

THE FIRST NATURAL ENEMIES OF EMERALD ASH BORER FOUND IN CHINA

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The first two parasitoids reported to be reared from the emerald ash borer (EAB), *Agilus planipennis* Fairmaire, in its native range of China have potential to be useful in biocontrol efforts in North America. Both feed gregariously upon the larvae of EAB in their galleries and have multiple generations each season. One is a member of the genus *Spathius* (Braconidae: Doryctinae), a group specializing on bark and wood boring beetle larvae. The other belongs to the genus *Tetrastichus* (Eulophidae), a highly speciose group with members known to attack Coleoptera, other Hymenoptera, Diptera and Lepidoptera. Illustrations are provided and their basic biology described including life histories and ovipositional behavior described.