



FIGURE 6. Distribution of Ovatus Group species.

***Aglaothorax tinkhamorum* (Rentz & Birchim, 1968) stat. rev.**

Common name. Tinkham's Shieldback.

Type material. The holotype male in ANSP is from Pinyon Flats along state highway 74 at 4000 feet in the Santa Rosa Mountains, Riverside County, California, USA. Images of the holotype and allotype are available at OSFO (Cigliano *et al.* 2025). PARATYPES EXAMINED: (n=6) **USA, CA, Riverside Co.**, Santa Rosa Mtns, Pinyon Flats, 33.524192, -117.276148, 1219 m, 13-IX-1957, ER Tinkham, CAS, 3♂; **San Bernardino Co.**, Little San Bernardino Mountains, 1 mi. W of Yucca Valley, 34.114173, -116.449759, 999 m, 30-VI-1953, ER Tinkham, CAS, 3♂.

TOPOTYPES EXAMINED: (n=28) **USA, CA, Riverside Co.**, Cactus Spring Trailhead, 0.4 mi. S of SR74 on Pinyon Flats Sta. Rd., 33.5804, -116.4507, 1200 m, 28-29-VI-2004, JA Cole, JF Eguizabal, LACM, 1♂; Pinyon Flat Campground, 14 miles southwest of Palm Desert on SR74, 33.5856, -116.4570, 1219 m, 27-28-VI-2005, JA Cole, AMNH, 1♂; same data except LACM, 5♂; same data except 28-29-VI-2003, JA Cole, AMNH, 1♂; same data except LACM, 4♂; same data except 3-4-VII-2008, JA Cole, LACM, 7♂; Pinyon Flat, San Jacinto Mountains, 33.7500, -116.6667, 27-V-1939, ER Tinkham, CAS, 1♀ nymph; same data except 29-VI-1975, ER Tinkham, CAS, 2♂; Pinyon Flats, intersection of Pinyon drive and Hwy 74, 33.603360, -116.455847, 1158 m, 26-VIII-1982, dB Weissman, CAS, 5♂; Ribbonwood Equestrian Campground, Santa Rosa Mountains, 33.58000, -116.45167, 1234 m, 26-VIII-2020, JA Cole, J Bailey, LACM, 1♂.

Distribution. Southern California mountain ranges bordering the Colorado Desert including the Santa Rosa and Little San Bernardino Mountains.

Material examined. (n=65) **All USA, CA, Riverside Co.,** 1 mi. W Whitewater Canyon, 33.92655, -116.65886, IV-1972, ER Tinkham, CAS, 1♀; Berdoo Canyon, 33.810156, -116.170507, 1-VII-1975, ER Tinkham, CAS, 3♂, 2♀; Cactus Spring Trailhead, 0.4 mi. S of SR74 on Pinyon Flats Sta. Rd., 33.5804, -116.4507, 1200 m, 28-29-VI-2004, JA Cole, JF Eguizabal, LACM, 5♂; mouth of Whitewater Canyon, 33.92424, -116.64175, 21-VI-1973, ER Tinkham, CAS, 1♀; LACM, 1♂; Upper Berdoo Canyon, Little San Bernardino Mtns, 33.810156, -116.170507, 1-VII-1975, ER Tinkham, CAS, 1♂; Whitewater Canyon, 33.9579, -116.6463, 396 m, 20-VI-1974, ER Tinkham, CAS, 3♂, 1♀; same data except 4-VI-1975, ER Tinkham, CAS, 2♂; same data except 7-VI-1983, d B Weissman, CAS, 11♂, 1♀; same data except late IV-early V, ER Tinkham, CAS, 1♂; same data except no date, ER Tinkham, CAS, 8♂; same data except 431 m, 27-VI-2005, JA Cole, LACM, 2♂; same data except 21-IV-1973, VV Omotov, LACM, 1♂; Whitewater Canyon, NW of Palm Springs, 33.9579, -116.6463, 396 m, 24-IV-1982, d B Weissman, CAS, 1♂; **San Bernardino Co.,** 5 mi S yucca Valley, 34.041633, -116.432235, VII-1971, ER Tinkham, CAS, 3♂, 1♀; Joshua Tree NM, L Covington Flat, 34.134728, -116.313066, 21-IX-1962, RC Stephens, CAS, 1♀; same data except 30-VII-1960, J Geest, CAS, 1♂; Joshua Tree NM, Long Cyn Cholla Br., 34.134728, -116.313066, 29-V-1963, EL Sleeper, CAS, 1♂; Joshua Tree NM, Pleasant Valley Quail Guzzler, 34.134728, -116.313066, 10-VI-1966, EL Sleeper, SL Jenkins, CAS, 1♂; Joshua Tree NM, U Covington Flat, 34.134728, -116.313066, 22-VII-1960, EL Sleeper, CAS, 1♂; same data except 8-VII-1960, EL Sleeper, CAS, 1♂; Little San Bernardino Mountains, 1 mi. W of yucca Valley, 34.114173, -116.449759, 999 m, 30-VI-1953, ER Tinkham, CAS, 1♂; **San Diego Co.,** County Road S22 SW of Borrego Springs, 33.048669, -117.041941, 370-1040 m, 3-VI-1989, DB Weissman, DC Lightfoot,

CAS, 2♂; Culp Cyn, 5 mi. W Borrego Springs, 33.048669, -117.041941, 28-VI-1975, ER Tinkham, CAS, 2♂; Mason Valley, 32.980881, -116.426682, 23-V-1943, JH Comstock, LACM, 1♀; San y sidro Mountains, 32.5833, -116.8167, no date, ER Tinkham, CAS, 3♂; same data except 3-VI-1975, ER Tinkham, CAS, 2♂.