

New Records of Some Rove Beetles from Islands of Yoro-shima and Kakeroma-jima of Amami-guntô, Southwest Japan (Coleoptera, Staphylinidae)

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A few staphylinid beetles were recorded from Yoro-shima and Kakeroma-jima, both including Amami-guntô (SASAKI *et al.*, 2002). Two of the authors, R. OGAWA and S. MATSUO, had a collecting trip to these islands for a period from April 30 to May 8, 2009, and collected some rove beetles which will be recorded below for the first time. The collecting data are as follows: Ôkachi-yama, Yoro-shima, 30-IV to 3-V-2009, 7 & 8-V-2009, R. OGAWA & S. MATSUO leg. (Y); Kanyû-yama, Kakeroma-jima, 3 to 5-V-2009, R. OGAWA & S. MATSUO leg. (K). All specimens are preserved in Ehime University Museum (EUMJ).

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Myrmecocephalus sapidus (SHARP, 1874): 1 ex. (Y)

Sepedophilus armatus (SHARP, 1888): 1 ex. (Y)

Coproporus micropennis (NAKANE & SAWADA, 1960): 6 exs. (Y)

Megalopinus hirashimai NAOMI, 1986: 1 ex. (K)

Oedichirus idae SHARP, 1879: 1 ex. (Y)

Palaminus japonicus CAMERON, 1930: 1 ex. (Y)

Rugilus japonicus WATANABE, 1961: 1 ex. (Y)

Astenus maculipennis (KRAATZ, 1859): 4 exs. (Y)

Nazeris gotoi ITO, 1986: 1 ex. (Y)

Lobrathium ryukyuense ITO, 1996: 3 exs. (Y)

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