



Review of certain lectotype designations in *Hinda* (Coleoptera, Coccinellidae, Hyperaspinae), primarily those deposited in Museum für Naturkunde der Humboldt-Universität, Berlin, Germany

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Abstract

Type specimens of *Hinda* in the Zoologisches Museum der Humboldt Universität, Berlin, Germany, and other institutions were studied. Lectotypes and paralectotypes of *Hinda quindecimmaculata* Weise (1895) and of *H. modesta* Weise (1910) are designated. An error by Almeida and Milléo (2000) in designating a lectotype for *Hinda regularis* Erichson (1847) is corrected. Known geographical distributions of *H. modesta* and *H. humerata* are expanded.

Key words: distribution, neotropical, taxonomy, type designations

Algumas designações de lectótipos em *Hinda* (Coleoptera, Coccinellidae, Hyperaspinae), principalmente daqueles depositados no Museum für Naturkunde der Humboldt-Universität, Berlim, Alemanha

Resumo

Foram estudadas as espécies-tipo de *Hinda* depositadas no Zoologisches Museum der Humboldt Universität, Berlim, Alemanha, e em outras instituições. Os lectótipos e paralectótipos de *Hinda quindecimmaculata* Weise (1895) e de *H. modesta* Weise (1910) são aqui designados. É corrigida a designação do lectótipo de *Hinda regularis* Erichson (1847) feita por Almeida & Milléo (2000). As distribuições geográficas de *H. modesta* e *H. humerata* são ampliadas.

Palavras-chave: distribuição, neotropical, taxonomia, designação de material-tipo

Introduction

In preparation for publication of the paper “Review of the genus *Hinda* Mulsant (Coleoptera, Coccinellidae, Hyperaspinae, Brachiacanthadini)” (Almeida and Milléo 2000), type specimens of *Hinda* species were borrowed, several from the Zoologisches Museum der Humboldt Universität. Some errors made in lectotype designation are corrected here. The purpose of this paper is to update type information and expand the known geographical distribution of *Hinda* species.