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Dung Beetles (Coleoptera: Scarabaeinae) of Finca Las Piedras

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1 *Ateuchus pygidialis*



2 *Canthidium* cf. *dohrni*



3 *Canthidium cupreum*



4 *Canthidium nitidum*



5 *Canthidium* sp. aff. *atramentarium*



6 *Canthidium* sp. aff. *funebre*



7 *Canthon aequinoctialis*



8 *Canthon angustatus*



9 *Canthon heyrovskyi*



10 *Canthon septemmaculatus*
histrio



11 *Canthon simulans*



12 *Canthon* sp. aff. *octodentatus*



13 *Canthon virens chalybaeus*



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15 *Coprophanaeus degallieri*



16 *Coprophanaeus lancifer*

———— = 1 cm

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17 *Coprophanaeus telamon*



18 *Deltochilum carinatum*



19 *Deltochilum granulatum*



20 *Deltochilum orbiculare*



21 *Diabroctis mimas*



22 *Dichotomius batesi*



23 *Dichotomius lucasi*



24 *Dichotomius melzeri*



25 *Dichotomius ohausi*



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(male minor teneral)



27 *Digitonthophagus gazella*



28 *Eurysternus caribaeus*



29 *Eurysternus hypocrita*



30 *Eurysternus nigrovirens*



31 *Eurysternus howdeni*



32 *Eurysternus wittmerorum*

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33 *Gromphas aeruginosa*

34 *Onthophagus haematopus*

35 *Onthophagus onorei*

36 *Onthophagus* sp. aff. *ophion*



37 *Onthophagus xanthomerus*

38 *Oxysternon conspicillatum*

39 *Phanaeus bispinus*

40 *Phanaeus cambeforti*
(male minor)



41 *Pseudocanthon xanthurum*

42 *Scybalocanthon uniplagiatus*

43 *Sulcophanaeus faunus*

44 *Uroxys corporaali*

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About Finca Las Piedras

Finca Las Piedras is the Alliance for a Sustainable Amazon's (ASA) research and education center in Peru's Madre de Dios region. This is the base for the ASA's projects spanning biological research, reforestation, and education. The site provides access to an extensive rainforest ecosystem dominated by Brazil nut (*Bertholletia excelsa*) trees and other tropical hardwood species, as well as wetlands, regenerating forests, and active and abandoned agricultural land.

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