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Legendrena rolandi, new species

Figures 37, 46–48

TYPE: Male holotype from the Forêt d'Analamazaotra, near the Périnet railway station, Tamatave, Madagascar (no date; R. Legendre), deposited in MNHN.

ETYMOLOGY: The specific name is a patronym in honor of the collector of the holotype.

DIAGNOSIS: Males can be recognized by the cusps on the palpal tibia (fig. 48).

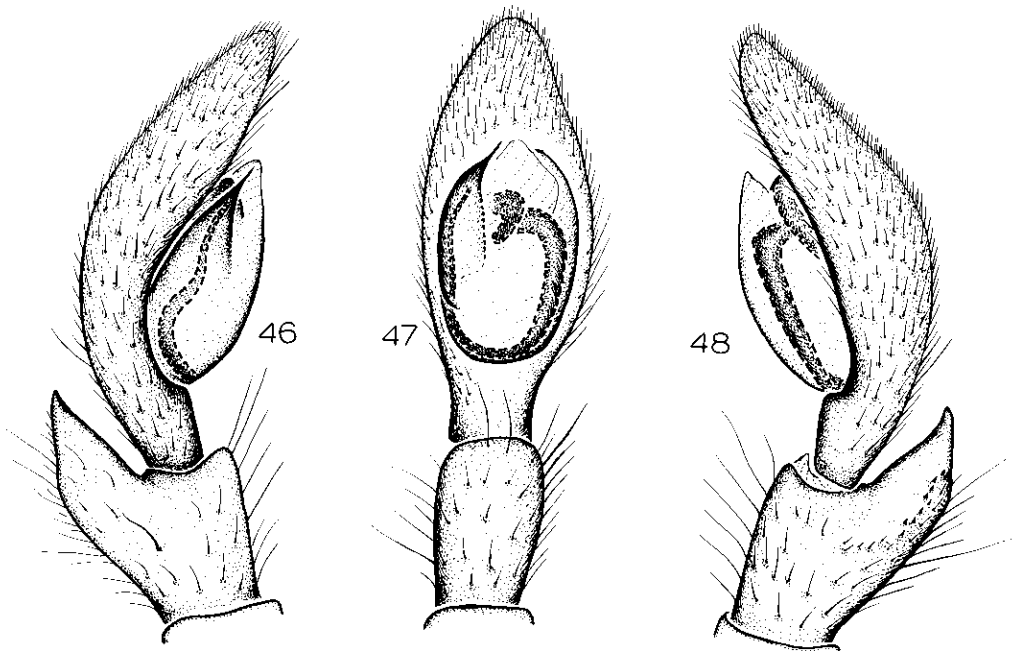
MALE: As in *L. angavokely*, except for the following. Total length unknown (abdomen missing). Carapace 1.68 long, 1.40 wide. Eye sizes and interdistances: AME 0.05, ALE 0.09, PME 0.05, PLE 0.08; AME–AME 0.11, AME–ALE 0.03, PME–PME 0.16, PME–PLE

0.06, ALE–PLE 0.05; MOQ length 0.19, front width 0.21, back width 0.26. Clypeal height at AME almost twice their diameter. Chelicerae extending forward distance about two-sevenths of carapace length, distal one-third flattened laterally, where bordered by short setae on elevated bases. Labium longer than wide. Leg spination: femora: I d1-0-0, p0-0-1; II–IV d1-0-0. Patella and tibia I with ventral fringe of setae (fig. 37). Abdomen missing. Dorsal apophysis on palpal tibia bearing cusps retrolaterally (fig. 48).

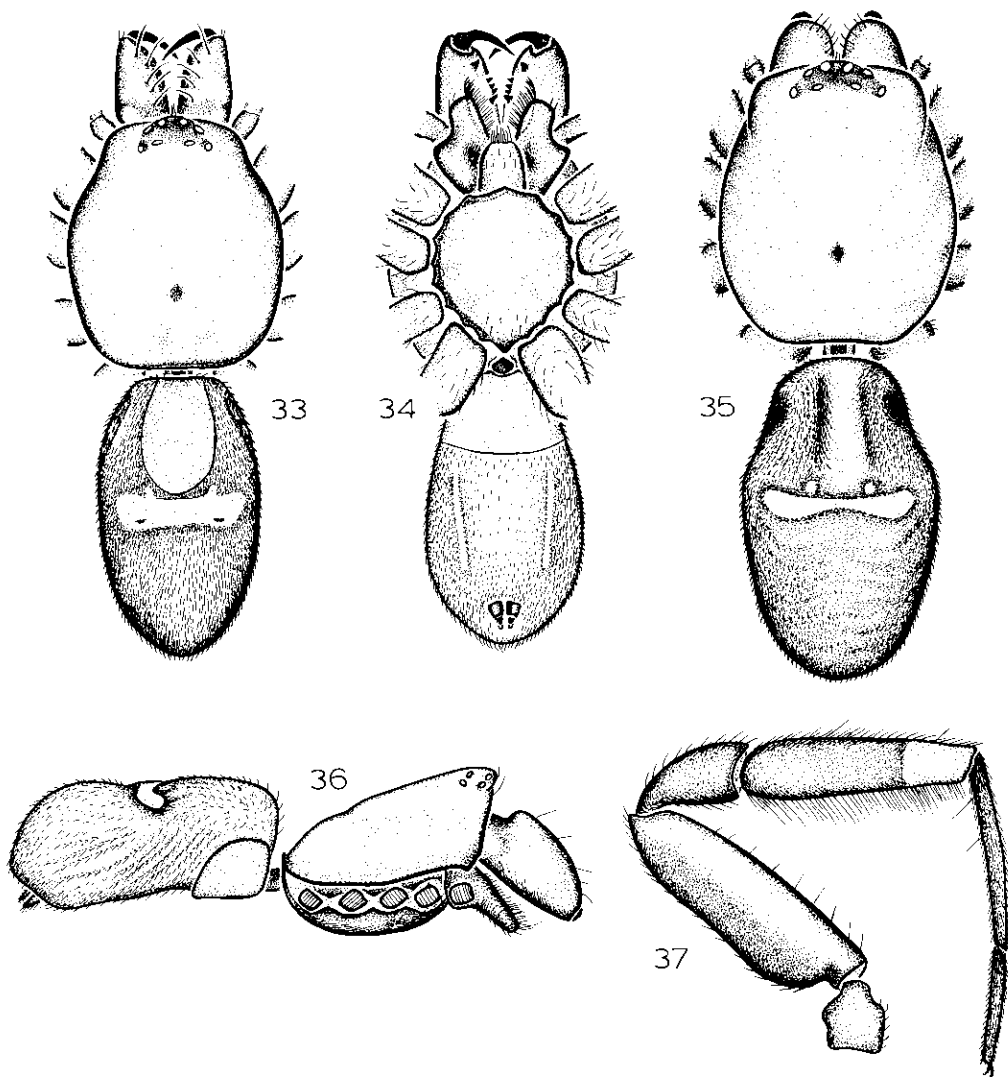
FEMALE: Unknown.

OTHER MATERIAL EXAMINED: None.

DISTRIBUTION: Known only from eastern Madagascar.



FIGS. 46–48. *L. rolandi*, new species. 46. Palp, prolateral view. 47. Palp, ventral view. 48. Palp, retrolateral view.



FIGS. 33-37. 33-36. *Legendrena angavokely*, new species, cephalothorax and abdomen. 37. *L. rolandi*, new species, leg I. 33, 34, 36, 37. Male. 35. Female. 33, 35. Dorsal view. 34. Ventral view. 36, 37. Lateral view.