

New species of Largidae and Pyrrhocoridae (Heteroptera) from the Oriental region

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Abstract. The following new species are described: Largidae – *Delacampius grossepunctatus* sp. nov. (Indonesia: Sulawesi), *D. subtilepunctatus* sp. nov. (Indonesia: Sulawesi), *Iphita rubricata* sp. nov. (North-East India); Pyrrhocoridae – *Ectatops notatus* sp. nov. (Malaysia: Sarawak), *E. sulawesiensis* sp. nov. (Indonesia: Sulawesi), and *Euscopus rubens* sp. nov. (Indonesia: Sumatra).

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Introduction

The Pyrrhocoroidea of the Oriental region are insufficiently studied. The following authors have particularly contributed to our present knowledge: C. S. Banks, E. Bergroth, H. C. Blöte, G. Breddin, H. Burmeister, W. L. Distant, J. Ch. Fabricius, G. W. Kirkaldy, L. Lethierry, E. Schmidt, H. Schouteden, C. Stål, and H. W. Tauber. After World War II the following authors are noteworthy: I. Ahmad with co-workers, M. S. K. Ghauri, I. M. Kerzhner, C. W. Schaefer, and J. L. Stehlík. A useful aid to older literature is the catalogue of Pyrrhocoridae by HUSSEY (1929). In particular, the Pyrrhocoridae contain the economically important cotton pest genus *Dysdercus* Guérin-Ménéville, 1831. Its Oriental species were studied by FREEMAN (1947) and the Indian species by KAPUR & VAZIRANI (1960).

Material and methods

The terminology of body parts mostly follows VAN DOESBURG (1968). We have used more specific terms for the genital capsule as proposed by SCHAEFER (1977), who has, amongst others, also studied *Pyrrhocoris apterus* (Linneus, 1758).