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VITIS SPP. AS LAC HOSTS FROM MADHYA PRADESH

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Vitis sp. I, *Vitis* sp. II and *Vitis* sp. III were recorded as new lac-hosts from Madhya Pradesh by Mehra and Gokulpure (1967). Renewed efforts were made to collect further specimens of these species for their identification. Fresh specimens of the first two species could be collected and were identified as:

1. *Vitis* sp. I (*Dokerbel*) (Ampelidaceae)
= *Vitis trifolia* Linn.
2. *Vitis* sp. II (*Khatua*) (Ampelidaceae)
= *Cayratia auriculata* Gamble
(Syn. *Vitis auriculata* Wall.)

The fresh specimens of *Vitis* sp. III could not be collected

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