

A new species of the genus *Tettigidea* from Colombia (Orthoptera: Tettigidae: Batrachideinae)

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Tettigidea angustihumeralis sp. n. from Colombia is described.

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Tettigidea angustihumeralis sp. n. (Fig. 1)

Holotype. ♂, Colombia, N. Santander, 5 km N of Chinacota, 3000 ft, 12.V.1974 (J. Pack), Zoological Institute, St.Petersburg.

Paratype. ♀, as holotype.

Description. Body robust, brachypronotal. Vertex 1.5 times as wide as eye; median carina of head higher than eyes in lateral aspect. Frontal costa broad, with narrow sulcus and not acute, broad lateral carinae. Pronotum with granulated surface, with distinct longitudinal rugae on the disc, very narrow between the shoulders; anterior margin obtuse-angulate, slightly projected forward over the head, with a minute acute median spine; hind process abbreviated, not reaching apex of hind femora. Humeral angles very broadly rounded, not prominent. Median carina of pronotum distinct along its whole length; lateral carinae very slight, almost parallel in prozone and distinct in metazone. Tegmina and hind wings well developed, the former elongate and narrow. Posterior femora broad, almost 3 times as long as broad.

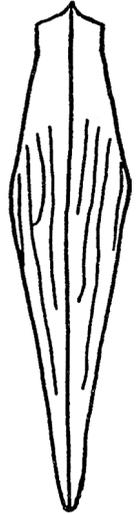
Length (mm): body ♂ 10.5, ♀ 14; pronotum ♂ 9.1, ♀ 12.3; tegmina ♂ 1.5, ♀ 2.1; hind femora ♂ 6.1, ♀ 8.6; ovipositor ♀ 2.3.

Comparison. This species is closely related to those species of the genus which have a spine on the anterior margin of pronotum, but it is distinguished by the less projected anterior margin of the pronotum, extremely small median spine, not prominent humeral angles and very narrow pronotum between the shoulders.

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Tettigidea angustihumeralis sp. n., dorsal view of pronotum.