FAMILY SALPINGIDAE
(Narrow-waisted bark beetles)

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This family comprises ten species in Canada and Alaska and about 350 species worldwide. The adults are most often found under the bark of conifers, on flowers or in detritus. Their feeding habits are unknown.

The Salpingidae, as currently constituted (Lawrence 1982a), includes groups previously treated as distinct families such as the aegialitids, dacoderids, elacatids, eurystethids, inopeplids, othniids and tretothoracids. On the other hand, some of the salpingid genera were previously included in families such as the Pythidae and Colydiidae (*Aglenus*). The family is poorly known taxonomically and a comprehensive revision of most of the North American genera is needed.

AK (3); YK (1); NT (1); BC (6); AB (1); SK (1); MB (1); ON (3); PQ (2); NB (1); NS (1); LB (1); NF (2); I (1)

Subfamily SALPINGINAE

Genus SPHAERIESTES Stephens
Salpingus auct.

S. alternatus (LeConte)	-	-	-	BC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S. virescens (LeConte)	-	YK	NT	-	AB	SK	MB	ON	PQ	NB	-	-	LB	NF

Genus VINCENZELLUS Reitter

V. elongatus (Mannerheim)	AK	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Genus RHINOSIMUS Latreille
Key to North American species: Blair (1932)

R. viridiaeneus Randall	AK	-	-	BC	-	-	-	ON	PQ	-	NS	-	-	NF
aeneirostris Mannerheim														
nitens LeConte														
R. lecontei Blair	-	-	-	BC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
R. pallipes Boheman	-	-	-	BC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Subfamily AEGIALITINAE
Key to species: Spilman (1967)

Genus AEGIALITES Dejean
Eurystethus Seidlitz

A. californicus Motschulsky	AK	-	-	BC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Subfamily OTHNIINAE

Genus ELACATIS Pascoe
Othnius LeConte

E. lugubris (Horn)	-	-	-	BC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Subfamily AGLENINAE

Genus AGLENUS Erichson

A. brunneus (Gyllenhal)+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	ON	-	-	-	-	-	-
obsoletus (Shuckard)														