

## The Cerambycidae Collected on the Belau (Palau) Islands, Micronesia

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Following my cerambycid-collecting trip to Pohnpei, Micronesia, in 1991 (IWATA, 2000), I had an opportunity to visit the Belau (Palau) Islands, Micronesia, on Jan. 4–6, 1994 to collect the following cerambycids. All the specimens were collected by me and deposited in my collection.

### Family Cerambycidae

*Prosoplus lividus* MATSUSHITA

1 ♂, Hotel Nikko, Koror Is. (at light), 4–I–1994.

*Ropica squamulosa* BREUNING

3 exs., Hotel Nikko, Koror Is. (at light), 4–I–1994; 2 exs., ditto (at light), 5–I–1994.

*Ropica palauana* (MATSUSHITA)

2 exs., Hotel Nikko, Koror Is. (at light), 5–I–1994; 6 exs., ditto, 6–I–1994.

This species is fairly variable in its elytral pattern as shown by GRESSITT (1956).

*Sybra alternans* (WIEDEMANN)

1 ♀, National Museum, Koror Is., 5–I–1994.

*Sybra oreora* GRESSITT

1 ♂, Palau International Airport, Babelthuap Is., 6–I–1994.

*Acalolepta magnetica auripilis* (MATSUSHITA)

1 ♀, Hotel Nikko, Koror Is. (at light), 4–I–1994; 1 ♂, 1 ♀, ditto (at light), 5–I–1994.

*Batocera oceanica* SCHWARZER

1 ♀, Hotel Nikko, Koror Is. (at light), 4–I–1994.

*Sciades (Micronesiella) palauicola* (GRESSITT)

1 ex., Ngercheu Is. (“Carp Is.”) (new locality), 4–I–1994; 1 ex., Ngardmau Waterfalls, Babelthuap Is., 5–I–1994; 4 exs., Hotel Nikko, Koror Is., 6–I–1994; 2 exs., Palau International Airport, Babelthuap Is., 6–I–1994.

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