Study	Method	n	Spider species investigated	Symbionts Investigated*
(Rowley <i>et al.,</i> 2004)	Directed PCR	24	20 different	W
(Goodacre et al., 2006)	Directed PCR	312	119 different	W, R, S
(Duron <i>et al.,</i> 2008)	Directed PCR	516	26 different	W, C
(Baldo <i>et al.,</i> 2008)	Directed PCR	126	10 different	W
(Gunnarsson et al., 2009)	Directed PCR	36	Pityohyphantes phrygianus	W, R
(Goodacre <i>et al.,</i> 2009)	Directed PCR	1568	Erigone atra	W, R
(Martin and Goodacre, 2009)	Directed PCR	44	16 different	С
(Perlman <i>et al.,</i> 2010)	Directed PCR	49	21 different	W, C
(Vanthournout <i>et al.,</i> 2011)	Directed PCR	110	Oedothorax gibbosus	W
(Yun <i>et al.,</i> 2011)	Directed PCR	560	Hylyphantes Graminicola	W
(Stefanini and Duron, 2012)	Directed PCR	510	Holocnemus pluchei	С
(Jin <i>et al.,</i> 2013)	Directed PCR	1000	37 different	W, C, S
(Curry <i>et al.</i> , 2015)	Directed PCR	44	Mermessus fradeorum	W, R
(Yan <i>et al.,</i> 2015)	Directed PCR	970	33 different	W
(Vanthournout and Hendrickx, 2015)	Full16s	20	Oedothorax gibbosus	all
(Wang <i>et al.</i> , 2016)	Directed PCR	84	Telema cordata, Telema cucurbitina	W
(Zhang <i>et al.,</i> 2017)	Full 16s	3	Marpiss magister	all
(Zhang <i>et al.</i> , 2018)	Full 16s	74	8 different	all
(Vanthournout et al., 2018)	Full 16s	6	Stegodyphus dumicola, Stegodyphus mimosarum	all
(White <i>et al.,</i> 2019)	Directed PCR & Full 16s	267 (110)	14 different	W, R, C (all)
(Hu <i>et al.,</i> 2019)	Full 16s	18	Nurscia albofasciata, Pardosa astrigera, Pardosa laura	all
(Sheffer et al., 2020)	Full 16s	6	Argiope bruennichi	all
(Busck, Settepani, et al.)	Full 16s	216	Stegodyphus dumicola, Stegodyphus mimosarum, Stegodyphus sarasinorum	all
(Busck, Lund, et al.)	Full 16s	569	Stegodyphus dumicola	all

^{*}W: Wolbachia, R: Rickettsia, C: Cardinium, S: Spiroplasma, all: any bacterium whose 16S rRNA gene matches the commonly used bacterial PCR primers.