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The first records of *Dasycerus jonicus* (Coleoptera: Staphylinidae: Dasycerinae) from Albania

První nálezy *Dasycerus jonicus* (Coleoptera: Staphylinidae: Dasycerinae) v Albánii

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Abstract. In this paper, the first records of *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884 from Albania are published.

According to Löbl & Calame (1996) and Schülke & Smetana (2015), *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884 is only reliably known from Greece. Schweiger (1950) published the species from Austria, but although the determination is correct, Löbl (2009) considers the record as doubtful. Schülke & Smetana (2015) do not indicate the species for Austria. Confirmed localities are concentrated in the north-western part of Greece including the islands of Zakynthos and Corfu (Löbl & Calame 1996). New findings of this species from southern Albania are listed below.

Findings of *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884 in Albania:

Albania mer.: 2 km NW of Palasë, 40°10′35.13″N, 19°36′13″E, 9.v.2013, 1 spec., sifting leaf litter and moss around rotten oak stumps; Palasë, 40°10′28.02″N, 19°35′36.45″E, 13.v.2016, 5 spec., sifting leaf litter and fallen twigs in old oak pasture forest (Fig. 1); Llogara National Park, 40°12′55.18″N, 19°34′12.74″E, 15.v.2016, 4 spec., sifting leaf litter in mixed forest (Fig. 2). All specimens A. Šíma leg., det. et coll.
New species for Albania.

Based on data given by Löbl & Calame (1996) and the above findings, the currently known distribution of *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884 comprises the north-western part of Greece and southern Albania.

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SOUHRN

Dasycerus jonicus Reitter, 1884 byl dosud spolehlivě zaznamenán pouze ze severozápadního Řecka včetně ostrovů Zakynthos a Korfu (Löbl & Calame 1996, Schülke & Smetana 2015). Uvádím nové nálezy tohoto druhu z jižní Albánie.



Fig. 1. Palasë, old oak pasture forest, locality for *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884. Photograph by A. Šíma.
Obr. 1. Palasë, dubový pastevní les, lokalita *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884. Fotografie A. Šíma.



Fig. 2. Llogara National Park, habitat of *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884. Photograph by A. Šíma.
Obr. 2. Národní park Llogara, stanoviště *Dasycerus jonicus* Reitter, 1884. Fotografie A. Šíma.