

New species of Heteroceridae from Papua New Guinea and Myanmar

(Insecta: Coleoptera)

Stanislav SKALICKÝ

Abstract: Two similar new species of Heteroceridae belonging to “*H. philippensis*” group: *Heterocerus heissi* n. sp. and *H. sinecroniger* n. sp. from Papua New Guinea and *H. ernsti* n. sp. from Myanmar related to *H. lorenzevae* Mascagni, 1993, are described, illustrated and compared with similar species.

Key words: Taxonomy, Coleoptera, Heteroceridae, new species, Papua New Guinea, Myanmar

Introduction

The present paper is supplement to the recent paper on the *Heterocerus philippensis* species group by MASCAGNI & SKALICKÝ 2006, extending the group with two new species from Papua New Guinea: *H. heissi* n. sp. and *H. sinecroniger* n. sp. *H. ernsti* n. sp. from Myanmar is described moreover. All species were collected by Prof. Dr. Ernst HEISS during his travels and are deposited in the author's and collector's collections.

The following acronyms are used in the text to indicate the depository of the material examined:

CEH -- Coll. Prof. Dr. E. HEISS Innsbruck, Austria

CSU -- Coll. S. SKALICKÝ, Ústí nad Orlicí, Czech Republic

MZLU -- Museum of Zoology, Lund University, Sweden

Locality data are cited verbatim in “quotation marks”.