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The distribution of two species of ground-beetles (Coleoptera, Carabidae) in the Southern Kuril Islands are discussed.

### ***Eobrosicus lutshniki* (Roubal, 1928)**

MATERIAL. Russia: Kunashir Is., west coast, Stolbchatyi cape, 25. VII 1985, 1 ♂ (N. B. Nikitsky).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia: South Primorskii krai, South Sakhalin, Kunashir. Japan (Hokkaido, Honshu, Shikoku, Kyushu), Korea, China (North-East and Gansu) [3, 5].

NOTES. This species was reported from Kunashir Islands by G. O. Krivolutzkaya [1] without materials, later we could not find the specimen from Kunashir in the collection of Zoological Institute and did not include this species in the list of the ground-beetles of the Kuril Islands [2]. The above mentioned ♂ confirms the distribution of this species in Kunashir.

***Bembidion (Peryphus) bandotaro* Morita, 1991**

MATERIAL. Russia: Iturup Is., south-eastern coast, between Iodny cape and Burevestnik vil., in the mouths of mountain streams, 26-27. VIII 1975, 1 ♀ (G. Sh. Lafer, A. Yu. Storozhenko); Kunashir Is., Mendeleev vil., in ravine on the stream bank, under stones, 28. VII 1982, 1 ♂ (G. Sh. Lafer).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia (first record): Iturup and Kunashir. Japan (Hokkaido, Honshu, Shikoku).

NOTES. Specimens from Iturup was recorded by me [4] as *Bembidion semilunium*. But *B. semilunium* is known from Japan only [6]. Probably 2 specimens from Kunashir identified as *B. semilunium* [2] also belongs to *B. bandotaro*.

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