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Biometric similarity Test of The Population of *T. (Zaria) bantamensis tjicumpaensis* with *T. (Zaria) javana* as a Form of Phylogeny And Evolutionary Proximity

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Abstract

Biometric aspects in the Turritellidae family need to be studied as an important identification parameter. *Zaria*, which is one of the sub genera in the Turritellidae family, deserves to be tested in order to determine the feasibility of the biometric aspect as an identification parameter. This paper aims to provide an overview of the benefits of the biometric aspect as an identification parameter. The method used to re-identify the biometric and morphological aspects of the *T. (Zaria) bantamensis tjicumpaensis* population with *T. (Zaria) javana*. The results of the identification were carried out by a T-Test on the biometric aspect to see the similarity of the biometric aspects of the two populations. Based on the results of the T-Test on the parameters of the Wsut: Wang and Wsut: L ratio, it shows that the two *Zaria* species are the same. Meanwhile, from the morphological aspect, there is a slight difference in the early growth peripherals.

Keywords: Biometrical, *Zaria*, Turritellidae, T-Test, morphological

1. Introduction

Biometry is one method of identification of fossils, in the form of measurements of certain parts of the body. The biometric aspect as an identification parameter in fossils has not been widely used as a key parameter in determining species (Imbrie, 1956; Pandita et al., 2013). This is because a sufficient amount of sample data is needed to be able to see the pattern of the biometrics. Therefore, research on the role of biometry as an important parameter in fossil identification needs to be carried out continuously.

Zaria, which is a group of fossils from the Turritellidae family, is a sub-genera of *Turritella* which is interesting to study from its biometric aspect. This is due to the fact that numbers of species of *Zaria* found on Java Island are morphologically similar, but are separated into different species (Pandita, 2014).

This condition is also shown between *T. (Zaria) javana* from the location of the Cijarian-Sukabumi river and *T. (Zaria) bantamensis* from the Cimadur-Bayah area. The two populations are almost similar morphologically. Seeing this problem, it is necessary to study the biometric aspects of the two populations between *T. (Zaria) javana* and *T. (Zaria) bantamensis tjikumpaensis*.

2. Objectives

The purpose of this paper is to provide a morphological and biometric description of the population of *Zaria bantamensis tjikumpaensis* and *Zaria javana*. The aim is to find out how the biometric aspects provide clarity of the speciation of the two populations and the opportunities for their phylogeny of closeness. This study is also aimed at reintroducing the biometric parameters used by Pandita et al., (2013).

3. Materials

The research sample is a collection stored in the Bandung Geology Museum and the ITNY Paleontology Laboratory with a total of 52 samples. The samples came from two locations in West Java Province and Banten Province. The sample *T. (Zaria) bantamensis tjikumpaensis* came from the Bayah (BYH) location with coordinates 06° 54' 09,2"S and 106° 14' 48,5"E. While the *T. (Zaria) javana* sample came from the Cijarian River with location coordinates 06° 59' 31.3 "S and 106° 38' 01.6" E (Figure 1).

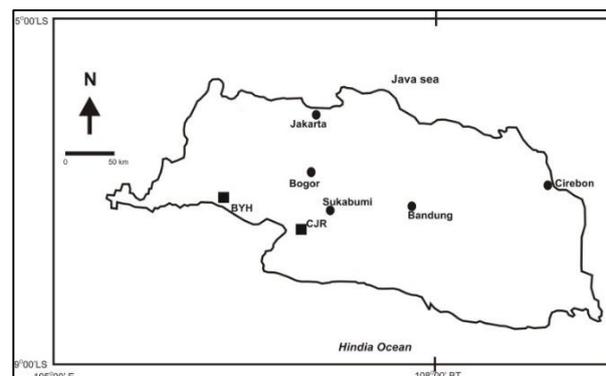


Fig 1. The sampling locations were from the Bayah (BYH) area in Banten Province and the Cijarian river (CJR) in the Sukabumi area of West Java Province

4. Methods

The method in this research is to re-identify the morphological and biometric aspects of the two sample populations stored in the ITNY Paleontology Laboratory. The

sample coded CJR03 is a population of *Zaria javana*, and BYH01 is a population of *Zaria bantamensis tjicumpaensis*. After the identification was carried out, statistical analysis was carried out using linear regression and T-Test on biometric parameters.

Identification of morphological aspects is using parameters from (Kotaka, 1959); (Marwick, 1957); Merriam, 1941). These parameters include: 1) the number of main spiral ribs, 2) peripheral patterns, 3) room shape, 4) sutures, 5) keel characters and 6) apertura (Figure 2).

The biometric aspect uses the parameters proposed by Pandita et al., (2013). These parameters include: 1) L (shell length), 2) W_{sut} (last chamber suture diameter), 3) W_{ang} (last chamber diameter) (Figure 2).

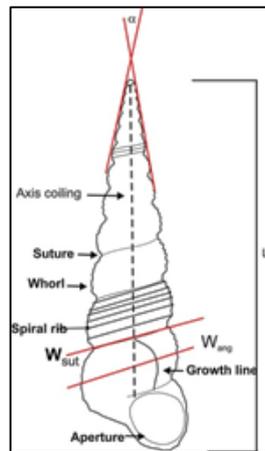


Fig 2. Identification Parameters of *Zaria*

The statistical test conducted is the similarity test using two methods. The first method uses linear regression. The second method uses the Independent T-Test, while the formula used (Hasan, 2004) is as follows:

$$t = \frac{x_1 - x_2}{S \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}}$$

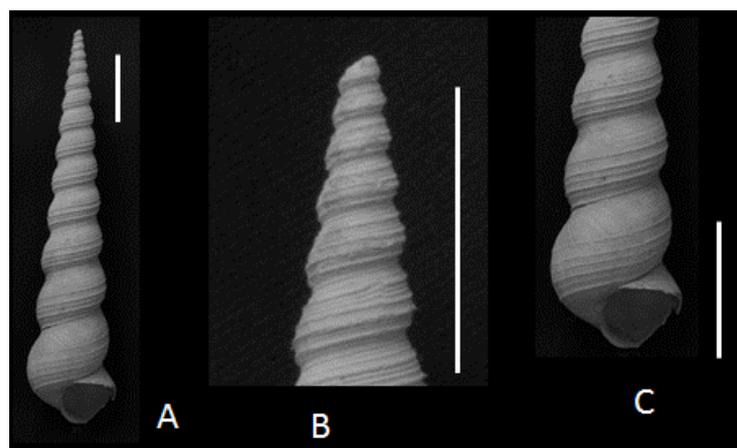


Fig 3. *Turritella (Zaria) bantamensis tjicumpaensis*: A) complete shell B) Early Teleconch, C) Adult Teleconch, Scale bar = 1 cm.

5.1 Morphologic Descriptive

The shell that appears is predominantly small, although some are larger than 60 mm. At the beginning of its growth, the main spiral ribs that appear are 4, with a multicostate structure. The shape of the suture is initially channelized and then changes

Where: t = value of acceptance if $-t_{(1-1/2\alpha)} < t < t_{(1-1/2\alpha)}$
 x_1 & x_2 = mean values
 n_1 & n_2 = number of population
 S = is the average standard deviation

The formula for the average standard deviation of the two populations:

$$S^2 = \frac{(n_1 - 1) S_1^2 + (n_2 - 1) S_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$$

Where: S_1 & S_2 = standard deviation value of each tested population.

5. Systematic Description

The taxonomic systematics used in the preparation of the classification refers to Leloux and Wesselingh, (2009).

Class : Gastropoda Cuvier, 1797

Sub class : Prosobranchia Milne-Edwards, 1848

Order : Mesogastropoda Thiele, 1925

Super Family : Cerithiacea Fleming, 1822

Family : Turritellidae Loven, 1847

Genera : *Turritella* Lamarck, 1799

Sub Genera: *Zaria* Grey 1847

Species: *Turritella (Zaria) bantamensis tjicumpaensis* Martin, 1905

Figure: 3

Turritella tjicumpaensis — (Martin, 1905): 232, pl. 35, figs 549-550

Turritella tjicumpaensis Martin — Van der Vlerk, 1931: 254

Turritella (Turritella) bantamensis tjicumpaensis Martin — (Shuto, 1974): 144

Turritella (Turritella) bantamensis tjicumpaensis Martin — (Shuto, 1978): 103

Turritella (Turritella) bantamensis tjicumpaensis Martin — (Skwarko, S.K.; Sufiati, 1994): f9

Material: Paratype. Shell preservation is not complete, protoconch is loose. The number of preserve whorl about 8 to 9 whorls. Specimens are stored in the ITNY Paleontology Laboratory sample code BYH01 is 11 specimens, and at the Geology Museum Bandung the sample code is B-29 as 6 specimens and 14C as 6 specimens.

to subcarinate at the 8th or 9th whorl. The three main rib spiral numbers 1, 2 and 3 are counted from the anterior with strong expression starting from the 8th or 9th whorl at the bottom of the room. The shape of the aperture is rounded (Figure 3). Based on the character of the growth line, this species is closer to the *Zaria* sub-genera.

Table 1. Biometrical aspect of *T. (Zaria) bantamensis tjicumpaiensi*

No.Spec	L(mm)	W _{ang}	W _{sut}	$\alpha(^{\circ})$	n Whorl	W _{ang} :L	W _{sut} :L	W _{sut} :W _{ang}
BYH01-1	121.30	26.80	19.90	10.00	15.00	0.2209	0.1641	0.7425
BYH01-2	57.50	16.30	11.60	13.00	14.00	0.2835	0.2017	0.7117
BYH01-3	36.60	11.35	8.10	13.00	11.00	0.3101	0.2213	0.7137
BYH01B-1	48.40	13.10	9.65	10.00	8.00	0.2707	0.1994	0.7366
BYH01B-2	45.20	12.80	9.50	10.00	8.00	0.2832	0.2102	0.7422
BYH01B-3	45.10	11.40	8.60	8.00	9.00	0.2528	0.1907	0.7544
BYH01B-4	36.65	10.90	8.20	9.50	7.50	0.2974	0.2237	0.7523
BYH01B-5	33.80	10.70	8.20	9.50	7.00	0.3166	0.2426	0.7664
BYH01B-6	37.45	10.65	8.30	10.00	8.00	0.2844	0.2216	0.7793
BYH01B-7	40.35	10.60	7.70	9.00	9.00	0.2627	0.1908	0.7264
BYH01B-8	43.10	13.00	9.80	8.50	9.00	0.3016	0.2274	0.7538
B29-1	50.60	14.90	10.00	8.50	13.00	0.2945	0.1976	0.6711
B29-2	49.90	13.30	9.40	10.00	12.00	0.2665	0.1884	0.7068
B29-3	53.00	15.60	11.70	9.50	11.00	0.2943	0.2208	0.7500
B29-4	93.00	22.00	15.50	8.00	17.00	0.2366	0.1667	0.7045
B29-5	90.90	21.30	16.00	11.00	14.00	0.2343	0.1760	0.7512
B29-6	29.20	8.80	5.30	9.00	10.00	0.3014	0.1815	0.6023
14C4-1	63.25	17.70	13.20	10.00	12.00	0.2798	0.2087	0.7458
14C4-2	60.45	16.00	11.65	9.50	13.00	0.2647	0.1927	0.7281
14C4-3	62.70	17.10	11.65	10.00	12.00	0.2727	0.1858	0.6813
14C4-4	71.90	17.85	12.60	10.00	14.00	0.2483	0.1752	0.7059
14C4-5	55.80	14.50	10.50	9.50	13.00	0.2599	0.1882	0.7241
14C4-6	58.00	14.80	10.60	9.00	14.50	0.2552	0.1828	0.7162
Mean	55.83	14.85	10.77	9.76		0.2736	0.1982	0.7246
S	21.65	4.29	3.18	1.25		0.0253	0.0208	0.0375

Species: *Turritella (Zaria) javana* Martin, 1883

Figure 4

Turritella javana Martin, 1883: 233, pl. 11, fig. 27.

Turritella javana Martin – (Martin, 1884): 171.

Turritella javana Martin – (Martin, 1905): 227.

Zaria javana (Martin) – (Shuto, 1974): 140.

Zaria javana (Martin) – (Skwarko, S.K.; Sufiati, 1994): f15.

Material : Lectotype. Shell preservation is not complete, protoconch is loose. The number of preserve whorl about 9 to 11 whorls. Total specimen is 29, stored in Laboratory of Paleontology ITNY. Code number CJR03.

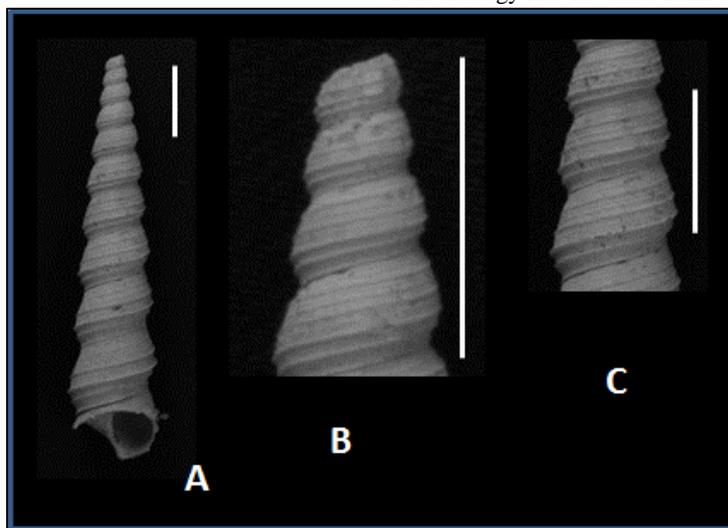


Fig 4. *Turritella (Zaria) javana*: A) complete shell B) Early Teleconch, C) Adult Teleconch, Scale bar = 1 cm.

5.2 Morphologic Descriptive

Shell including small to medium sized. In the early rounds made up four primary spirals appears at the beginning teleconch. Whorl shape tends tricostate formed by spiral into 1, 2 and 3 are sorted from the anterior, with a spiral rib to 2 expressed slightly stronger than the other two. A fine spiral located under the posterior sutures as a spiral 4. Sutures at the

beginning teleconch shaped channelled. Start whorl to 7 there is a change of sutures and peripheral form. Forms bicarinate appear in the center of the whorl that is formed by a spiral rib of the anterior second and third. Relative changes to subcarinate sutures. Lateral growth line strongly curved with a single sinus, and basal sinuses also appeared at the bottom. Aperture somewhat elliptical until rounded.

Table 2. Biometrical aspect of *T. (Zaria) javana*

No.Spec	L(mm)	W _{ang}	W _{sut}	α(°)	n Whorl	W _{ang} :L	W _{sut} :L	W _{sut} :W _{ang}
CJR3A-1	51.90	14.75	10.45	15.00	12.00	0.28420	0.20135	0.70847
CJR3A-2	61.20	14.65	10.35	13.00	13.00	0.23938	0.16912	0.70648
CJR3A-3	53.80	14.90	10.25	13.50	11.50	0.27695	0.19052	0.68792
CJR3A-4	57.60	15.00	10.85	13.00	12.50	0.26042	0.18837	0.72333
CJR3A-5	56.30	16.35	11.15	13.00	12.00	0.29041	0.19805	0.68196
CJR3A-6	52.50	13.70	9.70	14.50	11.50	0.26095	0.18476	0.70803
CJR3A-7	45.30	13.30	8.95	13.50	11.50	0.29360	0.19757	0.67293
CJR3A-8	54.20	14.65	10.00	14.00	12.50	0.27030	0.18450	0.68259
CJR3A-9	53.40	13.40	9.40	13.50	12.00	0.25094	0.17603	0.70149
CJR3A-10	43.40	12.85	9.10	14.50	11.50	0.29608	0.20968	0.70817
CJR3A-11	46.40	12.95	9.30	14.50	12.00	0.27909	0.20043	0.71815
CJR3A-12	40.25	11.15	8.45	13.00	10.00	0.27702	0.20994	0.75785
CJR3B-1	53.60	15.00	10.70	12.50	11.00	0.27985	0.19963	0.71333
CJR3B-2	59.90	15.50	11.30	13.50	11.50	0.25876	0.18865	0.72903
CJR3B-3	42.10	13.60	9.60	13.50	11.00	0.32304	0.22803	0.70588
CJR3B-4	53.45	13.55	9.50	14.00	11.00	0.25351	0.17774	0.70111
CJR3B-5	54.40	15.10	11.10	13.00	10.80	0.27757	0.20404	0.73510
CJR3B-6	48.00	14.40	9.85	13.00	11.00	0.30000	0.20521	0.68403
CJR3B-7	54.85	15.25	10.85	13.00	10.80	0.27803	0.19781	0.71148
CJR3B-8	50.80	13.50	10.00	13.50	11.00	0.26575	0.19685	0.74074
CJR3B-9	55.75	15.45	11.70	13.00	10.80	0.27713	0.20987	0.75728
CJR3B-10	53.70	15.70	11.80	14.50	11.00	0.29236	0.21974	0.75159
CJR3B-11	65.00	15.60	11.00	12.50	12.50	0.24000	0.16923	0.70513
CJR3B-12	43.00	12.10	8.70	13.00	11.00	0.28140	0.20233	0.71901
CJR3B-13	49.30	15.30	11.10	13.50	10.00	0.31034	0.22515	0.72549
CJR3B-14	50.00	15.60	11.30	13.50	11.00	0.31200	0.22600	0.72436
CJR3B-15	52.70	15.50	10.80	13.00	12.00	0.29412	0.20493	0.69677
CJR3B-16	49.40	15.20	10.70	13.00	11.00	0.30769	0.21660	0.70395
CJR3B-17	46.70	13.65	9.60	14.00	10.00	0.29229	0.20557	0.70330
Mean	51.69	14.40	10.26	13.48		0.28011	0.19958	0.71258
S	6.24	1.36	0.82	0.72		0.02102	0.01578	0.02182

6. Result

Phenotypically, the two populations have almost the same morphological physical characteristics, there are only differences in the peripheral pattern in early teleconch, where *T. (Zaria) javana* has a tricostate pattern (Figure 4B), while *T. (Zaria) bantamensis* has multicostate (Figure 3B). Seeing this, it is necessary to test the similarity on biometry whether the two populations are indeed different or the same. Biometric data has been presented in tables 1 and 2.

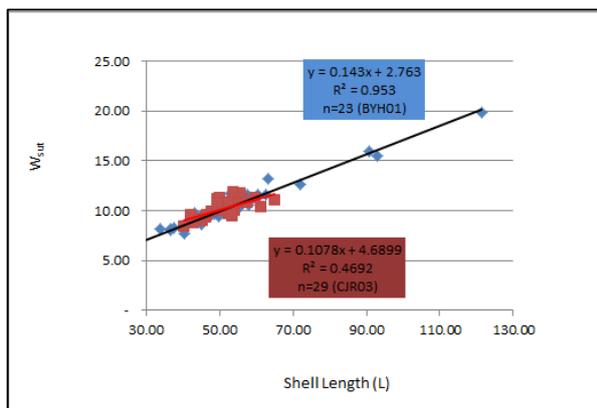


Fig 5. Linear regression pattern of the parameters Wsut: L ratio between *Z. javana* (CJR03) with *Z. Bantamensis tjicumpaiensis* (BYH01).

The first study conducted a linear regression pattern analysis to see if there was no relationship between the two species. The Wsut: L and Wsut: Wang ratios show that the two species have parallel and coincided linear lines (Figures 5 and

6). Based on this, the two populations have the same growth pattern.

The second study was analyzed using a two-way difference test known as the T-Test. Data processing using excel program. The acceptance level used ($\alpha = 0.05$), is a number commonly used in the T-Test. So that the acceptance limit for the total number of the two populations of 52 samples is $-2.008 < t_0 < 2.008$ is obtained from the t distribution table (Hasan, 2004). Based on the results of the T-Test test, it shows that the two parameters produce a value of $t_0 = -0.27736$ for the Wsut: L ratio and $t_0 = 1.406124$ for the Wsut:Wang ratio (Table 3). The two values fall into the acceptance range, so that the two populations can be considered to have the same pattern.

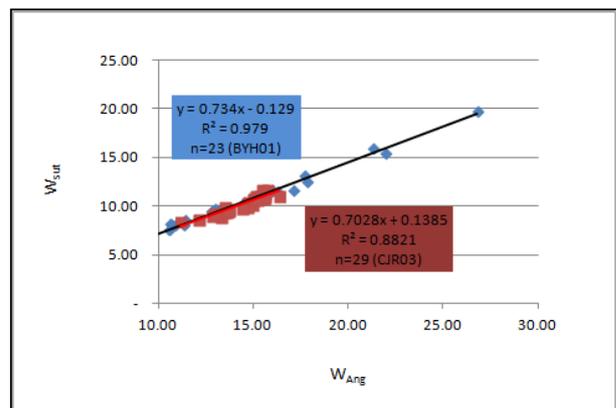


Fig 6. Linear regression pattern of the parameters the Wsut: Wang ratio between *Z. javana* (CJR03) with *Z. bantemensis tjikumpaensis* (BYH01).

Table 3. T-Test results on two parameters of the ratio of $W_{sut}:L$ and $W_{sut}:W_{ang}$ from two populations of species *Z. javana* (CJR03) with *Z. bantamensis tjikumpaensis* (BYH01).

Samples Number	Species	Sample Size (n)	$\alpha=0.05$	$W_{sut}:L$	$W_{sut}:W_{ang}$	T-Test ($W_{sut}:L$)		T-Test ($W_{sut}:W_{ang}$)	
						s	t	s	t
BOJ03	<i>Z. bantamensis</i>	28	2.004	0.1700	0.7303	0.0151	-7.3660	0.0250	2.6722
CJR03	<i>Z. javana</i>	29		0.1996	0.7126				

7. Discussion

Seeing the test results of both the linear regression pattern and the T-Test test for both populations can be said to have the same character. The separation of the two as different species needs to be reviewed, considering that from a biometric point of view they both have similarities.

Almost all morphological parameters of the two populations are also the same, with a slight difference in the peripheral pattern at the early teleconch. However, the initial growth pattern by Kotaka, (1959), Marwick, (1957) is one of the factors that differentiate species, so it is difficult to propose that both species are the same. However, by looking at the proximity of the biometric aspects and spiral rib patterns in adult teleconch, the two have a close phylogeny relationship.

In terms of geology, these two populations or species come from two different locations. *T. (Zaria) javana* comes from the Nyalindung Formation which is thought to have formed in the Upper Miocene (Pandita et al., 2013). Meanwhile, *Z. bantamensis* comes from the Cimanceuri Formation (BYH01) where the formation is estimated to be in the Early Pliocene age (Pandita, 2014).

Combining with the age of appearance of the two species, of which *T. (Zaria) javana* is older, namely the Upper Miocene, it is certain that *T. (Zaria) bantamensis tjikumpaensis* evolved from *T. (Z) javana*.

Conclusion

Both populations of the sub-genus *Zaria* show the same biometric characteristics. Meanwhile, in the morphological aspect, there is a small difference in early teleconch. However, because the early teleconch by Kotaka (1959) was the determining parameter of the species, the two populations could not be categorized as the same species. This condition implies the need for a ranking test on the identification parameters of *Turritella (Zaria)* as well.

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