

**Plant Parasitic Nematodes of Tylenchida (Nematoda)
Associated with Groundnut (*Arachis hypogaea*) Fields in
the Mediterranean Region of Turkey**

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In a nematode survey of Tylenchida carried out in groundnut (*Arachis hypogaea* L.) growing areas in the Mediterranean region of Turkey, 15 species were determined as belonging to ten genera of eight families within the superfamilies Tylenchoidea, Dolichodoroidea, Hoplolaimoidea and Anguinoidea. Each of them constitutes a new record on groundnut in Turkey, and *Scutylenchus tumensis* Skwiercz and *Pratylenchus brachyurus* (Godfrey) are reported for the first time in the nematofauna of Turkey.

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