

Holotype: ♂, Crocker Range, Sabah, Borneo, 8-VI-1996, native collector.

要 約

和田 薫：パラワン島およびボルネオから発見された *Callistethus* 属コガネムシの3新種。—— *Callistethus* 属に属するコガネムシ，*C. palawanensis* をパラワン島から，また *C. nakanei* および *C. dechambrei* をボルネオから記載した。これらの種はいずれも *excellens* 群に属するが，その特徴的な色彩および中胸突起の形状から同グループの他種とは容易に区別できる。

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A Record of *Diantiger fossulatus dentipes* NOMURA et LEE (Staphylinidae, Pselaphinae) from Shikoku, Japan

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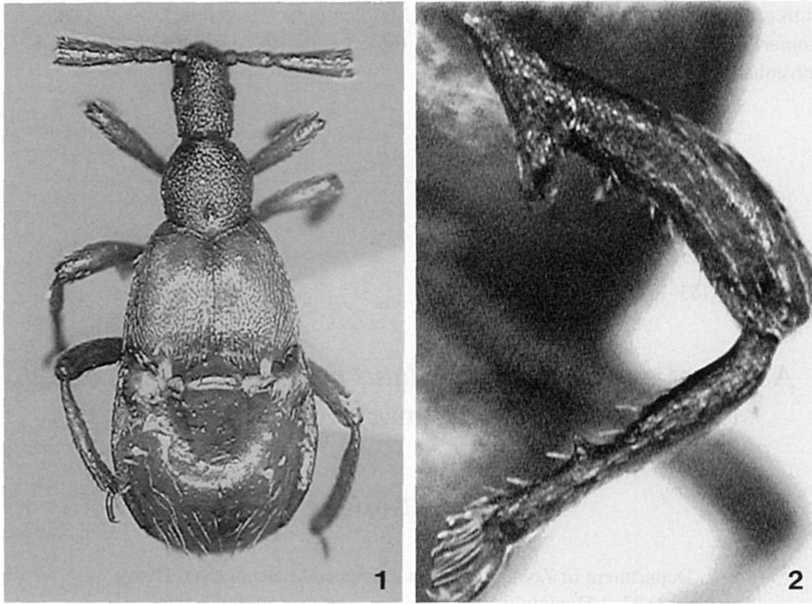
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Diantiger fossulatus dentipes NOMURA et LEE is a subspecies of *D. fossulatus* SHARP belonging to the tribe Clavigerini, which has been known only from South Korea. In this report, this subspecies is recorded from Shikoku, which is new to the Japanese fauna.

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Diartiger fossulatus dentipes NOMURA et LEE

(Figs. 1-2)

Diartiger dentipes NOMURA et LEE, 1992, Esakia, Fukuoka, (32): 77; NOMURA & LEE, 1993, *ibid.*, (33): 44.*Diartiger fossulatus dentipes*: NOMURA, 1997, Esakia, Fukuoka, (37): 87.*Specimens examined.* 2 ♂, 3 ♀, Ohira, 550 m alt., Tsushima-chô, Ehime Pref., 5-XI-1995, M. SAKAI leg.*Distribution.* South Korea including Cheju Is., Japan (Shikoku).*Remarks.* This subspecies is clearly distinguished from the other subspecies by the mid femur with a very small denticle near the base, and the mid trochanter with a large and truncate apical spine. It has been restricted to the Korean Peninsula and Cheju Is., South Korea. The new locality of this subspecies from Shikoku is widely distant from the other localities, and seems to be unusual in the distributional ranges of all the subspecies of *D. fossulatus*.

Figs. 1-2. *Diartiger fossulatus dentipes* NOMURA et LEE, from Ohira, Shikoku; male habitus (1); male mid leg in ventral view, enlarged (2).