## SIMPLIFIED KEY TO IDENTIFY THE 7 GENERA OF MOSQUITOES IN EUROPE, NORTH AFRICA AND MIDDLE-EAST MediLabSecure KEY FOR LARVA SIPHON Anopheles **ABSENT** No dorsal Siphon with Aedes setae one pair of on the siphon ventral setae inserted close to the middle Several pairs Abdominal or near the of dorsal setae Aedes subgenus Rusticoidus plate on the siphon apex absent

SIPHON PRESENT AND TUBULAR Siphon with one pair of ventral setae inserted at the base

Siphon with several pairs of ventral setae

pair of lateral abdominal plates (on segment VIII)

Dorsal abdominal plates (on segments VI-VII-VIII)

SIPHON PRESENT, CONICAL AND POINTED (that perforate the aquatic plants)

Culex Uranotaenia Orthopodomyia

Culiseta

Coquillettidia

## KEY FOR FEMALE

PALPS AS LONG AS PROBOSCIS



PALPS **SHORT** 

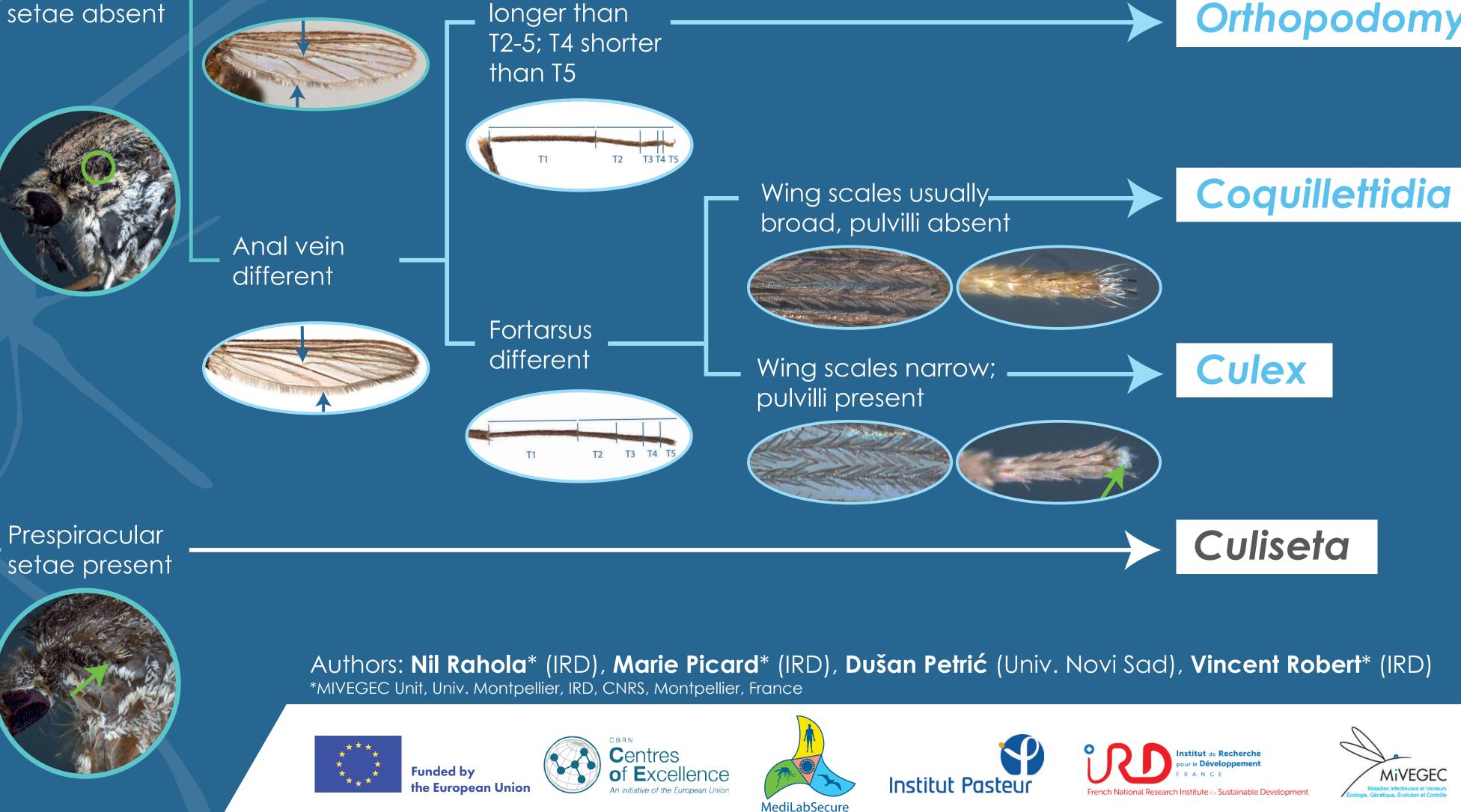
End of abdomen pointed; cerci visible; prespiracular setae absent and postspiracular setae present



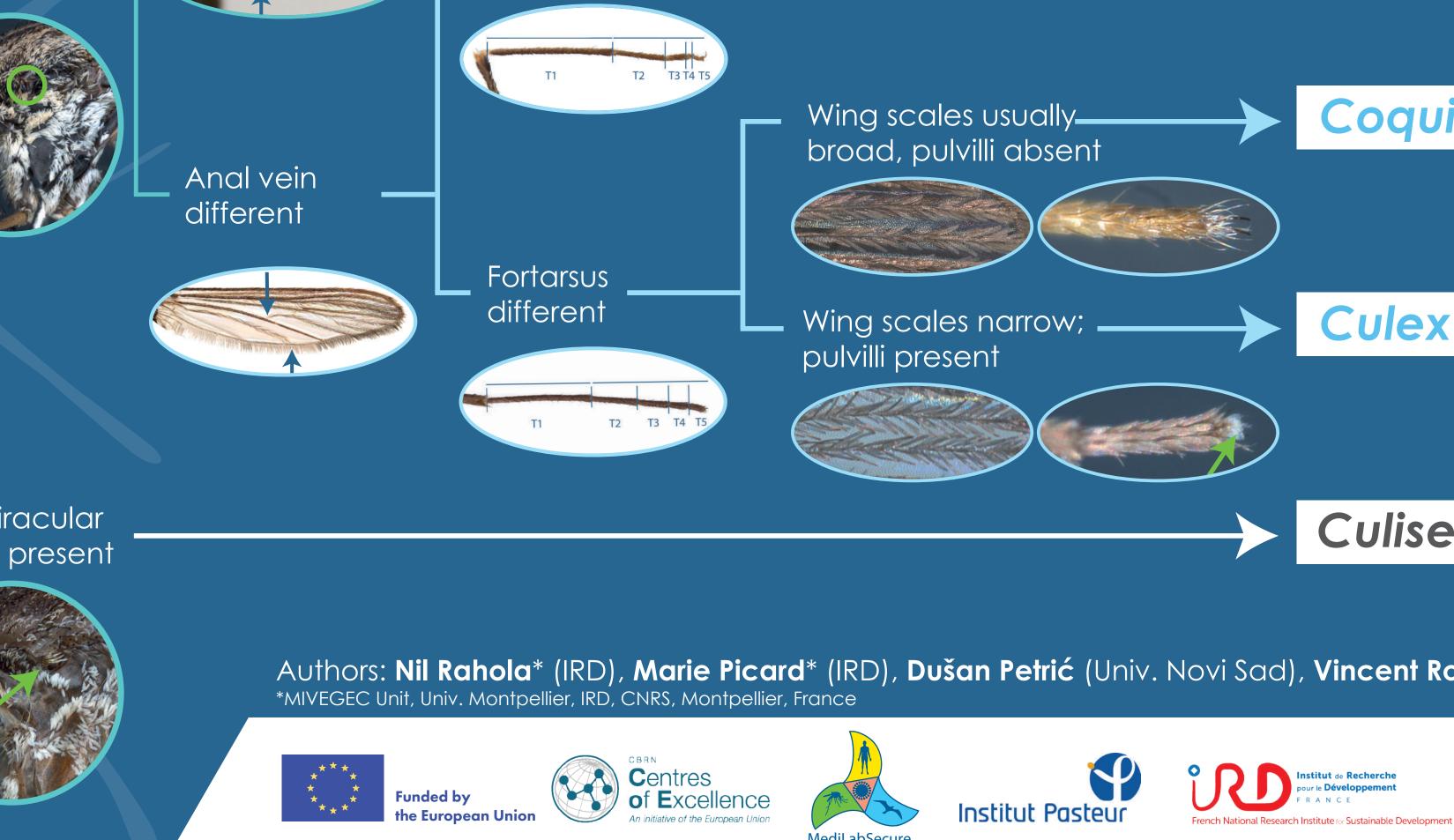
End of

sharply bent apically; ending at the level of furcation of the vein above

Anal vein



Foreleg with tarsomere T1 longer than





Uranotaenia

Anopheles





abdomen rounded; cerci not visible; postspiracular setae absent



