

submedian and median cells equal or nearly; claws in ♀ with a tooth beneath, in ♂ cleft; first joint of flagellum in ♀ not longer than the second, in ♂ shorter. (1) *Ferreola*, Lepel.
(Type *F. algerica*, Lepel.)

3. Head viewed from in front *not* wider than long, usually a little longer than wide, the eyes *not* strongly converging above, although usually slightly converging. 4.

Head viewed from in front *wider* than long, the eyes strongly converging above.

Claws in ♀ with a median tooth, in ♂ cleft; first joint of flagellum in ♀ longer than the second, in ♂ not longer, about equal; submedian cell in front wings a little shorter than the median. (2) *Batozonus*, Ashm., g. nov.
(Type *Pompilus algidus*, Smith.)

4. Claws in ♀ with a median tooth beneath, in ♂ cleft. 6.
Claws cleft in both sexes. 5.

5. Clypeus in ♀ anteriorly entire; metathorax posteriorly obliquely truncate or more or less impressed; tarsal comb in ♀ long.

Wings black, fuscous or subhyaline; first joint of flagellum in both sexes elongate, longer than the second; basal joint of front tarsi *shorter* than tibia; abdomen usually marked with white. (3) *Spilopompilus*, Ashm., g. nov.
(Type *Pompilus biguttulatus*, Fabr.)

Wings red or ferruginous, the tips black; first joint of flagellum in ♂ not longer than the second; basal joint of front tarsi longer than tibia; abdomen not marked with white, sericeous. (4) *Paracyphonyx*, Magretti.
(Type *P. metemmensis*, Magr.)

6. Clypeus and labrum with a median sinus anteriorly; pronotum with the hind margin arcuately or very obtusely angularly emarginate.

Abdomen wholly black; second joint of front tarsi less than half the length of the first. (5) *Pompilogastra*, Ashm., g. nov.
(Type *Pompilus aethiops*, Cress.)

Abdomen with the second segment marked with red or yellow; second joint of hind tarsi fully half as long as the first. (14) *Arachnoproctonus*, Ashm. (part).

7. Metathorax bare or nearly, at least not clothed with a silvery pubescence; claws in ♀ with a median tooth, in ♂ cleft. 8.