

Three *Merionoeda* Species (Coleoptera, Cerambycidae) Newly Recorded from Thailand

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Fifteen species of the genus *Merionoeda* PASCOE, 1858 have so far been recorded from the territory of Thailand (NIISATO & YOKOI, 2015, 2016; TAVAKILIAN & CHEVILLOTTE, 2016). Recently we had an opportunity to examine a lot of specimens of the genus and identified three unrecorded species from the country as listed in the following paragraphs. We would like to thank Drs. Koichi MATSUMOTO and Sadahiro OHMOMO for their offer of material used in the present study.

Merionoeda baliosmerion GRESSITT et RONDON, 1970

Merionoeda baliosmerion GRESSITT & RONDON, 1970: 122, fig. 22 d; type localities: Paklay, 240 m, Sayaboury Prov., Laos (holotype); Phon Tiou; Ile de Khong.

Specimens examined. 1 ♂, Doi Suthep, Chinag Mai Prov., N. Thailand, 26–28.IV.1996, K. MATSUMOTO leg.; 1 ♂, same locality and collector as the preceding, 2.V.1996.

Distribution. Vietnam; Laos; Thailand (new record).

Merionoeda melichroos GRESSITT et RONDON, 1970

Merionoeda melichroos GRESSITT & RONDON, 1970: 123, fig. 22 e; type locality: Nong Tevada, 170 m, Vientiane Prov., Laos.

Specimen examined. 1 ♂, Doi Sang, Chinag Mai Prov., N. Thailand, 2–7.V.1994, Local collector leg.

Distribution. Laos; Thailand (new record).

Merionoeda nigriceps (WHITE, 1855)

Heliomanes nigriceps WHITE, 1855, 181, pl. 5, fig. 1; type locality: E. Indies (Moulmein).

Merionoeda nigriceps: GAHAN, 1906: 173.

Merionoeda inapicalis PIC, 1922: 23; type area: Indes.

Specimens examined. 1 ♂, Khao Kaen Chang, Patchaburi, C. Thailand, 3.V.2003, S. OHMOMO leg.; 1 ♀, Mt. Hin Lek Phai, Hua Hin, Prachuap Khiri Khan, C. Thailand, 11.V.2001, S. OHMOMO leg.

Distribution. China: Yunnan and Xizang; Thailand (new record); Myanmar; Nepal; India.

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