

Scape large, globular, the pedicel annular; flagellum very long, terminating in a large club, joints 1 to 5 elongate, slender, cylindrical, the first joint shorter than either joints 2 or 3.....Masaris, Fabr. (partim).

(?) ♂ *M. Texana*, Cr., (?) g. nov.

9. Scape and pedicel large, globular, nearly equal; first joint of flagellum longer than either 2 or 3; labium long; maxillary palpi rudimentary, 3-jointed; mandibles short and acute; first joint of hind tarsi *not* as long as all the other joints united; claws with a tooth.....(9) *Celonites*, Latreille.  
(Type *Vespa abbreviata*, Villers.)

Scape elongate, the pedicel small; flagellum in ♂ elongate, joints 2 to 6 elongate, cylindrical, subequal, in ♀ short, the first joint as long as 2-4 united, the latter being very short; first joint of hind tarsi elongate, as long as all the following united; claws simple, *without* a tooth.....(10) *Masaris*, Fabricius.  
(Type *M. vespiformis*, Fabr.)

10. Scape not elongate, hardly thrice as long as thick, the pedicel annular; first joint of flagellum in ♀ as long as joints 2-3 united, in ♂ with joints 1 to 4 elongate; first joint of hind tarsi a little longer than all the following joints united, the second and third only a little longer than thick; claws long, simple.....(11) *Pseudomasaris*, Ashmead, g. nov.  
(Type *Masaris occidentalis*, Cress.)

Scape elongate, about four times as long as thick, the pedicel hardly longer than thick; first joint of flagellum in ♀ not longer than 2-3 united; first joint of hind tarsi shorter than all the following joints united; claws very small... ..(12) *Quartinia*, Gribodo.  
(Type *Q. dilecta*, Gribodo.)

#### FAMILY XXXI.—Chrysididae.

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