

SHORT REPORT

First Report of two Eriophyoid Mites from Pistachio in Kerman and Yazd

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Tow Eriopnyoid mites have been recorded from pistachio in Kerman and Yazd provinces.

Aceria(=*Eriophyes*) *stafanii* (Nal.) was found on leaves and buds of pistachio, with low population, from Sirjan. This is first report of *A. stafanii* from Iran.

Pistachio bud mite, *Aceria*(=*Eriophyes*) *pistaciae* (Nal.), causes flower stalk brooming, some leaf deformation on *Pistacia vera* L. It was recoreded from buds, flowers and nuts, about 90% of pistachio plantation, in mentioned areas. Farahbakhsh (1961) indicated this mite for Khorassan. It was collected also from *P. mutica* L. in Kerman province.

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