

A revision of the South African leafhopper genus *Drakensbergena* Linnauvori (Hemiptera: Cicadellidae: Drakensbergeniae)

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Abstract

The leafhopper genus *Drakensbergena* is revised. Two species are redescribed: the type-species, *D. fuscovittata* Linnauvori and *D. ochracea* Linnauvori. The following 16 species are described as new: *D. armstrongi*, *D. austrina*, *D. bisulca*, *D. breviata*, *D. cuneifer*, *D. deorsuspina*, *D. festucacola*, *D. gigascutica*, *D. labeona*, *D. lobulata*, *D. longinqua*, *D. phaeogramma*, *D. prolixa*, *D. retrospina*, *D. simulata* and *D. spinula*. Keys are provided for the identification of all the species.

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