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*Liatongus minutus* is known from China, Korea, Japan, and Russia. Up to now one specimen of this species has been found in Russia (2 km to the east of Khasan) [1]. According to our data this species is common in the south part of Primorskii krai.

*Liatongus minutus* (Motschulsky, 1860)

Fig. 1

MATERIAL. RUSSIA: Primorskii krai, Khasan district: Slavyanka, 25.VII 2006, 2♂, 1♀ (V. Bezborodov); Andreevka, 27.VII 2006, 75♂, 24♀ (V. Bezborodov); Vityaz', 26-29.VII 2006, 2♂ (V. Bezborodov); Nerpitch'ya, 29.VII 2006 1♂, 3♀ (V. Bezborodov); Khasan, 26.VII 2006 12♂, 3♀ (V. Bezborodov).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia (Primorskii krai); North-Eastern and Eastern China; Korea; Japan [1].

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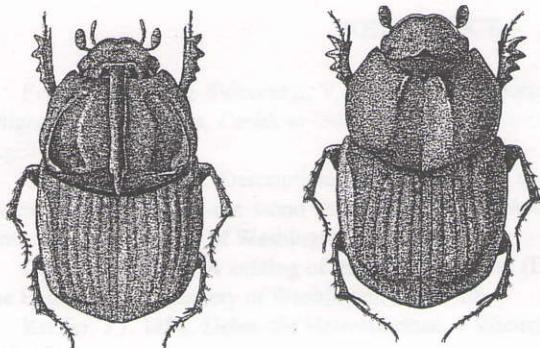


Fig. 1. *Liatongus minutus* (Motschulsky, 1860), male (left) and female (right) (original by D. Rogatnykh)

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