1. PaDIL Species Factsheet

Scientific Name:
*Apanteles sp.*
(Hymenoptera: Braconidae: Microgastrinae)

Common Name
Braconid Wasp

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2. Species Information

2.1. Details

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2.2. URL


2.3. Facets

**Commodity Overview:** Horticulture  
**Commodity Type:** 1 Other, Fabaceous produce  
**Distribution:** 0 Unknown  
**Status:** NZ - Exotic  
**Groups:** Wasps  
**Host Family:** 0 Unknown  
**Pest Status:** 0 Unknown

2.4. Diagnostic Notes

half length of hindtibia) and evenly hairy throughout, a complete or near complete propodeal areola, margin of vannal lobe concave and hairless, the posterior scutum having aciculate sculpturing (not distinct and separate punctures) and T1 parallel-sided to narrowing posteriorly. Fore wing aerolet present.  
Eggs are elongate and translucent, with a stalk at the posterior end, and are about 0.3mm long.

**Larvae**

Maxillary and labial palp papilliform; hypostomal spur attached to hypostoma only; mandible without large, heavy-set body with short blade bearing a few teeth at its base; antenna disclike or absent; labral and prelabial sclerite absent; silk press present.

**References**


2.5. References

- Austin, A.D. & Dangerfield, P.C. (1992). Synopsis of Australasian Microgastrinae (Hymenoptera:
3. Diagnostic Images

**HYM2 Abdomen - Adult:** Justin C. Smith MAF

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