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Taxonomic study on new-record genus *Bambusana* Anufriev (Hemiptera: Cicadellidae: Deltocephalinae) in China

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Abstract

The species of *Bambusana* Anufriev, 1969 from China are studied, and two new species, *B. fopingensis* sp. nov. and *B. multidentata* sp. nov., are described as new. Both the genus and its type species, *B. bambusae* (Matsumura, 1914), are reported for the first time from China. The type and other material are deposited separately in the Institute of Zoology, Chinese Academy of Sciences (IZCAS) and Entomological Museum of Northwest A&F University (EM), which are indicated under each species.

Key words: Hemiptera, Cicadellidae, Deltocephalinae, Bambusana, new species, new record, China

Introduction

The leafhopper genus *Bambusana* (Deltocephalinae: Athysanini) was established by Anufriev (1969) for two species from Japan, *B. bambusae* (Matsumura, 1914), the type species, and *B. jenjouristi* Anufriev, 1969. Apart from being catalogued by Hamilton (1975) and briefly mentioned by Anufriev & Emeljanov (1988) in their description of insects of the Soviet Far East, the genus has received no attention.

During study on the Chinese Deltocephalinae, we examined the specimens in the main insect collections on mainland China, including the collections of the Institute of Zoology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, and those in our own institution. We found specimens of *Bambusana* from China for the first time, represented by its type species and two new species. The new species are described in this paper and a key is provided for the separation of all four known species.