

# A new species of *Centruroides* from Guanaja, Islas de la Bahía, Honduras

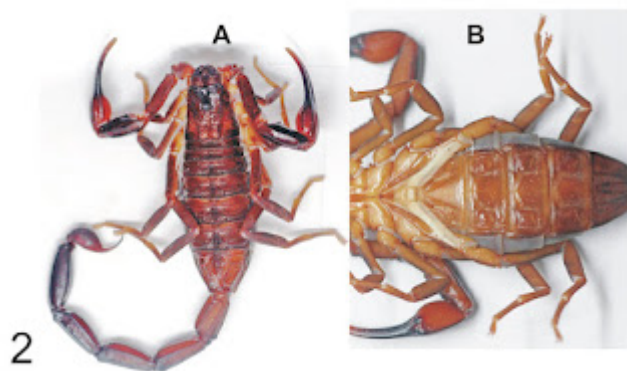
UNA ESPECIE NUEVA DE CENTRUROIDES (SCORPIONES: BUTHIDAE) DE GUANAJA, ISLAS DE LA BAHÍA, HONDURAS

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Luis de Armas and Alex Cubas-Rodríguez have recently described a new species of *Centruroides* Marx, 1890 (Buthidae) from Guanaja, Islas de la Bahía, Honduras.

*Centruroides terueli* de Armas & Cubas-Rodriguez, 2023

## **Abstract:**

A new species belonging to the species-group *Centruroides gracilis* is described from Guanaja Island, Islas de la Bahía, in the Honduran Caribbean, on the basis of an adult female. Because of its dorsal pattern it was misidentified as *C. caribbeanus* Teruel & Myers, 2017, from which it differs by

having the metasomal segments more elongate, pedipalp hands with carinae more developed, sternites immaculate (profusely variegated with dark brown in *C. caribbeanus*) and a shorter aculeus. This is the third species of this genus recorded from the Islas de la Bahía archipelago and the second endemic scorpion known from the area.

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**Reference:**

De Armas LF, Cubas-Rodriguez AM. Una especie nueva de *Centruroides* (Scorpiones: Buthidae) de Guanaja, Islas de la Bahía, Honduras. [Revista Iberica de Arachnologia. 2023\(43\):81-5.](#) [Full text available from author]

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