep punctures. Femora in apical 1/3 with anteroventral ridge terminating as tooth. Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, premucro, and supra-uncal tooth. Aedeagus (Fig. 93b) medially weakly extended; transfer-apparatus asymmetrical, spiniform, curved; endophallus basally with shell-shaped sclerite; ductus ejaculatorius with
bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.50–2.78 mm. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, sparsely punctate, basally sparsely squamose.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZR): ARC0769 (EMBL # HE615452), WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja, S00°51.497', E134°04.949', 220 m, 05-XII-2007. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Manokwari, Mt. Meja: 2 exx, ARC0220 (EMBL # HE615157), ARC0221 (EMBL # HE615158), 200 m, 31-I-2006; 1 exx, S00°51.400', E134°04.918', 225 m, 06-XII-2007; 2 exx, ARC0770 (EMBL # HE615453), ARC0771 (EMBL # HE615454), same data as holotype; 4 exx, 200 m, 30-XII-2000 – 01-I-2001; 3 exx, 22-23-IX-1990; 7 exx, 200 m, 24-VIII-1991; 1 ex, 200 m, 18-III-1993.


**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of lowland forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective uniformis (uniform) and refers its average habitus which is similar to hundreds of other *Trigonopterus* species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus uniformis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “Trigonopterus sp. 118” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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94. **Trigonopterus variabilis** Riedel, sp. n.  
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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_variabilis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 94a). Length 1.38 mm. Color of head ferruginous; legs and pronotum largely black; elytra ferruginous, in apical half each side with one black spot. Body subovate; in dorsal aspect and in profile with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Eyes large. Rostrum punctate, sparsely setose, without distinct longitudinal ridges; antennal insertion in apical 1/3, anteriorly rostrum with shallow constriction; epistome simple. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate; each puncture containing one inconspicuous seta. Elytra with striae deeply impressed, intervals costate, subglabrous. Meso- and metafemur ventrally with acute tooth. Tibial uncus simple, curved. Metafemur subapically with indistinct stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 94b) with body flattened, almond-shaped, its central portion rather hyaline; transfer apparatus dentiform, encased by capsule stained blue bychlorozol black; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.19–1.66 mm. Color ranging from ferruginous with more or less extensive black pattern to completely black. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, punctate, basally with lateral furrows containing sparse row of setae; antennal insertion of females near middle of rostrum.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1096 (EMBL # HE615725), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Simbu Prov., Karimui Dist., Haia, S06°40.976’, E145°00.979’, 1135 m, 27-IX-2009, sifted. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Simbu Prov.: 6 exx, ARC1097 (EMBL # HE615726), ARC1102 (EMBL
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# HE615731), ARC1103 (EMBL # HE615732), same data as holotype; 13 exx, Haia, S06°40.976', E145°00.979', 1135 m, 04-X-2009, sifted; 7 exx, Haia, S06°41.018', E145°00.995', 1090 m, 04-X-2009, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *variabilis* (variable) and refers to the coloration which differs considerably among specimens.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus variabilis* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as "*Trigonopterus* sp. 162" by Tänzler et al. (2012).

95. *Trigonopterus velaris* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:FB3401F8-39E4-48C8-ABC0-557EDB3C373A
http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_velaris

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 95a). Length 2.45 mm. Color black; legs and rostrum deep ferruginous; antenna light ferruginous. Body laterally somewhat compressed, ovate, without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally in basal third with low median ridge and pair of submedian ridges; apically subglabrous. Eyes large. Pronotum densely punctate-rugose, punctures dorsally small, laterally becoming larger, bearing each one minute seta; without scales. Elytra with striae distinct, punctures of stria 1–2 small, lateral stria punctures becoming larger, relatively shallow. Femora with anteroventral ridge. Profemur converging from base to apex. Meso- and metatibia with dorsoposterior edge subapically worn; metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch. Tibiae simple, without rows or brushes of long setae. Metatibia subapically with small supraventral projection. Metaventrite laterally forming acute process over metacoxa, reaching tibial insertion. Metaventrite and abdominal ventrite 1 subglabrous, with sparse recumbent setae. Abdominal ventrite 2 similar to ventrites 3-4. Abdominal ventrite 5 with deep, transversely ovate cavity almost filling complete ventrite; anterior edge of cavity distinct, swollen. Aedeagus (Fig. 95b) apically sinuate, with deep narrow median incision; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.31–2.59 mm. Female rostrum subglabrous except in basal ¼ with ridges. Female abdominal ventrite 5 flat.

S06°41.553', E145°00.355' to S06°41.624', E145°00.728', 800–960 m, 25-IX-2009; 2 exx, ARC1165 (EMBL # HE615793), Simbu Prov., Karimui Dist., Haia, S06°41.216', E145°00.945' to S06°40.976', E145°00.979', 970–1135 m, 04-X-2009; 1 ex, Haia, S06°40.976', E145°00.979', 1135 m, sifted, 04-X-2009.

**Distribution.** Central Prov. (Moroka), Simbu Prov. (Haia). Elevation: 600–1135 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in primary forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *velaris* (concealed) and refers to its morphological similarity with sibling species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus velaris* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 272” by Tänzler et al. (2012). It is closely related to *T. granum* sp. n., *T. pseudogranum* sp. n., and *T. imitatus* sp. n. from which it can be distinguished by the denser punctuation of the pronotum and the structure of the male abdominal ventrite 5. Despite its close morphological similarity its cox1-sequence diverges 12.1–13.1 % from the other species.

96. *Trigonopterus verrucosus* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:CDC03F92-0FAC-4C78-AABA-B8CBF3992E2B

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_verrucosus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 96a). Length 2.56 mm. Color black, antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body subovate, extremely uneven, in dorsal aspect with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile without such constriction. Rostrum in basal half medially carinate, coarsely punctate, sparsely setose; epistome with transverse, angulate ridge. Pronotum with marked subapical constriction; laterally projecting with marked angular protrusions; disk longitudinally costate-tuberculate, in basal half medially with prominent ridge. Elytra with striae deeply incised; intervals undulating-costate, some areas markedly elevated, constricted along 2 transverse lines, subglabrous, with sparse minute punctures and setae; apex extended ventrad, slightly beak-shaped, ventrally truncate. Metafemur with dorsoposterior edge simple, in apical third with transverse row of small suberect setae, subapically with stridulatory patch. Disk of abdominal ventrites 1–2 excavated; ventrite 2 projecting dentiform over elytral edge in profile. Aedeagus (Fig. 96b) with apex medially pointed; transfer apparatus complex, symmetrical; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.09–2.56 mm. Female rostrum dorsally with median costa in basal half; epistome simple.

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**Distribution.** Jayawijaya Reg. (Jiwika). Elevation: 1875–1900 m.

**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in montane forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *verrucosus* (full of warts) and refers to the species’ remarkable body-sculpture.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus verrucosus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 196” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

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97. *Trigonopterus violaceus* Riedel, sp. n.

urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:154511E2-E70E-4D78-BFBB-EA95A730ACC0

http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_violaceus

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 97a). Length 2.63 mm. Color black, with violet lustre. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum dorsally relatively flat, sparsely punctate, dorsolaterally with pair of furrows continuing along eye. Pronotum sparsely punctate with minute punctures, subapically punctures larger and denser. Elytra nude, striae deeply impressed with coarse punctures; intervals costate, with sparse minute punctures; intervals 1–3 near base with few larger punctures and coriaceous. Femora edentate. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Abdominal and thoracic venter with dense erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 97b) apically subangulate, with two brushes of long setae; transfer apparatus complex, with flagellum ca. 1.5× as long as body; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.20–2.95 mm. Color ranging from greenish-blue to dark violet. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, with punctures smaller than in males. Elytral intervals more or less costate, rarely almost flat.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZB): ARC1813 (EMBL # HE616090), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg., W Wamena, road to Lake Habbema, S04°07.625’, E138°49.992’, 2520 m, 20-VII-2010. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayawijaya Reg.: 8 exx, ARC1812 (EMBL # HE616089), ARC1814 (EMBL # HE616091), same data as holotype; 1 ex, ARC1775 (EMBL # HE616052), Poga, S03°47.575’, E138°33.155’ to S03°47.473’, E138°33.163’, 2620–2715 m, 15-VII-2010; 4 exx, Ilugwa, Melanggama, trail to Pass valley, 2100–2300 m, 09-10-IX-1990; 2 exx, Ilugwa, trail to Pass valley, 1900–2500 m, 14-IX-1990; 4exx, Kurima, Yohosim – Kiroma, 2500–2700 m, 13-IX-1991.


**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of upper montane forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin adjective *violaceus* (violet-colored) and refers to the coloration of the species.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus violaceus* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 123” by Tänzler et al. (2012).
98. *Trigonopterus viridescens* Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_viridescens

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 98a). Length 2.86 mm. Color black with marked greenish lustre. Body slender, ovate; without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum weakly sculptured, dorsally in basal half with pair of shallow sublateral furrows, with sparse rows of mesad-directed scales, sparsely punctate. Forehead laterally with pair of cavities bordering eyes. Eyes with dorsal margin carinate. Pronotum subglabrous, sparsely punctate with minute punctures. Elytra subglabrous, striate hardly visible. Femora subglabrous, sparsely punctate and squamose, without teeth. Metasemur with smooth dorso-posterior edge; subapically without stridulatory patch. Mesotibia subapically with premucro larger than uncus. Metatibia with premucro somewhat smaller than uncus. Aedeagus (Fig. 98b). Apex symmetrical, with median, pointed extension; transfer apparatus spiniform, apically bordered by pair of curved sclerites; ductus ejaculatorius without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.48–3.05 mm. Female meso- and metatibia subapically with minute premucro.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MZH): ARC0434 (EMBL # FN429145), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°31.2’, E140°30.5’, 1420–1520 m, 30-XI-2007, beaten. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 2 exx, ARC0433 (EMBL # FN429144), ARC0435 (EMBL # FN429146), same data as holotype; 1 ex, 1100–1600 m, 05-X-1991; 5 exx, ARC0671 (PCR failed), ARC0672 (PCR failed), S02°31.3’, E140°30.5’, 1200–1420 m, 30-XI-2007.

**Distribution.** Jayapura Reg. (Cyclops Mts). Elevation: 1420–1520 m.

**Biology.** Collected by beating foliage in montane crippled forests.

**Etymology.** This epithet is based on the Latin participle *viridescens* (greenish) and refers to the species’ coloration.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus viridescens* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 24” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spx” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.


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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_wamenaensis

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 99a). Length 3.17 mm. Color orange-ferruginous; dorsal surface of head and pronotum black. Body subrhomboid, almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum with distinct median and pair of submedian carinae, furrows containing sparse rows of mesad-directed scales. Pronotum densely punctate. Elytra with striae 1–6
101. Trigonopterus wariorum Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_wariorum

Diagnostic description. Holotype, male (Fig. 100a). Length 3.05 mm. Color black; antenna and tarsi ferruginous. Body ovate; in dorsal aspect almost without constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile evenly convex. Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, furrows with sparse rows of yellowish scales; apically weakly punctate, sparsely setose. Pronotum densely punctate-reticulate. Elytra densely punctate; striae distinct, consisting of small punctures; intervals with row of smaller punctures; near base and suture with additional, larger,
interspersed punctures; surface dull, microgranulate, almost nude. Femora somewhat widened, edentate. Metafemur dorsally with sparse rows of silvery scales; with almost smooth dorso-posterior edge; subapically with stridulatory patch. Metatibia apically with uncus, without preuncro. Abdominal ventrite 5 with dense erect setae. Aedeagus (Fig. 100b) apically rounded, subglabrous; complex transfer-apparatus containing flagellum slightly longer than body; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, with indistinct bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 2.45–3.05 mm. Female rostrum slender, apical 2/3 dorsally subglabrous, punctate, sublaterally with furrow containing row of setae. Female abdominal ventrite 5 with subcucumbent setae.

**Material examined.** Holotype (SMNK): ARC1853 (EMBL # HE616130), PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov., Okapa, Kimiagomo village, Hamegoya, S06°25.727', E145°35.455', S06°25.117', E145°35.225', 1891–2131 m, 18-III-2010. Paratypes (NAIC, SMNK, ZSM): PAPUA NEW GUINEA, Eastern Highlands Prov.: 1 ex, ARC1854 (EMBL # HE616131), same data as holotype; 2 exx, ARC1855 (EMBL # HE616132), ARC1856 (EMBL # HE616133), Okapa, Kimiagomo village, Afiyaleto, S06°25.593', E145°34.862', S06°25.212', E145°35.498', 1911 m, 18-III-2010; 2 exx, ARC1882 (EMBL # HE616159), ARC1883 (EMBL # HE616160), Okapa, Konafi to Isimomo, S06°25.593', E145°34.862', S06°25.003', E145°34.527', 1911–2131 m, 18-III-2010.

**Distribution.** Eastern Highlands Prov. (Okapa). Elevation: 1911 m.

**Biology.** Beaten from foliage of montane forests.

**Etymology.** This species is dedicated to the people of Papua New Guinea. The epithet is based on the family name Wari, found on page 356 of the Papua New Guinea Telephone Directory of 2010 and treated in genitive plural.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus wariorum* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 217” by Tänzler et al. (2012).

**101. Trigonopterus zygops** Riedel, sp. n.

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http://species-id.net/wiki/Trigonopterus_zygops

**Diagnostic description.** Holotype, male (Fig. 101a). Length 2.06 mm. Color of antenna, tarsi, tibiae, and apex of femora ferruginous; head and pronotum black; elytra black, with ferruginous patches near base of intervals 3–4, transverse irregular band near middle and indistinct patches near apex. Body subovate; with weak constriction between pronotum and elytron; in profile with distinct constriction. Eyes large. Rostrum with median ridge and pair of submedian ridges, lateral furrow with row of overlapping almond-shaped white scales. Pronotum densely punctate, subapically squamose. Elytra with striae deeply impressed, intervals costate, sparsely squamose. Femora ventrally weakly dentate. Tibial uncus simple, curved. Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch. Aedeagus (Fig. 101b) with sides of body
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bisinuate, converging; apex extended, pointed, curved ventrad; orifice well-defined, ovate; transfer apparatus flagelliform, subequal to body of aedeagus; ductus ejaculatorius basally swollen, without bulbus. **Intraspecific variation.** Length 1.68–2.16 mm. Ferruginous patches on elytra more or less numerous, in some specimens absent. Female rostrum dorsally subglabrous, punctate, with longitudinal ridges, only basally with scales.

**Material examined.** Holotype (MIZ): ARC0516 (EMBL # FN429222), WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani, S02°32.031', E140°30.412', 710 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted. Paratypes (ARC, SMNK, ZSM): WEST NEW GUINEA, Jayapura Reg., Cyclops Mts, Sentani: 3 exx, ARC0517 (EMBL # FN429223), ARC0687 (EMBL # FN429332), ARC0688 (EMBL # FN429333), same data as holotype; 4 exx, ARC0533 (EMBL # FN429239), ARC0615 (EMBL # HE615336), ARC0617 (EMBL # FN429274), Doyo, S02°32.478', E140°28.835', 365 m, 27-XI-2007, sifted; 8 exx, ARC0618 (EMBL # FN429275), ARC0619 (EMBL # FN429276), ARC0620 (EMBL # FN429277), Sentani, S02°31.594', E140°30.407', 1065 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 2 exx, ARC0643 (EMBL # HE615355), ARC0644 (EMBL # FN429292), Sentani, S02°32.221', E140°30.526', 575 m, 19-XI-2007, sifted; 1 ex, ARC0648 (EMBL # FN429296), Sentani, S02°32.291', E140°30.505', 515 m, 19-XI-2007, sifted; 5 exx, S02°32.031', E140°30.412', 710 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted; 3 exx, S02°31.912', E140°30.416', 785 m, 02-XII-2007, sifted; 1 ex, ARC0668 (EMBL # FN429315), Sentani, S02°31.603', E140°30.434', 1095 m, 28-XI-2007, sifted; 6 exx, S02°31.683', E140°30.281', 960 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted; 4 exx (1 marked ARC00116), Sentani, 1100 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 2 exx, Sentani, 1000 m, 23-XII-2004, sifted; 4 exx, Sentani, S02°32.221', E140°30.526', 575 m, 19-XI-2007, sifted; 3 exx, Sentani, S02°31.776', E140°30.215', 945 m, 21-XI-2007, sifted.


**Biology.** Sifted from leaf litter in primary forest.

**Etymology.** This epithet is a noun in apposition and refers to the generic name *Zygops* Schoenherr, a group with similar large eyes.

**Notes.** *Trigonopterus zygops* Riedel, sp. n. was coded as “*Trigonopterus* sp. 48” by Riedel et al. (2010) and Tänzler et al. (2012), respectively “*Trigonopterus* spav” in the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases. The holotype and one paratype exhibit a relatively high divergence (5–13% uncorrected p-distance) from the other specimens. So far, we could not find other indications that they represent a cryptic species different from the remainder of paratypes, but the possibility cannot be ruled out.

**Overview of the species-groups of Trigonopterus in New Guinea**

The following catalogue and key to species groups is intended as a provisional aid to recognize major species groups of *Trigonopterus*. It is neither comprehensive nor will it be free of mistakes. Results of a preliminary molecular phylogenetic analysis are incor-
porated to ensure that mainly monophyletic groups are defined. However, additional data and further analyses are required to arrive at a stable hypothesis of the infrageneric classification of *Trigonopterus*.

**Provisional key to species groups of *Trigonopterus* in New Guinea**

1. Eyes divided into dorsal and ventral portions by deep incision of posterior margin. Edaphic habitat .................................................. *T. scissops*-group
   – Outline of eyes without deep incision of posterior margin ...................... 2

2. (1) Metafemur subapically without stridulatory patch .................................. 3
   – Metafemur subapically with stridulatory patch ......................................... 11

3. (2) Aedeagus usually with asymmetrical tip; ventral rim of basal orifice with protruding rim; transfer processes in repose curved basad. Edaphic habitat ........
   ...................................................................................................................... subgenus *Mimidotasia* Voss
   – Aedeagus with tip usually symmetrical; transfer processes in repose directed apicad ................................................................. 4

4. (3) Edaphic species ...................................................................................................... 5
   – Species found on foliage ............................................................................... 8

5. (4) Metafemur with denticulate dorsoposterior edge .......................... *T. basalis*-group
   – Metafemur with simple dorsoposterior edge .............................................. 6

6. (5) Rostrum at middle with protuberance and at epistome with dorsoposteriad directed horn .................................................. *T. dentirostris*-group
   – Rostrum dorsally simple, at most with weak median ridge ....................... 7

7. (6) Body small, 1.13–1.59 mm; densely punctate, with sparse minute setae ........
   ...................................................................................................................... subgenus *Microgymnapterus* Voss
   – Body polished, with or without scales; 2.09–2.48 mm .................. *T. curtus*-group

8. (4) Eyes in thanatosis largely covered by pronotum ...................................... 9
   – Eyes medially approximate, in thanatosis partly exposed .............................. 10

9. (8) Rostrum dorsally weakly sculptured; with two pairs of longitudinal furrows containing sparse mesad directed scales or setae. Disk of pronotum subglabrous. Dorsal edge of metafemur basally contiguous with elytron during thanatosis .................................................. *T. politus*-group
   – Rostrum dorsally at base densely squamose. Disk of pronotum punctate. Metafemur distant from elytron during thanatosis .................. *T. oblongus*-group

10. (8) Pronotum and elytra evenly convex. Dorsal edge of metafemur at least basally contiguous with elytron during thanatosis .................. *T. vanus*-group
   – With weak constriction between pronotum and elytra. Metafemur distant from elytron during thanatosis ........................................ *T. nasutus*-group

11. (2) Edaphic species ...................................................................................................... 12
   – Species found on foliage ............................................................................. 18
12 (11) Rostrum basally above eyes with pair of protrusions. Tarsomere 3 asymmetrical, with anterior lobe much larger than posterior lobe. **T. ptolecoides-group**

– Rostrum basally above eyes without pair of protrusions. Tarsomere 3 symmetrical. 13

13 (12) Body elongate, with distinct constriction between pronotum and elytron. Tarsomere 3 small, hardly larger than tarsomere 2. **T. strombosceroides-group**

– Body more compact. Tarsomere 3 distinctly larger than tarsomere 2. 14

14 (13) Pronotum with preapical constriction (indistinct in *T. hitoloorum* Riedel, sp. n.) 15

– Pronotum without preapical constriction. 16

15 (14) Rostrum medially costate, at least basally. Femora edentate. Pronotum apically extended over head, or with distinct preapical constriction. **T. sulcatus-group**

– Rostrum coarsely punctate, with median wrinkle. Femora dentate. Pronotum with preapical constriction. **T. nothofagorum-group** 16

16 (14) Eyes large, exposed in thanatosis. Rostrum dorsally densely squamose. Sides of aedeagus converging to pointed apex. **part of T. zygops-group**

– Eyes smaller. Rostrum at most sparsely squamose. Shape of aedeagus different. 17

17 (15) Male rostrum at epistome with horn. Body roundish. Pronotum basally angulate. **T. rhinoceros-group**

– Male rostrum at epistome without horn. "**T. edaphus-group**" 18 (11)

18 (11) Habitus elongate 19

– Habitus subovate or subrhomboid **T. honestus-group** 20

19 (18) Femora edentate. **T. dilaticollis-group**

– Femora dentate. **T. vandekampi-group** 21

20 (18) Eyes large, half-exposed in thanatosis. **part of T. zygops-group**

– Eyes smaller, largely concealed in thanatosis. **T. ascendens-group** 22

21 (20) Legs relatively long. Metatibial uncus markedly hook-shaped. Species of midmontane forests. **T. gonatocerus-group**

– Legs of normal length. Metatibial uncus not markedly extended. Species of upper montane forests and subalpine vegetation. **T. ascendens-group** 22

22 (20) All femora edentate. **T. gonatocerus-group**

– At least one pair of femora dentate 23

23 (22) Rostrum dorsally relatively flat, with rows of punctures or shallow furrows. Thoracic venter and abdominal ventrites 1-2 with long erect setae 24

– Rostrum with distinct ridges or swollen in basal half. Thoracic venter and abdominal ventrites 1-2 sparsely setose with subrecumbent setae or subglabrous. **T. gonatocerus-group** 25

24 (23) Rostrum dorsally swollen at base; in profile dorsal contour sinuate. **part of T. vandekampi-group**
Rostrum in basal half with distinct median ridge and pair of submedian ridges in profile evenly convex..................................*T. montivagus-group*

25 (22) Pronotum subglabrous, sparsely punctate. Meso- and metafemur ventrally with denticulate or serrate ridges and knobs........................*T. balimensis-group*

- Pronotum densely punctate. Meso- and metafemur ventrally with simple tooth........................................................................................................26

26 (25) Pronotum coarsely punctate, elytron subglabrous ..................*T. illex-group*

- Difference of sculpture between pronotum and elytron less evident ..........................................................part of *T. vandekampi-group*

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subgenus *Microgymnapterus* Voss: *T. micros* Riedel


*T. ascendens-group*: *T. ascendens* Riedel, sp. n.

*T. balimensis-group*: *T. balimensis* Riedel, sp. n., *T. crassicornis* Riedel, sp. n.


*T. dilaticollis-group*: *T. apicalis* Riedel, sp. n., *T. difficilis* (Faust), *T. dilaticollis* (Faust), *T. morokensis* (Faust)


*T. illex-group*: *T. densatus* (Faust), *T. illex* (Faust)


*T. nasutus-group*: *T. augur* Riedel, sp. n., *T. cribratus* (Faust), *T. ephippiatus* (Faust), *T. femoralis* (Faust), *T. gibbirostris* (Faust), *T. helios* Riedel, sp. n., *T. illitus* (Faust), *T. insularis* Riedel, sp. n., *T. impar* (Faust), *T. maculatus* Riedel, sp. n., *T. melas*

**T. nothofagorum-group:** *T. nothofagorum* Riedel, sp. n.

**T. oblongus-group:** *T. cuneatus* (Faust), *T. oblongus* (Pascoe), *T. similis* (Heller)

**T. politus-group:** *T. cuneipennis* Riedel, sp. n., *T. durus* Riedel, sp. n., *T. katayoi* Riedel, sp. n., *T. obnixus* (Faust), *T. politoides* Riedel, sp. n., *T. politus* (Faust), *T. viridescens* Riedel, sp. n.

**T. ptoleoides-group:** *T. ptoleoides* Riedel, sp. n.

**T. rhinoceros-group:** *T. rhinoceros* Riedel, sp. n.

**T. scissops-group:** *T. cuneipennis* Riedel, sp. n., *T. scissops* Riedel, sp. n.

**T. strombosceroides-group:** *T. costicollis* Riedel, sp. n., *T. strombosceroides* Riedel, sp. n.


**T. vandekampi-group:** *T. armatus* Riedel, sp. n., *T. monticola* Riedel, sp. n., *T. pulchellus* (Pascoe), *T. vandekampi* Riedel


**Discussion**

For the last few decades it has been common practice for taxonomists maintaining a good reputation to revise monophyletic groups with all the known species, to prepare elaborate descriptions bearing in mind the potential value of every tiny character for a phylogenetic analysis, and to make great efforts on the preparation of elaborate identification keys based on these characters. As a consequence, hyperdiverse taxa such as the genus *Trigonopterus* are usually avoided, simply because it appears impossible to get this task completed during a lifetime. Such considerations are a lesser issue for a minority of taxonomists with a lower quality-standard, the so called “mass-describers”, usually publishing their works in journals without peer-review. Often, they do not refrain from proposing new names based on specimens without sufficient diagnostic characters, such as unique females, relying on the community to later sort out the resulting identification problems. This exacerbates the deterrence of such “difficult” taxa which are then prime examples and causes of a “taxonomic impediment”, in this case not only an impediment to the end-users of taxonomy, but also to the taxonomists themselves (Ebach et al. 2011, Godfray 2002). In fact, at this stage taxonomic information becomes rather a burden to science than a useful tool. We believe that
technologies developed within the past decade enable us to stop this vicious circle. Two components are of fundamental importance, i.e. online wiki databases and molecular systematics (Riedel et al. 2013).

Online wiki databases such as the Species-Id portal (http://species-id.net/wiki/Main_Page) are not recognized as means of publication by the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature (1999), so their significance needs some explanation. Journals such as “ZooKeys” make a new name available with a traditional paper publication, simultaneously creating a wiki with the same content. This wiki can be updated later anytime with additional data, be it an elaborate 3D-model or a “quantum contribution” (Maddison et al. 2012) such as fixing a typo of the original description or adding a simple collecting record. At the time the species becomes formally named there is no urgency to provide the description with all possible data. It should contain a reasonable basis, so that its diagnosis is guaranteed. We expect that most users will later rather consult the online working description, gradually being supplemented with additional data. Thus, the formal species description is like a healthy newborn which is expected to grow into an adult with the help of its environment. In the case of *Trigonopterus*, characters such as the functional morphology of thanatosis or the morphology of the metendosternite, surely of great interest but of little diagnostic value can be added at a later stage without compromising their visibility. This approach does in fact bundle useful features of numerous other initiatives such as the Encyclopedia of Life (eol.org).

The impact of molecular systematics on species-descriptions is twofold and can be divided into reconstruction of species relationships and attempts to diagnose species. But let us start one step earlier, with the advent of phylogenetic systematics (Hennig 1966) and phenetics (Sneath and Sokal 1973). Both had a profound but little-noticed effect on the preparation of species descriptions. Since more and more taxonomic revisions incorporated phylogenetic analyses, it was attempted to maximize the number of informative characters. Thus, even characters of little value for species diagnosis were included in the descriptions. Another consequence was that species descriptions within a study were sought to be standardized, best illustrated by the program Delta (Partridge et al. 1993). Negative character states (i.e. the absence of a character) were often explicitly stated. Often enough, all this time-consuming procedure did not increase the usability of descriptions for the purpose of diagnosis, but rather inflated them. And after all, standardization among different authors was never achieved not to mention failure to introduce an urgently needed minimum standard.

Although in some taxa, phylogenies based on morphological data are still needed, in recent years the trend clearly goes towards purely molecular phylogenies. In the case of *Trigonopterus* we feel that our molecular data set is strong enough to produce a stable phylogeny without morphological characters included. So, for us it is time to ask – do we really need to describe every character with the hope that this might be a valuable addition to our character-matrix? For us, the answer is “no”! With changing needs on a species description, taxonomists should reflect if they want to carry on like...
during the past decades, or if it is time to adjust procedures and streamline descriptions to the purpose of diagnosis.

The potential of using a standard DNA marker for species identification, also known as “DNA barcoding”, was recognized almost ten years ago (Hebert et al. 2003). Despite some initial criticism it proved to be a powerful tool. In many taxa, the *cox1* sequence will pinpoint the correct species without additional information. In others it may not delineate species unambiguously (Hendrich et al. 2010), but even then it is possible to safely pinpoint a group of e.g. 5–10 species. For many taxa, be it nematodes, moss mites or rove beetles, a non-expert would hardly achieve this within reasonable time using traditional keys. After all, in combination with a few morphological characters the species can be safely identified in most cases. One of the great advantages of sequence data is that they can be databased, searched and accessed anytime from anywhere. The situation with type specimens is quite different: often they are not accessible, or if so, it is very time-consuming both for museum curators and active researchers to send them around the globe. Often enough, they give the only clue what species an insufficient description is referring to, or if the species is placed in the correct genus at all. Such issues could be much faster solved using “DNA barcodes”. We strongly believe that the ICZN should make the publication of genetic data obligatory for the description of new extant species. Until such a decision is made, the contest between descriptions containing DNA barcodes and the ones without may give an answer of what is really needed. The combination of short expert morphological descriptions provided with a few high-resolution photographs and DNA-sequences appears to us as the way to proceed. We predict that similar works are to be expected in the near future on various taxa of hyperdiverse organisms.
Plates

**Figure 1.** *Trigonopterus aeneipennis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

**Figure 2.** *Trigonopterus aeneus* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
Figure 3. *Trigonopterus agathis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

Figure 4. *Trigonopterus agilis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
Figure 5. *Trigonopterus amplipennis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

Figure 6. *Trigonopterus ancoruncus* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
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**Figure 7.** *Trigonopterus angulatus* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

**Figure 8.** *Trigonopterus angustus* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
Figure 9. *Trigonopterus apicalis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

Figure 10. *Trigonopterus armatus* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
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**Figure 11.** *Trigonopterus ascendens* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

**Figure 12.** *Trigonopterus augur* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
Figure 13. *Trigonopterus balimensis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

Figure 14. *Trigonopterus basalis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.
Figure 15. *Trigonopterus conformis* Riedel, sp. n., holotype; (a) Habitus (b) Aedeagus.

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