



## Revision of the *Oocyclus* Sharp of Brazil with description of ten new species (Coleoptera: Hydrophilidae: Laccobiini)

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### Abstract

The Brazilian species of the water scavenger beetle genus *Oocyclus* Sharp, 1882 are revised. Fourteen species are recognized, including ten described as new from southern and southeastern Brazil: *Oocyclus acuru* sp. n., *O. aeneus* sp. n., *O. alterosa* sp. n., *O. caparao* sp. n., *O. flexus* sp. n., *O. itapecori* sp. n., *O. itapecum* sp. n., *O. rotundus* sp. n., *O. xanthus* sp. n., and *O. yubai* sp. n. New records for two of the three previously recorded Brazilian species, *O. decorus* (Kuwert) and *O. fryanus* Balfour-Browne, are given. One species, *O. iguazu* (Oliva), is newly recorded from the country as well as from Paraguay. The holotypes of *O. fryanus* and *O. schubarti* d'Orchymont are redescribed. A key and high-resolution images of each species are provided. Consistent with the biology of other members of the genus, all species are found in rocks seeps and other hygropetric habitats.

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