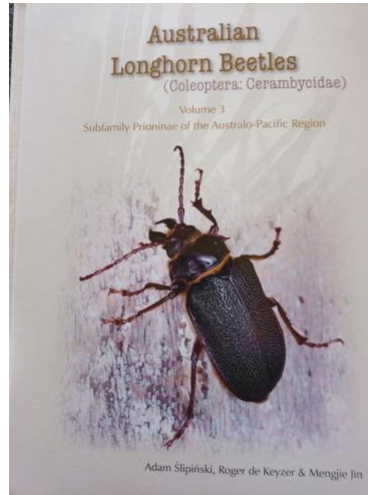


BOOK REVIEW



Australian Longhorn Beetles (Coleoptera Cerambycidae) Volume 3 Subfamily Prioninae of the Australo-Pacific Region

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This is the third and final volume of the Cerambycidae of the Australo-Pacific Region, specializing in the subfamily Prioninae. Written by Adam Slipinski, Roger de Keyzer and Mengjie Jin, it is an enthralling and beautifully organized book. Within its 512 pages it covers all the current available information on the biology, morphology (both adult and larval) and diagnostic features of this subfamily. Added to this are distribution maps of each species along with keys to genera and species as well as a guide to the phylogenetic relationships within tribes. Complete with 154 pages of high-quality coloured plates, it shows both male and female habitus and morphology and then adds 11 pages of types and holotypes of the species. If all this isn't enough, the authors provide useful tips for capturing as well as rearing the beetles.

This is a superb book of magnificent quality and, along with Volumes 1 and 2, will surely be the definitive reference for the Cerambycidae of the Australo-Pacific Region for both professionals and interested amateurs for a very long time.

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