

## Review of Chinese species of the genus *Embrikstrandia* Plavilstshikov, 1931 (Coleoptera: Cerambycidae: Cerambycinae) with description of a new species

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### Abstract

The longicorn beetle genus *Embrikstrandia* Plavilstshikov is reviewed with descriptions of four Chinese species including a new species, *E. pubemaculata* **sp. nov.** from Guangxi Province. A key to the four Chinese species of the genus is presented.

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### Introduction

The genus *Embrikstrandia* (Coleoptera: Cerambycidae) was established by Plavilstshikov in 1931. Gressitt *et al.* (1970) listed five species of this genus in their key: *E. bicolor* Gressitt & Rondon, 1970, *E. inexpectata* Podany, 1968, *E. davidis* (Deyrolle, 1878), *E. unifasciata* (Ritsema, 1897), and *E. distincta* (Nonfried, 1891). With the subsequent additions of *E. bimaculata* (White, 1853) and *E. fujianensis* Hua & She, 1987, there are seven described species in the genus worldwide at present; however, the status of some species is questionable. *E. davidis* was treated as a synonym of *E. bimaculata* by Gressitt (1951) and Nakamura *et al.* (1992). Podany (1968) and Gressitt *et al.* (1970) retained *E. davidis* in their keys, using the numbers of yellow antennal segments and their starting and terminating positions as well as the breadth of yellow elytral band as distinguishing characters. However, these characters vary substantially among individuals of *E. bimaculata* (Figs. 1-4). Although Gressitt (1940, 1951) and Gressitt *et al.* (1970) recorded three species of *Embrikstrandia* from China, Hua & She (1987) recognised only two