

Notes on the Distribution of *Trissemus implicitus* (RAFFRAY)  
(Coleoptera, Staphylinidae, Pselaphinae)

**Shûhei NOMURA**

Department of Zoology, National Science Museum (Nat. Hist.),  
3-23-1 Hyakunin-chô, Shinjuku, Tokyo, 169-0073 Japan

*Trissemus implicitus* (RAFFRAY) described from Taiwan is recorded for the first time from Japan by NAKANE (1963) with the locality, Takarajima Is., Tokara Isls., Kagoshima Prefecture. Later, NOMURA and NAGAI (1995) reported it from Miyazaki Prefecture, Kyushu. In the present report, I am going to record this species for the first time from Shikoku and Okinawa-hontô Is. of the Ryukyus.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Masahiro SAKAI for his kind offer of the invaluable specimens.

***Trissemus implicitus* (RAFFRAY)**

[Japanese name: Taiwan-higebuto-enma-arizukamushi]

*Specimens examined.* 5♂♂, 23♀♀, Tsuda, Tokushima Pref., 11-IX-1965, M. SAKAI leg.; 13♂♂, 15♀♀, same locality and collector, but 18-IX-1965; 1♂, Mt. Imakiradake, Takarajima Is., Tokara Isls., Kagoshima Pref., 21-III-1992, S. NOMURA leg.; 1♂, Yona, Kunigami-son, Okinawa-hontô Is., 11-X-1988, S. NOMURA leg.

*Distribution.* Taiwan, Vietnam, Japan (Shikoku, Kyushu, Tokara Isls. and Okinawa-hontô Is.).

*Remarks.* The present record from Tokushima is not only the first one from Shikoku, but also the northernmost and easternmost record of the distribution of this species.

**Literature Cited**

- NAKANE, T., 1963. Pselaphidae. In NAKANE, T., *et al.* (eds.), *Iconographia Insectorum Japonicorum Colore naturali edita*, **2**: 101-102. (In Japanese, with Latin book title.)  
NOMURA, S., & A. NAGAI, 1995. Pselaphidae from Miyazaki Prefecture. *Tatehamodoki*, (31): 19-27. (In Japanese.)