Table 2. Nematode taxa present in bulk soil collected near Kingston, Rhode Island. Mean abundance (per 100 g ± standard deviation) and numeric rank by trophic group are presented for both 21-28 and 42-58 day incubation periods combined. Trophic group categories were assembled according to Yeates et al. (1993b).

Bacterial-Feeders	Rank	Abundance
Alaimus[1]	10	1.3(6.8)
Aphanolaimus[3]	14	0.6(9.4)
Bunonema[3]	7	11.9(47.3)
Cephalobidae[2,4,6]	1	928(912)
Acrobeles[6]		
Acrobeloides[6]		
Cervidellus		
Chiloplacus[6]		
Eucephalobus		
Heterocephalobus		
Dauerlarvae[2]	3	122.9(377.0)
Microlaimus	9	1.8(10.7)
Monhysteridae[1]	11	0.8(4.3)
Neodiplogasturidae	12	0.02(0.4)
Panagrolaimidae[2,6]	6	43.1(90.2)
Plectidae[1,4,6]	2	196(266.4)
Anaplectus		
Plectus		
Wilsonema		
Prismatolaimus[1,4]	5	86.4(238.4)
Rhabditidae[3,4]	4	102.0(303.0)
Teratocephalobidae	8	9.5(79.7)
Total Bacterial-Feeders		1401.7(1291.0)
Fungal-Feeders		
Aphelenchoides[2,4,6]	1	99.9(141.2)
Aphelenchus[2,6]	2	36.6(74.3)
Diptherophora	3	3.8(14.2)
Huntaphelenchoides[2]	6	0.06(1.0)
Paraphelenchus[2,6]	4	3.7(14.2)
Tylencholaimus[3,4]	5	1.5(6.4)
Total Fungal-Feeders		144.2(192.6)
Root-feeders		
Aglenchus[1]	14	2.8(25.7)
Anguinidae[5,6]		
Ditylenchus[1,4,5]	2	249.1(87.9)
Axiochium	18	0.6(3.4)
Belondiridae		
Dorylaimellus[1]	15	1.4(8.6)
Oxydirus[3]	9	16.6(44.3)
Criconemella	6	63.5(189.8)
Hoplolaimidae		
Helicotylenchus	13	2.8(17.2)
Hoplolaimus	20	0.3(3.5)
Lelenchus	10	11.3(25.4)
Longidoridae		
Longidorus	21	0.2(2.5)
Xiphinema	7	50.3(109.9)
Paratylenchus[1]	8	35.4(111.3)
Psilenchus[3]	19	0.3(2.6)
Pratylenchidae		
Hirschmanniella	16	1.0(6.4)
Pratylenchus[2,4]	1	292(337)
Pungentus	11	10.9(23.3)
Rotylenchus[1]	17	0.7(5.4)
Tylenchorhynchus[3,4]	4	101(219)
Tylenchidae		
Coslenchus	5	70.5(351.7)
Filenchus[2,4]	3	139.8(250.1)
Tylenchus	12	8.1(33.4)
Total Root-feeders		841.4(929.3)
Predators		
Anatonchidae		
Anatonchus	8	0.1(1.1)
Miconchus	11	0.01(0.2)
Aporcelaimidae		
Aporcelaimellus[3,4]	1	492(3222)
Paraxonchium[1,4]	3	35.7(89.6)
Sectonema[2]	5	5.8(41.1)
Mononchidae		
Clarkus	10	0.1(1.7)
Coomansus[2,4]	2	51.8(164.5)
Mylonchus	6	0.3(4.3)
Nygolaimus	4	10.5(24.7)
Seinura	7	0.2(4.2)
Tripyla[2]	9	0.1(1.4)
Total Predators		590.8(3213.1)
Omnivores		
Dorylaimidae		
Enchodelus	1	29.5(51.6)
Dorylaimoides[1,4]	2	4.0(36.7)
Eudorylaimus[2]	3	0.3(3.9)
Total omnivores		31.4(60.2)

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1 significant matric main effect ($p \# 0.05$).

2 significant month interaction (plus main effect).

3 significant month interaction (no main effect).

4 illustrated graphically.

5 facultative fungal-feeder (Yeates et al., 1993b).

6 considered anhydrobiotic (Aroian et al., 1993; Demeure et al., 1979; Freckman, et al., 1977; Nicholas, 1998; Tobar et al., 1996; Wharton, 1996; Wharton and Barclay, 1993).