

Xenoglossa of the tallgrass prairie region and the midwest US
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Females:

1. T1 impunctate margin shiny, overall appearance of all tergites shiny; pygidial plate apex narrowly rounded (almost pointed)

.....**strenua**

T1 impunctate margin dull, overall appearance of tergites dulled by weak microsculpture; pygidial plate apex broadly rounded (not pointed).....

.....**kansensis**

Males:

1. Overall appearance of tergites shiny; T5 lateral pointed process (one on each side) usually absent or very reduced, not resembling the obvious pointed lateral processes of T6.....**strenua**

Overall appearance of tergites dull; T5 lateral pointed process present, resembling small versions of the pointed lateral processes of

T6.....**kansensis**