

## Review of *Aferos* Kazantsev (Coleoptera, Lycidae), with a note on *Staepteron cyanoxanthum* (Bourgeois)

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### Abstract

The genus *Aferos* Kazantsev is redescribed and six new species, *A. endroedyi* sp. n., *A. natalensis* sp. n., *A. rubellus* sp. n., *A. silvestris* sp. n., *A. transvaalensis* sp. n. and *A. youngai* sp. n. are described from South Africa. A key to all 18 known species of *Aferos* is provided. *Aferotini* Kazantsev, 2004, syn. n. is synonymized with *Slipinskiini* Bocák et Bocáková, 1992. *Staepteron cyanoxanthum* (Bourgeois) is illustrated, and the genus *Staepteron* Kazantsev is tentatively placed in *Flagraxina* (Dictyopterini, Erotinae).

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